

SERVING three County area rich in agriculture, livestock, poultry, oil and ceramic clay manufacturing.

Eastland Telegram

AND WEEKLY CHRONICLE

Your Hometown DAILY NEWSPAPER
striving at all times to be of complete service to this area.

CHRONICLE ESTABLISHED 1887

CONSOLIDATED MAY 15, 1947

TELEGRAM ESTABLISHED 1923

VOLUME TWENTY

UNITED PRESS WIRE SERVICE

EASTLAND, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1947

SEA FEATURE SERVICE

PRICE 5 CENTS

300

JURY STILL OUT IN NANCE CIVIL SUIT

Following rebuttals by attorneys, the 91st District Court civil suit—Patsy Nance and others against Wesley Isenhower and others, all of Cisco—went to the jury at 1 p. m. Tuesday.

The jury was still out this morning considering the 63 special issues involved in the \$100,000 suit for damages that was filed as result of an automobile accident in Cisco in November, 1947. A previous trial of the case resulted in "hung jury."

Judge George L. Davenport is presiding for the complex legal case that required eight and one-half days of testimony and arguments before going to jury.

A host of legal array was engaged by parties in the suit. Turner and Seaberry of Eastland and Willard K. White of Cisco are representing the Nances, plaintiffs.

Claud Williams of the firms of Robertson, Jackson, Payne, Lancaster and Walker of Dallas, and Carl Springer of Abilene is representing the Isenhower, defendants. John Alvis of the firm of Wagstaff, Harwell, Wagstaff & Alvis of Abilene, and Earl Conner Sr., of the firm of Conner & Conner of Eastland, are counsel for Mary Poe and her father, Paul Poe, defendants.

Rains Bring Some Relief To Texas

By UNITED PRESS

An enormous high pressure system hanging over the eastern seaboard caused Texans a lot of discomfort today.

The weather bureau said that for probably another 36 hours, at least, conditions in the south-west would be hot and muggy, the result of a low pressure system that can't move eastward until that high pressure clears out.

Localized relief was in the offing of west and southwest Texas, in the form of thunderstorms, but there was also the possibility raised that high winds would accompany the downpours of rain forecast in that region.

Early in the day, rain showers and thunderstorms were reported at Junction, San Angelo, Abilene and Seymour. Skies over most of the state were overcast.

The day opened on a hot note at Laredo, where the temperature never dropped below 77 during the morning hours. Marfa reported Texas' overnight low, 55 degrees.

Yesterday's high was 99 at Presidio, three degrees off from the high of 102 recorded at the same town a day earlier, and the lowest for the state yesterday afternoon was 79 at Junction.

Rainfall was widely scattered, but limited to the west and southwest. San Angelo had a 24-hour accumulation of 1.34 inches, the heaviest. Midland recorded .63 Marfa .56, Big Spring .47, Wink .09 and Del Rio .01.

Magic Show In Carbon May 5

Featuring Abba Dabba, the Mystic, a magic variety show will be held in the Carbon High School auditorium Thursday night, May 5, at 8 o'clock.

The entertainment will include mystery, fun, excitement and loads of new tricks.

Admission prices will be fifteen cents for grade school students, and twenty-five cents for high school students and over.

The Weather

By UNITED PRESS
East Texas — Partly cloudy to cloudy and warm this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Scattered thundershowers Thursday and in north and west-central this afternoon and tonight. Moderate to fresh southeast and south winds on the coast.

West Texas — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Widely scattered thundershowers this afternoon and tonight. No important change in temperatures.

They Hope For Blockade's End



Hope mounts that the Berlin Blockade will be lifted. Here, German railroad workers repair switch-rails at the British sector's Grunewald station, preparing the line for resumption of rail traffic to the Western Zones. (NEA Telephoto.)

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Eastland Lions Take Inventory Find Club Lacking In Projects

The Eastland Lions Club paused at the regular noon meeting Tuesday in the First Methodist Church to take an inventory of its financial and project activities during the past year.

Lion W. Q. Verner, program chairman for the day led what developed into a more-or-less round table discussion of the club's finances and project activities.

Verner pointed out the club had approximately \$1,000 in the treasury two years ago, with less than a \$300 balance at the present time. With \$500 used as a project to help underwrite improvements to the Eastland High School football stadium, Verner stated that other than a \$25 contribution to the Red Cross, a large part of the balance went to pay for difference of members attending meetings and a guarantee made for preparation of meals.

The speaker cited the sponsorship of Eastland Boy Scout Troop 103 as one of the projects and asked for a report by James Reed, of the Troop committee. Reed stated only a few had helped with the troop. He outlined a need for assistant scoutmasters and an extension to the Scout hut.

Verner announced a clean-up campaign was being conducted by the city and was in need of the assistance of a local civic organization.

Declaring "a town is no better than the people who live in it," said his purpose was to arouse the interest of the club to be more active. He was frequently interrupted by members who felt the club had more working projects during the past year than listed.

Lion Tamer Bruce Pipkin said he had been a member of the club for two years and "I don't know of a thing the club has done except to meet each week to eat and talk." He urged the organization to get some activity going.

H. G. Vermillion said he had been thinking for some time the club sponsor some kind of an entertainment July 4, both as a worthwhile civic undertaking and as a project to replenish the club treasury.

Several suggestions for the July 4 entertainment were made from the floor ranging from a carnival to a frog race.

President Everett Plowman, after a motion to the effect, announced the next regular meeting will be dispensed with to enable members to attend the district convention in Mineral Wells.

Youngeville said Miss Gannett discussed an article by Jacques Duclos, French Communist leader, who reportedly transmitted the orders for American Communists to revert to their pre-war teachings.

He said she told the St. Louis meeting "it is regretful we didn't have the party leadership in this country to foresee what Duclos had pointed out, and should be grateful to him for pointing it out."

The Carbon Farmers' and Businessmen's Club will meet Monday night, May 9, at 8 o'clock in the school cafeteria in a regular monthly meeting, it was announced by A. C. Justice, president.

Principal speaker will be Emmett Powell of Eastland, Triple A representative, who will talk on the price and parity of peanut acreage.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that the assets of the agriculture industry totaled \$122,000,000,000, on Jan. 1, 1948.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 4 (UP) — Olympia may not be a great horse, but it will surely take a great horse to beat him in the Kentucky Derby on Saturday, in the overwhelming opinion in Derbytown.

From the wizened old horse-barn attendants to the fuzzy-cheeked apprentice jockeys, there was nothing but respect for the manner in which Fred Hooper's choice copped the derby trail at Churchill Downs yesterday.

The trial is no sure test of what happens on the ensuing Saturday. In fact, Citation is the only trial winner ever to take the Derby.

Communists Faced With Testimony From FBI Agent

NEW YORK, May 4 (UP) — Another FBI insider in the Communist party confronted the 11 defendants today in the Communist conspiracy trial.

He was Thomas Aaron Younglove, St. Louis cement contractor in his early 40's, who said he joined the Communist Party, then the Communist Political Association, in March, 1945 as an FBI undercover agent.

Younglove testified briefly yesterday, stating that American Communists leaders resumed teaching the necessity of violent revolution after the end of World War II.

The witness said Betty Gannett, assistant organization secretary from national headquarters in New York, addressed a St. Louis meeting on May 29, 1945. She now faces deportation proceedings.

Youngeville said Miss Gannett discussed an article by Jacques Duclos, French Communist leader, who reportedly transmitted the orders for American Communists to revert to their pre-war teachings.

He said she told the St. Louis meeting "it is regretful we didn't have the party leadership in this country to foresee what Duclos had pointed out, and should be grateful to him for pointing it out."

The Carbon Farmers' and Businessmen's Club will meet Monday night, May 9, at 8 o'clock in the school cafeteria in a regular monthly meeting, it was announced by A. C. Justice, president.

Principal speaker will be Emmett Powell of Eastland, Triple A representative, who will talk on the price and parity of peanut acreage.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that the assets of the agriculture industry totaled \$122,000,000,000, on Jan. 1, 1948.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 4 (UP) — Olympia may not be a great horse, but it will surely take a great horse to beat him in the Kentucky Derby on Saturday, in the overwhelming opinion in Derbytown.

From the wizened old horse-barn attendants to the fuzzy-cheeked apprentice jockeys, there was nothing but respect for the manner in which Fred Hooper's choice copped the derby trail at Churchill Downs yesterday.

The trial is no sure test of what happens on the ensuing Saturday. In fact, Citation is the only trial winner ever to take the Derby.

From those who hung over the rail could not help but be impressed with the regal manner Olympia pranced down the home stretch ahead of Calumet Farm's Ponder.

If the farmer gave away his milk, it would cost the consumer 12 cents a quart delivered to the door, federal experts estimate.

Continued On Page 2

Old Rip VI Eastland Entry In California Toad Derby

POLICE RECORD

Charges Filed On Cisco Man In A. & P. Theft

Clyde Blair of Cisco was charged with burglary and theft of more than \$50 in Justice of the Peace E. E. Wood's court Tuesday afternoon in connection with the burglary of the Eastland A. & P. Food Store Monday night, according to the Sheriff's office.

The Sheriff's office also announced that a detailed check made by the A. & P. revealed \$168 taken in a change box, instead of \$300 as earlier reported.

Entrance was gained to the building by breaking in the lower panel of the front door. Blair had been under surveillance earlier in the day by City Police and he was arrested here several hours after the A. & P. burglary.

Blair, who has a police record, has made a statement admitting the burglary, officials stated. He is being retained in custody in the county jail, pending hearing, setting and making of bond.

New Firm Will Open Here Soon

Milton J. Gaines, owner of Eastland Auto Parts Co., has leased property located at Commerce and High Streets, and franchise for reabbing of rods for Western Auto Store, to George R. Lupton of Dallas.

Lupton plans to start operations by May 15, with the firm name to be Automotive Rebuilders Service.

