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### Around The Square

With Mack

We have always known that Texas is a big state—by far the largest in the union, and Texans always do everything in a big way, but we did not know that our farmers and stock raisers produced \$2,443,486,000.00 dollars worth of products each year.

Unless we cut down a little we will be feeding the whole world and with plenty to spare. On second thought, this is a big old world and we might either be forced to cut up one or two more of our big ranches and convert them into farms, or lease two or three counties from Oklahoma. At any rate Texas would get the job done, and done right if they should be called upon.

Using 1951 figures, we have discovered that despite drought, hail and pestilences, Texas that year produced \$957,500,000.00 worth of cotton, and \$108,568,000.00 worth of cotton seed. Our 37 millions of dollars for pocket change, and corn sales hopped up to \$78,600,000.00. We produced more than our share of barley, oats etc., and our grain sorghums passed the 151 million mark.

We also let our friends have \$79,100,000.00 worth of rice, 43 million dollars worth of truck crops, 22 million dollars worth of fruits and 29 million dollars worth of nuts.

All these crops, with the possible exception of Rice, may be grown in Eastland county. We let South Texas have the Rice concession, because of their cheap labor.

But this is not all. Our livestock growers during the period produced \$489,168,000.00 worth of cattle, as well as a 120 million dollars worth of dairy products.

Then we have our eggs, hogs, chickens, wool, mohair, turkeys, etc., that bring another \$300,000,000.00. The reason for this high farmers and cattlemen use modern production is that most of our methods such as flying to and from their work. A band new organization is the "Texas Flying Farmers' Association." Qualifications for membership have not been announced, but we will make the grade if one is not compelled to own a farm, cow or an airplane. We can ride to and from, if we can charge a little gas.

The association says that the airplane will give at least a one percent increase in production, which in the course would amount to something like \$5,000,000.00.

It is only fair to our readers to state that the figures listed above were released by the Texas Aeronautics Association, Texas A.M. College System and the Texas Flying Farmers Association, and with so many heads in the pot it may be that minor errors have been made.

Believe it or not—we don't.

But Texas is the largest state in the Union, and while other people are trying to figure out whether something may be done or not, Texas will be doing it.

Since Santa Anna surrendered to the Texas army, thereby creating a new empire, Texas has been leading the whole world. Believe that or not—we do.

For Good Used Cars  
(Trade-ins on the New Olds)  
Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

### Scout Organizational Teams Of This Area To Meet In Eastland

Dr. James Whittington, of Eastland, has announced that a joint meeting of organization teams from Cisco, Eastland, and Ranger will be held next Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. March 27 at the offices of the Texas Electric Service Co. in Eastland.

Dr. Whittington is the organization and extension chairman for the North District of the Comanche Trail Council. This meeting is to be held for the purpose of informing the men on the organization teams about the Scouting program and showing them how to go about starting a new Scout unit. Brantly Hudson, the field executive for this area, will be present and help to conduct the meeting.

The following teams are expected to be present at the meeting:

The First Methodist Church, Ranger, Rev. Garland Lavender, pastor. A Cub Pack organization team consisting of R. F. Webb, Gaston Dixon, Carroll Boon, Fred Bonner, Pat Thomas and Delbert Capps.

The First Christian Church, of Cisco, Sidney Spain minister. A Scout Troop organization team composed of Dick Lauderdale, Robert Ellison, J. C. Fletcher, Ace Lucas, The First Methodist Church of Cisco, Rev. Light-foot, pastor. An organization team for a Scout Troop composed of George Davis, Durwood Morris, Roy Killingsworth.

The First Baptist Church, Eastland, Rev. Melvin Rathaal, pastor. A Cub Pack organization team composed of Tommy Samuels, James Reid, Charles Layton.



SHULTZ PHOTO

Center seated is Mrs. John Love of Ranger, president of Cheaney HD Club and 1952 County Funds Chairman for the Red Cross Drive. At her left is Mrs. W. W. Fewell, Cisco, Home Demonstration Council Chairman, and at her right is Mrs. Bill Tucker, Ranger, Rural Drive Chairman. Other Co-workers and HD Club presidents who headed the drive in their communities. Front row standing, Mrs. Minnie Foster, Flatwood, Mrs. Nellie Housh, Lake Cisco, Mrs. Marshall Berry, Pleasant Hill; Miss Willie Word, Word; Mrs. George Moore, Howard; Mrs. Lee Burkhead, North Star. Back row, Mrs. Charles B. Harris, Morton Valley; Mrs. Carl Burns, Okra; Mrs. George Hill, Union Center; Mrs. H. C. Fridge, Pioneer-Gun. Community chairmen, not pictured but who worked just as generously in helping exceed the quota are as follows: Mrs. Claud Stubblefield, Carbon; Mrs. L. B. Gordon, Colony; D. G. Fambrough, Cornith; Mrs. W. A. Kendrick, Kokomo; Ernest T. McKelvin, Olden; Mrs. Ed. Townsend, Nimrod; Mrs. W. F. Simmons, Scranton; Mrs. Bessie Bennett, Staff; Mrs. J. L. King, Sabanno; Mrs. Joe Bob Browning, New Hope.

