



Executive Committee Of County Good Government League, Plans Drive To Arouse Sleeping Public

The Executive Committee of the Good Government League of Eastland County met Thursday night for the purpose of mapping out a definite program for law enforcement. The Executive Committee is composed of three ministers, with R. E. Davis, Sr., chairman. This committee was created by a large group of ministers from various sections of Eastland county, and directed to set up a permanent organization in every voting precinct in the county.

Sub-committees will be set up in all the towns in Eastland county, working in proximity with the Executive Committee which is also known as the Central Committee. A county-wide meeting of all ministers in Eastland county will be called to meet in Eastland May 26, at which time plans will be adopted for an active campaign to enlist the interest of good citizens of Eastland county in better law enforcement.

A similar meeting will be held in Cisco and Ranger at a future date. The Executive committee feels that there is an open neglect upon the part of some "charged with the responsibility of law enforcement, and they are out to see who they are that are responsible for the increase in illicit liquor deals in one can deny exists in this county. They are interested in learning, as well as every minister they represent in the county, why so many arrests have been made for violation of the law by bootlegging, and why so few have been prosecuted. This organization is not out to enforce the law, but they are vitally concerned about those whom they believe should enforce the law.

Reports have already reached this organization which it deems most shocking. They believe that every young boy and young girl in this county are directly effected by negligence in law enforcement. With crime increasing over the nation, these ministers of the gospel of Christ thought it time to form themselves into an organization, and they declare no let up will come.

When bootleggers can be arrested, cars confiscated and bond made in the sum of thousands of dollars and such cases are never brought to trial, that it is time for all men and women who believe in law and order to take an open

Rangers Watching Political Probe In Duval County

By United Press
The Duval County Grand Jury meets Monday with a hint that the activities of the "Duke of Duval", George J. Parr, will be investigated.

The grand jury panel was convened by District Judge Sam Beams to look into election procedures in the politically mysterious Duval County. It is the center of the Parr political empire created by George Parr's father, former state Senator Archie Parr. Lapsed voting in the county in past elections has gained nationwide attention.

Government Buys Eggs

WASHINGTON, May 9 (UP)—The Agriculture Department has bought six thousand cases of shell eggs in its first purchase under a surplus removal program designed to boost lower producer rates.

The department announced April 9 it would buy up to 100,000 cases of shell eggs to remove "burdensome surpluses" from the market. It will consider offers each Tuesday through May 27th.

The total amount spent by the government on the program will not be revealed until its end. The eggs will be distributed to school lunch programs and other eligible outlets.

Texas U Given Valuable Books On Oil By Graduate
AUSTIN, Texas, May—Charles B. Renaud, Fort Worth oil man who received a Master of Arts degree in geology from the University of Texas in 1950, has donated a number of valuable publications to the University's geologists, the U. S. Geological Survey and the University's Bureau

stand against that which endangers the peace of any given community, as well as it endangers the morality of our homes.

This organization was not brought into existence as a political unit nor for a soundboard for any man in politics. It will, however stand solidly behind every enforcement officer in the county who does his duty and will be most outspoken against those who violate their sacred oath of office.

This Committee believes, it says, that unless there is an open return to law and order there is a possibility of a relapse to barbarism in our county. This organization is not taking a stand against the bootlegger as such. They say they know the bootleggers, in as small an area as composes this county, cannot and would not thrive, if after arrests are made, diligent steps are taken to mete out the law to the offenders.

This organization represents thousands of good men and women who it believes in good government. It calls upon all law-abiding citizens, regardless of creed or color, to take a stand for the church, the home, by showing your interest in helping this organization accomplish its heavy responsibility.

Crime cannot thrive when full light is thrown in its face. "That it thrives," it was said, "under the shadow of our churches and under the dome of constituted authority, is self-evident that too much patience is shown upon the part of a sleeping citizenship. It is the purpose of this organization to arouse a sleeping community to its untransmittable responsibility to good government.

Eastland County Teachers Meet In Eastland Wed.

The Eastland County Teachers Association held their annual banquet in the basement of the Eastland Methodist Church Wednesday evening at 8:00 p.m. Music for the program was furnished by the A Cappella Choir of Cisco Junior College under the direction of Mr. Robert Clinton. More than 150 Eastland County teachers attended the banquet and enjoyed the address of the evening which was given by Dr. W. T. Walton, former Superintendent and President of Ranger Junior College, who is now the Vice-President of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

The following officers were elected for the year 1952-53:
Superintendent G. B. Rush, of Ranger, President; Superintendent Charles W. Gibbs of Gorman, 1st Vice President; Superintendent Ervin Ewing of Scranton, 2nd Vice President; Mrs. George Robinson, Ranger High School Teacher, Secretary; Mrs. Leslie Haganman, Ranger High School Teacher, Treasurer.

Olden School's Baccalaureate Set 8 P.M. May 11

The Baccalaureate services for the Olden High School will be Sunday night, May 11, 1952 at the Olden Gym.

The program is as follows:
Procession; Maxine McCotter, Invocation; Bro. Moore, Choir Song "In the Garden", Choir Scripture.
Song, "Come Thy Almighty King", Choir.
Address, Rev. Leslie Seymour, Benediction, Rev. W. M. Slatton.
Recessional, Maxine McCotter.



BIRTHDAY FOR HARRY—President Harry Truman, celebrating his 68th birthday, poses for family photo in the Rose Garden with Mrs. Truman and daughter Margaret. High spot of the birthday program was a family dinner. Truman announced to the press he plans to spend the next ten years just as he pleases. (NEA Telephoto).



NO MORE "W"—The lid is off on items controlled by regulation "W" as the government suspended credit clamps on those consumer goods under the regulation. Prospective buyers gather about salesman J. F. O'Connor in Los Angeles as he explains that customers and dealers are free to write their own tickets as to down payments and installment terms on purchased goods. (NEA Telephoto).

Past Enemies May Combine Armed Forces

Soviet Russia and Communist China are said to have signed a secret military pact which would bind the Chinese Reds to put all their resources and manpower under control of the Russians.

At this season of the year your State Health Department puts special emphasis on a clean-up designed primarily for the two fold purpose of elimination of flies and rats. These two health hazards can be controlled only through sanitary practices. Places where they feed and breed and rest must be destroyed.

The common housefly has demonstrated that it can spread more than 29 human diseases. Some of the more serious are typhoid fever, diarrhea and dysentery. They have also been implicated in the spread of polio. Rats and mice have been accused in the spreading of 29 to 30 diseases.

