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## Moore... ABOUT Eastland

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

Did you notice the three-fourth page picture of Revis D. Tyler III in Friday's issue of Life Magazine? It was really cute. Many of you probably remember Revis. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tyler Jr. who formerly made their home here. The seven-year-old tot lived here from 1947 until July of 1951. His father is with Humble Oil and is now in San Angelo.

The weather's coming up now it seems. For a while here it was really winter. W. C. Hammon, the sewing machine man, was around to check on the reading one day last week. Said it was a nippy 46 out at his house. That's cold to us. Sure 'nuff it is.

Speak of surprises. We had a phone call from Mrs. W. E. Cooper Sr., 402 South Oaklawn, Friday of last week and were really surprised to learn that Billy Cooper of Edinburg is her son. Saturday we met Mrs. Cooper in person and really had a talk about old Billy. By the way we sent our second paper to Edinburg to Bill. His mother decided he should have it and put him on the subscription list. Now we have two faithful—we hope they are faithful—readers in that Rio Grande city.

For you who don't know, Billy coaches the Class 3-A Edinburg Bobcats. He's tops in his field as far as we are concerned, too. You have probably been reading about the Cats. They are rated high in the state and will go even higher. They just might take Temple's place as the AAA champs. One thing is sure. They have an all-state man in halfback Carlos Esquivel. We'll take this opportunity to wish the Cats and Cooper best of luck.

Understand the busiest man in Eastland is County Agent J. M. Cooper. At least that's what Mrs. W. M. Crow, home demonstration agent, says. We think so too. We have been over to see him about half a dozen times and he is always in conference or out in the field. Williams, the assistant county agent, was in a couple of times, and he was a great help, too.

One thing is sure. When they are busy they are a good news source.

Rev. Alfred Nelson, pastor of the Olden Baptist Church, was in to visit last week. Think we might have talked him into getting his church notes in. If we didn't some of you folks at Olden do it for us—or do it yourselves.

We sure would thank you.

Oscar E. Monnig of Ft. Worth, a meteorologist, was through Saturday on his way to Cisco to interview a man who saw a meteor pass over this area last week. Apparently every one in Eastland is sound asleep. At least no one has reported seeing the object. Of course since it passed over at about :30 a.m. most of you probably wouldn't admit seeing it even if you did.

Got that telephone without any trouble. A. A. Trigg—he told me he spelled that just like you would wiggle—the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. plant foreman, fixed her up for us. Got an easy number to remember, too. It's 402-W if you happen to think of something in the middle of the night we should know about. Maw Bell, if you will excuse the familiar language, seems to have a tip-top outfit here. Real friendly operators, too.

Well we have again written too much to fit in column one. They just don't make them long enough any more. See you in Thursday's edition.

### Family Affair

LIVINGSTON, Ala. — Mrs. D. Y. Register of Huntsville, Ala., was enrolled in the Livingston State Teachers College workshop this summer. Her daughter, Mrs. Paul Ramsey, worked on her bachelor's degree in education. Mrs. Ramsey's three daughters, Marcia, 9, and Janet and Jennifer, seven-year-old twins, and their cousin, Donna Register, 10, of Nashville, Tenn., attended the college laboratory school.

### HOUSE HOT!

For Chrysler Airtemp Coolers...  
McGraw Motor Company  
Eastland, Texas

## O. C. Holcomb Rites Held In Cisco Saturday

Funeral services were held Saturday from the First Christian Church in Cisco for Oliver Cowen Holcomb, 63, who died Friday in Fort Worth after an extended illness. Hammer Funeral Home of Eastland was in charge of services with burial in Cisco Cemetery.

Mr. Holcomb is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Lou Brickman of Eastland; two aunts, Mrs. Callie McAfee of Cisco and Mrs. Ada Higginbotham of Alvin; one grandson and many friends.

Mr. Holcomb was born Dec. 26, 1889 in Erath County. In 1890 the family moved from Erath county to Cisco. Mr. Holcomb attended public schools in Cisco and then attended A&M College.

In 1913 he was married to Miss Beulah Williams. One child was born to this union.

Mr. Holcomb spent much of his time in Eastland. He owned property in Cisco and Eastland.

## Farmers To Vote On Cotton Quotas

Eastland county cotton growers will join other farmers in the nation Dec. 15 in voting on rigid marketing quotas that would require them to cut next year's crop about a third below this year's.

Secretary of Agriculture Benson has proclaimed the controls and ordered them submitted to farmers for approval. At least two thirds of those voting must approve.

The proposed reduction, which he described as "severe" was made necessary, the secretary said, because this year's 15,596,000-bale crop had created a top-heavy surplus. He said he had no choice, explaining that he set quotas at the minimum permitted by law.

Benson, to carry out the quotas, announced a 1954 planting allotment of 17,910,448 acres compared with about 24,500,000 acres planted this year. Proposals were being advanced on Capitol Hill to raise the allotment to at least 21,000,000 acres.

## Pecan Crop Expected To Be High

This year's pecan crop will top last year's, the Department of Agriculture has reported.

A predicted 178,354,000 pound crop is predicted. Last year's crop totaled 123,638,000 pounds.

Although the crop isn't coming in yet, and won't run heavy until November and December, shellers already are attempting to make guesses on prices.

Pecans sold at 20 to 21 cents a pound last year, with paper-shells and other grades drawing standard premiums.