### RURAL WOMEN COMMENDED FOR EXCEEDING QUOTA EARLY IN MONTH BY MRS. JOHN LOVE, COUNTY CHAIRMAN OF RED CROSS

Eastland County is proud of the efforts of the rural women, who have given of their time to help make the County Rural Red Cross drive for 1952, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Bill Tucker, a success, Mrs. John Love, county chairman said.

To date the amount contributed totals \$488.19 and the returns are

not complete. The quota for the rural districts was set for \$301.00 and has to date been exceeded by \$187.00, which is to be commended Mrs. Love said.

The Home Demonstration Clubs for the third consecutive year have done a fine piece of work in canvassing the rural areas which otherwise might not have been

reached she continued.

Numbers of the HD women reported for blood donations which the unit was in Ranger and Cisco recently. It is the willingness of such local leaders that makes for the success of any venture. When the Red Cross called they answered, they worked and certainly they merit the profoundest gratitude for a work well done.

### CO-OPS TO BE ALLOWED TO PURCHASE FARMERS PEANUTS

WASHINGTON, March 25—Congressman Omar Burleson said in Washington today that he was a little more encouraged for the welfare of the 1952 peanut program, since the Production and Marketing Administration through the Department of Agriculture, has announced the main points to be followed for this crop year.

"It is, however, still not fair to the peanut farmers of Texas," said Burleson. "The PMA has not yet determined what charges will be made to the farmer for storing and handling of peanuts he wishes to place in the loan."

The encouraging part in the announcement is that evidently the Grower's Association and the co-ops will be able to purchase peanuts from the farmer and thereby afford him a ready market, instead of forcing him into the loan as was first recommended.

"I have insisted on this feature to the fullest extent," said Burleson, "and am glad we have at least gotten this much concession from them."

According to Burleson, the support price on peanuts will amount to 60 per cent of the February 15, 1952 parity price of \$286 per ton, and it makes provision for proportionate increase if the parity price at the start of the marketing season is higher than the minimum level announced today.

### Gifts Continue To Come In For New Hospital

The hospital gift committee is receiving many valuable gifts. Following is a report of this past week: Two feather pillows, Mrs. W. B. Bennett, 608 W. Main; a check for Ten Dollars from friends of Mrs. J. H. Caton, in her memory; a foot warmer, Mrs. Nora E. Stines; one bed pan, six silver teaspoons, twelve crystal desert dishes and a cream and sugar from Mrs. C. E. Owen; eight water and fruit glass glasses from Mrs. Lydia Thorp; One bedside commode from Mrs. Mary L. Mitchell; one bed pan and one pair crutches from Mrs. Hood King. Green stamp books have been received from the following: Mrs. L. G. Lemertz; Lupe Paramo 2, and Mrs. Don Hill 14.

One room at the hospital has been completely finished with lock and key so that these articles may be kept free from dust and pilfering. Committee in charge: Mrs. James Horton, Mrs. Theo Lamb and Mrs. L. E. McGraw.

### Fancy Riders Are To Attend Horse Show

Top Freeman, 14-year old rider from Abilene, will be in Eastland this weekend, with his shetland pony, and will do trick riding, cattle cutting, etc., at the Horse Show. This youngster is capable of putting on a show alone, it is said.

Wild Bill Elliott, with his famous horse, "Red Boy", will also take part in the show, and the famous Lamb Sisters of Dallas, will be here.

The horse show will be held on the Sig Faircloth Auction grounds both Friday and Saturday nights. An admission fee of one dollar will be charged adults, with children's tickets selling at 50 cents. The show will be held in the daytime on those dates, will be held at the hanger in connection with the livestock exhibit, and will be free.

### Hospital Workers Daily Report

Work is going forward each night at the Eastland Memorial hospital, loyal workers are still reporting each night, and now help would be welcomed by them and by M. H. Perry, construction chairman.