"It is plain to see," says Dr. Cox, "that your health and that of your family and community depends in a good measure upon your maintenance of clean, fly and rat free premises."

Jack Stephens Passes Away In Veteran Hospital

Jack Stephens, Magnolia employee at Electric, and a patient in the Veteran's Hospital at McKinney passed away this morning at 1:00 a.m.

Stephens was a former resident of Olden, having lived in that community for many years. No other information was available at press time.

Dam Break In Colorado Loses Flood On R. Grande

The swollen Rio Grande River has swept past Espanola, N. e. Mexico, and it appears the little community has been saved from flooding by surrounding levees.

Between 35 and 40 families were evacuated yesterday when an earth and rock dam in Colorado gave way dumping six thousand acre feet of water into the river.

McGranery Gets Senate Okay As Attorney General

WASHINGTON, May 9 (UP)—The Senate Judiciary Committee has approved the nomination of Federal Judge James McGranery to be Attorney General. The vote was 8 to 4.

Van Fleet Authorizes Force To Free General

Candidates Who Filed Names For Official Ballot

Names of individuals listed below are those whose names will appear on the official ballot in this county for the July primaries. Several late filers visited the County Chairman Monday, and one good man, whose name does not appear, learned to his sorrow that Tuesday was too late. Officers and names follow:
Congress, 17 Dist.—Jack Cox, Freckenridge, Omar Buftoon, Anson.
State Senator, District 22.—Wayne Wagonseller of Stoneberg, Montague County.

Representative for 7th district, State Legislature—Omar Burkett, Eastland, C. H. Dawson, Ranger, L. R. Pearson, Ranger and John Wood, Albany. This is a newly created district and is composed of Eastland, Shackelford and Callahan counties.
Judge, 91 Judicial District—Fleming A. Waters, Earl Conner, Jr., and Turner M. Collier.
County and District Attorney—Joe M. Nuesse.
District Clerk—Ray L. Lane for reelection, and John C. Nicholas and L. T. (Lola) Everton.
County Judge, John S. Hart for second term, and C. S. Eldridge.
County Clerk, Geo. A. Fox, Johnson Smith and A. J. Blevins, Jr.

Assessor—Collector—Stanley Webb.
Sheriff—W. E. (Bill) Solomon, J. F. (Frank) Tucker, and W. W. (Bill) Tackett.
County Treasurer—Hugh H. Hardeman, J. H. (Hoover) Pittman, E. C. (Clyde) Fisher, and Richard C. Cox.

County Commissioner—Pre. 1 Joe Faircloth and T. E. (Ed) Canineberry for re-election.
Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1—C. C. Street and Jas R. (Jim) Boggs.
Constable Pre 1—Porter Woods.
Constable Pre 2—Ralph W. Neal and Ike Lee, re-election.
Justice Peace Pre. 2—Charles Bobo, reelection.

Rift Develops Between Demos North Dakota

FARGO, North Dakota, May 9 (UP)—A rift has developed between state Democratic party leaders and supporters of Senator Estes Kefauver in North Carolina.

Kefauver presidential backers say they're considering sponsoring their own Jefferson - Jackson Day Dinner Monday night because the state Democratic chairman refused to invite Kefauver to speak at the regular party dinner.

Both dinners would be held at Minot, North Carolina. Democratic Senator Herbert Humphrey of Minnesota is scheduled to deliver the main address at the regular party dinner.

Jack County Farmer Gets Lions Soil Conservation Award Thurs.

Cy Clayton of Bryson in southern Jack County, was awarded a plaque by the Ranger Lions Club for his work in the Palo Pinto Soil Conservation District the past year. The presentation was made by Leslie Haganman, president of the district, at the meeting on behalf of the Lions Club.

Haganman gave the reasons why Clayton was chosen as the winner of the award by the directors. He said Clayton had signed the district pledges in 1946. And since that time had practiced deferred grazing to improve his pastures; planted grassland and 100 acres of old fields to native grasses; harvested seed of native grasses from his land that was given to the SCS to aid others in improving their pastures; had run only 75-80 percent stock capacity on his pastures to allow them to improve through rest and forced his stock to graze all acres of the land, not just the better parts, increasing the capacity of his land as much as fifty per cent in doing this. In his cultivated fields he planted cover crops on rotation of hairy vetch and Madrid Clover, and in other ways sought to improve the land.

Clayton stated that he was interested in the land and felt that we must do all in our power to save our soil, and that he was glad he had been able to win the award.

Mr. George Moore of the SCS showed a film on the effects of rindrops on the soil of various types and various conditions. The film shows that the intensity of the rain drop is a determining factor on the amount of erosion of land.

Guests of the Lions were the three men with the Palo Pinto Soil District and Mr. William McGrath of Bermuda, who came to grant all acres of the land, not just the better parts, increasing the capacity of his land as much as fifty per cent in doing this. In his cultivated fields he planted cover crops on rotation of hairy vetch and Madrid Clover, and in other ways sought to improve the land.

Seizure May Be Used At Truce Talks Is Hint

The Eighth Army Commander, General James Van Fleet, says force will be used if necessary to free the Commander of the Koje Island prison camp from the Communists. However, Van Fleet says he's confident that the reds won't harm Brigadier-General Francis Dodd, if such a rescue attempt is made.

Van Fleet says Dodd himself is optimistic that the rebellious prisoners will release him without violence. Dodd communicated his opinion in a telephone call to Eighth Army officials from inside the prison camp this morning. He has not been harmed by his Communist captors.

Just what is behind the seizure of General Dodd has not yet been determined. General Van Fleet says the Reds seem to be quibbling among themselves over what to demand for Dodd's release. It also is reported that prisoners on the island have asked for one-thousand sheets of paper, telephone facilities, permission to organize, and for a hospital representative.

General Van Fleet told newsmen there also has been a vague reference to fingerprints but doesn't elaborate.

The North Korean radio has become at least a propaganda issue at the Panmunjom truce talks, which are stalled, apparently while the Communists get orders from above.

The Pyongyang radio says the violence at Koje Prison Camp shows the desire of Communist prisoners to be returned to Communist territory. The broadcast bitterly attacked the United Nations formula for returning only those prisoners who want to go home, some 70,000 out of 149,000 Red soldiers and civilian internees.

Supreme Court Upholds County Court Decisions

AUSTIN, May 7—The Supreme Court of Texas made final the judgment of the Court of Civil Appeals in which Peggy and Robert Hoesick of Ranger were suing Abe Anderson and his wife in trespass to try title to recover the old W. H. Bundick, Sr. homestead. The Commercial State Bank was made a party by Anderson.