Man Decapitated In Explosion

WICHITA FALLS, May 4 (UP) — Explosion of a metal drum which contained a high explosive decapitated Albert Lowe, an oil operator, near a stone quarry yesterday.

Lowe, in company with three men, was engaging in target practice when a bullet from his .30 caliber rifle hit the container on the quarry banks. A jagged sheet of metal was hurled some 200 yards before striking the independent oilman.

Sheriff Hammett Vance, also a member of the shooting party, was struck in the stomach by another shard, but he was not seriously hurt.

Vance said the container must have contained nitroglycerin because of the violence of the blast.

Olympia Still Derby Favorite

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 4 (UP) — Olympia may not be a great horse, but it will surely take a great horse to beat him in the Kentucky Derby on Saturday, in the overwhelming opinion in Derbytown.

From the wizened old horse-barn attendants to the fuzzy-cheeked apprentice jockeys, there was nothing but respect for the manner in which Fred Hooper's choice copped the derby trail at Churchill Downs yesterday.

The trial is no sure test of what happens on the ensuing Saturday. In fact, Citation is the only trial winner ever to take the Derby.

From those who hung over the rail could not help but be impressed with the regal manner Olympia pranced down the home stretch ahead of Calumet Farm's Ponder.

If the farmer gave away his milk, it would cost the consumer 12 cents a quart delivered to the door, federal experts estimate.

Sheriff's Sale s Big Success

An Eastland County Sheriff's auction sale of between 1,200 and 1,500 city lots and pieces of property Tuesday was "one of the best sales ever held here," according to Neil Day, Eastland County Tax Assessor-Collector.

A report on proceeds of the sale was not available this morning as payments were still being received from property sold.

With a large crowd attending the sale, conducted at the east loor of the courthouse bidding was spirited for the property. Most of the city lots sold were in Cisco with acreage scattered throughout the county.

The sale was held to satisfy City of Cisco, Eastland County, and Cisco School District delinquent taxes. Successful bidders for the property, under the law will get a clear title after two years, during which period the last owner may redeem it, by refunding the sale price plus interest.

Sheriff Checking Clues In Austin Of Carbon Thefts

Sheriff J. B. Williams is in Austin today checking clues secured in the burglary of the Carbon Post Office and three business firms last Friday night, with the State Department of Public Safety laboratory, it was announced by his office.

Approximately \$1,100 was taken from safes in the Carbon Post Office and Carbon Trading Co. in the daring burglaries.

FAVORABLE REACTION

Tanner Urges Erection Of Signs On Highway 80 To Route Traffic

H. J. Tanner, manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce in Midland and other points to urge that signs be erected at Weatherford and El Paso to route traffic at those points over U. S. Highway 80.

Tanner, in meetings with C. of C. officials along the route, suggested a meeting be held in Big Spring in the near future to discuss financing the erection of the signs. He reported favorable reaction received.

BERLIN BLOCKADE DUE TO BE LIFTED ON MAY 12

UNITED PRESS STAFF CORRESPONDENT BY R. H. SHACKFORD
LONDON May 4 (UP)—Russia and the west agreed to a truce in the cold war today.

Unless there is a last-minute collapse of negotiations: 1. The blockade of Berlin will be lifted on May 12. 2. The foreign ministers of the Big Four—the United States, Russia, Britain and France—will meet in Paris on May 23 to discuss the problem of post-war Germany.

The United Press learned that dates have been fixed for the lifting of the blockade of Berlin and the meeting of the Big Four Council of Foreign Ministers. The details of how the blockade will be lifted have to be worked out.

Representatives of the Big Four started going that today in New York. Four men met around a table at No. 2 Park Avenue. They were Philip C. Jessup, American ambassador at large; Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Delegate to the United Nations; Jean Chauvel, French delegate to the UN; and Jacob Malik, Soviet delegate to the UN.

Later today they may issue a statement on the results of their negotiations.

Some officials here were wary of predicting any concrete, long-range results on the problem of Germany as a whole. They recalled that last summer there was an "agreement in principle" with the Russians on lifting the Berlin blockade. But the negotiations collapsed.

One official, commenting on today's developments, said: "This is similar to the situation after the Moscow agreement on Berlin last summer. But this time the Soviets show a greater disposition to agree."

Despite the caution, official quarters here were more optimistic than in many months that this time the end of the Berlin blockade was

TELEGRAM EDITOR TRAINER FOR THROUGHbred RACER

Old Rip VI, a direct descendent of Eastland's famed horned toad which lived after being entombed for 31 years, will be entered this year in the thirteenth annual California Horned Toad Derby at Coalinga, Cal., Saturday, May 21, by the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, it was announced today by H. J. Tanner, manager.

Official trainer for Old Rip VI will be Bob Moore, editor of the Eastland Daily Telegram, Tanner stated.

In announcing Moore's appointment as official trainer for Eastland's thoroughbred racing horned toad, Tanner stated the choice was an appropriate one as it was a former Telegram editor—Boyce House—who thrilled a nation in exploiting Old Rip I.

Moore, in accepting the appointment, declared he was honored to have the opportunity to train Old Rip VI and promised to have him in fine shape for the derby.

Following a week of strenuous workouts and strict dieting, Eastland's fair-haired boy to cop the California Derby will be boxed and shipped via air mail to Coalinga, Cal.

Old Rip VI will mark the fifth year the Eastland C. of C. has had an entry in the West Coast derby—none having won the grand sweepstakes trophy. Last year Old Rip V, who was regarded in many circles as the favorite, lost out in the preliminaries to Raincloud, Fresno County, California entry, who went on to win the derby.

Local partisans believe Old Rip VI will have "blood in his eyes" to win the derby this year and uphold the tradition of stamina set by his illustrious ancestor.

For the benefit of any person who might not be familiar with the full details concerning Old Rip I, the sire of Eastland's 1949 derby entry, Tanner has released the following information:

"In 1897, when the new Eastland County courthouse was to be dedicated, Ernest Wood, who still lives in Eastland, was a member of the band which played for the ceremony. He noticed his son, Will Wood, was playing with a horned toad. The idea came to him to place the horned toad in the cornerstone.

Thirty-one years later on February 28, 1928, this cornerstone was opened as the old court house was demolished to make way for a new one. The idea having been known that Wood had placed a horned toad in the cornerstone years before, there were several thousand persons present the day the stone was opened to see for themselves if the toad might still be alive. The County Judge, also three local pastors, one of which was Rev. T. E. Singleton, were on the platform when the stone was opened. Judge Pritchard removed the Bible and various other articles and at the bottom was found Old Rip.

Eugene Day, an oil man, thrust his hand into the cavity and lifted out a flat, dust-covered toad which he handed to Rev. Singleton. Then the pastor handed the creature on to Judge Pritchard who dangled it aloft by a hind leg that all might see. Suddenly, the other hind leg twitched. The frog was alive. The crowd cheered and cheered again as his body swelled with a breath of fresh air, the first presumably in thirty-one years. Old Rip had surpassed the achievement of the original Rip Van Winkle who had slept a mere twenty years.

A great deal of interest was taken in Old Rip and he was exhibited in various parts of the country, and made an appearance before President Coolidge in the White House at Washington, D. C. The fame of Old Rip spread to all parts of the United States and newspaper space given to him was exceeded only by Lindbergh, when he flew the Atlantic.

Old Rip died on January 28, 1929 of what was diagnosed as pneumonia. He lived eleven months after being removed from the cornerstone.

His body is now on display in a push-lined casket in the lobby of the new Eastland County court house.

The facts concerning Old Rip are attested by many of our most prominent citizens who were present the day he was removed from the cornerstone.

The exploit of Old Rip has never ceased to be a source of wonder in the minds of American people as is evidenced by many requests to this day for information about this venerable horned toad."

Rites Set For Olden Resident

A Christian Science service will be read at the Hamner Funeral Chapel of Eastland Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, for Arlys Baines Cross 47, Olden, who died Tuesday, May 3, in an El Paso medical institution. He had been in ill health for sometime.

Burial will be in the Eastland Cemetery, with Manner Funeral Home directing.

Born October 12, 1907, in Eastland County, Cross was a son of Mrs. Neta Baines Cross of Olden and Stuart Cross, deceased.

Survivors include his wife, Opal Cross of Olden; his mother, Neta Cross of Olden; a son, Arthur Allen Cross; one sister, Mrs. Kermit Dyche of Alvin; two brothers, Dalton Cross of San Antonio and Jim Cross of Waco; the maternal grandmother, Mrs. C. A. Baines of Eastland.

Local partisans believe Old Rip VI will have "blood in his eyes" to win the derby this year and uphold the tradition of stamina set by his illustrious ancestor.

For the benefit of any person who might not be familiar with the full details concerning Old Rip I, the sire of Eastland's 1949 derby entry, Tanner has released the following information:

"In 1897, when the new Eastland County courthouse was to be dedicated, Ernest Wood, who still lives in Eastland, was a member of the band which played for the ceremony. He noticed his son, Will Wood, was playing with a horned toad. The idea came to him to place the horned toad in the cornerstone.

Thirty-one years later on February 28, 1928, this cornerstone was opened as the old court house was demolished to make way for a new one. The idea having been known that Wood had placed a horned toad in the cornerstone years before, there were several thousand persons present the day the stone was opened to see for themselves if the toad might still be alive. The County Judge, also three local pastors, one of which was Rev. T. E. Singleton, were on the platform when the stone was opened. Judge Pritchard removed the Bible and various other articles and at the bottom was found Old Rip.

Eugene Day, an oil man, thrust his hand into the cavity and lifted out a flat, dust-covered toad which he handed to Rev. Singleton. Then the pastor handed the creature on to Judge Pritchard who dangled it aloft by a hind leg that all might see. Suddenly, the other hind leg twitched. The frog was alive. The crowd cheered and cheered again as his body swelled with a breath of fresh air, the first presumably in thirty-one years. Old Rip had surpassed the achievement of the original Rip Van Winkle who had slept a mere twenty years.