Those reporting Monday were Leon Bourland, Jimmy Hart, Nell VanGeem, Penny Warren, Neil Edwards, Terry Warren, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. MacKay, Dr. James Whittington, Curtis Roen, Parks Poe, Doc Alford, R. L. Watson, Foy True, D. Samuels.

Hostess committee included Mmes. R. M. Koch, Ima Jordan, and George Scruggs.

Friday evening's workers were Wayne Jackson, Robert Vaughan, Bill White, R. L. Watson, Curtis Koen, Paul Chaney, Willie Speaker, Rev. T. Olliphant, D. Samuels, Dr. James Whittington, Jimmy Hart, I. H. Crow, Foy True.

Hostesses Friday evening were Mmes. Wiley Harbin, M. P. Herzig and T. L. Vines.

# Red Cross Calls For \$500 More In County

### Constructive Work Done By Rotary Club

Rotarians have been fostering a kind of "play ground equipment drive" for some weeks, and the committee made its report at Monday's luncheon.

Recent activities have been at the Negro school, and according to these reports, that school now has first class play ground equipment. Some of the equipment was moved in from the Morton Valley school and installed here.

The school had asked for basketball equipment for both boys and girls, as well as other things. This will be given. Four saws, 8 swings and a merry-go-round, have already been moved in, and the school is in pretty fair shape so far as equipment is concerned.

The water committee did not make a report other than that everything is going on as it should and that an election will soon be called to vote the bonds. Actual construction might begin in July or August.

Geo. Lane put in a plug for the Horse Show to be held here this weekend in conjunction with the Livestock Show. Tickets are now on sale for the Horse Show. The Livestock show will be free.

"I Can Hear It Now" was the name of a recording that was heard at the close of the meeting. It gave many "famous last words" and near "last words" of famous individuals over a period covering World War II and up to the present.

Paragraphs from addresses made by Hitler, Mussolini, Stalin, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Chamberlain, Truman and others were heard.

Announcements concerning the surrender of Japan and of Germany were also heard. The picture was educational and entertaining.

### Appeal Made For Food For Coming Livestock Show

Citizens who have promised food and money for the Eastland County Livestock Association Show March 28, and 29 are asked to have same at the show grounds located north of Eastland at the old Air port hanger, which have been converted into barns and show grounds, or to leave the items at Hollifield store by 10: a.m. Friday March 28th.

If you have not been contacted, but wish to contribute sandwiches, cakes or pies, please contact one of the women of the committee as follows: Mmes. Johnny Aaron, Harold Courtney, Clinton McCain, W. H. Cooper, Red Graham, Pete Tindall, and Cecil Hollifield.

# County Youths Take Honors In Tri-County Livestock Show

Ranger boys shared honors with other Eastland County lads in Ranger's fifth annual Tri-County Livestock Show in Ranger Friday and Saturday.

They showed a large number of fine dairy animals to first places in their division. Many of the animals entered by the Eastland County youths were third generation Jersey calves, whose mothers had been donated through Ranger Jaycee and Eastland County dairy youth programs.

Under the program, a youth must return the first heifer calf from the gift animal.

Outstanding performances were also given by Joe Buckley of the Desdemona 4-H Club, who showed animals which took two first places in these classes in the sheep division and by Jonel and Dayle Penny of the Ranger 4-H Club, who showed some fine Rambouillet sheep.

About 140 animals were entered in this year's show, to make it the largest in its five year history.

### Plans Progressing For County-Wide Singing Assembly

Arrangements are progressing for the County-wide Singing Convention, which will be held in Eastland, April 12 and 13, Judge R. L. Rust, member of the publicity committee said today.

The judge, who has written to several of the more popular music companies and quartets said Friday that he had a letter from Frank Stamps of the Stamps Music Co., saying that he and Mrs. Stamps will try to be here Saturday evening in time for the Saturday night's session and for the Sunday all-day meeting.

The convention which gives promise of being the best ever held will be as usual at the Eastland high school auditorium. The committees are as follows:

Arrangements: W. E. Hallenbeck, Tommy Nichols, Oscar Parr and H. J. Tanner.

Publicity: Kenneth Mayhall, Judge Rust, and W. E. Hallenbeck.

Lunch: Mmes. Frank Hodges, Monroe Walker, and Clyde McEse.

Coffee: Clyde McBee, Frank Hodges, Dean Todd, Bernard Hanna, Tommy Nichols.