Robert and Peggy Bundick won their case in a trial before the jury and Judge Davenport of the 91st District Court at Eastland, and the result of the trial was later affirmed by the Court of Civil Appeals. From this decision the supreme court also ruled in favor of the Bundicks. The case originated in September of 1947.

The attorneys for the Bundicks were Conner and Conner of Eastland, Donald and Donald of Bowie. Frank Sparks of Eastland represented the Andersons, and L. R. Pearson of Ranger was counsel for the bank.



WARNS AGAINST CUTS—Secy. of State Dean Acheson, right, and Robert A. Lovett, Secy. of Defense, center, confer with Sen Richard B. Russell, chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, prior to their appearance before the committee to warn against cuts in foreign aid program. This is the third congressional committee to consider the mutual security program. (NEA Telephoto).

More Meat; Same Price

WASHINGTON, May 9 (UP)—The Department of Agriculture promises home-makers more meat this year, but not necessarily lower prices.

The department says, in a livestock and meat report, that 1952 commercial meat production through March totaled five billion, 537 million pounds, or eight per cent more than a year ago. The output the first three months of this year is the largest for the first quarter since 1946.

Tornado Warning Posted For Six Southern States

The Weather Bureau says a "few" tornadoes could occur in the extreme northeastern part of Texas this afternoon or tonight.

The northern portion of the state will become a little cooler to night and tomorrow as a weak cool front is moving into Texas.

A weather bureau warning says severe thunderstorms and possibly a few tornadoes may develop in the extreme southeast corner of Missouri, most of Arkansas, the northeast portion of East Texas across to northwest Louisiana, extreme western Tennessee, and western Kentucky.

Teachers To Get Driver Training

AUSTIN, Texas, May—The University of Texas will teach teachers to teach drivers to drive a gain this year.

May 25-30 are dates set for the annual short course in driver education for teachers, offered by the College of Education and Division of Extension.

Cooperating organizations are American Automobile Association, State Department of Public Safety, Texas Automotive Dealers Association, Texas Highway Department and Texas Safety Association.

Sponsors recommend that each junior and senior high school in Texas have at least one teacher qualified in driver education. Driver training has reduced traffic accidents one-half in the 16-25 age group, they point out.

Registration deadline is May 26, and enrollment is limited to 50. Application forms may be obtained from the Extension Teaching Field Service Bureau, Division of Extension, University of Texas, Austin 12.

Water Board Meets With Bond Buyers

The Eastland County Water Supply District met last night at the Ranger Chamber of Commerce office with several representatives of investment bond dealers, to secure bids on the authorized bond issuance to finance the district operations.

All members of the board, local counsel Jack Frost of Eastland, and L. R. Pearson of Ranger, General Counsel Millard Parkhurst of McCall, Parkhurst & Crose of Dallas, S. W. Freeze of Freeze and Nichols engineering firm of Fort Worth, met with the bond firm representatives.

Harry Ratliff of Keller and Ratliff of Ft. Worth, R. A. Underwood of R. A. Underwood and Co. Inc., of Dallas, L. Jerome Thornton of Rauscher, Ferse and Co., of Dallas, and John N. Fuerbacher representing Walter, Woody, and Heimerding of Cincinnati, Ohio, who flew here for the meeting last night, were representing the bond buyers.

C. B. Pruet of the water board said that "the investment bond dealers were called together for the purpose of presenting a bid on the \$1,500,000 bond issue."

He said "the primary purpose of the board is to finance the program as cheaply as possible and in order to get the lowest interest rate it will be necessary for the investment dealers to exhaust their sources for this particular type of bond."

"For this reason the board did not reach a decision for the time being as the thinking was perhaps a little more time used properly might effect an economic savings to the district", Pruet stated.

Past Resident Dies In Odessa

Mrs. L. E. Minter, 85, formerly of Ranger, but who had resided in Odessa for 12 years, died Monday night in her home at 206 Foster St., following a long illness.

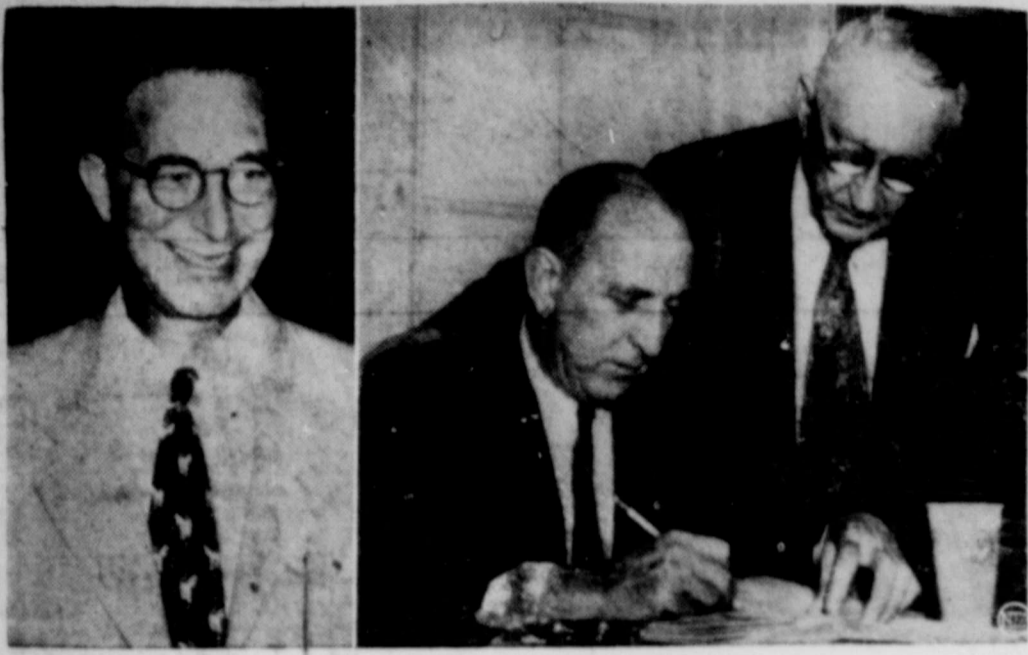
Services were held at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday in the East Side Baptist church with Herman Gregory officiating. Burial was in the Odessa cemetery.