A great deal of interest was taken in Old Rip and he was exhibited in various parts of the country, and made an appearance before President Coolidge in the White House at Washington, D. C. The fame of Old Rip spread to all parts of the United States and newspaper space given to him was exceeded only by Lindbergh, when he flew the Atlantic.

Old Rip died on January 28, 1929 of what was diagnosed as pneumonia. He lived eleven months after being removed from the cornerstone.

His body is now on display in a push-lined casket in the lobby of the new Eastland County court house.

The facts concerning Old Rip are attested by many of our most prominent citizens who were present the day he was removed from the cornerstone.

The exploit of Old Rip has never ceased to be a source of wonder in the minds of American people as is evidenced by many requests to this day for information about this venerable horned toad."

Eastland Telegram And Weekly Chronicle

CONSOLIDATED MAY 14, 1947
Chronicle Established 1887—Telegram Established 1923
Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice at Eastland Texas, under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

O. H. Dick — Joe Dennis
Publishers

O. H. Dick, Mgr. Bob Moore, Editor
110 West Commerce Telephone 601
Published Daily Afternoons (Except Saturday) and Sunday morning.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES	
One week by Carrier in City	20c
One Month by Carrier in City	85c
One Year by Mail in State	4.95
One Year by Mail Out of State	7.50

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this newspaper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

MEMBER

United Press Association, N.E.A. Newspaper Feature and Photo Service, Meyer Both Advertising Service, Texas Press Association, Texas Daily Press League, Southern Newspaper Publishers Association

Buy United States Savings Bonds



JULIA'S STORY: "Julia" tells Durand her name is really Honey Castle. She traveled the river boats as partner of a crooked gambler. "And what of Julia?" she asks. "I've come to that now," she says.

XXVII

SHE drew a deep breath. "We used to go down about once a month, never more often. It wouldn't have been prudent. Stop a while, and then go up again. We left St. Louis the 18th of May the last time, on the CITY OF NEW ORLEANS."
"As she did."
She nodded. "The first night out something went wrong. My partner met his match at last. The game kept on for half the night, and he lost steadily. I couldn't signal because I couldn't see the other man's cards. He seemed to play from memory, keeping them turned inward to one another face to face. At last my partner had nothing left to play with."
"But long before that, hours earlier, the other man had already asked me to leave the two of them to themselves. Pointedly, but in such a polite way that there was nothing I could do but obey."
"I went out on deck and stood looking over the rail. Presently a woman, unaccompanied like myself, stopped beside me and struck up a conversation."
"She was a fool. Within the space of minutes she was telling me all her business, unsolicited. Who she was, where she was bound, what her purpose in going there was."
"I tried to shake her off at first, but without succeeding. She attached herself to me, followed me around. It was as though she were starving for a confidante. She gave me your name, and, stopping by a lighted doorway, insisted on taking out and showing me the picture you had sent her."



JULIA'S STORY: "Julia" tells Durand her name is really Honey Castle. She traveled the river boats as partner of a crooked gambler. "And what of Julia?" she asks. "I've come to that now," she says.

XXVIII

"NO more than that you participated," he said slowly.
"No more than that I participated," she answered. "About an hour before daylight, when the whole boat was still asleep, he came and knocked surreptitiously upon my door, and woke me. 'Get dressed,' he said to me, 'I want you for something. Your lady friend of last night had an accident awhile ago and fell from the boat in the dark. She never came up again.' That was all he told me, then or ever again."
"But you knew?"
"How could I help but know? He must have inserted himself in the cabin while she was gone from it with me, and lain in wait there on the inside. I told him I knew. But he said if I accused him, he would accuse me in turn. That we would both be jailed for it alike."
"She's gone now beyond recall," he pointed out, "nothing you can do will bring her back unover the side, and there's \$100,000 waiting for you when you step off this boat in New Orleans."
"I dressed and he swung back the door for me and I followed him out."
"He took my baggage, the little I had, into his cabin and blended it with his. And hers were removed, between us, from her cabin to mine, to take the place of my own. Not forgetting that caged bird of hers. He took from his pocket her letters from you, and the photograph you had sent her,

ROBINSON—

(Continued From Page 1)

building a rock well, and ditching for drainage, and shrubbery. Approximately 15 loads of rock have been removed from the school ground and several loads of dirt have been hauled to fill in. Robinson is particularly proud of the school spirit. He says that with the cooperation of students, teachers and parents, it is possible to have a wholesome school spirit, an essential to maintaining a high standard of educational achievement.

Mrs. Margaret L. Walter, teaches music to all grades in Junior High. She has two classes in health and science, one in arithmetic and one in language. Mrs. Walter holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma A. & M. College and has 13 graduate hours above, having taken three graduate hours last summer at Hardin-Simmons University. She plans to take additional hours again this summer. She is at present attending lecture and visual religious education classes twice weekly, and has had six years of teaching experience. Mrs. Walter's extra-curricular

activities have included: direction of the best annual Junior High Operetta; round-table discussions of Texas music with appropriate selections, and the recording of the program which was presented to the assembly. Mrs. Walter also has an arithmetic class daily at 8:30, when any students are needing help need help from her.

Mrs. Guy Patterson holds a Bachelor of Science for Hardin-Simmons University with three additional semester hours. Mrs. Patterson has had 10 years of teaching experience. She is now teaching four classes in English and writing and one in social science. She holds an A.M. Opportunity class at 8:30 A.M. each day, when needed, to help her students. Mrs. Patterson is personal counselor of Junior High girls; sponsor of newspaper "Dogie Corral"; sponsor of pep squad; coach of girl's volleyball team; sponsor of "Correspondence Exchange" (an exchange of letters with other schools in Texas).

Mrs. H. H. Hardeman holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Hardin-Simmons University, with nine extra hours. Mrs. Hardeman is the teacher of social studies (geography, civics and history) in all the grades. As a project in civics, her classes witnessed a trial in the court house to learn court procedure, she prepared ballots and instructed students, so that all students voted in the November general election, and classes listened to all radio programs of national importance. Her classes made a survey of foods in this town with reports on cleanliness, handling and dis-

play. An exhibit of articles from the Pacific Islands and South-eastern Asia was correlated with the study of geography. This was made possible by relatives who had been in the service. Mrs. Hardeman is availing herself of the class each Tuesday night at our high school.

Mrs. H. H. Hardeman holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Hardin-Simmons University, with nine extra hours. Mrs. Hardeman is the teacher of social studies (geography, civics and history) in all the grades. As a project in civics, her classes witnessed a trial in the court house to learn court procedure, she prepared ballots and instructed students, so that all students voted in the November general election, and classes listened to all radio programs of national importance. Her classes made a survey of foods in this town with reports on cleanliness, handling and dis-

United States and foreign countries).

Mrs. Joe Stephen is teacher of reading and spelling in the sixth and seventh grades, health and science in the eighth grade. Mrs. Stephen holds a Bachelor of Science degree with several semester hours above. She has taught in Eastland schools eight years; prior to which she taught five years in Oiden. Last summer she attended a Reading Seminar at Hardin-Simmons University, and studied under Miss Griffith, authority on reading and spelling. She is using Dr. Dolche's book "Better Spelling," in addition to the regular text book, and is at present making a study of Gates' "Improved Reading." Mrs. Stephen has sponsored the awarding of State Reading Certificates for five years. Fifteen students will become members of the "Texas Reader's Club" when they receive these certificates at graduation exercises next month.

Mrs. Stephen assisted Mrs. Walter in the School Operetta, and recently accompanied the science class on a trip to the four Ft. Worth Art Exhibits. She has had guest speakers on China, Mexico and Canada. She has current event club and hold open discussions each morning. Mrs. Stephen has recently observed methods used in San Angelo Junior High School.

The financial problems of the Junior High are adjusted through Mr. Robinson and his teachers. Each year the school sells magazines subscriptions; beginning last fall there will be an annual get-together; and proceeds are used for school needs, library books, achievements tests a combination radio and new jerseys for the team. Shoulder pads and pants have already been purchased.

There is no P.T.A. organization, but Robinson says parents have been most cooperative in all school activities.

To Learn Housekeeping
BEREA, O. (UP)—Baldwin Wallace College plans to revive its course in home economics for men to aid harrassed fraternity house stewards who are having trouble balancing budgets and diets for their "brothers." The first unit in the course will include the study of nutrition, preparations of meals and food service.



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY AND RALPH LANE



ALLEY OOP

BY V. T. HAMLIN



KERRY DRAKE



MARY WORTH'S FAMILY



HAIR-BREADTH HARRY



Prophet



Msgr. Joseph Beran, above, Archbishop of Prague and highest Czech Roman Catholic churchman, predicted he will be declared "an enemy of the working people" in the near future. The same forecast was made by Cardinal Mindszenty of Hungary before his arrest and conviction on charges of black marketing and treason.

answering in honeyed tones to reassure her, "It's your new little friend, Miss Charlotte."
"You had that name upon the boat?"
"For that voyage. She opened at once, so great was her trust in me. I delivered my invitation. I complained of a headache and said I thought the fresh air might cure it. I asked if she would walk with me on deck for a while."
"I REMEMBER I was strangely uneasy, as to what his intentions might be—oh, I knew he boded her no good, but I didn't dare allow myself to believe he meant her any actual bodily harm; some intricate blackmailing scheme, at most, I thought, to be brought to bear on her later, once she was married to you—and even as I spoke, I kept hoping she would refuse me, and I could give him that for an excuse. But she seemed to have become instantly fond of me. Before I could ask her twice she had already accepted, her face all alight with pleasure at my seeking her out."
"His interest had been trapped in spite of himself. "And then? And then?" he pressed her.