Finance: Homer Smith, treasurer.

Ushers: N. P. McCarney, Homer Smith, Harvey Basham, and L. Pittman.

### Castleberry To Give Free Baby Chicks Fri. 28

Free Chix on Friday, that's the Castleberry plan.

The first 100 people to visit the Castleberry Feed store next Friday morning, March 28, will be paid for their visit. That is they will be given a ticket which may be redeemed later in the day. Each ticket will call for 15 live baby chicks.

The store will open its doors at 7: o'clock, but in all probability most tickets will have been given away by that time, it is thought. This method of giving away chicks has been adopted in order to protect the building and stock, should pandemonium reign, as it did last year. Ticket owners will be told when to come back for their chicks.

### French Premier Will Give Budget To National Ass.

PARIS, March 25 UP—Premier Antoine Pinay of France will present his budget program to the National Assembly today.

The French cabinet last night approved Pinay's plan for the biggest budget in the nation's history. Pinay proposes to increase government expenditures without raising taxes. The Premier also hopes to grant total amnesty to past tax evaders.

### New Disaster Cause County Quota To Be Raised \$500.00 According To J. E. Matthews, Disaster Chairman

Editors Note: Following is a letter sent to Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Chairman of the American National Red Cross for Eastland County and Jimmy Matthews of Ranger, disaster chairman for the County chapter.

The overwhelming disaster which has crushed dozens of communities in Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, and Missouri on March 21, 1952, has left in its wake 178 known dead with a constantly increasing death list. 877 have been injured with thousands of people homeless. Losses will run into the millions.

To meet this great emergency, thousands of chapter volunteers

have been on duty since the tornado struck. The national organization is dispatching trained workers including doctors and nurses to the stricken areas. Food, clothing, and shelter are being provided. Whole blood and plasma have been delivered by plane. Cots, blankets, emergency power generators, and water purifiers are a part of the Red Cross equipment rushed to the stricken communities. We have appropriated \$1,000,000 to meet immediate emergency needs.

This great disaster, the worst tornado in a decade, has placed upon the Red Cross and added burden of at least \$5,000,000 for meeting human needs. With our reserves depleted, it is necessary to go to the public for this money, not as a separate appeal, but one to be combined with our present annual campaign. On this basis, your chapter's fair share is \$500.00. Please assure the public the needs of the disaster victims will be met. We are confident of the support of your chapter and the generosity of your citizens.

### Eastland Boys To Fort Hood

FORT HOOD, Texas.—PFC James M. Kinser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kinser, Gorman, Texas, and PFC John G. Morales, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Morales of Ranger have arrived at Ft. Hood to participate in Exercise Long Horn, the largest military maneuver in the U. S. since World War II.

The Army-Air Force exercise involving more than 115,000 men will start March 23 and continue for 17 days.

Night and paratroop operations, simulated atomic attacks and tests of mobility and firepower of armored units will be emphasized the four participating divisions.

Private First Class Kinser, a sheet metal worker in Company C of the 61st Engineer Constructing Battalion, entered the Army in March 1951. He attended the Sheet Metal School at Fort Belvoir, Va.

PFC Morales, a demolition specialist in Company C of the 61st Engineers, entered the army in March 1951. He is formerly employed by the Texas and Pacific Railroad.

### Eastland Ice Plant Burns

The old Eastland ice plant, located in the northwest outskirts of the city, was totally destroyed by fire early Monday morning. Origin of the fire is unknown.

The plant had not been in operation for some years, and ice making machinery and other items were removed some 5 years ago. The building was owned by O. D. Dillingham. It is not known whether insurance was carried to cover the loss or not.

### Turkey Growers Will Meet In Carbon Thurs.

Turkey Growers in Eastland and adjoining counties are to have a second meeting at the high school auditorium in Carbon on Thursday night at 7:30 p.m., and those interested, both men and women, are urged to be present.

The Growers plan to form a new organization at that time, and will work to the end of really aiding growers in this section. They are now working on an enlarged and improved program, and growers in this area will produce more birds this year than ever in history, it is said.

J. H. Tidwell, of Desdemona, plans to raise 3,500 turkeys this year, and there are several breeders who will raise from 1,000 to 3,000 birds. Mr. Tidwell operates a hatchery at Desdemona, and during the season will hatch off 60,000 pouls.

He says people in Minnesota tend turkey production a very remunerative business, and that because of climatic conditions in this section, birds can be produced more economically, thereby giving the producer a larger profit.