This year's crop may sell as low as 10 cents, some say, but others are predicting a price of 16 to 17 cents a pound. The price of labor will keep the price up, the latter say.

## EASTLAND DOGIES ENTERTAIN CISCO JUNIORS THURSDAY IN JUNIOR HIGH DISTRICT GAME

Eastland's Junior High School Dogies will try to get back on the win trail here Thursday night when they take on the Cisco Juniors at Maverick Stadium. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

The Dogies, upset last Thursday by the Ranger Pups, hold two wins and a lone loss. They beat De Leon 12-6 and Dublin 32-13 before dropping the tilt to Ranger. It might be noted that Coach Wayne Brock's Dogies have not been defeated this year at Maverick Stadium.

The starting Dogie line-up will probably read like this. At left end it will probably be Virgil Lee, a 120 pounder. He wears number 20 on his back. Rex Webb, 36, 165 pounds, will be at left tackle; John Lively, 37, left guard, 116 pounds; Kenneth Watson, 33, center, 116; Henry VanGeem, 21, right guard, 108; Johnny McMahon, 38, right tackle, 147; Charles May, 26, right end, 122; Clint Humphreys, 24, quarterback, 90; Mike Manning, 22, left half, 110; Saul Pullman, 32, right half,

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the progress, prosperity and national security of the United States depends upon the conservation, through their wisest and most efficient use, of our rich heritage of natural resources and

WHEREAS Petroleum, which supplies the American people with more than 62% of their power needs, is one of this nation's most precious natural resources and

WHEREAS the two million Americans engaged in the oil business use the most up-to-date conservation practices in finding, producing, refining, transporting and marketing petroleum products and

WHEREAS the conservation of all other resources, such as topsoil, water, food, fibres, rubber and scarce strategic metals and chemicals needed by civilians and their Armed Services is made possible on a large scale through the employment of machines powered and lubricated by oil and by the growing use of plastics, synthetic rubber and other products made from petrochemicals and

WHEREAS residents of our community who are engaged in the oil business are desirous of illustrating their contributions to conservation through speeches, films and other means, which explain their activities and the activities of their competitive, progressive companies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, George L. Davenport, Mayor of Eastland do hereby proclaim this week of October 11th to 17th, inclusive, to be Eastland Oil Progress Week and do call to the serious consideration of all citizens the many services and contributions which oil men who live and work among us have made and are making to the betterment of our public, social, business and private lives, as well as to the security of our beloved country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Eastland to be affixed.

George L. Davenport, Mayor

## EASTLAND COUNTY WILDCAT IS SCHEDULED NEAR RISING STAR

Eastland county oil news perked up this week with the announcement that a 1,995-foot wildcat has been scheduled three miles north of Rising Star.

Fitzhugh Petroleum Co. of Dallas will drill the well. It is 467 feet from the south and 1,228 feet from the east lines of Subdivision 20, James Jett Survey.

Other county oil activity showed that Fred Birdsong, Tyler, stacked No. 1 R. A. Some five miles north of Rising Star, 150 feet from the north lines of Section 25, Block 2, ETRR Survey. Slated depth is 1,200 feet.

Other area oil news: STEPHENS—Woodson Oil Co., Fort Worth, will drill a 5,000-foot wildcat in Stephens County 3 1/2 miles southeast of Newton. It will be No. 1 T. C. Harris.

Location is 330 feet from the north and 690 feet from the east lines of Section 123, TE&L Survey.

J. E. Connally et al, No. 1-A Wagley Estate is a new project in the area four miles south of Wayland, 330 feet from the south

and east lines of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 27, Block 7, T&P Survey. Slated depth is 4,000 feet.

Gulf Oil Co. No. 21 I. A. Stoker will be a 2,450-foot project four miles southeast of Breckenridge, 1,371 feet from the north and 990 feet from the west lines of Section 2087, TE&L Survey.

The Texas Company No. 71-A J. W. Parks, NCT-1 will be a 2,500-foot project 3 1/2 miles south east of Breckenridge, 1,130 feet from the north and 1,360 feet from the west lines of Section 3366, TE&L Survey.

The occasion was a barbecue supper which is an annual kick-off feature of the membership drive. Sixty Farm Bureau leaders and members attended and heard the inspirational address by the Southern Region organization specialist, who further stated that "farmers must have faith in themselves and a will to work at solving their problems."

Howard Ingram, from Nimrod, is membership chairman. He introduced his community workers and distributed membership kits to each one. The county goal this year is 425 members.

A. Z. Myrick, county president, stated that Texas has the greatest potential for a great organization, as compared to other states, if only farmers and ranchers will do their part, in getting more members during this state-wide membership drive.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lilly of Brownwood and B. J. Gist of Abilene.

A program of piano and accordion numbers was given by Miss Marylis Stewart and Clarence Weatherly, after the supper, and preceding the speaker of the evening.

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Presents the Weather Report

## Fair Weather With Little Change Forecast

More fair weather with little or no change in the next three days is the prediction of the U.S. Weather Bureau.

**Useful Picks**  
STROUG, Me. — Toothpicks are used to patch helicopter blades according to the Forster Manufacturing Co., which makes toothpicks. It seems that when old fabric is torn off for replacement, there are 642 holes exposed and toothpicks are stuck into the holes before new fabric is put on.

