

Seniors Edit Best Panther Spirit News In Pictures

Many folks have proclaimed the recently published 1954 edition of the PANTHER SPIRIT, the school annual, as the best production. Not to take the cream off (this has been said before by each successive staff) and that is their privilege.

News in pictures is shown in more than 250 poses of teachers, students and citizens. The staff even took to the air to get views of the school plant, Gorman Peanut Company and the City. Photographs of students from 1st through Senior number around five hundred.

Advertisements should pay off. Frossard shows Mrs. Frank Rhymes shopping in the Ready to Wear with Mrs. G. O. Boyd showing blouses and accessories. Frozen Food shows a cut of Tenderloin. Higginbotham shows an arrangement of their luggage from an overhead viewpoint. Acrea Auto is pictured, open for business, Boyd Hilley with turned-up brim is caught in pose at one of his feed lots boosting Golden Oak. J. O. Thompson is trying to interest Jan Acrea in hunting or fishing equipment.

Forty-five business houses, one individual, and the Coca Cola Company and Dr. Pepper Bottling Company advertise in the annual.

Members of the staff of the publication and the sponsor are Jan Acrea, Donnie Mauney, Roland Jones, Jeanette Bunting, Kenneth Watson, Patricia Morrison, John Edward Kimble, and Graydon Baze.

Panthers Chosen On All District Basket Ball Teams

The All District 17-B Basket Ball team was released last week and consisted of the following players: Don Star and Speegle from Scranton; Don Slatton and Thomas Lindsay of Olden and Neal Gilbert of Gorman.

The Girls team was dominated by forwards Thelma Edwards and Sandra Herrill of Olden and Melba Brown of Gorman. The guards were Jeanette Bunting and Peggy West of Gorman and Maxine McCotter of Olden.

This is the second consecutive year that Brown and West have been selected while Starr and Lindsay are repeating on the boys quintet.

Illness In Gorman

Mrs. E. L. Haile, who recently fell breaking her hip and was later hospitalized at Hendricks Memorial in Abilene, has returned to her home. She is reported to be recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. J. N. Underwood continues to be confined to her bed suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. George Cooper is a patient at Blackwell this week.

Mr. Virgil Northcutt of Desdemona has been dismissed from the hospital.

Mrs. Duard Maynard of Rising Star was among the out of town patients listed at Blackwell early Tuesday.

Dallas Jobe spent the holidays visiting his mother in Kerrville.

Recreation Center For All Ages

Committees appointed at the Tuesday night meeting in interest of a recreational center are at work. Rev. May Frazee, who has started the ball rolling for the center, is a person who gets things done. She has been able to win favor and cooperation most everywhere she turns.

The Tuesday night meeting was opened with the singing of America and a prayer by Rev. Ellis Hilliard. An educational film was shown during the evening.

As previously announced the plan is to open a play ground on the Church of God former State Camp Meeting Ground. It is anticipated that equipment may be obtained for volley ball, croquet, ping-pong and other games at an early date. A barbecue pit will be made available for weiner roasts, fish fries, marshmallow toasts or what have you. Grounds are being leveled.

This neighborhood park will be a fine place for families, Sunday School Classes, clubs and other groups to gather for an outing.

Finance committee members are Rev. Hilliard, City Commissioner Harvey Parker, City Secretary Ben R. Townley, and Mrs. Frazee. They are investigating cost of equipment and where it may be secured at lowest price.

The equipment will belong to the citizens, not to any church or other organization, and it will be used by the community.

Sponsors of the center selected Tuesday night were Rev. and Mrs. Hilliard, Mrs. Pauline Broom, Mrs. Georgia Faye Skaggs, Mrs. Ressa Moore. Mrs. Frazee stated that she would help when necessary.

Thursday night is prayer meeting night for the Church of God. The grounds will not be used on this night between the hours of 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.

It is suggested that folks refrain from using the park on Wednesday night between the hours of 7:30 to 9:30 since other churches hold prayer meetings at this time.

Mrs. James Thompson Honored With Pink And Blue Shower

Gorman matrons, Mrs. Alex Phillips, Mrs. Tom Small, Mrs. Bruce Hirst, Mrs. Troy Johnson, and Mrs. Buck Foster, were host for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. James Thompson in the Foster home on Wednesday, April 14th.

Mrs. Foster greeted the guests and Mrs. Marcel Files directed them to the register where Mrs. Johnson presided.

Sharing honors at the punch service were Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Hirst.

The centerpiece of pink painted daisies in a rabbit ceramic vase was a Preston arrangement.

On leaving the guests viewed the array of gifts.

Church of God

The little church with a big welcome, where Salvation makes you a member.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Teaching at 11 a. m. Subject: Ambassadors For Christ. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

A religious film will be shown and a discussion or comments will follow.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Go to church somewhere every Sunday.

Mrs. May Frazee, Pastor

A. M. Thurman Candidate For Co. Commissioner

Mr. A. M. (Judge) Thurman has dropped his hat in the ring as candidate for County Commissioner for Precinct Two.

Thurman has served as County Commissioner previously and is familiar with the work needed in this precinct and county.

Mr. Thurman will make a formal announcement later.

Gorman High School Students To Show Wrestling - Tumbling Ability

Mrs. Ed Smith To Head Bible School

Mrs. Edwin Smith, a comparatively newcomer in Gorman and the wife of the vice-president of The First National Bank, will serve as principal of the Vacation Bible School to be held at the local Baptist Church Monday, May 24 through Friday, May 28th. Classes will begin at 10 o'clock. Workers will be named at a future date.

With Our Boys In Service

Pfc. Wm. C. Lamb of Ft Bliss, El Paso spent Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. H. J. Lindley.

Sgt. Gary Rhymes left for San Diego, Calif. Tuesday. He was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhymes. Gary will sail for service in the Pacific area.

Roy C. Brown has received his discharge from the 25th Division of the Army and is now at home with his family.

BIRTHS

Michael Maurice Gozier born to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gozier of Cisco on April 15th weighed 6 pounds and 8 ounces.

Michael Otha Pancake born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pancake of Cross Plains on March 14 weighed 6 pounds and 14 ounces.

Mrs. Cullen Rodgers Hosts Party For Jack Benny Shelleys

Mrs. Cullen Rodgers of Route 1 was hostess for a party Tuesday night honoring the Jack Benny Shelleys.

The guests were members of the Junior Class of Gorman High and members of the Junior Class of Carbon High. Both Jack and Dorothy Jean, his wife, are Juniors. There were also a number of other high school students present.

Mrs. Mack Underwood, Junior sponsor, attended.

Each class presented the couple with a pair of sheets.

Games were enjoyed throughout the evening and refreshments were served.

The High School Wrestling Team and Tumbling Team are presenting an evening of thrills at the High School Gym Friday night, April 23. There will be ten matches plus three tag team matches. Also about fifteen minutes of Tumbling stunts. The Admission - adults 50c and children 25c. Proceeds will be used to purchase gym equipment.

Church of Christ Announces Special Events On The Way

Monday, April 26th the Gorman Church of Christ will have a special program in behalf of the Bible School teachers who are interested in teaching the Bible. Not only local teachers but teachers from surrounding towns are expected to attend.

An out of town speaker will be present to speak on "The Importance of the Bible School Teacher's Work."

There will be a discussion period following the main lesson.

The public is invited, especially those interested in teaching the Bible.

A Vacation Bible School is scheduled for May 2nd through 8th.

CALENDAR OF SERVICES

Sunday - Radio Program (KERC) - 9 a. m. Bible Study - 10:00 a. m.

Morning Worship - 10:50 a. m. Bible Study - 7:00 p. m. Evening Worship - 8:00 p. m.

Monday - Ladies Bible Study - 2:00 p. m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Service - 8:00 p. m. Sunday Sermons -

Radio: "Heaven and how to miss it." Morning Worship: "The Certified Gospel."

Evening Worship: "Go, cry unto the gods which ye have chosen." Leroy Cowan, Minister

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Come in and see the six-inch, nine-ounce, peanut patty shown in our window. You'll want to eat it.

The over-size patty is made of Gorman peanuts by a Tyler Texas Candy Company and is distributed by Tom's.

Merchants desiring to retail same may see Tom Houston's salesman or Melvin Shell.