### County Office Hunting Owner Car Lisc. 5J-741

On March 20th, 1952, the County Tax Assessor-Collector's office issued a Farm License tag No. 5J-741. The person to whom this tag was issued is unknown to them, and has in his possession the State's copy of this receipt.

If you are the owner of this plate number will you please notify us of your name and address in order that they might secure this receipt. You may call collect or write: Stanley Webb, County Tax Assessor-Collector, Eastland, telephone 148.

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**Court Of Civil Appeals Eleventh District**

Eastland, Texas March 21, 1952

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

**Motions Submitted**  
3493-2917 J. D. Tolle, et al vs. Moree Sawtelle, et al. Howard  
3494-2946 Texas Employers Insurance Association vs. Doyle A. Agan. Agreed motion for extension of time to file briefs. Brown

**Motions Granted**  
3493-2917 J. D. Tolle, et al vs. insurance Association vs. Doyle A. Agan. Agreed motion for extension of time to file briefs. Brown

**Motions Overruled**  
3494-946 J.D. Tolle, et al vs. Moree Sawtelle, et al. Appellee's motion for rehearing. Howard

**Motions Submitted and Granted**  
March 19, 1952.  
3496—Horace Walker vs.

The State of Texas, Appellant's motion for Extension of Time to File Report. Eastland

Cases Set for Submission March 28, 1952.

2928 Big Spring Tractor Company vs. Robert C. Scott. Howard  
2029 Hannah Steele vs. Floyd Scurry  
2930 N. T. Nelson vs. Glenn Franklin Lassater. Howard  
2931 Farnk Morales vs. William R. Roddy, et al. Howard  
2932 Oliver Palm vs. The Estate of Mrs. Valina Palm, deceased. Shackelford  
2932 M. J. Pounds, et al vs. G. R. Richardson, et al. Comanche

Cases Set for Submission April 11, 1952

2934 Roy M. Fair vs. Caraway Drilling Company, et al. Curry  
2935 Beverly Hills National Bank & Trust Co. et al vs. Robert L. Lail. Taylor  
2936 Kenneth Bancraft vs. C. V. Welch, et al. Jones  
2937 C. M. Foreman vs. R. F. Stevenson. Fisher  
2938 Blanche Spires Bogart, et vir vs. Pearl Spires, et al. Nolan  
2939 Rita Barber Davis, et al vs. City of Abilene. Taylor

Cases Set for Submission May 30, 1952.

2925 Pete Wessels, et al vs. Rio Bravo Oil Company, et al. Taylor  
2940 Local Trademarks, Inc. vs. Clary & Sons Plumbing & Heating. Taylor

**Eastland Youth—**  
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man 4-H. 3. Rising Star FFA Chapter shown by Bobby Elliott. 4. Dean Tindall, Eastland FFA. 5. Danold Laminack, Gorman 4-H.

Class I (Beef calves any breed 850 pounds and over)—1. Clifford Erwin, Rising Star FFA Breeder R. B. Erwin of Rising Star. Hereford calf. 2. Jerry Davis, Rising Star 4-H. 3. Rising Star FFA chapter. Shown by Marvin Mashburn. 4. Rising Star FFA shown by Bob Elliott. 5. Edward Alford, Rising Star FFA.

Class II (Two-tooth and over ewes, all other breeds)—1. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H. Suffolk. 2. James Ryon, Desdemona. South-down.

Class III (Kid does)—1. Donald Boyd, Cisco 4-H. 2. Danny Boyd, Cisco 4-H. 3. Donald Boyd, Cisco 4-H.

Class IV (Fat yearlings either sex any breed)—1. Benny Gailey, Ranger 4-H. Rambouillet. 2. Byron Gailey, Ranger FA. 3. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H.

Class V (Breeding lamb ewes, all other breeds)—no entries.

Class VI (Two-tooth and over ewes, all other breeds)—1. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H. Suffolk. 2. James Ryon, Desdemona. South-down.

Class VII (Breeding lamb rams Rambouillet)—1. Jonel Penny, Ranger 4-H. 2. Dayle Penny, Ranger 4-H. 3. Clovis Moore, Cisco FFA. 4. Earnest Moore, Cisco FFA. 5. Earnest Moore, Cisco FFA.

Class VIII (Two-tooth and over rams of—no entries.

Class IX (Breeding lambs rams all other breeds)—1. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H. Suffolk. 2. James Ryon, Desdemona. South-down.

Class X (Two-tooth and over rams all other breeds)—no entries.