# Youth Sent to Reform School; Gang Broken Up

## SERIES OF THEFTS AND MINOR CRIMES SOLVED

(Editor's Note: This story is a story the Telegram had rather not print. It is a story which cannot be overlooked, however, and still do our duty as newspapermen. The story is factual, it is not dramatized. In Thursday's issue of the Telegram is a series of articles on the problem of juvenile delinquency will begin.)

It struck home again last week. The dread juvenile delinquency. A 16-year-old Eastland youth was sent to the State Reform School after a hearing in Juvenile Court in Eastland Saturday.

The youth was accused of a

score of crimes and several other teen-agers were implicated in the wave of thefts, tricks and petty offenses.

Evidence brought out at the hearing showed that the youth had been the leader of a loosely organized gang of youths. He "operated" with different boys at different times.

One of the most serious charges brought against him was the theft of scrap metal from a Ranger scrap iron dealer. County Attorney Joe Nuesse said "we know he was the ring leader in taking about \$99 worth of scrap steel from a Ranger scrap iron dealer and later selling it to another junk yard."

The youth, who kept several different license plates in his car and interchanged them often, was also accused of shooting along roads with a .22 rifle from a moving car. Nuesse said, "it can't be proved that the boy actually killed any stock, but we do know that some have been killed near the same places where he was known to have been firing at signs."

The youth had previously been in Abilene Boy's Ranch. Earlier this month four other youths were declared juveniles in the same court.

Several of the other boys involved testified at the hearing, despite threats from the 16-year-old.

A colorful parade through downtown Dallas at 10 a.m. was led by the 200-piece University of Texas Longhorn band. Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey snipped a silken ribbon with a pair of golden shears to officially open the fair at the main gate.

The Pan-American Livestock Exposition, one of the most promising shows the fair has ever line up, started Saturday with judging of quarter horses. Cattle and sheep judging began Monday.

There was almost continuous entertainment of the big Midway stage, including the Sky Revue by the Sensational Kays and the Aerial Alcoids, performances by the famous Plymouth Kiltie Baspipe Band and the official U. S. Women's Air Force Band.

The "Saturday Nite Shindig" in the Bandshell, a Battle of Songs pitting top Gospel quartets at 4 p.m. Sunday in the Cotton Bowl, antique auto driving contests in front of the Hall of State Sunday afternoon were special events for the first two days.

Daily attractions include the Ethel Merman Show in the Auditorium, Ice Cycles of 1954 and the Aut Swenson Thrillcade.

## County Cancer Society Leaders Asked To Meeting

Leaders of the American Cancer Society's program in Eastland County have been invited to the fourth annual meeting of the Society's District 13, to be held Oct. 20 in Graham.

## 1st Methodist Budget Drive Nears Goal

With \$366.28 per week reported at the second report, dinner of the First Methodist Church Budget Campaign on Monday evening victory is in sight for the \$400 per week goal of the campaign. With enough prospects yet to be seen to subscribe the remaining \$33.72 per week to reach the goal, the victory dinner has been set for Tuesday, Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. at the church.

Each family will bring a basket dinner sufficient for their family and their guests. The speaker for the evening will be the Rev. Leslie W. Seymour, Cisco district superintendent.

## Mrs. Perkins Speaks For San Angelo Club Women Last Friday

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins was speaker for the San Angelo Women's Club Friday.

Mrs. Perkins used as her theme, "The Little Red School House" and carried along McGuffey's reader and the Blue Backed spelling book for use in her talk.

## Kidnaper Is In W. Texas?

He hasn't been seen here yet, but almost every other place in West Texas has him spotted.

The subject in question is Tom Marsh, 37, wanted in the Kansas City kidnaping of Bobby Greenleaf.

West Texas law enforcement officers had their hands full after Marsh was reported sought. Eastland county sheriff Frank Tucker's office was one of the few not to receive reports that the suspect had been spotted. Road blocks were set up near Brownwood at one time when Marsh was said seen in that vicinity.

## V. L. Jones To Represent Local Dairymen

V. L. Jones of Ranger has been elected as Eastland county's delegate to the West Texas District of the American Dairy Association of Texas. Jones will represent dairy farmers of this area.

Six other counties in the District have also chosen delegates. They are: Brown County, Joe Shelton Jr., and W. D. Godfrey of Brownwood; George Hughes, Blanket; Coleman—J. H. Martin, Trickham; Comanche—W. M. Durham, Comanche; A. Z. Myrick, Cisco; J. M. Sparks, Desdemona;

Erath—Joe Hancock, Jr., and A. F. McInroe, Stephenville; Harold Parks, Kingville; Rannels—J. K. Webb, Miles; J. R. Harris, Winters; Taylor—Ray Crowell, Abilene; Palo Pinto is the only county which has not chosen delegates.

Assisting by providing information to dairy farmers, the Agricultural Extension Service county agents in the area are the following: J. M. Cooper, Eastland; J. H. Rothe, Brownwood; C. M. Huckabee, Coleman; W. K. Frey, Comanche; Tom Atkins, Stephenville; R. E. Lindsey, Palo Pinto; J. A. Barton, Ballinger; and H. C. Stanley, Jr., Abilene.

The State ADA has made much headway in the last 12 months in interesting both plants and dairymen in participating in the penny set-aside program. Participating dairymen have doubled, from 9,000 in 1952 to 18,000 this year.