Baptist Resigns For Mission Work

Rev. Tom Small has tendered his resignation to the Baptist congregation.

Both he and Mrs. Small plan to continue their study for work in the Foreign Mission Field.

His resignation is effective on May 9th.

Announcements

The Oliver Springs Cemetery working will be held on Friday, April 30th. This will be an all-day affair and everyone is asked to bring a basket lunch.

The Edna Nunnally Piano Class Recital will be given at the Gorman Methodist Church Thursday night, April 29th. The public is invited to attend.

U. S. Recruiting Officer, Sgt. Grady Hoyle of Eastland, will be in Gorman on each 1st and 3rd Tuesday from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m. at the Post Office.

Alameda Cemetery working is set for Saturday, May 1st. Bring an old-fashioned basket lunch, your hoe and song book to enjoy the day.

Don't forget the Baseball game on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Shelley Named Honoree At Miscellaneous Shower

Gorman matrons, Mesdames W. C. Browning, G. C. Acrea, Edward Harrison, E. C. Bramlett, Cullen Rodgers and John Wheeler, were host for a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Jack Benny Shelley Tuesday afternoon from three until six o'clock.

Junior girls, classmates of Jack Benny, assisted the hostesses.

Joyce Rodgers resistered guests and showing the array of gifts and sharing honors at the punch service were Jerry Bolt, Kay Warren, Lanora Hunt, Patricia Puckett, Minnie Beth Brightwell, and Oleta Warren.

Floral decorations were potted mums and arrangements of garden flowers placed on occasional tables.

Out of town folks present were the bride's mother, Mrs. E. R. Snodgrass of Carbon and a cousin to Jack Benny, Mrs. Norman Witzsche of Brownwood.

Gus Frossard went to Madisonville on Tuesday to visit his brother, J. H. Frossard.

BV Baseball News

In the league games played on Sunday afternoon Hico won over Gorman 8 to 6, Iredell over Alexander 21 to 4, and Dublin came out on top of Glen Rose 12 to 6.

Next Sundays schedule will see Gorman playing host to Glen Rose, Dublin at Alexander and Iredell at Hico.

It is hoped that a large crowd will attend the game here Sunday afternoon with Glen Rose as it is expected to be a good game.

Team	GP	W	L	Pct.
Hico	3	3	0	1000
Iredell	3	2	1	667
Dublin	3	2	1	667
Glen Rose	3	1	2	333
Alexander	3	1	2	333
Gorman	3	0	3	000

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "Our Lord's Command to Go". The newly elected officers of the Woman's Society of Christ in Service will be installed at this morning service. All officers are urged to be present. The whole church is urged to honor these women who take those places of leadership.

Officers being installed by the pastor, Rev. Floyd Thrash, are President - Mrs. Marvin Blair, Vice-President - Mrs. Don Bolt, Secretary - Mrs. Dallas Jobe, Treasurer - Mrs. Barton Epler, Promotional Secretary - Mrs. Henry Capers, Secretary of Missionary Education - Mrs. Milton Fairbatter, Secretary of Christian Social Relations - Mrs. Eugene Baker, Secretary of Student Work - Mrs. Marcy Allen, Secretary of Youth - Mrs. Jack Deavenport, Secretary of Children's Work - Mrs. G. C. Acrea, Secretary of Spiritual Life - Mrs. William Brogdon, Secretary of Literature and Publication - Mrs. Newt Crawley, Secretary of Supply - Mrs. Rodolph Mehaffey, Secretary of the Status of Women - Mrs. Frank Rhymes, and Local Treasurer - Mrs. J. E. Walker.

MYF meeting at 6:30 p. m. Worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject: "The Pursuit of Excellence".

On Wednesday evening, April 28, Brother Seymour, our District Superintendent, will be with us for our Quarterly Conference. Officers for the new fiscal year of the church which begins on June 1, will be elected at this conference. The time for the conference is 7:30.

Come to the services of your church Sunday. Give God A Chance, Now!

Floyd W. Thrash, Pastor

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in
OVERLAND PACIFIC
Also
Color Cartoon

Tuesday - Wednesday
Sterling Hayden - Joy Paige
in
FIGHTER ATTACK
Also
Screen Novelty

Thursday and Friday
Percy Kilbride - Marjorie Main
in
MA & PA KETTLE AT HOME
Also
Color Cartoon

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT AT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

At the High School auditorium at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, April 22, (tonight) the annual Spring Concert by the instrumental departments of the Gorman Public Schools will be staged.

A grand sacred selection of favorite gospel hymns, solos, trios, peppy novelty numbers, late and standard popular songs arranged for the various instruments, thrilling marches, that ever-popular

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The annual Fall concert last December drew a large crowd. So may we suggest that you make an early start so as to be sure of seats.

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DIRECTORS

Mrs. O. R. Buchanan Chas. D. Nicholls

PART I

Selections by the Rhythm Band:

"Peter Cottontail" Rollins
"Bimbo" Morris
Mrs. O. R. Buchanan, Director

Selections by the Tonette Band

"A Medley"

Piano Accordion Solos John Edward Kimble

"You, You, You"

"Hoop-Dee-Deo"

Selections by the combined Beginner and Intermediate Bands:

"Advance March"

"Drifting and Dreaming"

Cornet Trio - "Drifting and Dreaming" McCoy

Glenn Lassater, Rodney Jackson, Gary Clark

Selections by the Piano Accordion Band:

Patricia Deavenport, Emma Jane Skaggs, Judy Thrash, accordions; Linda Shell, drums

"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"

"Victory March of Notre Dame"

Selections by the High School Band:

March - "His Honor" Fillmore

Overture - "Oriental" Nicholls

Novelette - "China Land" Dwight

Patrol - "Land of Liberty" Charles

Selection - "Celestial Praise" arr. by Nicholls

Novelty - "Trombone Glide" Harris

Featuring Beth Brightwell and Manning Fairbatter

March - "Entry of the Gladiators" Fucik

PART II

Popular Numbers:

"Tenderly" Gross

"Bohemian Polka" Vejvoda

"Hot Toddy" a Jazz Number Hender

"Tennessee Waltz" and "Changing Partners" King

"Your Cheating Heart" Williams

"Just Another Polka" Delugg

"The American Patrol" Meacham



A. Z. Myrick, president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau, advised that Alvin E. Kincaid, Rt 3, Cisco, Thelbert Jones, Rt 1, Ranger, and Mrs. Kenneth W. Jameson, Ranger, were the first members of the County to receive their 50 percent dividends from the Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance services, which became effective April 1, 1954.

Other members will also receive their dividends as their policies come up for renewals, Myrick stated. He also added that Eastland County members will be sharing in the \$1,700.00 set aside for Texas Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance Carriers, during the next 12 months.

This dividend announcement comes as good news to members, the president said, and to his knowledge, never before has a legal Reserve Stock Insurance Company ever returned such high dividends in Texas.

Other Farm Bureau insurance services include legal Reserve life, Poilo, Farmer Comprehensive Liability Equipment floater, and Fire insurance.

Each county has a service agent who is ready at all times to help with this service program.

Mrs. John Love, Rt 1, Ranger is service agent for Eastland County and has office days each Tuesday in Eastland at Perkins Implement Co. and each Friday at Cisco at Frozen Food Locker Plant.



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CHEANEY NEWS
Reporter, Mrs. Bill Tucker

Sixty-four were in attendance at church and Sunday School on Sunday morning at the Cheaney Church of Christ. Loyd Ash of Abilene Christian College spoke at both morning and evening services.

The Baptist congregation held their regular morning service but omitted an evening service.

House guests the past week in the Hatley Dean home were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean of Tyler. Earnest Dean, son of the Frank Deans, came Saturday night from A & M College to spend Easter here. Earnest will graduate this year.

All the Deans and the Tom Kim broughs of Ranger were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman Saturday night.

A wedding shower complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ice was held Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Love. Mrs. Ice, Neel June Blackwell, and Jimmy came from Lubbock for the Easter holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blackwell at Cheaney, and in Ranger with his parents. Many gifts were displayed. Women of the community helped in serving a refreshment plate of cake and fruit punch to sixty attending. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackwell of Quanah, Mrs. Cora Love, Lubbock, Mrs. Callie Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb, Kathie and Fredda, and Mrs. Alice Calvert, all of Ranger.