Class XI (Fat lambs either sex any breed)—1. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H. Club. Rambouillet. Southdown Cross. 2. Bob Gailey, Ranger FFA. 3. Guy Warden, Eastland 4-H. 4. Bob Gailey, Ranger FFA. 5. Guy Warden, Eastland FFA.

Class XII (Fat yearlings either sex any breed)—1. Benny Gailey, Ranger 4-H. Rambouillet. 2. Byron Gailey, Ranger FA. 3. Joe Buckley, Desdemona 4-H.

Class XIII (Rambouillet breeding ewe lambs)—1. Jonel Penny, Ranger 4-H. 2. Dayle Penny, Ranger 4-H.

Class XIV (Two-tooth and over Rambouillet ewes)—1. Jonel Penny, Ranger 4-H. 2. Dayle Penny, Ranger 4-H. 3. Paul Robertson, Gorman FFA.

2941 G. E. Pinson vs. H. H. Odum, et al. Taylor  
2942 Brooks McKinney, et ux vs. City of Abilene. Taylor  
2944 Jesse H. Reynolds, et ux vs. Ona Mangrum. Eastland  
2945 Stephenville Production Credit Association vs. D. Rockwell, et al. Comanche

**Swine Division**

Class I (Fat barrows)—1. James Falk, Ranger FFA, Hampshire. 2. Ferrell Buchanan, Ranger FFA. 3. Marvin Mashburn, Rising Star FFA. 4. Clifford McKinney, Cisco FFA. 5. Cooter Nelson, Olden 4-H.

Class II (Breeding gilts any breed)—1. Robert Bostick, Scranton 4-H. Duroc. 2. Terry Bostick, Scranton 4-H. 3. Ronnie Bostick, Scranton 4-H. 4. Dave Massengale, Eastland 4-H. 5. James Ryon, Desdemona 4-H.

Class III (Breeding sows any breed)—1. Byron Gailey, Ranger FFA. Poland Chin breed. 2. Dan Jobe, Scranton 4-H. 3. Edwin Hattox, Gorman FFA.

Class IV (Sow and litter not weened)—1. Rexford Swintie, Cisco 4-H. Duroc. 2. Ralph Berry, Cisco 4-H. 3. Don Jobe, Scranton 4-H.

Class V (Sow and litter weened)—no entries.

Class VI (Boars any breed under one year)—Don Jobe, Scranton 4-H. Duroc. 2. Jimmy Sandlin, Class VII (Boars any breed over one year)—no entries.

Class VIII (Kid does)—1. Donald Boyd, Cisco 4-H. 2. Danny Boyd, Cisco 4-H. 3. Donald Boyd, Cisco 4-H.

Class IX (Two-tooth and over does)—1. Donald Boyd, Cisco 4-H. Grand Champion Female—Donald Boyd with winner of Class I. Class III (Kid bucks) and Class IV (Two-tooth and over bucks)—no entries.

**WBS Charged As Wrecking Wage Stabilization**

By United Press  
CIO President Philip Murray charged that Defense Mobilizer Charles Wilson is trying to "wreck the entire wage stabilization program."

Murray, who also is president of the CIO Steelworkers, said Wilson has created a situation in which no "self-respecting union" will consent to bring a dispute before the wage board.

Wilson, who returned to Washington after talks with President Truman in Key West, Fla., repudiated a wage board recommendation that CIO Steelworkers get a 26-cent hourly package increase.

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**By V. T. Hamlin**





Showing at Majestic in Eastland, Fri. - Sat., March 28-29



**CLASH OF WILLS.** Elizabeth Scott, as a cafe singer with underworld contacts, defies questioning by Robert Mitchum in his police role for Howard Hughes' presentation "The Racket" for RKO Radio. Robert Ryan, as master racketeer, is their co-star in the Edmund Grainger production, which John Cromwell directed.

**Specialist At A&M Says Farmer Can Answer Fish Problem Easily**

(COLLEGE STATION, March 20)—Where shall we go fishing and what about bait? That is a topic which will be discussed by many a fisherman during the

next few weeks and months and R. E. Callender, specialist in Wildlife conservation for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, believes every farmer and rancher who owns a good pond or tank can solve the problem without leaving home.

He suggests first giving the pond a good spring cleaning. That is, clean up around the pond. Remove the trash that has accumulated and make the pond and surrounding area an attractive spot that can be enjoyed by the family

and their friends. If the pond isn't now stocked with fish, he suggests contacting your local county agent for information on this very important item.