The purpose of the program is to expand the market for milk and dairy foods, thus increasing the wealth of a dairy community and increasing the business of the dairymen.

Dr. Grant's sermon last evening was "I Believe God," and this morning "The Christian Race." He is an outstanding pastor, preacher, and evangelist, stated pastor C. Melvin Rathel.

# THREE EASTLAND DEALERS PUT NEW 1954 PLYMOUTH ON DISPLAY HERE THURSDAY

The new Plymouth for 1954 will go on display here a n d throughout the United States on Thursday, Oct. 15. Eastland's three dealers announced today.

The new models have optional power steering and three choices of power drives.

The new Plymouth can be seen here at McGraw Motor Co., Blevins Motor Co., and Rushing Motor Co.

"We are confident that people will like the new beauty of our 1954 cars," President John P. Mansfield of Plymouth said. "We are absolutely certain that they are the most durable, best riding, best performing and roomiest cars that Plymouth has ever built."

Plymouth is using the link type of power steering. The hydraulic "muscle" is in the steering linkage. Plymouth officials say it is the most effective, compact and serviceable installation produced for cars in the low price field. It reduces steering effort up to 80 per cent, permits fingertip control in tight parking situations and promotes safe driving through lessening of driver fatigue and absorption of road shock.

In its 1954 line, Plymouth offers three options in power drives. Hy-drive, a no-shift unit made up

## Mayor Outlines City's New, Old Projects

Mayor George L. Davenport, in an address before Eastland Rotary Monday, spoke about "Eastland and Its Problems."

Mayor Davenport, who with T. L. Fagg and K. N. Wilson is a new member on the Eastland city commission, briefly outlined what his administration hopes to accomplish during the immediate future. Holdover members of the commission are W. W. Linkenhogger and J. H. Rushing. A. E. Taylor is new city manager.

High on the list of Mayor Davenport's suggestions was a city paving program. Public parks was another of his suggestions for improvements. He told the club something definitely needed to be done about dead trees throughout the city and said the city needed to plan to make use of the Fort Worth radar storm and disaster warning station which will cover this area.

In closing, the ex-District Judge brought out the problem of city taxes. Stating that he was not starting an all-out drive to collect them, he said the city would go ahead and accept them as they were brought in.

## Two Fined In County Court Monday

Two pleas of guilty were heard Monday in Judge John Hart's County Court. Lee W. Malone pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated and Paul K. White entered a plea of guilty to selling beer in a dry county.

Both men waived jury trial.

Malone was fined \$75 and cost of court. The minimum fine for DWI is \$50.

White was fined \$100 and cost on recommendation of the Liquor Control Board. The fine was the minimum.

## The Cat Comes Back —140 Miles Worth

A cat owned by Mrs. W. G. Martin of Durham disappeared in Gastonia, N. C., on a recent visit there by Mrs. Martin. She gave the cat up for lost, but when she returned here the cat was waiting in the front yard.

"There was no doubt about it, she said. "Somehow my cat got home, over the more than 140 miles. It seems impossible to me."

The cat is a four-year-old alley variety named "Blackie."

## Cisco Voters To Decide Power Question

Cisco property owners go to the polls today to decide whether or not the City of Cisco will issue \$300,000 in revenue bonds to purchase the two gas distribution systems there.

Polls opened this morning at 8 a.m. and will close at 7 p.m. City Hall is the only polling place.

Approximately 1,000 are expected to cast their ballots in the important election.

The two companies now operating systems in the city are Lone Star Gas Co. and the Cisco Gas Co.

The bond issue calls for improving on the gas distribution systems of both firm's holdings.

**ECONOMY WINNER!!**  
DODGE V-8  
McGraw Motor Company  
Eastland, Texas



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## EASTLAND MAVERICKS BOUNCE BACK WITH 25-12 VICTORY OVER WYLIE HI FRIDAY NIGHT

Eastland's up-again, down-again Maverick were definitely up-again Friday night as they rolled to an easy 25-12 victory over the Wylie Bulldogs in a District 7-A clash played in Wylie.

The game was a moral win for the Mavs as well as a victory in the district records. Eastland proved that the one-sided loss to Ranger last week was probably a fluke.

It was Eastland's ground game that proved to be the difference between the two teams. Although the Mavs went to the air six times, they did not complete a single pass. It was the swift running of Jamie Jessop and the alertness of the Mavericks that gave Eastland the victory. Jessop raced over for four touchdowns, but two of them were called back because of infractions of the rules. One of the TDs called back was a brilliant 60 yard scamper.

Eastland took first blood. Verne Meroney, on a quarterback sneak, raced 50 yards for a six-pointer. Stanley Harris' try for extra point was wide and the scoreboard read 6-0 in favor of Eastland.

Wylie evened things up in the second quarter as Genkie Beyer fought his way over his own right tackle for eight yards and a touchdown. Digger Odell attempted the kick, but it was no good.

Eastland scored again before halftime to go ahead for good. The TD came when Fred Williams caught a blocked punt on the Wylie eight and went over almost untouched. Harris again failed in his conversion try.

In the third stanza Jamie Jessop hit the right side of the line and went over standing up from the four. Harris still couldn't find the range with his toe and the score

stood, Eastland 18, Wylie 6.

Jessop intercepted a Wylie pass on the 30 and went the distance to the endzone for the final score. Harris kick was good this time to give Eastland a 25-6 lead.