"We walked the full length of the deck three times, in harmonious intimacy, as women will together." She stopped for a moment and drew a breath, as if again feeling the tension of that night, that promenade upon the lonely, darkened deck.
"Nothing happened. He did not accost us. At last I had no further excuse to keep her out there with me. She asked me how my headache was, and I said it was gone. "I took her back to her door. She turned to me a moment and said, "I'm so glad we've met, Charlotte. I've never really had a woman friend of my very own. You must come and see me and my— and then she faltered prettily—"my new husband, visit with us, as soon as we're settled. I shall want new friends badly in my new life." And then she opened her door and went in. Unharmful, untouched. I even heard her bolt it fast after her on the inside.

"And that was the last I ever saw of her."
(To Be Continued)

To a Fan



no more knew what love was than the man in the moon. Then he discovered this gave him an ever more powerful threat to hold over me. And no sooner had he discovered it, than he brought it into play. That he would reveal my imposture to you yourself, anonymously, in a letter, if I refused to carry out our deal.
"I knew he would. Or he'd come himself. Or he'd take me unaware sometime when I was out alone, and I'd be found lying there with a knife-hilt in my side. So I made my decision, and I fled."
"To him."
"NO," she said. "I took the money, yes. But I fled from him just as surely as I deserted you. I fled as far away as I could. And then one day I heard a report that he had lost his life in a shooting affray in a gaming house. But it was too late by that time to undo what had been done. I couldn't return to you any more."
"And the look she gave him was of a poignancy that would have melted stone."
"A few weeks ago I met this Colonel Worth, and now I'm as you and me. And that's my story, Lou."
"She waited, and the silence seemed to prolong itself into eternity."
"Aren't you going to say something to me, Lou?"
"What is there to say?"
"I can't tell you that. It must come from you."
"Must it?" he said dryly. "And if there is nothing there to give you, no answer?"
"Nothing, Lou?" Her voice took on a singsong timber. "Nothing?" It became a lulling incantation. "Not even a word?" Her face rose subtly nearer to his. "Not even—this?"
And suddenly he was caught fast, entwined with her as with some treacherous tropic plant. Lips of fire were fused with his. He seemed to breathe flame, draw it down his windpipe, into his breast, where the dry tinder of his loneliness, of his long lack of her, was kindled by it into raging flame, that pyred upward, sending back her kiss with insane fury.

"At first he laughed and said I

and I put them in my own pocket-book. And then we bided our time and waited.
"In the confusion of docking and disembarking she was not missed. We left the boat separately, he at the very beginning, I almost at the last.
"I saw you standing there, and knew you from your photograph, and when at last the dock had cleared, I approached and stopped there by you. And there's the story, Lou."
SHE stopped, and settled back upon her own upturned heels. Her hands fell lifeless to her lap, as if incapable of further gesture. "Not quite," he said. "Not quite. And what of What's-his-name? What was the further plan?"
"He said he would send word to me when enough time had passed. And when I heard from him, I was to—"
"Do as you did."
She shook her head determinedly. "Not as I did. As it seemed to you I did, maybe. I met him once for a few moments, in secret, when I was out on one of my shopping tours without you—that part was by prearrangement—and I told him there was no need for him to count on me any longer, he must abandon the scheme. I could no longer prevail on myself to carry it out."
"Why did you have a change of heart?"
"Why must you be told that now?"
"Why shouldn't I be?"
"Very well then," she said. "I told him I could no longer contemplate doing what it had been intended for me to do. I told him I'd fallen in love with my own husband."
It was like a rainbow suddenly glistening in all its striped glory across dismal gray skies.

"At first he laughed and said I

CLASSIFIED

WANT AD RATES—EVENING AND SUNDAY
Minimum 70c
1c per word first day. 2c per word every day thereafter.
Cash must hereafter accompany all Classified advertising.
PHONE 601

FOR SALE

We have plenty of Oil & Gas Lease Forms, Assignment of Oil & Gas Lease, Mineral Deeds, Quit Claim Deeds, etc. at Eastland Telegram.

FOR SALE—Guinea eggs. C. B. Welborn, Rt. 2 Eastland.

HAVE you seen the new apartment size six-foot FRIGIDAIRE? Low down payment and \$9.58 a month. Lamb Motor Co.

FOR SALE: AKC Registered Cocker Spaniel Puppies. 605 South Bassett. Phone 223.

FOR SALE: 8 ft. Electric refrigerator, in A-1 condition. 209 W. Patterson.

FOR SALE: Two piece living room suit with odd lounge chair, slip covers and swag drapes included. Priced to sell. 327 Oak Lawn. Phone 406.

SOME MORE LISTINGS:
1 story brick building, close in, on pavement, 2400 square feet, and only \$6000. Terms.
4 1/2 acres choice land, 4 room house, lights, gas, well, electric pump, \$2600.
4 room house, 3 acres good land, completely equipped chicken ranch with modern fixtures, \$6000.

Here is the A-1 ranch in Erath County, 688 1/2 acres under very best wire fence, large barns, loading chutes, abundance water, modern 5 room house, \$40.00 per acre. Terms.
See me. You will like my service. Ask my many customers.

S. E. PRICE

SOME NEW LISTINGS:
4 room rock, store below, \$3150.
4 room new house, large corner lot, \$2750.
6 room modern, 30 acres, on highway, \$4200.
5 room modern rock, 2 acres, real nice, \$5500.
36 room hotel, furnished for apartments and single bed rooms, close in, rent \$50.00 per month, \$2,600.
5 room very modern, nice finish, choice location, \$4200.

S. E. PRICE

WE HAVE SEVERAL excellent reconditioned gas and electric refrigerators. Low down payment and \$5.83 a month. Come in now and get your choice. LAMB MOTOR COMPANY.

FOR SALE: 4 piece walnut bed room suit. Good condition. 300 Oaklawn. Phone 618-J.

ST. AUGUSTINE GRASS
I have plenty of St. Augustine Grass. I will put it out for you or sell you the grass. Marvin Hood, Phone 108-J, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Chick starter-and-finishers, capacity 1000. Call 693-W-1 after 4:00 P. M.

HANCOCK'S
Second Hand Store
We Buy, Sell and Trade Anything of Value
114 N. Seaman Phone 411

TYPEWRITERS
Adding Machines
NEW and REBUILT
Repair-Rentals-Supplies
STEPHENS
Typewriter Co.
417 S. Lamar St.
Tel. 689 Eastland

TRUCK CHEVROLET SERVICE
LAMB MOTOR CO.
Wheel Alignment

HEAVY DUTY WOOD WORKING MACHINERY FOR SALE: 24" planer, 26" band saw, 16" swing cut-off saw, "18" jointer, 12" combination rip-saw with rabbeting and dadoing attachments, ball bearing line shafting, two natural gas driven engines, belt- and extra saws. At a sacrifice price for it must be moved at once. Phone 581-W for demonstration.

NOTICE

SIZE for size, the Frigidaire refrigerator offers more actual food storage space and costs less per cubic foot than any other brand refrigerator on the market. See Frigidaire and be convinced. Lamb Motor Co.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, 409 South Daugherty.

FOR RENT: Newly decorated furnished 4 room apartment with bath for rent to couple. Phone 576 or 246.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment with private bath and frigidaire. Close in. 209 W. Patterson.

FOR RENT: Nice unfurnished apartment. Utilities paid. Sikes Bldg. East side square. Phone 633.

FOR RENT: Bedroom, cool, private. Gentleman. Call 249.

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished southeast apartment. Downstairs frigidaire and private bath. Close in. Phone 811-W. 305 North Daugherty.

FOR RENT: 5 room house, 1 1/2 miles out, by lake Eastland bridge. Apply in rear 310 N. Dixie after 5:00 P. M.

FOR RENT: Quiet, cool, bedroom. Close in. 305 N. Daugherty.

FOR RENT: Cozy apartment just out of city limits on Carbon-Eastland highway. J. N. Jordan.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: Man to sell Burial Insurance. Phone 17.

WANT: Reliable party service U. S. Postage stamp dispensers. Spare time, start immediate, permanent income. Requires A-1 references and \$395.00 cash. Phone Mr. Berry, Connellee Hotel, Eastland, May 5th to 7th for personal interview time.

Bit of Ice



Wilma Catberg, of Cheyenne, Wyo., holds \$4800 worth of diamonds set in this tungsten steel rotary bit. Weighing 20 pounds, the bit is used to drill through hard rock in search of oil believed lying 15,000 feet below the ground near Cheyenne.

NOTICE

RANCHERS!

See Us For Your Ranching Needs

- ★ Hand Made Boots ★ Bridles ★ Spurs
- ★ Saddles ★ Bits ★ Levis and Jackets
- ★ Western Clothes ★ Hand Tooled Belts

LET US MAKE THOSE OLD BOOTS NEW AGAIN

GREER'S BOOT SHOP

AND WESTERN STORE

RANGER, TEXAS

COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Orders, Etc.

Instruments Filed

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
Sam P. Baugh to L. A. Warren, oil and gas lease.
Floyd Bush to N. A. Thomas, MD.

H. N. Balderee to Robert Mitchell, release of vendor's lien.
Randolph W. Brown to Robert Mitchell, warranty deed.
City of Eastland to Joseph M. Perkins, deed.
City of Eastland to Elizabeth J. Coleman, deed.
E. L. Curb to J. G. Curb, warranty deed.
Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, to J. O. Wiley, release of vendor's lien.

J. A. Chapman to E. E. Crawford, warranty deed.
J. A. Chapman to E. E. Crawford, bill of sale.

Frank Crowell to First Federal S&L Assn., transfer of MML.
T. J. Culwell to Ben D. Glover oil and gas lease.

Cisco National Farm Loan Assn. to Franklin M. Love, oil and gas lease.

Haly Cade to Humble Pipe Line Co., right of way.
J. T. Cooper to E. J. Nabors, quit claim deed.

Mrs. G. A. Dawson to L. M. Sharratt, quit claim deed.
Earl Edwards to Lois Dunn, warranty deed.