Mrs. Minter is survived by eight sons, Enoch W. Herman, Bernard, Talmage, and Nye, all of Odessa; Ray, of Meadow, Texas; Herbert, of Sundown, Texas; and Travis of Ft. Worth; and two daughters, Mrs. Anna Northcutt of Houston, and Mrs. Grace Moore of Odessa.

Olden To Stage Community Nite Program Friday

The last Community Night program for the season will be held at Olden, at 8 p.m. Friday evening. Programs will be resumed this fall. Refreshment will be served following the program.

Ride The "ROCKET"
And Save
Osborne Motor Company, Eastland



RUSSELL WINS IN FLORIDA—Sen. Estes Kefauver, left, still has a broad smile despite the fact he was defeated by Sen. Richard B. Russell (D. Ga.) in the Florida presidential primary. Sen. Russell, seated right, assisted by the senior senator from Georgia, Walter F. George, checks the returns in the see-saw battle between himself and Sen. Kefauver which Sen. Russell won by a slim majority. (NEA Telephoto).

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ALMA CONROY couldn't understand the queer tone in her husband's voice. Bright was there, with Tommy, apparently—but wasn't Bright Muncie one of the thieves?

"What does he say?" Alma asked over the phone. "How did he explain . . ."

This time Tommy interrupted her. "Bright is dead," he said. "Shot in the back. Brown shot him when he was dying."

It was almost impossible to grasp the horror of what Tommy was telling her. But it was more than a mere recital of facts. There was an urgent something, yet hidden quality in Tommy Conroy's voice, as though he were trying to convey something to her without being forced to say it.

Suddenly it occurred to her that the wire they were talking over might not be private. It might be in a police station, where officers might listen, unseen by Tommy. It was a creepy, unreal feeling that Alma had—this was the kind of thing she'd read about in newspapers and detective stories, but which she'd never thought of as being anything she would ever experience herself.

Still, that was in all likelihood, the reason for Tommy's strained voice and cautious answers. She was supposed to say something and Tommy was trying to make her say it. But what was she supposed to say? Had Tommy given her a cue and had she missed it?

Then she remembered. "Yes, Bright and I caught them." But Tommy had gone after Bright. Well, then, did Tommy for some reason want it supposed that he and Bright Muncie had left together? She had to chance it.

"Oh, Tommy, how terrible!" she said. "Poor Bright! How ghastly your having to take his body in all alone. Are you in trouble over

The entire fantastic pageant of crime and heroism which had brought the obscure little village of Longtown to the front pages of every newspaper in the country now seemed remote and unreal. But the story in the newspapers bore evidence of its actuality, the headlines shouting triumphantly.

"Police Say Brighton Muncie Killed Saving British Royal Jewels. . . Sacrifices life to return property stolen from Trumbull & Co. . . Loyal assistance brings body and recovered loot into custody of police."

THEN followed the story, as told just what you know."

"Well, I'm not in serious trouble, but there has been some questioning." The relief in his voice was unmistakable. "I think perhaps it would make matters easier if you happened on down here and—well, just tell what you know."

Now she was sure she was on the right track. Tommy was using the fact that Bright was dead as a means of exonerating the name of the Head of Trumbull's.

"You mean what I know about you and Bright suspecting Mrs. Denton and trying to catch her before she and that man got away?"

"Well, poor Bright can't say anything one way or another," he said significantly. "So I'm afraid you'll have to, Jewels. Get hold of Joe Denton and have him bring you down. They want to talk to him, too, of course. And, incidentally, the cops here think I may have stolen his car."

IT was a long and hectic 48 hours later before the three of them—Tommy, Joe and herself—found themselves back in Alma's apartment.

Because the day was Sunday, they could take their leisure over the beautiful luncheon Alma had prepared from some of Grand Bijou's best French recipes. The wintry sunshine poured into the breakfast nook as impersonally as if there were no such thing in this world as violence, thievery and sudden deaths.

Alma, serving the two men, found it hard to believe that she had not dreamed the hectic scenes in the courthouse at that little Pennsylvania town—the blurred faces of the spectators, the cruel, crushing reports, the flash of bulbs, the clicking of cameras, with herself, Tommy, and Joe Denton the center of attention.

work, standing in front of Tommy, who looked up from his reading.

"Tommy," she began, "do you realize that we are the only two people in the world who could have that Bright was at the very spot, an accessory to Mr. Wheeler's murder?"

"You mean that cuff-link?"

"So you've been thinking of it too? What if the police look for it?"

"They won't. It's presumed to have dropped out on the road after the car wreck." This answer did not reassure her.

"But it didn't drop out!" she persisted. "And, being found where it was found, is positive proof that Bright was at the Mammoth office earlier in the day. Suppose the police realize . . ."

"Forget it. They won't. But someone else might."

"Who?" she asked in sudden fright.

"Bright's father," Tommy said solemnly. "I'm not satisfied that the Head won't want to wind up even the most minute detail about his son. That's the sort of person Mr. Muncie is. What worries me is that he may question me privately."

"And if he does?"

"Ought I to tell him the truth?"

"After all you've done to protect him from it? Good heavens, Tommy!"

"Hold on a minute, Jewels! Mr. Muncie isn't an ordinary person, satisfied with ordinary explanations. He's hard to fool and he's the soul of honesty. He must have known what Brighton was like—that he was weak, in spite of all his father's efforts to make him otherwise. Of course Mr. Muncie's glad to have his son's name kept clean, but he's the type who probably feels that the truth is more than being hurt himself."

She considered the matter for several seconds. How would she feel in Mr. Muncie's place? How had she felt when she had been suspicious of Tommy and then found out he was innocent? Would she have preferred to face the fact?

"I see," Alma said softly. "You mean that perhaps Mr. Muncie has a right to know."

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ALMA CONROY suspended the making of crepes suzette to catch the cool, smoky, infinitely softer and more pensive Tommy retold his story. She had been given vague upward moments in the past a station at Longtown, Pa. when she had been questioned. But actually she wasn't expected to know a great deal—only that Tommy had been suspicious of Mrs. Denton and that he and Brighton Muncie had gone in pursuit of her after the disappearance of some jewels at the House.

Joe Denton hadn't known about his stepmother being in deep water until her sudden disappearance.

Now Tommy began his story. "I didn't have to invent much," he said simply. "I caught up with the three of them—Bright, Mrs. Denton and Apollo Brown—riding in Bright's car near the Hampton Circle. It's a new road with no buildings on that stretch.