Wylie's final touchdown came late in the final period when Elton Long passed good to Synn South for 12 yards and a TD. Long then attempted a pass for the extra point, but it fell incomplete.

The Mavs had only one player injured in the game. That was a Bob Cooper who suffered a bruised leg. The Bulldogs were not so fortunate, however. In the hard fought but clean game, two of Wylie's star players — in fact the stalwarts of the team—Digger Odell, an end, and Bowers, the Dogs quarterback, were seriously injured. Odell suffered a separated elbow and Bowers' leg was cracked. Both boys will probably be out for the season.

Jessop and Meroney shared honors in the rushing department. Jessop carried the ball 11 times for 44 yards, an average of four yards a try. The two touchdowns sprays called back against 116 speedy back rubbed over 100 yards from his total.

Meroney carried seven times for a 48 yard total. His average was seven yards a carry.

Outstanding for the Mavs on defense were Charles Collins, Stan Harris and Neal Van Geem.

Eastland has an open date next week and will enjoy two weeks of practice before playing their next conference game.

## EASTLAND DOGIES TWO GAME WIN STREAK SNAPPED BY PUPS

The Ranger Junior High Pups handed the Eastland Junior High Dogies their first loss of the season Thursday night, 20-7, in a game played in Ranger.

The game, the first of the year for the Pups, broke Eastland's two game win streak.

Freddy Cooper, 105-pound left half for Ranger, scored the first touchdown of the game when he went over from the one-yard line to climax a 55-yard drive. It took the Pups ten plays after the opening kick to score. David Wharton ran over the extra point to put Ranger ahead 7-0.

An Eastland fumble set up the second Ranger score. Robert Veal, left guard, jumped on the Dogie fumble on the Eastland 36. The score came when quarterback Richard Spindle pitched out to Wharton who raced over for the tally. The Pups ran over the extra point.

The final Ranger score started at mid-field. Wharton's 42-yard scamper to paydirt made it 20-0. Cooper failed in his attempt to run over the extra point.

The Dogies struck paydirt when Ranger fumbled on their own 38. Phillip Rodriguez raced 44 yards for the score. Rodriguez ran over the extra point.

## Stover Circle Formulate Plans For New Year

Members of the Stover Circle of the WMU of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in the Mrs. Travis Wheat home, 1310 South Seaman.

Mrs. Wheat, chairman, presided and plans for the new year's work were formulated.

A refreshment plate was served during a social period following the business.

Present were Mmes. E. D. Anderson, J. L. Brashears, Robert Lavender, Gene Rhodes, Roy Rushing, James Stephens and H. T. Weaver.

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## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK

of Eastland, Texas, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on September 30, 1953, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. revised statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection...	1,308,218.37
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,527,700.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	105,200.94
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$2,942.63 overdrafts)	796,331.99
Bank premises owned \$15,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$6,500.00	21,500.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to None liens not assumed by bank)	
Other assets	8,125.47
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>3,770,076.77</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,765,506.60
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	51,616.72
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	708,437.39
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	33,162.58
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$3,558,723.29</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>3,558,723.29</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	61,353.48
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	50,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>211,353.48</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>3,770,076.77</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes: 1,400,000.00

I, Walter Murray, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER MURRAY, President.

**CORRECT—ATTEST:**

GUY PARKER  
 RUSSELL HILL  
 INEZ HARRELL  
 Directors.

(SEAL)

State of Texas, County of Eastland, ss:  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of October, 1953, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

SARAH C. PHILLIPS, Notary Public

## Can you pick the best pullets in our big Purina LAY and PAY CONTEST?



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# REVIVAL

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Eastland, Texas

**OCTOBER 11th—18th**

**FRIDAY NIGHT**  
**"YOUTH NITE"**  
 Fellowship Following Service

**7:00 A. M. — 7:30 P. M.**

**Dr. J. Ralph Grant, Evangelist**  
**Richard Johnson, Director Music**  
**C. Melvin Ratheal, Pastor**

## Yvonne Green Is Honored On 10th Birthday Here

Yvonne F. Green celebrated her 10th birthday this past week by asking a few of her friends to drop in at her home, 902 West Plummer. Each were received by her mother, Mrs. B. Howard Green, who with her movie camera, took pictures of each guest as they arrived.

Miss Joy Lynne Robinson assisted in entertaining the group, with games and guessing contests. Miss Kay Culbertson was in charge of the display of gifts.

Those present were Linda Sue Dalton, Katie M. Jones, Roger Taylor, Mickey Horner, Mike Anderson, Otis Green, Alice Fraser, Sandra Pogue, Nancy Grubb, Sue Robbins, Joy Lynne Robinson, Kay Culbertson and the honoree.

Those unable to attend, but sending gifts were Julia Lynn Inzer, Bonnie Lewis, Sara Sims, and Freddy Taylor.

The honoree received many congratulatory messages from out of state friends and relatives including her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Asa Hoskins of Plainfield, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin V. Rush, Romeo, Mich.; Miss Nellie Green, Detroit, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burgan, Armada, Mich.

Yvonne shared her birthday with Mrs. John Brown's mother, who was 94 years old, on the same day, and is visiting next door in the Brown's home.

Refreshments of ice cream, birthday cake and fruit punch was served. Yvonne also celebrated her birthday with her older brother, Ben, in Abilene, Sunday.