Mrs. Emma Ferrell went to Ft Worth Saturday to spend Easter with her children, Mrs. Francis Fry and family and with Mary Ferrell, who came by plane from New York to be with her mother and sister. Visitors in the Jack Revel home during Easter were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Revel and David of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dean and Virginia of Big Springs. Recent visitors in the Joe Butler home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Compton and family of Weatherford. Joy and Ronnie Love spent the week end in Stephenville with the Bob Love family of Odessa on their farm. Mr. and Mrs. John

Love and Loresta went there Sunday afternoon and were hosts for a supper on Monday night honoring the brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Love and Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Love and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Melva Love, Ronnie and Joy, Mrs. Bessie Perrin, and Mrs. Lillie Wallace, and their mother, Mrs. Ann Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deal and Ms. Pearl Price Steward of Ranger were callers in the Bill Tucker home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rodgers and family of Sinton, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Melton, Friday night and attended a reunion of the Rodgers family in Ranger. Dee Rodgers and Mrs. Florence Yancey are local members of the family, who reside here in the community.

Mrs. Pat Brown is a patient in the West Texas Clinic, Ranger.

J. B. Blackwell, home for 10 days from the Veterans Hospital was feeling some better on Sunday. He will return to Dallas this week for further treatment.

Miss LaVerne Ainsworth spent Saturday night in Dublin with her classmate, Betty Ross, in the home of Betty's grandmother, Mrs. Ross.

The Monroe Ainsworth's visited at Frankell Sunday afternoon.

Billy Dan Walton and family of Ft Worth visited Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.



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ATTEND YOUTH BANQUET AT RANGER, MONDAY

Attending the Cisco District Methodist Youth Fellowship Banquet held at Ranger on Monday night were Minnie Beth Brightwell, Kay Warren, Jerry Bolt, Billy Kent, Troyat Underwood, Arlton Smith, and Rev. Floyd Thrash.

Bishop Wm. C. Martin spoke to the crowd of more than three hundred youth with their leaders.

The banquet, which is termed a rally, is held annually.

Z. S. COOK CHILDREN HOME FOR EASTER

Z. S. Cooke had as Easter visitors in his home, all of his children except S. M. and family of SanAngelo. Those present were Z. M. and family of Olden, E. H. and family of New Hope, Mrs. Zeala Gould and daughter of Ranger, A. L. Grice of Gorman and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Blackshear and family of Ballinger and Mrs. Ruth Craighaid of Carbon. There were 15 grandchildren.

It was a most enjoyable occasion.

John Walton, A brother, Johnny Joe Walton of Strawn, was also a visitor.

The Frank Poteet's visited in the Olive Pilgrim home Saturday night and watched TV for awhile.

Joe Blackwell, who underwent an appendectomy recently, is recovering nicely.

WEEK END FISHERMEN BRING IN NICE CATCH

Ben R. Townley, G. C. Acrea, Drs. C. T. Cole and D. V. Rodgers returned on Sunday evening from a three-day trip to Port Aransas. They found the weather right and fishing good.

The many pounds of fish they brought in were best size for a fish-fry.

STEPHEN LYNN RUSSELL CHRISTENED AT CORSICANA

Stephen Lynn Russell was christened on Easter morning in Corsicana at the Central Methodist Church. Stephen Lynn, who will be five months old April 27, was dedicated by Rev. J. L. Ray, a former Gorman pastor.

Rev. Ray performed the ceremony uniting the baby's parents in marriage and also received Mr. Russell into the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Stephen Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter, the maternal grandparents, Milton Fairbetter, Manning Fairbetter, and Miss Joan Price of Brownwood attended morning worship and spent the day with Rev. and Mrs. Ray.

Joan Price was a week end guest in the Fairbetter home.

FRIENDS OF FRANK RASCOES HONOR THEM WITH GIFT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rasco were honored by their friends this week. They were presented a floor lamp for their recently completed home.

Mr. Rasco, who has done the building, has been on the job for several months. Mrs. Rasco works at the Emerson Cafe.

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H. W. BLANKENSHIPS ANNOUNCE BABY BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Blankenship of Dalas are announcing the birth of a new son, Stephen Ronald Blankenship born at the Blackwell Hospital on Tuesday, April 20th weighing 7 pounds and 14 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones. The mother, the former Shirley Jones, graduated from Gorman High in May 1949 and was married to Mr. Blankenship in the fall of 1951, at which time he was in the service.

Mother and son are doing fine.

GRANDSON OF MRS. NIX CHRISTENED EASTER

Mrs. J. M. Nix spent the Easter Holidays with her son, Jerry Clark and family of Corpus Christi and attended the christening of her grandson and their son, Jimmy Clark.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist Church at the early morning service.

Jimmy has a host of relatives in Gorman among which are his maternal grandmother, Mrs. John Clark.

Mrs. Nix went to Corpus Christi on Thursday night and returned home on Monday morning.

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City Garage

All types of automobile repairing are featured at the City Garage at 103 W. Waite St. in Eastland, Phone 995.

Generator work, carburetor work and electrical system work are all considered to be of the most difficult for a repairman to handle. You can rest assured that this first class garage in Eastland can do this work for you properly. They offer excellent experience and correct tools with which to do the job efficiently.

They also specialize in ring jobs, replacing and grinding valves and tightening rods or replacing inserts. In fact they can do almost any repair job your car needs.

Folks in this section speak highly of the work they have had done at the City Garage. You can be sure the price is going to be right and the work will be done that is expected.

This review suggests you go to the City Garage whenever you have anything the matter with your car. Here you know you will be treated fairly.

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This reliable establishment is located east of the city of Eastland. You can depend on this firm to get the job done properly whether your problem is one for machinists, welders, or engineers. They specialize in all of these lines and will go anywhere at any time. Phone 137. At night phone 287-J or 755-W-4 for information or service.

If your tractor needs to be worked on, be sure to take it to the Texas Gas Engine and Tool Shop. Here they have the equipment and experience to completely repair and overhaul your tractor, no matter what make or model it might be.

Perkins Implement Co.

This well known firm located in Eastland at 116 E. Main is the dealer for the popular Ford Tractors and Dearborn Implements. Be sure you see this firm before you purchase your farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

When you buy farm equipment you want to know that you are getting machines that will stand up to the job. Ford Tractors and Dearborn Implements have stood the test for years. This equipment can be depended upon to give the maximum service per dollar invested.

We in this Merchants and Farmers Review wish to point out the fine reputation the Perkins Implement Co. has built. They are noted for square dealings and will stand behind every purchase. Trade with a firm you can depend upon. They are located at 116 E. Main. Drop in and see the new models the next time you are in Eastland.

Eastland Venetian Blind Mfg. Co.

The Eastland Venetian Blind Manufacturing Company is located at 405 1/2 South Seaman in Eastland, Phone 436 for free estimates without obligations.

This firm in Eastland features custom made aluminum wood and steel venetian blinds.

Venetian blinds are rapidly becoming more popular for home and business places. They are beautiful as well as offering the value of keeping the direct rays of the sun out. Darken or lighten the room as you desire with high quality venetian blinds from the Eastland Venetian Blind Manufacturing Co. in Eastland.

This Merchants and Farmers Review feels it can recommend this enterprising firm in Eastland for venetian blinds of all types. Be sure to call them for an estimate before you buy.

Anderson Specialty Shop

(Formerly D. L. Shoupe Shop)

Located at 111 E. Main in Eastland this well known store has served the people of this community for years. This is an institution of which we can justly be proud.

This store carries a complete line of clothes for ladies. Quality material and expert workmanship make their clothing hard to beat anywhere at any price. Many women have found by pleasing experience that clothes bought here are an investment in economy.

They carry a comprehensive stock of ladies dresses, lingerie, and are well known for proper fitting. No matter what your needs may be along this line you can find it at Anderson's Specialty Shop.

In this Merchants and Farmers Review we take pleasure in directing the attention of our readers to such a reliable establishment and suggest that you drop in to see them for anything in the clothing line.

They also have a complete line of Jewelry, Millinery and Infants wear up to 12.