"Brown was driving. Just ahead of me the car skidded in the snow and crashed into a telephone pole. Your—well—she was pinned in it, the car probably killed her instantly. Brown was hurt badly and I thought he was dead too, but Bright was thrown clear. I stopped my—or rather, your car, got out and ran toward Bright. He was stunned but uninjured otherwise and after a few seconds began to come to. I helped him to his feet and started to lead him towards your machine. Then I heard a shot and Bright folded.

"Brown had raised himself on one elbow for the shot—just as I told the police. Then I saw in a flash just how the whole thing could be handled. Brown had rolled over on his back and I saw he was gone, too. Nobody would talk now. I ran Bright in your car, found the jewels, and the rest you know."

"Humph!" said Joe, drawing

long sigh. "This winter things go very nicely, especially in the authorities here in New York seem satisfied that Apollo Brown did the Mammoth job on his own. They found his fingerprints there. I see some papers were missing from the files, and I'm still betting they were the proof that Mammoth offered on the sweepings had been suppressed."

"Yes," Alma agreed, "but," she wondered aloud, "what about Higgins & Company? Won't they talk?"

"Only to back up my story," Tommy grinned. "It's a perfect one for them. They helped trap the old lady, period."

Joe stood up and buttoned his coat. "Thanks for the meal, folks," he said. "And the usual apologies about running afterwards. But I'm dead on my feet, and you both must be, too. We'd all better get some rest."

FOR a while after Joe had gone Alma moved about the apartment quietly, putting things to rights, her mind fixed on one last problem. It was all very well for Joe to say that the whole dreadful episode was wound up, but there was one thing Joe did not know about. He had never been told of the gold and moonstone cufflinks which she had picked up in Mr. Wheeler's office immediately after the murder. Since the day she had shown it to Tommy neither of them had mentioned it to anyone, not even at the police station, when an inventory of Bright's belongings had shown that the matching link was in one of his shirt-sleeves at the time he was killed. The more she thought of it the more its possession worried her. It was still in her handbag and had been all through the investigation. Was that inquiry really ended? She paused in her

ACC Trackmen Enter Meet At Kingsville Fri.

ABILENE, (Sp.) — Abilene Christian's track and field team goes after its third straight Texas Conference championship in Kingsville Friday night, expecting a battle-to-the-wire from Howard Payne.

The Yellow Jackets from Brownwood nipped the Wildcats, 65-62, in a dual meet here in March.

McMurry and Texas A&I are the only other Texas Conference schools who have entered men in the meet, according to Dewey Mayhew, Texas A&I athletic director. Austin College is the fifth Texas Conference member.

Several TC meet records are in danger from ACC and Howard Payne performers. The 440-yard dash record of 49.2 may be trimmed by George Adair, ACC's flashy freshman quarter-miler from Hollywood, Calif. Adair ran a 48.6 in a dual meet with North Texas State here last week.

ACC's Sam Volpe and Howard Payne's Les Fambrough are both capable of breaking the 880-yard run mark of 1:55.3. The pair is expected to stage a terrific race for the 880 crown. Dick Adams of McMurry is another contender in this district.

Livestock Owners Warned To Watch For Screwworms

COLLEGE STATION — Surveys made in Texas by the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, in cooperation with other state agencies, show that the mild winter has permitted the screwworm to overwinter as far north as Crockett, Schleicher, Menard and Lampasas Counties.

However, the number of reported cases is not numerous, says A. C. Gunter, entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

He points out that there is danger ahead for the livestock producers unless they treat infected animals at once and avoid using practices that may leave wounds on the animals. Recent rains over much of the state have produced favorable weather conditions for the pest and stockmen are warned to be on the alert. The destruction of the worms before they mature will not only stop further injury to the animals but will help reduce future infestations.

To prevent and cure infection caused by the screwworm, Gunter recommends the use of EQ-335, a medicine which was developed through BEP research. EQ-335 is applied to the wound as a smear. It contains lindane, a chemical insecticide, which has a lasting effect as a screwworm killer. One application per week, except in severe cases, is sufficient. This is a time saver because other medicines must be applied twice per week. Another big advantage for EQ-335, says Gunter, and it stems from lindane's residual killing power—is its ability to kill female screwworm flies that attempt to feed or lay eggs in the

Use Your Head And Save Feet Housecleaning

COLLEGE STATION — Use your head and save your feet on house cleaning day. Plan the job to do away with back-tracking for utensils and supplies.

The home management specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service say it's not as much work as the walking that wears the homemaker out on house cleaning jobs. Plan the job in advance. Arrange all supplies needed on a wheel cart or table. This can be wheeled from place to place as the work is done.

The specialists suggest a cart with two shelves on which can be carried two buckets, one with water for washing and the other for rinsing. There will also be plenty of room for all the small items needed for most cleaning jobs such as

soap, brushes, clothes and sponges. The hand vacuum cleaner may even fit in some place.

Lifting and stooping can be eliminated by using a cart because the needed equipment will be in easy reach and at a convenient level for handling, say the specialists.

Other good suggestions for work simplification in the home may be obtained from the local county home demonstration agent. Ask her for C-252, House Cleaning Made Easier and L-79, Simplify Your Work.

University of California medical school here, has carried out experiments to show that the salt method of distributing flourides is effective.

Animals which were on a flouridated salt did not do teeth cavities as did those that were fed ordinary salt. Santeson said, however, further experiments would have to be made to prove the case for flouridated salt.

Santeson pointed out that persons with certain diseases might be adversely affected by flouridated water in large quantities. Such persons could avoid flouridated salt more easily than they could avoid drinking from a flouridated water supply, he said.

Flouridated salt would also take the benefits of flouridation available to persons in rural areas where it would be difficult to treat the water supply, Santeson said.

Scientist Suggests Flouridated Salt

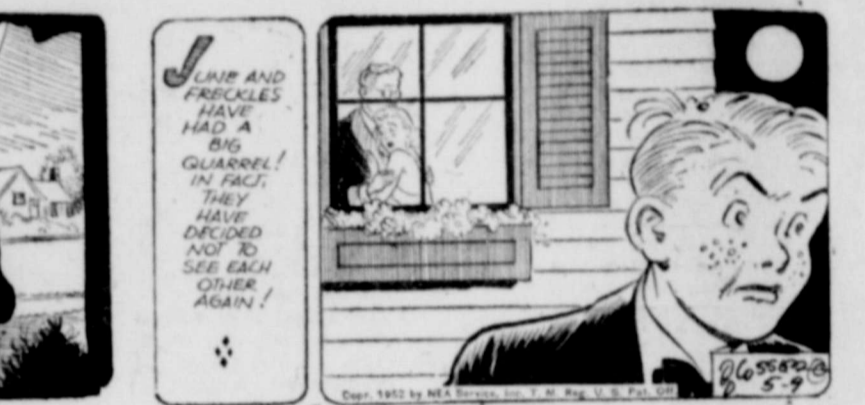
SAN FRANCISCO, (UP)—A Swedish scientist has suggested that teeth-saving flourides may be impregnated into everyday table salt instead of into drinking water.