If the pond or tank is already stocked, he recommends a fertilization program. Farm ponds can be fertilized just the same as can farm crops and the results are equally as good. He likes to use a mixture of 400 pounds of cottonseed meal and 200 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate. The first application of 300 pounds per surface acre of water should be made about this time of the year. Broadcast it on the surface of the pond and follow with a second, third and fourth application of 100 pounds each at three to four week intervals. The fertilizer program should be completed before hot weather arrives and before July 1, says Callender.

High grade commercially mixed fertilizers can be substituted for the above mixture, says the specialist and should be applied at the rate of 500 to 600 pounds per acre per year. The first application should be from 200 to 300 pounds per acre and 100 pound applications should follow at three to four intervals until the total amount recommended is used.

Properly fertilized ponds, he points out, will have a greenish-brown color. When this color begins to disappear after each application, it's time to apply more fertilizer. Callender says a good test is to plunge the arm into the water up to the elbow, if the make the next application.

Here's why the fertilizer is so important. A given pond can produce only a certain poundage of fish each year and will consist of many small, stunted fish or a smaller number of large edible fish—available food determines the ponds. The fertilizer increases the microscopic plant and or "bloom." Plankton is the first animal life known as plankton link in the food production chain for the fish. Increases the food supply and the number of pounds of fish produced is raised in the same proportion, says Callender.

Now for the bait. He says produce it at home. A well-tended earth worm bed will furnish plenty of strong, frisky worms; the kind fish like to bite. Minnows can also be produced in a smaller pond or in tanks built for the purpose, says the specialist. Surplus bait, he adds usually finds a ready market in most communities. And finally, Callender adds, a well-managed pond is a well-fished pond. Keep the number of fish in balance with food supplies and should undesirable species become too numerous in the pond, remove all fish; restock and start over. Such a program will make good fishing possible right at home and will provide recreation nothing of the addition to family for family and friends to say menu.

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We feel this new regulation will assist all of us in the use of our parking meters.

Until new tickets can be printed we will continue using the old tickets, but the above regulations will apply immediately.

EASTLAND CITY COMMISSION



Mr., Mrs. Lynch Home In Odessa

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roy Lynch are making their home in Odessa, since their marriage March 17th in Cisco. Mrs. Lynch is the former Miss Shirley Fay Alford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Alford. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lynch of Cisco are the parents of the bride.

The Rev. C. M. Moad read the ceremony in his home in Cisco. The bride wore a navy blue suit, white accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

Mrs. Lynch was a student in Olden High School and Mr. Lynch is employed with the construction unit of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Sewing Club Honors Mrs. Mitchell

Mrs. J. T. Beggs was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club, Wednesday March 19, when they honored Mrs. Davy Mitchell with a birthday party.

Games of Bingo were played, and Mrs. Mitchell opened and displayed her birthday gifts. Mrs. Beggs was presented a hostess gift by the club members. A new member, Mrs. William Beggs, was welcomed into the club, and Mrs. M. M. Whitley attended the meeting after several weeks absence.

Secret Pal names were drawn for the next meeting which will be in the home of Mrs. Butler, on April 2.

Refreshments of Coffee and cake were served to the following: Mesdames M. M. Whitley, Davy Mitchell, J. C. Butler, A. W. Wright, Jr., William Beggs, O. H. Lenhart, James Wright, J. R. Powers, Jr., Richard May, Geo. Ford, M. G. Key, and several children, by the hostess, Mrs. Beggs.

Church of God Prayer Group Meet Friday

Members of the Ladies Prayer Group of the Church of God met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Homer Stiffler, for the regular weekly meeting.

Mrs. Stiffler presided over the business session during which the group planned a social for each month throughout the spring and summer to be on the last Friday of each month and to be in the homes of members unless otherwise designated.

There were several prayer requests for Salvation, of the lost, healing the war situation and for rain.

Mrs. Bill Powers presented the devotional based on the 8th chapter of Romans.

A short social period followed the program during which refreshments of cookies and iced fruit punch was served to Mesdames Tom Tucker, Minnie Ganow, Powers, Marge Green, W. E. Hallenbeck Jr., Dean Todd, Stella George, Miss Vera Parsons, Mrs. Dean Todd and daughter, Vanessa by the hostess.

The next meeting of the group will be at the Church Friday at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome, the reporter said.

Past Matrons Meet Thursday In Beard Home

The past Matrons of the Eastern Star met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. J. A. Beard, 511 S. Dixie.