J. B. Eberhart to J. F. Robertson, release of lien.
First Federal S&L Assn., to Marie Gustafson, release of deed of trust.

T. G. Gray to E. L. Curb, release of vendor's lien.
Bob Hansford to V. A. Gallo-way, quit claim deed.

Rowan F. Howard to Lewis Descher, MD.

R. B. Hollingsworth to Roy O. Morris, release of vendor's lien.
Jack M. Hawkins to Ted Greene MD.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., v. O. J. Roach, abstract of judgment.

FOR RENT: Quiet, cool, bedroom. Close in. 305 N. Daugherty.

FOR RENT: Cozy apartment just out of city limits on Carbon-Eastland highway. J. N. Jordan.

W. G. Kirk to C. S. Eldridge, release of deed of trust.
Smith Kent to Humble Pipe Line Company, release of deed of trust.

Smith Kent to Humble Pipe Line Company, right of way.
W. T. Kent to Humble Pipe Line Company, right of way.

Franklin M. Love to Jack M. Hawkins, MD.

J. H. Kendrick to C. C. Cochran, warranty deed.
Franklin M. Love to C. H. Murphy & Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.

Marjorie Elizabeth Maddocks to Elizabeth J. Maddocks, quit claim deed.

Roy C. Morris to J. P. Martin, warranty deed.

Claude Maynard to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.
Ella Nix to Jesse Stuard, deed of trust.

Mrs. Ellen Oldham to J. L. M. Roberts, warranty deed.
Joseph M. Perkins to Robert G. Perkins, warranty deed.

Robert G. Perkins to Joseph M. Perkins deed of trust.
J. R. Pollock to C. D. Swope, warranty deed.

D. B. Perdue to The Public, proof of heirship.
K. F. Page to The Public, proof of heirship.

Thomas J. Quiett to The Public, proof of heirship.
H. L. Ratliff to J. E. Foster & Son, Inc., conv. of lien.

J. F. Robertson to The Public, designation of homestead.
J. F. Robertson to The Public, affidavit.

J. F. Robertson to Jane Marie Tracy, deed of trust.
J. F. Robertson to Jane Marie Tracy, deed of trust.

J. H. Reynolds to Mrs. Conie Evelyn Braine, warranty deed.
J. H. Reynolds to Pansy Elizabeth Morris, assignment.

Jesse H. Reynolds to Mrs. Conie Evelyn Braine, warranty deed.
Eleanor Roberts to J. H. Kendrick, release of vendor's lien.

G. D. Swope to O. R. Buchanan, warranty deed.
Verda Stokes to J. E. Stokes, assignment of oil and gas lease.

L. M. Sharratt to Walter N. Hart, warranty deed.
L. M. Sharratt to Jack Williamson, quit claim deed.

Jesse Stuard to First National Bank of Cisco, transfer lien.
Jesse Stuard to First National Bank of Cisco, transfer lien.

Trout-Hansen Prod. Co., to Ben D. Clower, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Sarah F. Winchell to L. A. Warren oil and gas lease.

C. A. Waters to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.
A. A. Webster to Consolidated Gasoline Co., cor. contract and agreement.

Jim Young to Raymond A. Young, warranty deed.

Marriage Licenses
The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

T. L. FAGG
R. L. JONES
REAL ESTATE
FHA—GI LOANS
310 Exchange Bldg.
Phone 597

Karl and Boyd Tanner
Post No. 4136
VETERANS
OF
FOREIGN
WARS
Meets 2nd and
4th Thursday
8:00 P. M.
'Overseas Veterans Welcome

BUSINESS LOT
So. Seaman, 50x100 Ft.
South of Alhambra
Hotel
Pentecost & Johnson
Real Estate

BROWN'S SANITORIUM
DRUGLESS HEALING
"Where People Get Well"
If health is your problem, we invite you to see us.
27 YEARS IN CISCO

SPRING CLEANING TIME
◆ Let us dry clean your winter clothes before putting them away. Dry cleaning kills all moths.
◆ We dry clean blankets, draperies, and slip covers.
◆ Dye your old clothes new colors using the famous AL TASH WAY.
◆ Hats cleaned and blocked.
◆ Alterations and repairs.
COLLINS DRY CLEANERS
FREE PICK UP - DELIVERY SERVICE
207 S. Lamar Phone 47

Quits Shanghai



Rear Adm. George Crawford, commander of U. S. Naval forces in the Shanghai area, was ordered to speed from the city to escape a Communist trap that threatened to cut the Whangpoo River, only outlet to the sea. The sudden departure of the fleet left over 2000 Americans stranded in Red-menaced Shanghai.

Charles Dillard to Lillie Marie Culwell, Rising Star.
Earl D. Parks to Dean Smith, Desdemona.

Max E. Foreman to Earnestine Gillespie, Everett, Pa.
No Probate
No Civil

Suits Filed
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

Panhandle Prod. & Ref. Company v. Guy S. Quinn, discovery.
Bess Jean Bourland v. Francis U. Bourland, divorce.

Galen A. Sublett v. American National Insurance Company, suit on insurance policy.
J. E. Matthews v. Robert A.

Orders and Judgments
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

State of Texas v. M. D. Paschall, Jr., order.
Evalyn Sue Ifera v. C. S. Ifera, judgment.

Doris Ann Johnson v. Harvey Johnson, judgment.
Janie Williams v. Cleveland Williams, judgment.

First State Bank of Rising Star v. H. J. Brawner, final judgment.
R. D. McDaniel v. L. E. Griffin, final judgment.

For Rent
Cozy Apartments
Furnished - Bills Paid
114 North Seaman
Up Stairs

DEAD ANIMALS
Un-Skinned
REMOVED free

Call Collect
Eastland: 288
BROWNWOOD
RENDERING CO.

TAXI
PHONE 83

Always ready at the ring of the phone to taxi you wherever you want to go. 24-hour-service.
CITY TAXI COMPANY
CONNELLEE HOTEL

STURDY, ATTRACTIVE
SEAT COVERS

Easily cleaned by sponging. Extra smooth and cool. Made of strong, attractive, brown twill. Securely bound throughout.
Eastland Auto Parts
300 S. Seaman Phone 711
Eastland, Texas

UTILITY
AIR COOLER INSTALLED NOW

UTILITY
GET Guaranteed Comfort

UTILITY
Guaranteed air delivery

UTILITY
Let us demonstrate why it will pay you in satisfaction and savings
Headquarters
CECIL HOLIFIELD
FIRESTONE STORE
EASTLAND

Rains Retard Vegetables But Boost Wheat Crop

AUSTIN, May 4 (UP) — Recent rains have seriously retarded progress of commercial vegetables but have improved prospects for an abundant Texas wheat harvest, the United States Department of Agriculture reported today.

However, the report did not take into account generally clearing weather over the early part of this week.

Rains, adding to moisture reserves over the low rolling plains and plateau area, further improved the wheat prospects.

Early maturing areas, the USDA said, had sufficient moisture to carry wheat well toward maturity. Virtually all areas were "adequately supplied" for current and near future needs.

Some wheat was beginning to head in the northern plains counties, and much of the crop in that area was in the boot, the USDA said.

However, commercial vegetables were seriously retarded by the rains. Crop damage was reported as extensive in the south central and southern counties. Virtually the entire coastal bend onion crop had been under water. Damage to old onions was heavy.

The lower valley tomato crop was reported as "developing nicely." However, the Yaokum crop was damaged severely, but East Texas tomato areas were in a "fairly good condition."

Ranchmen happily viewed prospects, the USDA said, of abundant moisture and excellent summer range and pasture feed prospects.

Walsh, et ux, damages for fraud.

Orders and Judgments
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

State of Texas v. M. D. Paschall, Jr., order.
Evalyn Sue Ifera v. C. S. Ifera, judgment.

Doris Ann Johnson v. Harvey Johnson, judgment.
Janie Williams v. Cleveland Williams, judgment.

First State Bank of Rising Star v. H. J. Brawner, final judgment.
R. D. McDaniel v. L. E. Griffin, final judgment.

Why squint through that discolored windshield?

Let us replace it QUICKLY! EXPERTLY! with L-O-F SAFETY PLATE GLASS

Scotts

BODY WORKS
109 S. Mulberry
Phone 9508

ASK FOR CRUMBLIZED!
Nutrena
CHICK MASH
Checked-Up With
Livium

We Pay Highest Prices For Chickens And Eggs
C. D. PATTON
FEED and SEED
North of T.P. Depot

TELEGRAM

FOR RAPID CLEANING SERVICE CALL US! IDEAL CLEANERS

Free Pickup - Delivery Service
201 N. Seaman Phone 194

TEXAS GAS ENGINE AND MACHINE SHOP

OXY-ACETYLENE AND ELECTRIC WELDING IN FIELD OR SHOP

OIL FIELD EQUIPMENT REPAIRS

Specialists in Engine Rebuilding and Alloy Build-Up Materials
PHONE 137 DAY OR NIGHT

Church... Society... Clubs

MRS. DON PARKER Society Editor
Phones:— Office 601 — Residence 223

Brotherhood To Honor Boys Here

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will honor "Boys" at their meeting at the church next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish and a boy to help enjoy the supper, J. L. Waller, president said.

Rev. Otis Strickland of Cisco will be the speaker and the Kendrick Quartet will also be on the program, Waller said.

Personals

Mrs. S. A. Earnest underwent major surgery in the Nix Hospital in San Antonio last Saturday. This is the second operation since Mrs. Earnest entered the hospital several weeks ago and her condition was considered quite serious, friends said today.

Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite and Mrs. Nat Rollins were the week end guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Johnson.

Mrs. Loss Woods is in Odessa visiting in the homes of her daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen have had as guests in their home this week Mrs. Lewallen's sister, Mrs. Norris Stewart of Brady.