## Game At A Glance

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## THREE—

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tion, was introduced during the 1953 model year. It will be in volume production for 1954 models. The two other options are Synchro - Silent three-speed transmission and Synchro-Silent with Overdrive, which provides a fourth forward speed for cruising. Mansfield said more than half the Plymouths now being produced have either Hy-Drive or Overdrive.

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## Church... Society ... Clubs

### Patsy Wiegand Dobyns Marries Lt. Raymond Chamberlain, Oct. 6

Of interest to Eastland friends will be the marriage of Mrs. Patricia Wiegand Dobyns to Lt. Raymond E. Chamberlain of B.O.Q. Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla., at 5 p.m. Oct. 6, 1953.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber A. Wiegand of Denver, Colo., formerly of Eastland. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chamberlain of Spruce, Mich., formerly of Detroit.

White chrysanthemums and gladiolas in altar vases and white candles decorated the altar before which the Rev. Wm. Pietech read the double ring service in the Martha-Mary Chapel, Greenfield Village, Dearborn, Mich. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She was attended by her sister, Mrs. James Graham of Philadelphia, Pa., and best man was the bridegroom's brother, John Chamberlain of Manchester, Conn. Donald Shattuck and Robert Zevadski served as ushers.

Mrs. Chamberlain chose for her wedding a gown of teal blue Chantilly lace over matching satin. The bouffant skirt was cocktail length and the bodice was fashioned with sweetheart neckline and cap sleeves. Her matching Juliet cap was trimmed with seed pearls. She wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom, and carried a bouquet of Stephanotis and white orchids, with white satin streamers.

Mrs. Graham, matron of honor, wore a cocoa brown Chantilly lace over shell pink silk. The pleated skirt was cocktail length. The bodice was fitted and had cap sleeves. Her aqua feathered hat was trimmed with rhinestones.

Mrs. Wiegand, mother of the bride, wore a dress of slate blue silk, with off white hat, with opalescent trim.

The bridegroom's mother wore a dress of royal blue lace and crepe with a jewel toned hat. Following a reception at Clinton Inn in Greenfield Village, the couple left for a trip to Spruce, Mich. Mrs. Chamberlain was wearing for travel a gray wool suit, trimmed with rhinestones and pearls with matching hat, and orchid corsage. Upon their return

they will reside at 4024 Timuquana Road in Jacksonville, Fla. Mrs. Chamberlain is a graduate of Eastland high school and attended Tarleton State College at Stephenville. Her husband is a graduate of U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Wilber A. Wiegand of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. James A. Graham of Philadelphia, Pa., sister and brother-in-law of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chamberlain of Spruce, Mich., parents of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain of Manchester, Conn., bridegroom's brother and wife; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huebscher of Minneapolis, Minn., cousins of the bridegroom; Mrs. K. B. Newdall, Minneapolis, Minn., aunt of the bridegroom, and Mr. Don Gillard of Spruce, Mich.

### Eastland Dance Club Season Opens Saturday

Members of the Eastland Dance Club held their regular annual business meeting in the Texas Electric Service Company's class room October 8, 1953.

Jim Golden, president, presided during the meeting in which officers for the coming year were elected. The Connellee Roof Garden was selected for meetings of the group during the ensuing year and the first dance will be held Saturday night, October 17.

### Ronald Wood Is Honored Saturday With Hallowe'en Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood honored their little grandson, Ronald Edwin Wood, Saturday when they entertained a group of his close friends and fellow Sunday School members in celebration of his fourth birthday, at their home, 111 East Sadosa.

The children played outside games under the direction of Beverly Moser.

The house and party decorations were in the Hallowe'en theme. The refreshment table was centered with a large orange colored birthday cake, decorated with candles of petite Hallowe'en Witches placed in each corner of the square shaped cake. Two large pumpkins, fall vegetables and fruit placed on a nest of hay formed a background for the birthday cake, served later with fruit punch. Each child was given favors of Hallowe'en horns, and miniature guns and candy.

Many lovely gifts were received among which was a recording made by the honoree's father, Glenn Wood and Jack Turner singing "Happy Birthday Ronnie".



Miss Edith Cox

### Edith Cox Now Mary-Hardin Baylor Student

Miss Edith F. Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cox, is enrolled as a freshman at Mary-Hardin-Baylor college, and was recently chosen as her class representative in Ely Pepper residence hall.

She is a 1953 graduate of Eastland High School where she was a member of the choir, the band, the annual staff, and also active in Future Homemakers of America.

### Henderson Is Speaker At Cisco Church

E. K. Henderson, Eastland businessman, spoke at the morning worship service of the Christian Church in Cisco Sunday in the absence of the regular pastor, the Rev. Sidney Spain, who is on vacation.

Rev. Spain will return to his pulpit Oct. 25.

### Civic League Luncheon To Draw Big Crowd

A large number of tickets have been sold for the Civic League and Garden Club's opening luncheon, which will be at noon Wednesday at the Connellee Hotel Roof, according to report of the ticket committee.

Mr. Jim Wright, mayor of Weatherford, will be guest speaker. Mr. Wright is a dynamic speaker and outstanding civic leader. He is one of the few men who were invited to witness the atomic bomb tests last year. A strolling informal fashion show and singing by a quartet will be other attractions during the luncheon. All women, whether or not they have ever belonged to the Civic League, are cordially invited to come to this luncheon.