Lilley's Cafe

J. C. LILLY, Owner

For a meal that is delicious and a place that is friendly, go to Lilley's Cafe located at 311 E. Main in Eastland. Here you will find a home-like atmosphere together with courteous service that you will like.

The Lilley's Cafe features dinners of tender meals that are cooked to suit you, served with vegetables, salad and dessert. They also have delicious steaks cooked to order and served in your favorite manner. If it's just a snack you want, you will find sandwiches, salads and soups here that are just the thing to take away that hungry feeling.

Singer Sewing Machine Company

The Singer Sewing Machine Company is located at 115 So. Lamar in Eastland. This firm features portables, electric library, table and treadle machines. They can also give you service, rentals, parts and repairs for your old machines.

Home sewing becomes more popular each year. Save up to two-thirds on your clothing bill by making your clothes with a Singer Sewing Machine. These machines have withstood the test of years in service. They are without a doubt the most popular machines in the world today.

Remember you may obtain a Singer Sewing Machine only through an authorized Singer Sewing Center, which may be recognized by the large red letter "S" in the window.

For a solution to all sewing problems, just call this firm at 115 S. Lamar in Eastland and they will be glad to advise you in these matters.

The manager will be glad to explain the easy payment plan to you. They allow a generous trade-in allowance on your old machine. For information or service just phone 863 in Eastland and they will be happy to serve you.

What are we waiting for?



If you are a person who wants the best in food when you eat out, you'll find that the Lilley's Cafe is the place to go. In this Merchants and Farmers Review we suggest you take your family out to Lilley's Cafe the next time you are in Eastland and judge for yourself.

WHAT FARM BUREAU IS REALLY FOR

Some confusion has risen over the national farm program advocated by the Farm Bureau. This is to set the record straight.

Farm Bureau's proposed farm program does not mean that support prices will slide downward from 90 percent of parity. It does mean that farmers will continue to receive support prices at 90 percent of parity IF production is kept in line with demand.

The Farm Bureau's proposed program is not intended as a stop gap measure, but it is intended to solve the recurring problems of farm surpluses and unstable prices. It does not pretend to be perfect, and will undoubtedly be altered and improved in the future. What it does represent now is the majority opinion of more than 1 and 1/2 million Farm Bureau members in 48 states and Puerto Rico.

Farm Bureau is for full parity for farmers and ranchers.

Farm Bureau is for price supports for agriculture. (Farm Bureau led the fight for price supports in the first place.) Farm Bureau believes that 90 percent of parity prices (supported or free market) are inadequate for a standard of living on the farm equal to that enjoyed by other groups. Farm Bureau also is NOT in favor of a price support system that would guarantee lower and lower support prices. Farm Bureau is for a price support system that will allow farmers to have 90 percent price supports (or higher) IF PRODUCTION IS KEPT IN LINE WITH DEMAND. Farm Bureau is not in favor of keeping program administered by the government.

Farm Bureau is for a long-range over-all program of action on a number of fronts - expanded foreign markets, liberal farm credit, price supports, more research - everything fair and honest and feasible that will help secure a higher and higher standard of living on every farm and ranch in

America. Farm Bureau is diametrically opposed to any basically unsound farm program that does not attempt to solve the continuing problems of agriculture. Farm Bureau believes that such a program would eventually bring down the wrath of the consuming public and destroy the protection that agriculture has so recently obtained. (Farm Bureau is just as strongly opposed to any unrealistic and selfish program for any industry or group that is detrimental to the whole economy.)

Farm Bureau believes that price is vital - but only part of the total picture. Net income is derived by multiplying volume times price, minus costs of production. The only way to guarantee artificially high prices (and avoid surpluses) is to cut production. A small volume of production, even at a comparatively high price, does not secure a high net income. It does guarantee a nation of subservient, low income farmers and a bankrupt agricultural economy. A bankrupt agriculture means a bankrupt nation. A bankrupt nation is an easy prey for Communist (or Fascist) infiltration and conquest.

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second elective term
H. R. (Pop) GARRETT

For Sheriff:
J. F. (Frank) TUCKER
For re-election
J. B. WILLIAMS
E. L. (Jug) DENNIS

For District Clerk
ROY L. LANE
(re-election)
JOHN C. NICHOLAS

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
STANLEY WEBB
(re-election)

For County Treasurer:
RICHARD C. COX
(For Second Term)

For County Clerk:
JOHNSON SMITH
(Re-election - Second Term)

For County Judge:
JOHN S. HART
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Prec. Two
B. M. BENNETT
(Re-election 2nd term)

A. M. (Judge) THURMAN
For Constable, Precinct 5
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SPORTS FLASHES

from
The Sporting News by J. G. Taylor Spink

DEAL FOR SLAUGHTER LAID TO YANKEES' FEARS

The most fantastic and surprising of all the Yankee acquisitions from the National League was the addition of 38-year old Enos Slaughter to the menage of the world's champions, says the Sporting News. On February 23, Vic Raschi, 35-year old righthander of the Bombers, disdaining to take a cut from his \$40,000 salary of 1953, was sold to the Cardinals for a reported \$80,000. The intimation was that Vic was too old. On April 11, Slaughter, three years older than Raschi, and getting \$20,000, was considered acceptable by the New York club from the standpoint of both age and salary.

The Sporting News feels that it is obvious that something happened between February 23 and April 11 to change the attitude of those operating the Yankees. What happened was:

No. 1 - Nineteen defeats in 27 exhibition games with major league opposition, six in eight engagements with the Dodgers.

No. 2 - Doubt had enveloped Mickey Mantle's mending right knee.

In announcing the deal the Yankees said the move was in the interest of "protection and insurance."

Around the American League the addition of Enos to the New York family was regarded as a demonstration of fear.

"The Yankees are afraid, afraid for the first time since 1949 and perhaps the day of our freedom from New York bondage is high," the seven other clubs in the circuit exuberated.

The addition of slaughter leaves Casey Stengel with three extra outfielders. It is quite conceivable that one of them, and First Baseman Eddie Robinson will be offered for a pitcher.

The Sporting News reports that when Enos learned that he had

been sent to the Yankees, he shed bitter tears. Sold down the river after so many years.

But then, Enos, what a river!

ILL NEVER BE TRADED

One of the ironic twists that sent Enos Slaughter to the Yankees is the scheduled appearance of a magazine article by the ex-Cardinal outfielder within next few weeks.

The title: "I Will Never Be Traded."

ALSTON FACES TOUGHEST JOB

Four new managers led teams into the major league races this season, one pulling a heavy load three in less difficult spots. The man in the most important spot, reports The Sporting News, is Walter Alston of Brooklyn.

All that is expected of Alston is to win the World Series. That's regarded as just a slight order of hummingbird's wings on toast in Flatbush. Nothing to it. But if the rookie manager simply repeats the pennant victory in the National League - without considering the series - he will set a precedent.

No one since 1900 has taken over a flag winner and repeated the first time out.

There are only two cases of managers walking in on title teams - and both failed. John Joseph Barry missed in 1917 with Bill Carrigan's Boston Red Sox team, and Bob O'Farrell couldn't make it when he succeeded Rogers Hornby with the St. Louis Cardinals in 1927. Both finished second.

HOW "THE SPOOK" GOT HIS NICKNAME

Second baseman for the Philadelphia Athletics is Forrest Jacobs "Spooks", a fugitive from the Brooklyn farm system. How did he acquire his nickname?

Says "Spook" in the Sporting News: "They started calling me that in Johnstown. I never used to hit anything to the left side of the infield. I hit a lot of those dying quails to the right. They said I 'spooked' my hits."

SHORT SHOTS FROM THE SPORTING NEWS

Among the innovations at Busch Stadium are phones installed in the dugouts for the convenience of Cardinal Manager Eddie Stanky or the visiting club pilot to call the pitchers from the bullpen. When Stanky noticed that the phone could be used for outside calls as well, he quipped: "I don't like this. Can't you see a pitcher getting knocked out, passing through here, grabbing this thing to call home and say, 'Get the dinner ready, hone, I just got knocked out in the fourth!'"

Mickey Grasso of the Cleveland Indians, who spent a lot of time visiting hospital patients when he was a member of the Washington Senators, now is all alone in Mercy Hospital, Ariz. where he is recovering from his broken ankle. The Cleveland Indians naturally had to leave Mickey behind when they left Arizona. However, Grasso would like to hear from his friends, so drop a card to a nice guy who

always took time out to help others.