Dr. Gunnar Santeson, of the Serafimer Hospital, Stockholm, is now a research associate at the

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FOR SALE: 7 room new home, Breckenridge highway, all hardwood floors, fully modern, chicken house. Partly financed now. C. E. May, Insurance and Real Estate, 214 Main, Phone 418.

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FOR SALE: Fryers, 2 1/2 to 3 lb. avg. 85c each. Or \$1.00 dressed. Free delivery. Call 40-R. 708 Travlers Street.

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FOR RENT: 4 room nice apartment, down-town. Private bath. Phone 9013-F-4.

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Ray Milland and his cavalry troop fight treacherous Sioux Indians in "Bugles in the Afternoon." Presented by Warner Bros., the Technicolor outdoor film plays Friday and Saturday on your Tower Screen.

NEWS FROM CHEANEY

Mrs. Bill Tucker

Saturday, May 3rd was another annual meeting of a host of old timers and community folks who regularly gather each year for the Alameda Cemetery Working.

At noon a basket lunch was spread and a song session followed, climaxed by a business session. Fred Mosely was newly elected secretary and treasurer of the Alameda Association.

The grounds were in a fine state of care and aphlox larkspur, poppies, and Bluebonnets were in profusion.

Some of the names of families that were in evidence are: Blackwells, Jones, Manskers, Watsons, Duffer, Myrick, Walkers, Williams, Bridges, Tate, Craig, Wright, Ed Jones, Mary Tucker, Ramseys, Smicks Lemleys, Lees, Datus Watsons, Cleverts, Robinsons, Minnie Walton, W. H. Meltons, Rogers, Lon Melton, Carrs, Duggans Kings, Lewis, Youngs, Reids, Underwoods, Weekes, Rodgers, Mahans, Loyds, maybe others that were unobserved.

Some came from as far away as New Mexico and Oklahoma. Some spent the week end visiting among relatives and friends.

The Will Underwood family was proudly acclaiming four generations present Sunday. Mrs. Eva Underwood, Will Underwood, Mrs. Nadine Morehead and her daughter, Wanda.

Choc and Atton and their families from Fort Worth all enjoyed a reunion dinner of fried chicken and all the trimmings. Thirty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loves had as their guests over the week end, her mother, Mrs. M. A. Rose of Eastland. A sister, Mrs. Floyd Smith and Patsy of Jal, N. M., A brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page of Roaring Springs.

Other visitors were Mrs. Cara Love and Charlotte of Lubbock; Mrs. Bob Love and Don of Odessa.

Political Announcements
This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates of public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
J. M. Nuessle

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1
Joe Faircloth
T. E. (Ed) Castleberry (Re-election)

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 2:
Ralph W. Veal
Ike Lee (Re-election)

FOR CONGRESS, 17th CONGRESSIONAL DIST.
Jack Cox

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 2
Charles Bobo (Re-Election)

FOR JUDGE 91st JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT:
Fleming A. Waters
Earl Conner, Jr.
Turner M. Collie

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Roy L. Lane (Re-Election)
John C. Nicholas

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Hugh H. Hardeman
J. H. "Hoover" Pittman
E. C. "Clyde" Fisher
Richard C. Cox

FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Stanley Webb (For Re-election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
John S. Hart (For Second Term)
C. S. (Claborn) Eldredge

FOR SHERIFF:
W. E. (Bill) Solomon
J. F. (Frank) Tucker (Re-election for Second Term)
W. W. (Bill) Tackett

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
George A. Fox
Johnson Smith
A. J. Blevins, Sr.

NEWS FROM CARBON

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield returned last week from a visit with their daughters, Mrs. Glen S. Schreiner and family of Baytown. They also visited with Mr. Stubblefield's mother, Mrs. Lena Stubblefield and sister, Mrs. H. B. Baswell and family of Temple.

Mrs. L. P. Burnett and son Gary of Durant, Okla., Mrs. Bill Vencil of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fite of San Angelo were the guests last week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall were in Hamlin on business last Friday.

for the hostess, Mrs. Electra Hattox. Eight women attended the meeting.

Mrs. Eva Underwood has recovered from her recent illness of severe colds.

Aunt Ellen Tucker takes this means of thanking all her friends for the many cards and letter on her birthday. Also for the delicious food tray sent her from the lunch table at Alameda Cemetery working. Truly these friendly gestures have added to brighten the hours for a shut-in. Thanks so much.

We looked in on the working of a democratic convention in session Tuesday in Eastland for a first time—we said first time. Too much of an amateur to say anything out loud.

Think I'd rather work in Red Cross office with Mrs. K. Jackson, getting scrapbooks up to date.

Mrs. Love and Mrs. Bert Crawley were in Brownwood on business Wednesday.

Misses Ann and Sue Weekes of Comanche were with their aunts, Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Freeman for Sunday Church services at Cheaney.

The Stutch and Chatter group met Friday and quitted a quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Camp of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert and other friends here Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Green of Eastland visited Mrs. J. M. Thurman last week.

Mrs. Vance Stalcup and children of Celina visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. James last week.

Mrs. J. A. Clement of Moran visited Mrs. Clara Bethany and other relatives here this week.

Mrs. Alice Campbell has returned home for a visit with her son, Wayne Campbell in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Boatwright, who have been in Odessa, where he was employed the past several weeks returned to their home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Jones of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McNeese last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smoot and son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smoot of Ranger last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris and family of Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Norris over last week end.

Mrs. Nora Butler of Crane, H. O. Butler and family of Penwell, J. T. Butler and family of Irving, Mrs. Fay Jones, Miss Erna Lee Smithers of Dennis, M. L. Gregg and family of Oil Center, N. M. visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. B. W. Lasater and family of Eastland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair and baby of Temple visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Hines last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coats visited her brother, W. M. Hittson and Mrs. Hittson in Mineral Wells last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver had no guests last week. Pfc. Don H. Weaver of Seattle, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Harvy Lynn Weaver and family of San Angelo, Kelley Rockman and family, and Jimmy Weaver of Fort Worth.