### Little Flock Baptist To Host Meeting

A district board meeting of the Progressive West Texas Baptist Association will hold its first executive board meeting at the Little Flock Baptist Church in Eastland Oct. 13 through Oct. 15.

There will be two big musician nights beginning Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

Rev. T. G. Oilphant, host pastor, said the public was cordially invited.

### Alford Entertain Visiting Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Alford of the Leon Plant Village entertained visiting relatives with a picnic Saturday evening at their home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sims of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Kin Webb and children, Reginald and Cherrillane of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sims and children, Sharron and Michael of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sims and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and Billy of Eastland.

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FOR SALE: Pears. Inquire at Evetts Service Station, Olden.

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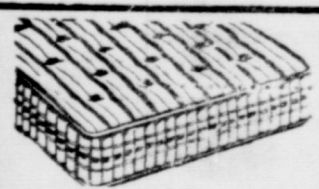
## • NOTICE

NOTICE: Catholic ladies will serve a plate lunch of tamales, cake or pie and drink, will also sell tamales by the dozen, Saturday, Oct. 17. North side of square in Victor Cornelius building.

NOTICE: Nursery School for 4 and 5 year-old children, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, Mondays through Fridays. 407 Foch Street, Phone 124-W.

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## TV LOG

**KRBC-TV Channel 9**  
Tuesday, October 13  
4:00—Test Pattern  
5:35—Daily Devotions (L)  
5:40—Previews (L)  
5:45—Western Theater (F)  
6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)  
6:30—Evening Report (L)  
6:45—Red & Gun Club (L)  
7:00—Buick-Berle Show (NBC-K)  
8:00—Opportunity Knocks (L)  
8:30—Let's Go Traveling (F)  
9:30—Late Report (L)  
9:15—Files of Jeffrey Jones (F)  
9:45—Movietime: (F) "Ape Man"  
10:45—Evening Vespers  
10:50—Sign Off

Wednesday, October 14  
4:00—Test Pattern  
5:35—Daily Devotions (L)  
5:40—Previews (L)  
5:45—Western Theater (F)  
6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)  
6:30—Evening Report (L)  
6:45—Man on the Land (F)  
7:00—On the Farm with Harry Hok (L)  
7:30—Hollywood Half-Hour (F)  
8:00—I Married Joan (NBC-F)  
8:30—The Sammy Baugh Show

(L)  
8:45—Strange Adventure (F)  
9:00—Late Report (L)  
9:15—Notre Dame Football (F)  
9:45—Movietime (F) "Beggars in Erinme"  
10:45—Evening Vespers  
10:50—Sign Off

Thursday, October 15  
4:00—Test Pattern  
5:35—Daily Devotions (L)  
5:40—Previews (L)  
5:45—Western Theater (F)  
6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)  
6:30—Evening Report (L)  
6:45—Christophor Program (F)  
7:00—Groucho Marx (NBC-F)  
7:30—T-Men in Action (NBC-F)  
8:00—Liberace (F)  
8:30—HSU Football (F)  
9:00—Late Report (L)  
9:05—Ringside with the Rasslers (F)  
10:15—Movietime: (F) "The Case of the Baby-Sitter"  
11:15—Evening Vespers  
11:20—Sign Off

### A Switch

St. PAUL, Minn. — A. J. McGree, Hastings, Minn., has filed a claim for \$91.58 against the state, claiming a "tree hit his automobile." McGree said the tree, being chopped down by two state hospital inmates, toppled over on his car.

## LEGAL NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING RATES AND CHARGES TO BE CHARGED FOR SALES OF NATURAL GAS TO RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL CONSUMERS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF EASTLAND, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS, AND PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER IN WHICH SUCH RATES AND CHARGES MAY BE CHANGED AND AMENDED.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EASTLAND:

SECTION 1. Effective with the first gas bills rendered after the date of passage and approval of this ordinance the rates and charges for sales of natural gas and natural gas service rendered to residential and commercial consumers within the city limits of Eastland by Lone Star Gas Company, a Texas corporation, and its successors and assigns, are hereby fixed and determined to be as follows:  
Minimum Monthly Bill ..... \$1.00  
First 600 cu. ft. at \$1.17 per c.c.f. gross; per c.c.f. net. All over 600 cu. ft. at \$.7833 per m.c.f. gross; \$.705 per m.c.f. net.

Net rate shall apply to all bills paid within ten days from month-

ly billing date.  
Except with respect to rates, all charges for natural gas service now in effect shall remain in effect unchanged.

The above rates and charges are applicable to each residential and commercial consumer per month or for any part of a month for which gas is used at the same location.

SECTION 2. The rates and charges set forth in Section 1 may be changed and amended by either the City or the company furnishing gas in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its final passage and approval as provided by the City Charter.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 8 day of Oct., A. D. 1953.

ATTEST:  
A. E. Taylor, City Secretary  
Geo. L. Davenport, Mayor  
City of Eastland, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF EASTLAND

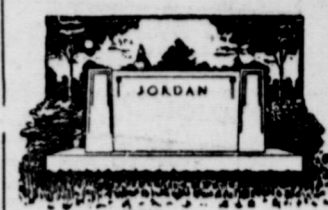
I, A. E. Taylor, Secretary of the City of Eastland, Eastland County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Eastland at a regular session held on the 8 day of October, 1953, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said Council, in Book \_\_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_\_.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID CITY, this the 8 day of Oct. A. D. 1953.