BRAIN TEASER

Send your answer to this puzzler to The Sporting News on a postcard and get a free copy of the national baseball weekly. You also have to add the name of this newspaper. "What two American League batting champions posted .300 or better batting averages only in the years they led the league?" Replies must not be postmarked later than May 1 - and MUST be on a postcard - not a letter.

Max Surkont, whom the Pirates obtained from Milwaukee in the Danny O'Connell deal, is still moaning about his tough luck last year. He was promised verbally he would receive \$500 for every game he won over 12 for the Braves. He had won nine going into July and visioned a few extra thousand dollars at the end of the season. However, he never reached 12, finishing with 11 and five. Max can't understand why he never started a game after August 14. John Quinn please write.

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Shannon Supply Company

This firm carries a complete line of Butane and Propane Gas Appliances, Servel Refrigerators, Freezer Units, Roper, O'Keefe-Rit and Magic Chief Ranges, Sewel - Day and Night Hot Water Heaters, etc. Their service in Butane and Propane Gas will take care of the installation and service of these items.

This gas will operate your refrigerator, automatic water heater, in fact all gas uses. Butane and Propane are the greatest aid to the busy housewife. Every country home can now enjoy the same conveniences, that are available to their City neighbors, through the use of Butane and Propane Gas.

The satisfied patrons of this company in this community are highly praising this gas, which makes the hottest flame known for domestic use.

Butane and Propane Gas serves all the purposes of piped gas and rapidly is finding its way into the large industrial plants in this section of the State. They are in a position to serve you in the modernization of the home. They also have a complete line of Minneapolis-Moline Farm Equipment. Remember the name, Shannon Supply Co., 2 miles on Dublin Highway, Dial L-3565.

Butler's Paint and Body Shop

Butler's Paint and Body Shop is located at 789 Miller in Stephenville. Phone L-3467 for service. This enterprising shop specializes in auto painting and repair of auto bodies and fenders. They have a wide selection of paints from which to choose, or they can blend paint so that it will match your car perfectly. If you are having your car repainted, you will find just the color you want for your car.

This firm has the finest equipment and experience and is capable of giving your car a paint job equal to the one it had when it came from the factory. There is an art to repairing and painting an automobile and making it look new again. The owner of this firm supervises work done on every car so you may be sure that your car will receive personal attention.

Don't find yourself the owner of a car that is bent up as well as being dull and drab. For a very reasonable price you can make it look new again. You will find all the charges very reasonable at the Butler Paint and Body Shop. For free estimates on your body and fender repair work as well as auto painting go to Butler's Paint and Body Shop in Stephenville and they will gladly quote their prices to you.

Dr. V. A. Scott Veterinarian

Dr. Scott, Veterinarian, located on Lillian Ave in Stephenville specializes in all kinds of large and small animal work, as well as other work in the profession of Veterinary Surgery. He has many friends as well as clients over this territory. Special attention paid to appointments. Phone L-4314.

The profession of the veterinarian should be one of the utmost importance and we cannot fail in this comprehensive review of our country's progress to devote some space to a well merited tribute of the excellent work performed by his eminent veterinarian.

Dr. Scott has merited a wide reputation he has established as specialist in treating all kinds of animals. Whether it be a case of accident or illness the owners rest everywhere in the community call upon this man.

He has taken care of some of the most valuable animals in his section in the most expert professional manner and at the same time gives the same conscientious service to every case regardless of breed of stock for whose aid his service is enlisted.

Clemons Motor Co. Comanche, Texas

The Clemons Motor Co. is your authorized dealer for the popular Ford and Mercury automobiles. They are located at 200 East Central in Comanche. Phone 397 or 427.

The new Ford is the motorists dream come true. It gives you those advantages of driving comfort, safety, efficiency of operation and handles easily. Treat yourself to a ride in a new Mercury. You will agree that it has beauty, roominess and plenty of pep. The new Mercury is a product of many months of planning by some of the finest engineers in the automobile manufacturing business.

This firm is completely equipped to service any and all makes of automobiles. Enjoy your car by keeping it in first class condition. The mechanics at this firm are experienced and will give your automobile the best of care.

In this Merchants and Farmers Review we are happy to recommend the Clemons Motor Co. to all our readers. You can be sure of a square deal by trading with this popular firm in Comanche.

Hugon's Clothiers

Fine clothiers at 148 West College in Stephenville. This store is headquarters for stylish, up-to-date clothes for men and boys. They also carry a complete line of styles for business men or persons who prefer smart, conservatively styled garments. The best that can be had can be obtained here at reasonable prices. You will find every style to be the latest at Hugon's Clothiers in Stephenville. Phone L-4022.

Here the stock is complete and sizes range in all variations assuring perfect fit. Next to style and value, there is nothing of a greater importance to the discriminating buyer than variety.

Their stock of hats, ties, shirts, handkerchiefs, pajamas and under-clothing is varied to suit any man's taste. Here you will find just the right accessories to complete a most distinctive appearance. Men who are interested in stylish, serviceable clothing will go to Hugon's Clothiers in Stephenville.

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SCOTT PAINT & BODY WORKS

Employees at this firm are specialists in body and fender work as well as auto painting and wrecks re-built. The place to have that old car re-built is at the Scott Paint and Body Works in Eastland. Phone 977 for information. Here you may have automobile safety glass installed while you wait.

The owner of this firm fully understands auto body and fender repair work. Whether it is a small or a large job, you will receive the same courteous treatment at the Scott Paint and Body Works.

This is one of the best known body and fender repair shops in this section because of its excellent workmanship and service. They use only high grade materials that will give long wearing service. It will be worthwhile to let this firm take care of your body and fender needs.

Their body and fender work as well as auto painting surpasses anything done in this section. They have the "know how" that puts their work in a class by itself. Be sure to see the Scott Paint and Body Works at 109 S. Mulberry in Eastland for all work of this type. We know you will be pleased with any work that you have done at this well known shop.

WILSON FEED & SEED

Located at 204 N. Seaman in Eastland, Phone 175.

Specializing as they do in furnishing the farmers and dairymen in this section with all kinds of quality feeds, this concern is doing its part to advance stock and dairy progress. Feeds bought here not only go further for the money, but are just right in mixture to produce milk at a profit. For your next supply of dairy and stock feeds visit Wilson Feed and Seed.

The members of this firm have had years of experience in feeds and feeding. For dependable information on feeding don't fail to consult this firm in Eastland. They can be relied upon to advise you on your feeding problems.

They also carry a full line of the best in poultry feeds which include a line that will produce more eggs from laying hens. Don't fail to ask the advice of Wilson's Feed and Seed on your poultry and feed problems.

R. M. SNEED - Contractor

Mr. R. M. Sneed, Contractor is located on Highway 80 East in Eastland. Phone 684. This firm is well known in this section for their efficient business methods. Contracting is their business and they have the experience and equipment to properly process any contract they make.

The lowest bid is not always the cheapest. If the work you have done is not as you desire it and repairs must be made in a short while, perhaps you called the wrong contractor. You can be assured this will not happen when you call Mr. Sneed in Eastland. They make sure that all the details of the work are thoroughly checked and are in accordance with the specifications desired before the work is started.

This firm has built an enviable reputation and this Review issue is happy to recommend them to all in this section who are in need of a contractor. Remember just phone 684 in Eastland for information or service.

EASTLAND IRON & METAL CO.

The Eastland Iron and Metal Company located at 500 E. Main in Eastland buys all kinds of junk for the highest prices.

Junk is worthless to us when it is just cluttering up our yards, but with very little effort it can be converted into dollars in our pockets. It would be wise to take inventory of your yard today and gather up all junk metal and bring it to the Eastland Iron and Metal Company where it can be put to good use.

Almost all metal can be sold as junk, so why not have the money in your pocket instead of the junk lying around. This firm has a reputation for being fair in all their dealings so you can be sure that you are doing business with a reliable firm when you come here.

Remember their location 500 E. Main in Eastland. For price quotations or any information just phone 270 and they will be glad to assist you.

Cashon Radio and T. V. Service

Realizing that the proper installation of the aerial and general maintenance of a set is of utmost importance for the finest results; it is essential to choose a firm with thorough knowledge of the radio and television field. Today's sets require the service of qualified radio and television technicians.