Mrs. Carl Timmons, president, presided over the short business session, which was followed by a social hour during which the hostess served refreshments of cake and coffee.

Present were Mesdames Cyrus Miller, Claude Boles, Timmons, Tom Amis, Dave Fiensy, and Mary Barton and the hostess.

Hospital News

It was reported from the West Texas Clinic this morning that the following are patients there:

Everett North, Mrs. George Williams, Pete Stallings, Miss Jessie Ewing, all of Ranger; Mrs. Otto Marshall, Mrs. J. L. Williams Jr., and baby daughter born this morning, of Eastland; Mr. W. L. Hohartz of Caddo, Mrs. A. D. Lewis of Odessa and Mrs. Doyle Brownlee and baby born Monday afternoon, of DeLeon.

From the Ranger General Hospital the patients are: Mrs. Harry Imholtz of Abilene; Mrs. Lorraine McClenny and Rusty Harris of Breckenridge; Mrs. Earl Blackwell, Sr., Mrs. Ava Lingle, Mrs. Bill Bullock and Mrs. Jim Sanders, of Ranger; N. O. Thompson, Mrs. J. H. Ross, Joan Jackson, Bill Pryor and Mrs. Joe Sparks and baby girl, all of Eastland; Melba Taylor, Mrs. Jo Mellvain and Mrs. A. M. Wright of Olden; Mrs. W. B. Prown, Sr.; Mrs. E. D. Clarke, Mrs. C. J. Williams of Caddo, and Mrs. Bill McGinnis of Mingus.

Personals

Mrs. Roy Rushing and her mother Mrs. E. E. Williams have as their guests, Mrs. Williams' other daughters, Mesdames W. B. Smith of Powell, Wyo., and E. B. Stewart of Sidney, Neb.

Mrs. W. F. Harris and daughter of Electra, and Mr. and Mrs. James Sellers of Wichita Falls were the guests here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pentecost.

Mr. and Mrs. George I. Lane met Doug King and their son Geo. Junior in Waco, Saturday and returned them to their homes here for the week-end. The boys are students in A&M College.

Mrs. Walter Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Durham, Jr. and daughters, of Comanche spent Sunday afternoon here visiting in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Parker.

Captain James Dabney of New York City and Thomas Dabney of Lubbock were the week-end guests here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Dabney.

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Model Club's Contest Set March 30th

By Joe Pruet The Eastland Model Club has scheduled a contest with the Abilene Model Club March 30th.

A prize of five dollars cash will be given to the winner of the contest. Other model airplane accessories will be given runner-ups and other contestants.

Belvins Plymouth dealers will furnish the five dollar cash prize and Abilene Senior Advisor will furnish the other prizes.

There will be exhibition flying following the contest awards. Anyone is welcome to come to the contest, but only members of the Eastland and Abilene Model Clubs may enter.

Little Items Of Local Interest

The Billy Graham film, "Mr. Texas," shown at the Baptist Church Saturday evening, was appreciated by all who saw it. It was even better than most people had anticipated. Pastor Kathcal says he will make an effort to bring the picture back to this city for a second showing.

The grand jury is in session again this week, and from the number of hours the boys are putting over there, they must have unearthed a major scandal of some kind.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins and family left Sunday for Monahan where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Collins will be connected with the radio station in that city.

The spring season is the most critical growth period for range plants.

Olden Baptists To Have Revival

Olden Baptists are looking forward to the weekend revival to be conducted at that church beginning at 7:30 Thursday evening. There will also be services on Friday and Saturday night, and at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. C. Melvin Rathel, of the First Baptist church, Eastland, will do the preaching.

Sunday night a religious film will be shown, the title of which is "Into the Good Ground." This is a 30-minute film of the very highest standard.

Pastor Nelson, of the Olden church, is anxious that all Baptists, as well as people from other church groups, be present for all services.

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MONDAY—Beef-tips, buttered whole kernel corn buttered carrots combination salad, hot rolls and oleo, prune cake.

TUESDAY—Pinto beans and Wieners, Harvard beets, cabbage and ham hock, Slaw hush puppies, and hot cinnamon rolls.

WEDNESDAY—Hamburgers on home made buns, baked beans fruit jello, and peanut butter cookies.

THURSDAY—Steak, creamed potatoes, fresh greens, combination salad, hot rolls cherry crepes-zettes.

FRIDAY—Fried Chicken and gravy, potato salad, fresh green

beans deviled eggs, sliced bread, ginger bread.

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