Mrs. Lewallen and her guest visited their mother, Mrs. Fred Gabbelin at Sipe Springs Tuesday evening and returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. C. B. Beal of San Angelo is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drago, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Harwick and little son of Ranger spent Saturday here visiting with Mrs. Harwick's grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Bishop.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Mrs. Stella Jarrett of Olden are the luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burns in their home at Olden today, where Mrs. Burns is preparing a fish meal for the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer visited in Moran, Tuesday evening with Mr. Plummer's father, S. R. Plummer, who has returned to his home following surgery in a Temple hospital. Mr. Plummer is recovering satisfactorily and is able to be up part of the time.

Mrs. Fay Rainey and children, Jan and Sammy of Waurika, Oklahoma, are the guests in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Watten.

Miss Betty Collins and Jamie

Morton Valley HDC Discuss Finance Plans

Plans for making money were discussed at the meeting of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club at their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. D. Fanklin.

Mrs. Charles Beck, chairman presided and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, Mrs. Raymond Beck, and Mrs. J. W. Harrison discussed "Flower Arrangements in the home, cutting and caring for plants," a paper prepared by Miss Rosie McCoy, county home demonstration agent.

Attending were Meses Brockman, E. V. Slover, Josie K. Nix, Charles B. Harris, R. D. Turner, Charles Brockman, Harrison, Tankersley, Beck, and the hostess, Mrs. Franklin.

Refreshments were served during the social hour following the program and announcement was

made of the next meeting, which will be in the home of Mrs. L. A. Hale, May 17. Miss Rosie McCoy will be present.

Mrs. Dennis Is Honored With Stork Shower

Mrs. Jim Lewallen was hostess at a morning coffee, and stork shower, honoring Mrs. Dwayne Dennis Tuesday at her home on the Ranger highway.

Mrs. Lewallen and Miss Betty White greeted the guests at the door and they were registered in the "Baby Book" by Mrs. Norris Stewart of Brady, sister of the hostess.

Mrs. Jeff Chennault and Mrs. R. N. Whitehead presided at the refreshment table, laid in white cutwork linen, and centered with an arrangement of pink and blue carnations. Table appointments were of silver.

Gifts were displayed on a side table in the dining room, which was centered with a large plastic stork, and spring flowers.

About 50 guests called during the hours of 9 till 11.

CALL MEETING
The Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church will have a call meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced by Frank Crowell. Important business will be discussed.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Go To Hail

for Typewriter and Adding Machine REPAIRS

One of the best equipped shops in the Southwest in Eastland County 28 years.
421 WEST COMMERCE ST.
TELEPHONE 48

RANCH ? WEEK

OPEN SUNDAYS AND EVENINGS

BELL HURST FRYERS & EGGS

Quality Food Market

FREE DELIVERY PHONE 662

ATTENTION!

Big Money

For Your Old Ice Box or Refrigerator On the Reduced Priced 1949 Space Maker

GENERAL ELECTRIC

♦ Trade Now—Hot Weather Is Coming!

♦ Only 10% Down 24 Months to Pay Balance.

\$25.00 Down \$10.73 Monthly

LUCAS'S

IT COSTS LESS TO GET THE BEST

304 EAST MAIN ST. PHONE 666

Melons From Heaven



With only a few months to live, Ronnie Calvert, 3, leukemia victim who has an insatiable craving for his favorite fruit, watermelon, digs into a large slice from one of the 28 melons sent to his Richmond, Calif., home. Contributed by Florida growers, the fruit was flown to Ronnie by the Air Force on routine training flights.

Bigly spent Sunday in Austin visiting friends. They returned home Sunday evening but Jamie went back to Austin Monday and is visiting with Howard Brock at Roberts Hall on the University campus.

Mrs. Vernon Humphrey is in a Gorman hospital suffering with pneumonia. Friends report that she has been quite ill, but is improving.

Mrs. C. W. Young is in Kermit at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Betty Jo Nicholas, who has been quite ill in a Kermit hospital. Mrs. Nicholas is quite improved and will return home with her mother this week end.

Mrs. J. C. Pelfrey and children, Dewain and Kate spent last Sunday here visiting in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Bishop.

LEAGUE TO MEET
A call meeting of the Eastland Civic League and Garden Club will be held at the Woman's Club Thursday morning at 10 a. m.

Governor Has to Panhandle
MARION, N. C. (UP)—Harold Minges, veteran chauffeur for governors of North Carolina, knows the highways of his state by heart. But once he forgot that gas stations close on Sunday. He ran out of gas while piloting Gov. Kerr Scott across a lonely stretch near here en route to a convention. The governor helped flag down a passing car to borrow gas the state's No. 1 auto.

Says War Likely If Pact Suprned

WASHINGTON, May 4 (UP)—Republican foreign policy expert, John Foster Dulles, said today he believes "war would be highly probable" if the United States repudiates the North Atlantic Pact.

If the Senate refuses to confirm the pact "in view of all that has happened," he said, other signatory nations might change their plans. In that event, he said, "it is quite likely that there would come a war."

BACKACHE

For quick comforting help for Backache, Rheumatic Pains, Getting Up Nights, strong cloudy urine, irritating passages, Leg Pains, circles under eyes, and swollen ankles, due to non-organic and non-systemic Kidney and bladder troubles, try Cystex. Quick, complete satisfaction or money back guaranteed. Ask your druggist for Cystex today.

Just Plug in

101 COOL, CAREFREE SUMMER MEALS

REDS LAUNCH DRIVE UP RAILROAD TO SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, May 4 (UP)—Communist troops have captured Hangchow and have launched a powerful drive up the railroad toward Shanghai's southwest defenses, Nationalist garrison headquarters admitted today.

Hangchow, great seaport city and rail hub guarding the back door to Shanghai, fell at 3 P. M. yesterday when an advance guard of 4,000 Communist troops marched and took over with the help of a local Communist fifth column.

At the same time the Communists threw 30,000 troops into a powerful frontal assault on Kashing, last major Nationalist bastion on the rail line between Hangchow and Shanghai.

Reports from the front said Kashing's defenses were being blasted by one of the heaviest artillery attacks yet made in the Shanghai area. Kashing is midway between the two cities, 50 miles northeast of Hangchow and 50 miles southeast of Shanghai.

The assault on Kashing was made from Wooshin, a few miles to the west, which the Communists captured several days ago and turned into a base for their drive to clear the Hangchow-Shanghai rail line.

The Communist drive apparently was intended to carry to the southwest approaches of Shanghai, placing two powerful armies at the gates of the city. Another Communist force now stands at Kunshan, 25 miles west of Shanghai.

hai on the rail line from Nanking.

Many quarters believed that Shanghai would suffer the same fate as Nanking and Hangchow—a bloodless conquest by the Communist with the help of a local fifth column. The Shanghai fifth column now is repressed by the severest martial law ever imposed on Shanghai in modern times.

Chinese sources said that complete order reigned in Hangchow as the scenic city of 600,000 once the capital of all China under the Sung emperors, fell without a shot to the invaders and the local fifth column.

Highway Not Much Use
PAOLI, Ind. (UP)—Motorist who have occasion to travel Ind. 337 often say the state might as well close the road permanently; it's blockaded most of the time anyhow. The route has been closed to traffic since early January because of flood water. Back in 1945, it was closed for 91 days in a row for the same reason.

Dim Your Lights And Save A Life

Now, That It's Spring Again

... brings to mind all the real joys and pleasant days that only this season of the year can bring. But Spring brings hail and windstorms, too, which are not desirable at all and sometimes they cause death and much destruction of property, without warning. If you are not carrying wind-storm and hail insurance for financial protection against these hazards give us a ring before the dark cloud begins to boil up in the South and West.

EARL BENDER & COMPANY
Eastland (Insurance Since 1924) Texas

Gets New Job at 73
DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Former Congressman Hutton W. Summers, who served 34 years in Washington, has taken on a new job at the age of 73. Summers accepted an offer to become research director of the Southwest Legal Foundation at Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Cat Adopts Squirrels
WACO, Tex. (UP)—Midnight, a black cat, is mothering two orphaned squirrels. Midnight's own kitten died but she promptly adopted two just-born squirrels which had been abandoned by their true mother.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Just Plug in

101 COOL, CAREFREE SUMMER MEALS

MODE O'DAY

Remember her on Mothers' Day with a gift from Mode O'Day!

SMART FROCKS \$3.98

Give her a dress from Mode O'Day! When she sees that label she'll know it's guaranteed to wash, guaranteed to please!

Here are many, many lovely styles in sizes 14 to 44, in both cottons and rayons, beautifully made and priced very low!

Smart novelty print in a button-all-the-way-down style. 14-20.

Frosty fresh floral with a graceful side drape. Sizes 38 to 44.