It is very discouraging to have a set giving trouble or out of adjustment as many interesting programs are missed. At such times we endorse the Cashon Radio and T. V. Service as fully competent for testing, installations and repairs.

The radio and television have become such an important industry that a reliable service company is an essential factor to every community. In this community, we are fortunate in having a firm very proficient in every phase of the work.

If you should require Radio or Television service the Cashon Radio and T. V. Service is equipped to handle all your needs.

For repairs call L-3643 or take your set to 580 Race Street in Stephenville. You may have full assurance that the job to be done will be right when returned.

Cook Bros. Lumber Co.

The Cook Bros. Lumber Co. located on West Washington St. in Stephenville has a complete supply of lumber in stock at all times. Phone Lindsey-3065 for any information.

Are you among the many persons planning to remodel and repair your home or business establishment? If so, the firm to contact is the Cook Bros. Lumber Co. They are always willing to lend a helping hand to persons with building problems.

There is no need to live in a home that is in need of repairs when it is so easy to have it remodeled and repaired to fit your needs and comfort. The Cook Bros. Lumber Co. carries in stock at all times many items necessary for remodeling, such as asbestos siding, roofing materials, paints and varnishes and household hardware items.

Regardless of whether your building or remodeling problems are large or small you will receive courteous attention from the employees here. There is no use putting off building that extra room or repairing your home when you can get it all done at a reasonable price when you consult the Cook Bros. Lumber Co. in Stephenville. See them for your next building needs.

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DUSTER - ROCK BLUFF

Church of Christ had good attendance Sunday with some visitors.

Duster Baptist and Rock Bluff had regular attendance.

Several from these communities attended the revivals in De Leon last week and also the State Singing Convention in Stephenville Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plumblee of McCamey, Mr. Claude Wallace and his mother from Kilgore, Mrs. W. N. Huddleston of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burleson of Iraan were Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kimbell of New Mexico were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham visited her brother, Mr. Arnold King, who is ill in Abilene, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wilson of Midland and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Pringle of Clyde, and Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wilson and Children of De Leon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everitt Wilson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Richburg and son of Kermit visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Richburg, through the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes and children of Ft Worth spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott.

Mrs. Lorene Johnson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Horan Lock, Miss Pat and Mrs. Herman Johnson to Denton to get Miss Betty Lock and then on to Dallas to a track meet Thursday where Herman Johnson participated in a track meet. He won first place in shot put and second in Discus.

Joe Frances Heathington of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Heathington, during the Easter holidays.

Veda and David Whitehurst of De Leon visited in the Whitehurst home over the week end.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Sparr of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Powers of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton of Caddo, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman of Eastland, and the Scott, Stanleys, Rones, and Bingham.

Dr. and Mrs. Bateman of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Boswell and daughter of College Station spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Pounds.

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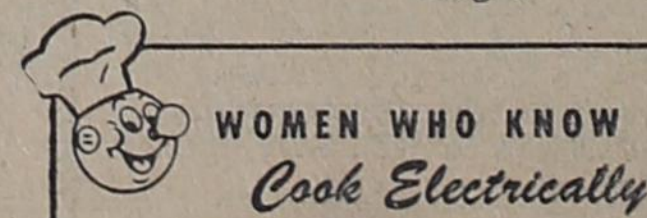
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Texas and Premier Get Additional Refining Facilities

The State of Texas as a leader in refining capacity was strengthened this week as another refinery unit was added by a Texas refiner. Premier Oil Refining Company of Texas has just brought on stream at its Fort Worth plant, a new catalytic cracking unit which again increases the total refining capacity of the state's 64 refineries. This unit also further strengthened the State's position in having the largest share of the nation's catalytic cracking facilities.

As the new catalytic cracker came on stream this week, it enables Premier to increase very considerably the percentage of gasoline yield out of each barrel of crude oil refined. This unit, together with others installed during the past three years by Premier, will enable the company to meet the anticipated octane requirements of automobiles

to be made in the foreseeable future.

The State of Texas, because of its strategic position in being able to move petroleum products into other market throughout the United States and the world, has experienced an exceedingly rapid growth in its total refining facilities. These facilities have played an important part in the nation's defense program. Refineries located in the interior of Texas, such as Premier's four replaced in the event of an all out war where industries located along our coast lines and in highly concentrated industrial centers are most vulnerable to an enemy attack.

In commenting on this latest expansion program which costs in excess of 2 1/2 million dollars, R. P. Hargis, President of Premier Oil Refining Co., said, "Premier has in its system every major refining process for the production of modern automotive gasolines". He further states "it is the policy of this company to maintain a refining system which includes the latest in technique and research". As evidence that this policy is being carried out, he went on to say, "within a period of approximately 30 months two of the very latest developments in refining research and technique has been installed. This includes the catalytic cracking unit now going on stream, and also the platforming unit which went on stream in the later months of 1951."

Premier's four plants are located at Longview and Arp in East Texas and at Fort Worth and Baird in West Central Texas. This gives Premier the further advantage of diversification of its facilities and enables it to serve its marketing area here in Texas with a minimum of transportation costs.

Texas stands high among the states in the nation's crude reserves. In has slightly over half of the total known reserves in the United States, and it is currently producing approximately half of the nation's crude oil. All of Premier's four plants are operating on Texas crude. Because of its ownership and operation of approximately 700 miles of crude pipelines here in Texas, it is in a position to tap these very extensive sources of crude.

A. M. Ault, Director of Marketing for the company, said, "Texas citizens have been most fortunate in having available petroleum products whose quality has been second to none in the nation." This is because other leading refiners like Premier have expended large sums of money in the installation of the

Girls To Wrestle At Sportarena

EASTLAND (Sp) - Girl wrestling came to the Eastland Sportarena next Monday night. Matched in a 45 minute special event are Betty White and Babs Wingo, two colored girls who really like to mix it up.

Also on the all star card are Roy Graham and Cowboy Carlson in the main event, and Dick Hutton and Ivan Kalmikoff in the semi-final match.

Graham and Carlson fought a disputed match last week and this

week's event is scheduled as a grudge match. Referee Bill Steddum, had to fight Graham in the match last week, and isn't too friendly with the rough boy from Corsicana himself.

Hutton, a 200 pounder from Tulsa, beat Henry Lenz last week to earn a shot at the deadly Russian. Kalmikoff was also winner in his event last week, defeating Sugi Sito.

Tickets for the events are now on sale at the Connellee Hotel lobby in Eastland. They may also be secured by writing the Sportarena.

The events get underway at 8:30 p. m.

desdemona hi-news

On April 6, 1954, the Desdemona boys played the Stephenville boys in hard ball. Leroy Nabers was the hero again by knocking a homerun. Stephenville won by a score of 21-3.

Tuesday, April 13, the Junior class was entertained with an ice cream party at the home of J. C. Lee.

Thursday, April 15, Mrs. Christie went to Ft Worth on business for the Junior class.

We are all happy over the good rain. It was reported that six inches fell in and around Desdemona.

The eighth grade had a banquet Saturday night, April 10. The Easter motif was carried out.

The Desdemona P. T. A. had a call meeting Thursday, April 9.

Mr. Lindley has been ill but is back at school.

On April 16, the Senior class sponsored a cake walk and music led by Kenneth Rainey.

RELATIVES ATTEND BABY CHRISTENINGS

Present at the Easter christening service at the Methodist morning worship for Elizabeth Nan Brogdon with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William Brogdon, were the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gatlin of Athens, Mrs. W. N. DeFreeze of Dallas, who is great aunt to Elizabeth Nan, Mrs. C. J. Thompson, who is the paternal grandmother, Mr. C. J. Thompson and C. J. Thompson, II of Comanche, and Bob Brogdon of Austin, who is uncle to the young lady.

Arthur Dale and Gloria Faye Turner were also christened by Rev. Floyd Thrash at the worship hour. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. John Turner. Relatives attending the service were brother to Mrs. Turner, Barney Sanders, Mrs. Sanders and children, Stephen, Virginia, Donald and Olen Ray of De Leon.

most modern facilities." He further stated "these latest additions to Premier's facilities will enable the company to market superior gasolines through some 600 service stations displaying the Premium emblem."