Little Diane Montgomery of Ft. Worth is the guest here this week in the home of her grandparents.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greer.
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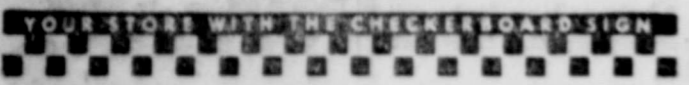
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Early chicks are easy to raise and should make you more money because they lay more early fall eggs when prices are highest. Our chicks are very high in quality. They are:

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Prayer Vigil To End Tonight

The 24 hour prayer vigil which began at 9:30 p.m. Thursday will end at the same hour tonight. During this 24 hour period, from 1 to 4 persons have kept the prayer chain unbroken by maintaining a vigil of prayer at the altar of the Methodist church for 30 minute periods.

Some of the objects of the prayer as suggested by the evangelist included: Prayers for ourselves; That God's will be done in our lives; Prayers for others—Friends and loved ones that they may be saved or renewed in faith; Prayers for the church—Pastor and membership; Prayers for shut-ins—Sick, distressed, discouraged, etc.; Prayers for the community—A real revival for the entire city and community of Ranger.

Rev. Mr. Farmer reminded those who participated in the prayer vigil of God's promise: "Ask and ye shall receive, seek and ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you." He further stated "never have I seen a finer spirit of cooperation and willingness than was manifest in the response given to this special feature of the revival."
"The closing days of the revival ought to be a new experience for all of us—and they will be, if we meet God's conditions and requirements," states the pastor.

Annual Party Held Saturday

The occasion that all Junior High and High School students had been looking forward to for several months arrived Saturday evening when the Annual Party was held at the Recreation building.

The new annuals finally arrived—and everyone was anxious to work on the part of the annual staff as well as the other students and teachers in the school, because it takes co-operation to have a beautiful annual like this one.

The cover is done in a pale pink imitation leather with the lettering in gold and contains pictures of every student, club, athletic activities and snap shots of various individuals. The class favorites are shown on full pages.

Eastern Star Meet Monday

The Order of the Eastern Star will meet Monday night at 8:00 for a memorial service.

Initiation To Be Held Tues.

This announcement was made this morning that the Rebekah Lodge will hold an initiation service Tuesday evening at 8:00 in the IOOF Hall and each member of the team is requested to come dressed formal for the occasion.

Royal Neighbors To Have Final Practice Monday

The Royal Neighbors of America will meet Monday evening at 7:30 in the Lodge Hall for the final practice before taking part at the convention.

Happy Hour Club To Meet Tuesday For Luncheon

The Happy Hour Club will meet Tuesday at noon in the home of Mrs. Earl Horton, 420 N. Austin for a covered dish luncheon.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Frantz and daughter of Putman were transacting business here Thursday.



Charles Billy Hogue Receives B. D. Degree At Seminary Today

Rev. Charles Billy Hogue received his B. D. Degree at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth this morning. He has been a student there since September of 1949.

Rev. Hogue is the youngest of eight boys in the family of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hogue. He became a member of this family in 1928 while they were living in Stanton. He attended High School at Callallen and graduated in 1945 from the Odem High School. During his school days he was active in football, basketball and track, lettering in all three.

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UT Teaching Oil Men Their Work

AUSTIN, Texas, May—The University of Texas Extension Division is offering a new sound-film short course, "Handling and Running Casing, for petroleum and allied industries.

The University's petroleum industry training department and the Texas Education Agency trade and industrial service undertook the course as an experiment in the use of specially made motion pictures in oil training work.

An oil industry committee supplied professional advice. Co-operating organizations included the American Petroleum Institute production division, American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors and Oil Field Haulers Association.

The three-hour course includes a 30-minute sound and color movie, 14 slides taken from the film, a set of thread gauges, special charts, a pressure demonstration unit and various lengths of casing, casing couplings and other aids. The University's petroleum industry training staff members conduct the course for employees of oil companies, drilling companies, supply and service organizations and trucking contractors.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ferguson were in Ft. Worth Thursday to attend funeral service for J. M. George, manager of the Seven-Up Bottling Company.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews attended the All Church Tea held in the parlor of the First Methodist Church in Eastland Monday afternoon.

Mrs. R. M. Williams of Los Angeles is here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Gaffner. Mrs. Williams will join his wife here the last of June.

Mrs. Abbie Frasier who has been away in Fort. Worth for some time is home for a few days visit with Lyda Viean. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mack whom she is staying with in Ft. Worth as a companion.

"Store Boughten" May Be Harmful

Unregulated sale of self-selected, ready-made spectacles in 44 states is a danger to efficiency and well-being, at a time when scientific eye-care is a growing national need, in the opinion of the Better Vision Institute. National defense is calling back into industry, thousands of aging workers, whose deteriorating eyesight demands expert care to restore it to top efficiency. The appalling toll of highway accidents is gradually crystallizing a demand for higher visual requirements among drivers, and systematic visual care of school children among whom faulty eyesight is a cause of countless personal tragedies and of juvenile delinquency, is an almost untouched field in all such cases, as well as many others, there is no substitute for prescription lenses.

New York is one of four states having laws which require, in effect, that corrective glasses shall be sold only on the prescription of an optometrist or ophthalmologist. The other states are Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Minnesota. Elsewhere, reading glasses may be bought at drug stores, dime stores, and other places, without a prescription.

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RITA'S SCHOOL ANNOUNCES MOTHER'S DAY BAKE SALE Saturday, May 10th PIGGLY WIGGLY STORE

Eyesight Specialists Urge Higher Standards

Greater public protection through stricter control over retail sales of eyeglasses throughout the United States is the purpose of a movement to which ophthalmic circles are giving serious attention, says the Better Vision Institute. The idea of a crusade for higher national standards began to take shape following the defeat, by a committee of the New York Assembly, of a bill which would have permitted the sale of spectacles in that state without an eye-sight examination or specialist's prescription.

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Prayer Vigil To End Tonight

The 24 hour prayer vigil which began at 9:30 p.m. Thursday will end at the same hour tonight. During this 24 hour period, from 1 to 4 persons have kept the prayer chain unbroken by maintaining a vigil of prayer at the altar of the Methodist church for 50 minute periods.