Give Mother a box of **Guaranteed Perfect NYLONS 51 GAUGE 15 DENIER** full fashioned sheer, lovely **\$1.49 PR.**

MODE O'DAY

MRS. J. U. JOHNSON, Owner
East Side Square Eastland, Texas

To Drive Refreshed Is Easier Driving

Coca-Cola

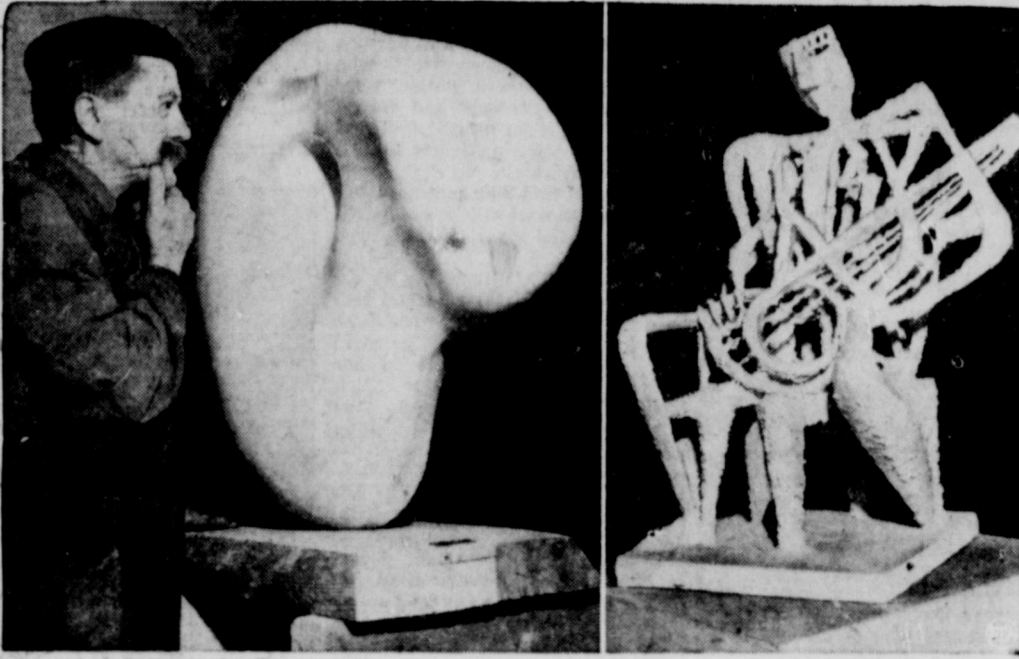
5¢

Ask for it either way... both trade-marks mean the same thing.

BOTTLED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE COCA-COLA COMPANY BY TEXAS COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY

© 1949, The Coca-Cola Company

Many Call It Madness, Some Call It Art



A bit puzzled? Well, so is Adolphe Landru, French worker at left. He doesn't know whether that sculpture is a bird, an eye, a wheel, or what. It's one of the many modern paintings and sculpture pieces on display at the 16th art exhibition of the Society of Independent Artists in Paris. Another head-scratcher in the show is the surrealist figure called "Musician," right.

After the Ball Is Over



Valerie de Cadenet, who won a \$50 prize for this costume at New York's Art Students League Ball, complained to police that her dance partner bilked her out of her winnings after the ball. Police offered sympathy and advised her she could request a summons for her "Prince Charming" as a withholder of property.

Morton Valle News Items

MORTON VALLEY, May 3—Mr. and Mrs. Melton Greenfield, Shirley, and Dolores, of Sweetwater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Baggett at their home Sunday.

Mary June White spent Saturday and Sunday in Abilene visiting an aunt.

Jack Holmes, who received minor injuries when his pickup overturned early last week has been returned to his home and is able to be up.

Miss Betty Maddox and Patsy Edwards spent Sunday visiting Glenda, Wanda, and Patsy Perrin.

Rev. and Mrs. Jasper Massagee visited the Luther Ferris family Sunday.

Rev. M. B. James was a dinner guest in the L. B. Reed home Sunday.

Miss Opal Hearn took her seventh and eighth grades to Abilene Saturday for a picnic and to attend the Hardin-Simmons rodeo. Those taking cars besides Miss Hearn were Mrs. R. E. Beck, Mrs. D. F. Williamson, Mrs. D. D. Franklin, and Mr. Jasper Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Finley were dinner guests of the W. J. Matthews Sunday.

Some twenty young people were present Saturday night for the social held each Saturday night for young people in this community.

Fourteen ladies were present for the Stanley hostess party Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. G. Finley.

Mrs. Harlan Harbin and Kay of Oil Center, New Mexico, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Cecil Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin this week.

Some sixty-three persons from this community attended baptismal services in the First Baptist church Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock at which time Mr. R. R. Peels, Mr. L. B. Reed, Stanley Reed, David Hunt, Danny Tankersley, and Douglas Williamson were baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk visited Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and Connie in

Comanche Sunday.

Mmes. J. G. Finley, J. B. Harbin, H. O. Hearn, R. E. Beck, L. H. Taylor, Frank Trott, A. D. Sherrell, Douglas Rankin, Burton Tankersley were present for Bible Study Monday afternoon at the Harmony Baptist Church at which time Mrs. Burton Tankersley directed the study of the fourteenth chapter of Acts.

Bobby Gene Harrison remains in the St. Joseph's Hospital for observation. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison and Max visited him there Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sherrell and family visited their parents in Dallas Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Reed visited Mr. and Mrs. Safford and Mrs. Crank in Olden Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baggett and children of Acker visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Baggett Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Baggett went to Kenedale for another treatment Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tankersley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Williamson and J. L. Williamson went to Ft. Worth on business Monday.

Rev. M. B. James was guest for the evening meal in the D. F. Williamson home.

Dick Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, from North Texas at Denton spent the weekend here with his parents and his brother, George. Dick has just recently been elected president of the Wesley Players. The Wesley players are a group of girls and boys who present religious plays.

More than half of the farm land in the United States is in farms with more than 500 acres, compared to only one-third that much in farms that size in 1920.

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By UNITED PRESS
SAN ANTONIO, May 4 (UP)—Two men today were credited with saving four persons from a flaming death.

Ralph De La Garza rushed into a burning house on the rear of his lot and rescued three children yesterday. Patrolman F. A. Touzeau, who arrived at the scene a few minutes later, went into the house and dragged out the children's father, Joe Gonzales. Firemen said a kerosene stove exploded, setting off the blaze that destroyed the house.

AUSTIN, May 4 (UP)—Two typewriter manufacturers today indicated they would not appeal \$25,000 judgments entered in Travis County District Court against them on charges of anti-trust violations.

Attorney General Price Daniel said the judgments were entered by District Judge Jack Roberts against the L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc., and the Underwood Corp. for \$12,500

each. They were charged with fixing minimum retail prices on their portable typewriters in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, May 4 (UP)—A freak accident today was blamed for the death of 15-month-old Robert H. Hummel yesterday.

A glass goblet fell from a China closet on his head, fracturing his skull. His parents said he was playing in the house and apparently had jostled the China closet.

WASHINGTON, May 4 (UP)—Texas farmers may get part of the Department of Agriculture's \$45,000,000 (M) disaster loan fund to pay for damages caused by last winter's freeze.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan yesterday designated Utah and parts of Idaho, Colorado, Wyoming and Texas as a "disaster area" because of widespread damage done by blizzards and freezes.

The 18 Texas counties affected would be Zavala, Dimmit, Uvalde, Kinney, Maverick, Cameron, Kennedy, Willacy, Jim Wells, Frio, La Salle, Hidalgo, Brooks, Duval, Jim Hogg, Starr, Webb, and Zapata.

EL PASO, May 4 (UP)—Residents of Elsa, the town with

the highest infant mortality rate in the nation, were on the move to wipe their record clean.

A committee from the town yesterday presented their problems to the Hidalgo County commissioners. They asked for cooperation with a water district, the International Boundary and Water Commission, and a railroad in providing better drainage.

WESLACO, May 4 (UP)—Lower Rio Grande Valley cotton men sought today to move the site of auction for the world's first cotton bale this year.

Members of the agriculture committee of the Valley Chamber of Commerce said they would agitate to move the auction from Houston, the traditional auction spot, to where the cotton is grown—the Valley.

The suggested move was caused more by lack of publicity than the money taken in at the Houston exchange, valley growers said.

GONZALES, May 4 (UP)—Local and state officers searched today for John Riehl, 46, missing since early Monday morning.

Riehl, operator of a brace shop at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, was last seen driving a 1938 blue-black Lincoln sedan. He was described as being blond, 6 feet tall, wearing khaki work clothes and weighing 190 pounds.

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 4—Coast Guard and private craft continued the search today for the body of Mrs. John Paul Kelly, drowned Sunday in Corpus Christi Bay while on a fishing trip.

Kelly's body was recovered late yesterday by Dr. J. V. Blair, owner of a small pleasure craft and member of the Coast Guard Artillery.

SECOND HAND BARGAINS
We Buy, Sell and Trade
MRS MARGIE CRAIG
208 W. Commerce
Phone 807

RANCH WEEK

?

Read the Telegram Ads Regularly and you'll find...

- News of fashions, home-furnishings and home-making
- Dependable merchandise, reasonably priced.
- Big bargains every day

For HAPPIER SHOPPING Begin It In the Pages of Eastland Daily Telegram

Do as other smart shoppers do... begin your shopping in your easy chair with your Eastland Telegram as your guide. Take a quick trip around the ads and you'll save yourself many steps once you're downtown. Our ads contain the latest and most complete information on what's available in the stores. Be wise... buy wise... shop and compare Eastland Telegram ads.

Just Plug-in
for COOL, CAREFREE SUMMER MEALS

Its Time To Store Your Furs and Winter Garments!

Let us take care of them through the Summer in our modern, cool, insulated, Fumigated Vault All garments are insured against Fire theft and Moths.

Expert Cleaning and Glazing
You Cannot Afford to Do Without This Protection the Cost Is So Small.

FUR Coats, \$2.00 minimum charge
Men's and Ladies Overcoats \$1.00 minimum charge
Men's and Ladies Suits \$1.00 minimum charge

You Pay Nothing Until Next Fall
Those who prefer to store their garments at home let us Sanitone them before putting away, as Sanitone **POSITIVELY** kills all moths.

We Have Plenty Of Moth Bags

Modern Dry Cleaners
Phone 132 Eastland, Texas

NOW! Should Be Taken

Nothing like a portrait of your glowing young beauty to delight your loved ones and to link you to friends and relatives across the miles!

Lyon Studio
Formerly Canaris Studio
We Go Anywhere
Res. Phone 647-W

YOU WANT QUALITY LAUNDERING

Phone 60

NOTICE!
We give 24 hour diaper service

CISCO STEAM LAUNDRY
"WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS"
W. E. FLOURNOY PHONE 60 EASTLAND

PRINTING
of distinction...