FOURTH GRADE REPORT

We are sorry Wesley Warren got a nail stuck in his foot and had to go to the hospital to pull it out. The doctor said it was stuck between two bones.

We are getting new Science books to read about the sun and its gasses.

Linda Shell went to her grand mothers house and had a good time.

Karen Pattilo went to Colorado City and visited her aunt.

We all enjoyed having an extra day off at Easter Time. We certainly were made happy when several of the mothers furnished delicious refreshments for our Easter party on Thursday afternoon.

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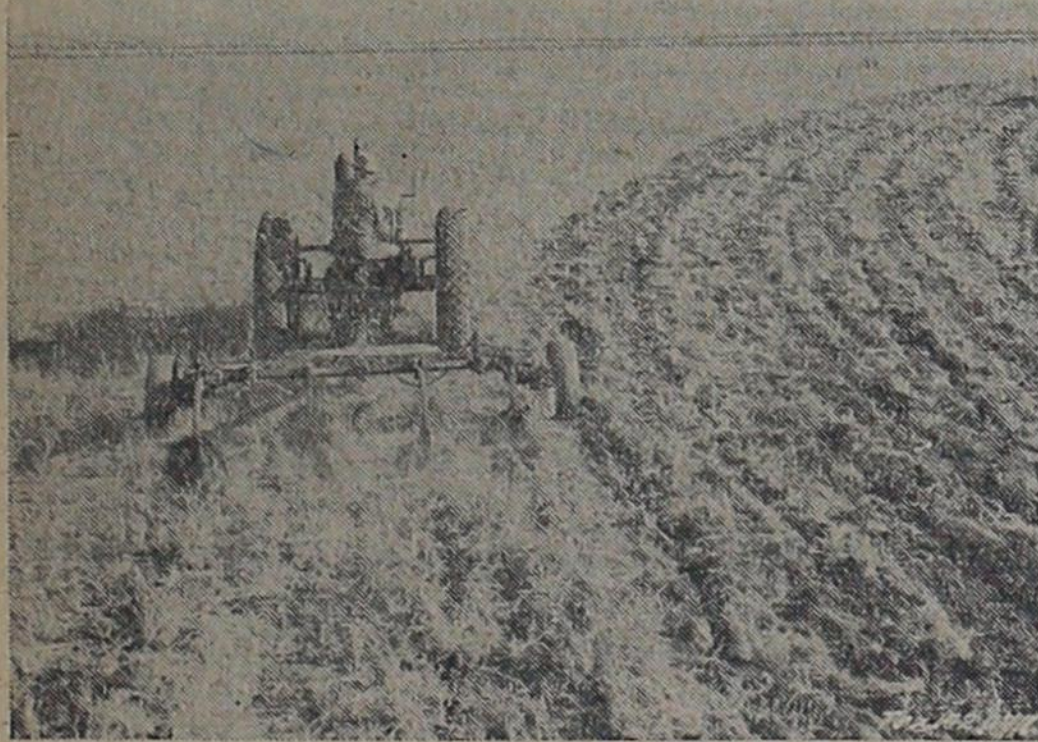
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Keeping Up With Our Friends - -

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker and Miss Vibella Baker Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Baker and daughter, Imelda Ann, and Miss Mae Lynn of Dallas. Miss Vibella returned Saturday after a week's visit in Dallas.

R. A. Rose of Cumberland, Wisconsin is spending his vacation with his brother, B. F. Pendarvis. Orphaned at an early age the brothers were adopted by different relatives and of a consequence bear different names.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Thomas of Abilene were Easter visitors with her sisters Mrs. Keith Whitt and Mrs. M. E. Shell and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White of Fort Worth returned to their home on Tuesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Capers.

Jimmy Ray Rachel was home from Tarleton for the holidays visiting his parents the E. E. Rachels. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stamey and children of Dallas were also guests of the Rachels.

Jerry Skaggs, student at Tarleton was home for Easter.

Bobby Jean Rachels and Jolene Bell are enjoying living in Fort Worth. Bobby Jean works at the Faid and Jolene is with Consolidated.

Mrs. A. D. Lewis of Comanche visited her sister Mrs. H. J. Lindley this week.

Mrs. J. E. Walker visited her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Emmons and family in Breckenridge during the Easter Holidays. Diane, her granddaughter, appeared in several Easter programs sponsored by the church and community. Mr. Walker visited Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. James L. Bigby and Bryna Jane of Colorado City were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins. Mr. James Bigby is in Schenectady, N. Y. on special duty for Texas Electric Service Co. and will be home on the 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Monjar from Butler, Pa. were surprise visitors for the Masons last Thursday. Mrs. Annie Taylor of Hermleigh arrived with her son Robert and family Friday - then Myrna married Aunt Anne with

Mother and Dad to visit the Bryant Boys at Sidney.

Mrs. R. L. (Sissala) Williams writes from Austin that she enjoys the Progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burdette attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Frank Gandy, held in Meridian last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson have returned from an extended stay on the coast.

Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey visited recently with her grandson Gene Mehaffey and his parents, Gene and Ann, in Guymon, Oklahoma.

Guests of Mrs. Alma Craig on Tuesday were Mrs. Jesse Craig, her son, Eddie Craig, and her

daughter, Mrs. Lawrence, all of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Mrs. Geo. De Vall and son, James, and daughter, Peggy, also Mrs. Clinton Gage, all of San Saba, Mrs. J. C. Lee of Desedemona, Mrs. George Wright, Georgia and Frank Stacy and Mrs. Julia Huddleston were also present.

Mrs. Robert Hicks of Cameron was in Gorman this week visiting and looking after business interests.

Mrs. T. F. Morrow visited in Fort Worth with her daughter Mrs. E. W. Underwood and family during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Parker and sons of Colorado City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barton of Ballinger and Miss Lillian Durham of Coman were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kimble.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edmondson had as week end guests her relatives, Mrs. R. E. Askew, Tommy Askew and Mr. and Mrs. Chick Arnold, all of Breckenridge, Billy and Turner Askew of Olney.

Marjorie Warren of Ft Worth was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Leonard of McCamey visited with the J. A. Underwoods last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Esten of College Station, Mrs. Elmer Stacy and Dick Ormsby visited with their parents, the W. J. Ormsbys over the week end.

Jo Everitte of Brownwood was the Easter holiday guest in the G. C. Acrea home.

Bob Bragdon and Roy Rawls of State University were home for the week end.

Easter visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kirk were Mr. and Mrs. Odell Kirk and Jeanette Kirk of Dallas and the Weldon Kirks of Sweetwater.

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Foster were Mrs. R. Murdock and family of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Fullig spent Easter in Sherman. They were accompanied home by their grandson, Lee Stone III.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hagood visited in Comanche with the E. L. Curbs and L. T. Hagoods on Sunday.

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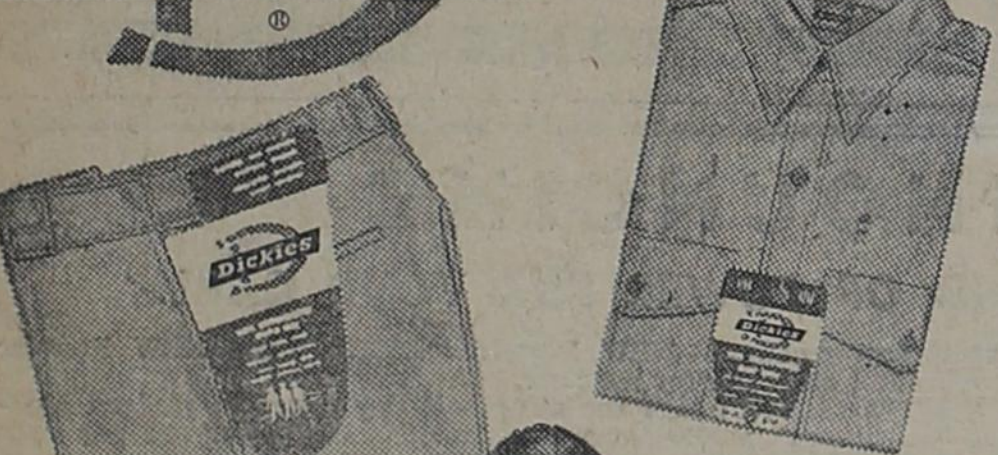


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DESEMOMONA NEWS Reporter, Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mr. R. D. Lewis returned home this week from an Abilene hospital where he underwent surgery on his knee last week.