Some of the objects of the prayer as suggested by the evangelist included: Prayers for ourselves—That God's will be done in our lives; Prayers for others—Friends and loved ones that they may be saved or renewed in faith; Prayers for the church—Pastor and membership; Prayers for shut-ins—Sick, distressed, discouraged, etc.; Prayers for the community—A real revival for the entire city and community of Ranger.

Rev. Mr. Farmer reminded those who participated in the prayer vigil of God's promise: "Ask and ye shall receive, seek and ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you." He further stated "never have I seen a finer spirit of cooperation and willingness that was manifest in the response given to this special feature of the revival."

"The closing days of the revival ought to be a new experience for all of us—and they will be, if we meet God's conditions and requirements," states the pastor.

Annual Party Held Saturday

The occasion that all Junior High and High School students had been looking forward to for several months arrived Saturday evening when the Annual Party was held at the Recreation building.

The new annuals finally arrived—and everyone was anxious to work on the part of the annual staff as well as the other students and teachers in the school, because it takes co-operation to have a beautiful annual like this one.

The cover is done in a pale pink imitation leather with the lettering in gold and contains pictures of every student, club, athletic activities and snap shots of various individuals. The class favorites are shown on full pages.

At the party the final touch, autographs, were being made by everyone. Many fountain pens were filled and refilled as the autograph seekers pursued their course for several hours. These books are cherished property of every student and will be a constant reminder during the years to come of their school days.

Eastern Star Meet Monday

The Order of the Eastern Star will meet Monday night at 8:00 for a memorial service.

All members are urged to attend and visitors will be welcome.

Initiation To Be Held Tues.

The announcement was made this morning that the Rebekah Lodge will hold an initiation service Tuesday evening at 8:00 in the HOOP Hall and each member of the team is requested to come dressed formal for the occasion.

It has been requested that everyone take notice of this announcement.

Royal Neighbors To Have Final Practice Monday

The Royal Neighbors of America will meet Monday evening at 7:30 in the Lodge Hall for the final practice before taking part at the convention.

It was announced that it is very necessary that everyone be present for this final practice period.

Happy Hour Club To Meet Tuesday For Luncheon

The Happy Hour Club will meet Tuesday at noon in the home of Mrs. Earl Horton, 420 N. Austin for a covered dish luncheon.

Each one is requested to bring a homemade tea towel instead of secret pal gifts.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Frantz and daughter of Putnam were transacting business here Thursday.

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SOCIETY

Charles Billy Hogue Receives B. D. Degree At Seminary Today

Rev. Charles Billy Hogue received his B. D. Degree at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth this morning, September 9, 1949.

Rev. Hogue is the youngest of eight boys in the family of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hogue. He became a member of this family in 1928 while they were living in Stanton. He attended High School at Calallen and graduated in 1945 from the Odem High School. During his school days he was active in football, basketball and track, lettering in all three.

He entered Howard Payne College in January of 1946 as a ministerial student. While in college he served on the Ministerial Council, president of the Life Service Band, served on the Baptist Student Union Council two years, was a member of the Curtain Club and took active parts in numerous plays presented in Brownwood.

He was favorite nominee two years; elected Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities Junior and Senior year; served as class officer two years and graduated in 1949.

While a senior in Howard Payne, Rev. Hogue met Miss Betty Jane Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Howard, Sr., who was the Freshman favorite that year and the following summer they were married on August 21, in the First Baptist Church of Dublin. They have one son, Robert Lane Hogue who was born March 6, 1951.

Rev. Hogue has served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Star, Edna Hill Baptist Church of Dublin and is now serving the New Hope No. 3 Baptist Church where he has been almost a year. During his ministry there he has led in a building program that has transformed their property into a modern auditorium, educational building, and the remodeling of the parsonage where the pastor and his family resides.

"Store Boughten" May Be Harmful

Unregulated sale of self-selected, ready-made spectacles in 44 states is a danger to efficiency and well-being, at a time when scientific eye-care is a growing national need, in the opinion of the Better Vision Institute. National defense is calling back into industry, thousands of aging workers, whose deteriorating eyesight demands expert care to restore it to top efficiency. The appalling toll of highway accidents is gradually crystallizing a demand for higher visual requirements among drivers, and systematic visual care of school children among whom faulty eyesight is a cause of countless personal tragedies and of juvenile delinquency, is an almost untouched field in all such cases, as well as many others, there is no substitute for prescription lenses.

Eyesight Specialists Urge Higher Standards

Greater public protection through stricter control over retail sales of eyeglasses throughout the United States is the purpose of a movement to which ophthalmic circles are giving serious attention, says the Better Vision Institute. The idea of a crusade for higher national standards began to take shape following the defeat, by a committee of the New York Assembly, of a bill which would have permitted the sale of spectacles in that state without an eye-sight examination or specialist's prescription.

New York is one of four states having laws which require, in effect, that corrective glasses shall be sold only on the prescription of an optometrist or ophthalmologist. The other states are Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Minnesota. Elsewhere, reading glasses may be bought at drug stores, dime stores, and other places, without a prescription.

"If the proposed law had been passed," the Institute declares, "the possible consequences would have been frightening. They range all the way from an enlarged crop of automobile accidents to an increase in blindness. The defeat of this attempt of commercial interests to break down professional standards encourages the hope that other states will provide stronger safeguards for wearers of spectacles."

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AUSTIN, Texas, May—The University of Texas Extension Division is offering a new sound-film short course, "Handling and Running Casing, for petroleum and allied industries."

The University's petroleum industry training department and the Texas Education Agency trade and industrial service undertook the course as an experiment in the use of specially made motion pictures in oil training work.

An oil industry committee supplied professional advice. Co-operating organizations included the American Petroleum Institute production division, American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors and Oil Field Haulers Association.

The three-hour course includes a 30-minute sound and color movie, 14 Slides taken from the film, a set of thread gauges, special charts, a pressure demonstration unit and various lengths of casing, casing couplings and other aids. The University's petroleum industry training staff members conduct the course for employees of oil companies, drilling companies, supply and service organizations and trucking contractors.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ferguson were in Ft. Worth Thursday to attend funeral service for J. M. George, manager of the Seven-Up Bottling Company.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews attended the All Church Tea held in the parlor of the First Methodist Church in Eastland Monday afternoon.

Mrs. R. M. Williams of Los Angeles is here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Gafner. Mr. Williams will join his wife here the last of June.

Mrs. Abbie Fraser who has been away in Fort Worth for some time is home for a few days visit with Lyda Vian. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mack whom she is staying with in Ft. Worth as a companion.

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