Telephone **601**

- LETTERHEADS
- ENVELOPES
- STATEMENTS
- CIRCULARS
- BUSINESS CARDS
- RULED FORMS
- INVOICES

—PRINTING OF ALL KINDS—

South Side Square

"If It's Printing—We Can Do It"

Eastland Telegram
"Your County Seat Daily Newspaper"

TEXAN'S PATERNITY SUIT OPENED IN CALIFORNIA

HOLLYWOOD, May 4 (UP)—Airline Executive William R. Fields Morris went to court today to claim that he is the illegitimate son and heir of Comedian W. C. Fields.

His suit for a share of the late juggler-actor's \$771,000 estate opened yesterday in Superior Court, the first round of a many-sided legal fight among half a dozen of Field's friends and relatives.

Morris' attorney opened his case with a statement that he is prepared to prove Fields acknowledged in writing that he fathered Morris. Such acknowledgment is required under California law.

Morris, 31, of Dallas, Tex., contends he is the "love child" of the comedian and a Ziegfeld Follies beauty, the late Mrs. Bessie Chatterton Poole. In furtherance of this claim, the court heard a deposition by Mrs. Rose Holden of Passaic, N. J., who reared Morris.

'Bessie loved W. C. Fields very much, and I think he loved her

to a certain extent," the statement said.

"Did Bessie have anything to do with men?" she was asked.

"Oh, no, no, no," Mrs. Holden replied. "She was in love with W. C. she told me that Fields would marry her, except that his wife wouldn't give him a divorce."

At this point Fields' widow Harriet, who was sitting in court, burst into laughter.

Also present were Field's son, Atty. C. Claude Fields; black-haired Carlotta Monti, ex-actress and Fields' former nurse, whom he left \$100,000; and Magda Michael, Fields' secretary, who was named executive and left \$5,000.

Mrs. Holden's deposition said Bessie lived in hotels until "things became too noticeable," when she took an apartment under the name of Mrs. Morris.

"The name was just something that came to her, I guess," said Mrs. Holden. She denied that there had ever been a "Mrs. Morris," although Morris' birth certificate listed the father as "William R. Morris, actor, San Francisco." The baby was born Aug. 15, 1917.

The deposition said Fields admitted on many occasions that he fathered the child, and contributed regularly to his support.

In another deposition Morris' girl mother, Mrs. Bessie Withersell of Onset, Mass., said she suspected her daughter had a child by Fields although she was unaware of Morris' existence until recently.

Parallel Blunders
SALT LAKE CITY, (UP)—University of Utah students protested the incorrect spelling on a "parallel parking" sign in Salt Lake City's Liberty Park. But now park officials are laughing. They found a whole row of "parallel" parking signs behind the university's John R. Park administration building on the campus.



Philippine President Quirino has ordered a full-scale military campaign to clean out the rebellious Hukbalahap guerrillas who have kept central Luzon in terror since World War II ended. His action followed the ambush by Communist-led guerrillas in which Mrs. Manuel Quezon, widow of the Philippines' first president and 11 other persons were killed. On map, (X) marks scene of assault on the six-car convoy as it rolled toward Baker, the late president's birthplace. The Hukbalahaps have been conducting a small-scale civil war against the Manila government, operating from "Huklandia," a mountainous area comprised of parts of three provinces shaded on map. Their fortress-stronghold is Mt. Arayat. From this area they make constant forays on nearby towns, killing, torturing prisoners, burning farm houses and exacting "taxes" from land owners.

BUSINESS UPSWING IN EAST, NORTHEAST TEXAS WATCHED

DALLAS, May 4 (UP)—Business leaders in east and northeast Texas today were pursuing a general policy of "watchful waiting" as business trends in general continued on the upswing.

With department store sales increasing and general employment up 5 per cent from the boom periods of last year, leaders were wondering if the bubble was about to burst.

Hiring and buying were beginning to show definite conservative trends for the first time since before the war. This revealed the current trend in business thinking far more than figures.

In Dallas there were 12,000 more persons employed than at the same time last year. This overshadowed some seasonal layoffs and cutbacks in manufacturing, and yet, local industries were hiring more than ever before. A total of 8,500 more persons are now

working in the manufacturing field.

In the non-manufacturing field some 4,500 persons more than in May of 1948 are now working.

M. R. Kelly, director of the Texas Employment Commission, stay "up" in employment believed that the trend would

Boy May Sleep Through All His Life



Unconscious now for more than a year, 5-year-old Larry Dean Wilson may live on and never awaken, physicians say. His plight results from a brain injury received in an automobile accident on April 27, 1948. He's pictured in the Elkhart, Ind., General Hospital, watched over by his mother, Mrs. Donald Wilson, left, and Nurse Virginia Hursey.

stay "up" in employment for many months to come.

"The East Texas area, and Dallas, in particular, has not been hit by the "down" trends that are affecting business in other parts of the country," Kelly said.

"This is because aircraft industries have saved us. If companies similar to Chance Vought Aircraft were not in the area, we would be suffering a slight recession, but they have hired new staffs, replaced old ones, and have kept the business picture bright," he said.

Despite the general rise in employment with few cutbacks, production in some fields showed drops in the last six months, Ned Kerr, business representative of

Supreme Court Refuses Review Of El Paso Case

AUSTIN, Tex. May 4 (UP)—The State Supreme Court sympathized today with an El Paso girl who refused to be "corraled" on a down town El Paso street as part of a stunt staged by the city's Chamber of Commerce.

The court refused to review a case in which the Chamber of Commerce was ordered to pay \$6,

the Dallas Chamber of Commerce reported.

163 in damages to Jeanette Moore. The El Paso Chamber of Commerce in March 1946 sponsored the Southwestern Livestock Show and Exposition.

As part of the show, all persons roaming on downtown streets who didn't wear western clothes were roped and "corraled" and forced to sit in a "hot seat" equipped with a live wire sufficient to furnish a light shock.

The girl and her mother were shopping downtown, when participants in the stunt tried to rope them.

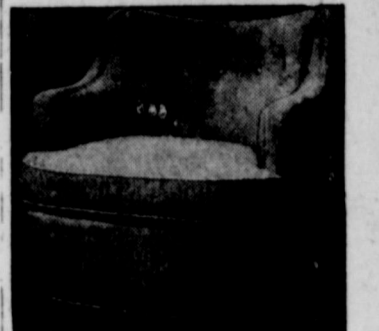
Jeanette, 17, attempting to escape from the ropers, dodged into a drug store but in the rush stuck her hand through a glass panel in the door, suffering cuts to her hand.

She brought suit against the Chamber of Commerce, charging that her rights to lawful use of the public streets were invaded.

A jury found damages for her totaling \$6,163, but the trial judge rendered a decision for the Chamber of Commerce.

The El Paso Court of Civil Appeals reversed that ruling, finding that those taking part in the roping were acting in the interest of the Chamber of Commerce. The Supreme Court refused to disturb that holding.

MAJESTIC
AN INTERSTATE THEATRE
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
ROBERT MONTGOMERY
John Payne - Susan Hayward
"Saxon Charm"



This revolving chair is called the "Television" chair because its swivel base makes it possible for one to turn in any direction to view a program without rearranging the furniture. Upholstered in foam rubber and covered in one of the newest textured fabrics, the chair has the luxurious appearance and comfort of a conventional lounge chair.

Dim Your Lights And Save A Life

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

RANCH

WEEK

Your Local
USED-COW
Dealer
Removes Dead Stock
FREE
For Immediate Service
PHONE 141 COLLECT
Eastland, Texas

CENTRAL HIDE AND RENDERING CO.

LOOKING FOR
"POWER ON THE HILLS?"

THIS GASOLINE'S GOT IT!
Power-packed Phillips 66 is "CONTROLLED" to give you good performance the year 'round
Fill up with Phillips 66—step on the accelerator and smile as your car responds. Yes, up hills, in traffic, on the straight-away, this gasoline gives you power a-plenty.
The reason: Phillips 66 is controlled to give you its best every season of the year—warm weather or not. Try it today! Feel the power Phillips 66 Gasoline gives your car!

PHILLIPS 66 GASOLINE

*PHILLIPS 66 GASOLINE IS DESIGNED FOR UNIFORMLY HIGH-LEVEL PERFORMANCE ALL YEAR 'ROUND.

Cecil Holifield
Firestone Store
Eastland, Texas

HEAD ACHES - SINUS
We think very little about them perhaps, and yet they are very often the warning signals of some disease which is developing within our bodies.
CHIROPRACTIC
is the Health Science that has been most successful and which immediately goes to the cause of those headaches. In many cases it halts the progress of dangerous disease.
THIS PATIENT SAYS:
"I had headaches all my life and for the last 15 years I would have the sick headache. There would be a period of about two days that I could not eat. I had sinus trouble for 2 years. My head and ears would hurt so badly that I would be forced to stay in bed. I had a stroke of paralysis which affected the right side of my body. I visited a Specific Chiropractor and discussed my case with him. He made a three-day examination on me, making x-ray pictures and neurocalometer nerve charts. He recommended a health service plan to me. Today I can truthfully say that I am not bothered with headaches nor sinus trouble. I owe Chiropractic all the credit. The only effects I can tell from the paralysis is a slight numbness in my hand and fingers. Chiropractic is the true way to good health."
Eastland Chiropractic Office
206 S. Seaman Phone 217 for Appointment
Closed Thursday Afternoon

"I've had a Servel Gas Refrigerator in constant use for the past fifteen years. It has given good service without any expense for repairs."
says Mrs. J. W. McWhirter, 410 Chestnut Street, Bonham, Texas
Proof: Servel Gas Refrigerator Stays Silent Lasts Longer
guaranteed 10 years
Isn't a refrigerator that delivers this kind of service worth more? Thousands think so for thousands are making their new refrigerator a Servel Gas Refrigerator.

WILLY-WILLY'S FURNITURE CO.
305-7 S. Seaman Street
LONE STAR GAS COMPANY
A TEXAS CORPORATION