Mr. Virgil Northcutt returned to his home Monday from the Gorman hospital where he underwent surgery 3 weeks ago.

Mr. Weldon Weir left Sunday for Dallas for a physical check-up at a Veterans hospital.

Attendance at the 4 churches ran high Sunday as folks gathered for Easter services.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen visited at Lingleville Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Hogg, and family.

Misses Lounelle Allen and Annette McMaster spent the week end with Miss Nettie Lee Carl.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Wall and children of Stephenville was here Sunday spending Easter with Mrs. Huffman and Mrs. Nora Walls.

Mrs. Herc Ficklen and little daughter, Mollie Bess, and Miss Marjorie Brown of Dallas spent the Easter week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Sharp and children of Rotan spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. Humphrey Duke and family was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Duke.

Visitors in the H. C. Abernathy home Sunday for lunch were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Abernathy of Stephenville, the Jessie Sparkmans and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Joe Sparkman of Freer.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lane and their daughter, Mrs. Minton Hanna of Eastland, spent the latter part of last week visiting in Stanton and Andrews with relatives.

The T. R. Wilcoxsons of Odessa were here for the week end and while here worked on the improvement of their property here.

Mrs. Lillie Wittie is home again after visiting a week in Gatesville.

The Edd Parks had both their children and families home for Easter. They are Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hillard of Olden and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parks of Premont.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crapf of Ft Worth are here for a weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham of Seagraves are spending a week vacationing here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore. Also Jr. Moore and wife were home for Easter.

Attending the County Singing Convention from here were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, Mrs. R. H. Abel, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Koonce, the Bob Koonces, the Loyd Glassons, Mrs. Flo Burleson and a number of others.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Warden and children of Kermit and Mrs. Nina Lohman of Gorman spent the week end with Mrs. Juanita Pilgrim and Aunt Sally Eaton.

In the T. H. Northcutt home for Easter Sunday were Mrs. Dan Johnson and son, Daniel of Pampa, Mrs. H. H. Kullenburg of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Northcutt of Rising Star, Lyman Northcutt of Overton, Eva and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Northcutt.

The John Grishams of Abilene were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Belyeu.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pool of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. James Pool of Houston spent the Easter week end with their mother, Mrs. Maggie Pool.

Mr. Robert Borwn, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown, and Mr. R. D. Wright, son-in-law of Mrs. Iva Buchan, both are patients at Baylor Hospital.

Mrs. R. S. Carr of Ranger continues to be a visitor in the R. P. Lewis home.

Mr. R. P. Lewis is putting in a new storm cellar at his home.

T. C. Mehaffey's Granddaughter To Be Married June Thirtieth



Mrs. Vervia Everitt, 2200 Ave. D, in Brownwood announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Ellen, to Bruce Bower, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bower of Kingstree, S. C.

Miss Everitt is a graduate of Brownwood High School and attends Howard Payne College.

Mr. Bower received his B. S. degree from Citadel, Charleston, S. C., and his M. S. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology,

Cambridge, Mass. He is a member of the society of the Sigma Xi. He is employed as a senior aerodynamics design engineer by Chance-Vought Aircraft, Inc., of Dallas.

The wedding is planned for June 20 in the First Presbyterian Church at 3:30 o'clock.

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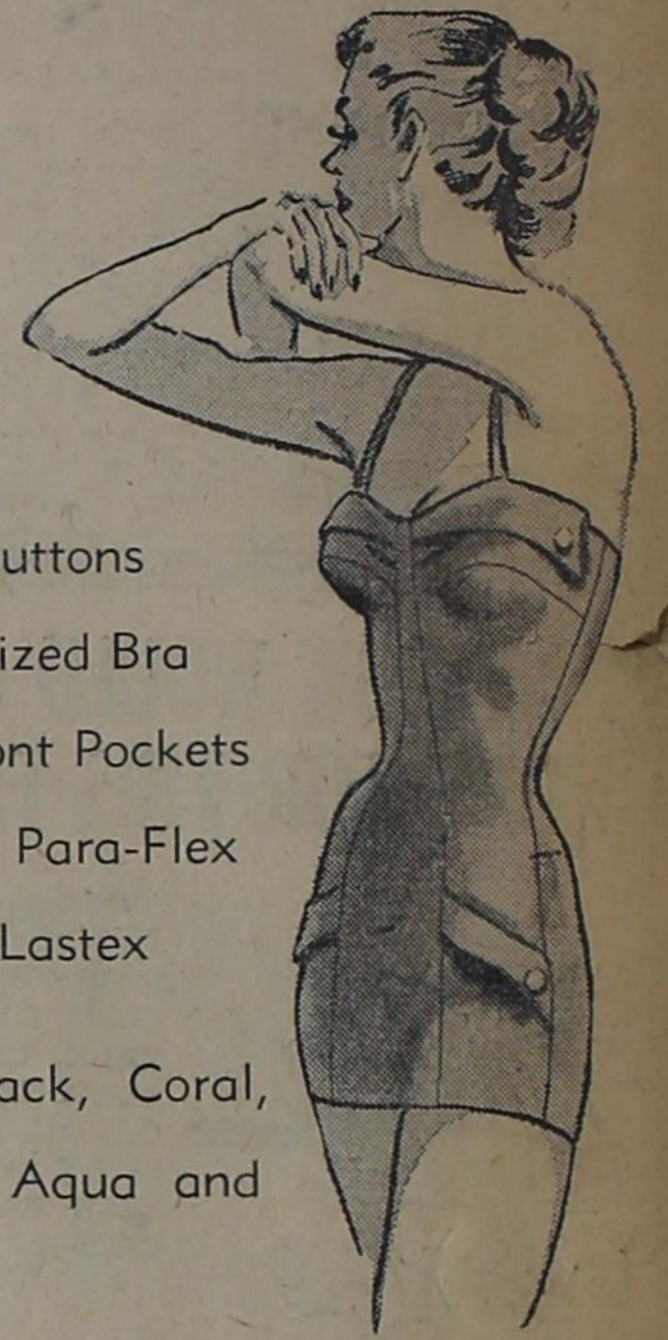
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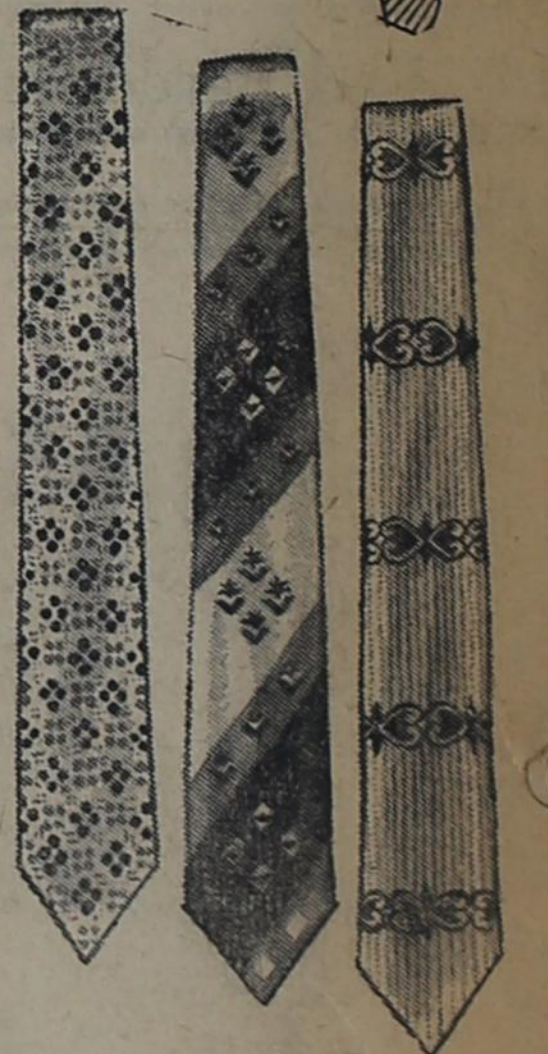
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