A. E. Taylor, City Secretary  
City of Eastland, Texas

## Thursday Afternoon Club To Meet 3 P. M. October 15th

The next meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Club will be at 3 p.m. October 15, at the Woman's Club, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, program chairman, announced. Mrs. E. Roy Townsend will be the leader for the afternoon and will present Mrs. Hubert Jones in the review of Martha Martin's "O Rugged Land of Gold." Mrs. Milburn S. Long will give the "Song of the Forerunners" by Carl Wilson Baker.



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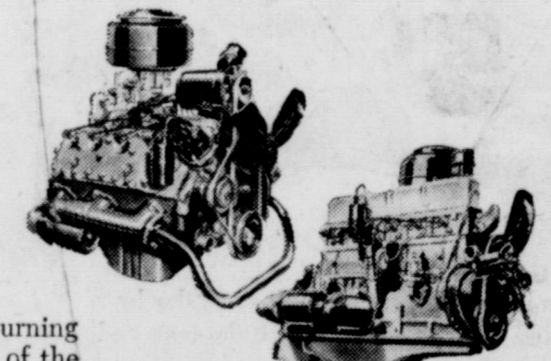
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### Mrs. Bosworth Installs Officers For Mangum Baptist Church WMU

Mrs. Thelma Bosworth, association president, installed the new officers Wednesday evening for the Women's Missionary Union of the Mangum Baptist Church at their meeting at the church.

She used scriptures from First Corinthians 12, in an impressive ceremony installing: Mrs. Arthur Brown, president; Mrs. Floyd McBea, vice president; Mrs. Nat Gray, second vice president; Mrs. E. E. Donelson, secretary; Mrs. Lois Liles, young people's director; Mrs. Faye Matthews, community missions chairman; Mrs. Odell Tucker, mission study chairman; Mrs. Harrison Curtis, stewardship chairman; George B. Hull, royal ambassador counselor; Mrs. Herbert Casey, girls auxiliary counselor; Mrs. Everett Clower, Sunbeam Counselor.

Mrs. Brown presided over a short business session, following which a program was given.

Mrs. Mattie Donelson gave the prayer; Mrs. A. J. Bleivins gave the devotional, based on stewardship.

Mrs. Bosworth was the main speaker for the evening and talked on "The New Look for WMU Another Year," and closed the service with prayer.

Twenty-five women of the church were present.

### LOOK WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nichols of Eastland are the parents of a seven pound and 7 ounce girl born at 8:06 a.m. Monday, Oct. 12, at the Ranger General Hospital.

### Home Makers Class Will Meet Oct. 10

The Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church postponed their regular monthly social and business meeting which was to have been held tonight, on account of the revival series in progress each night this week.

The covered dish supper will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Don Parker home, 605 South Bassett. Mrs. Ita R. Parrish will be co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stokes returned from Phoenix, Ariz., Friday where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. Gene Dulin and family. While there the Dulin family, consisting of Gene and Thelma and their two sons, Bill and Ronny, accompanied the Stokes on a trip which included visits to Las Vegas, Nev., Boulder Dam and Boulder City. They returned via Salt River Canyon, the Lincoln National Forest and Roswell, N. M.

### Hospital Report

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning were T. H. Sherman, Mozan; B. Hudson, Cisco; Mrs. F. H. Lund, Eastland; Mrs. W. L. Holmsley, Eastland; Melinda Urban, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Urban. Recently dismissed were H. B. Whately, C. N. Lindley, Mrs. Charles A. Clark, Mrs. W. B. Barrow and infant daughter; Mrs. J. H. Parker, Eastland.

### PERSONALS

Attending the Dallas Fair, Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Goode, Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, Mr. and Mrs. Spike Uffleman, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dick and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Liles and Patricia Ann, and possibly others.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morgan and son and daughter, Tommy and Marilyn of Crane, were guests here this week end in the home of relatives in Eastland and Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress of Abilene were business visitors in Eastland, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Haynes of Snyder visited here over the week end in the home of their son, Gene Haynes, and Mrs. Haynes and also in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Carlos Turner and family.

Carl Leclair of Ft. Worth visited here Sunday with his father, A. E. Leclair.

### Jolly Time Popcorn Picks The Telegram

Once again Jolly Time Popcorn is back in the pages of the Eastland Telegram, with an every week schedule of attention-getting ads that run right through the pop corn season.

"We consider newspapers to be the backbone of our advertising schedule," Howard C. Smith, Jolly Time president says. "By placing the heaviest part of our advertising in newspapers we reach the grocer's own customers, right in his home town."

For more than twelve years Jolly Time has been a consistent newspaper advertiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Butler and family of Midland were visitors here over the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Butler and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Warren.

Mrs. W. A. Rogers accompanied by her children, Donnie Rogers, Mrs. Horace Lane of Desdemona, and Mrs. May Rosser visited Sunday in Abilene with friends.

J. W. Ashley, 605 South Ashley is visiting in Monahans this week in the home of his son, Gene Ashley and family.

Mrs. Alice Luikart of Clovis, N. M., is the guest here in the home of her sister, Mrs. Winnie Wynn.

### Egg Laying Contest Is Started

How are you at picking pullets? If you are really as good as you think you are here's a good opportunity to make that knowledge of yours pay off.

Wilson Feed and Seed of Eastland are sponsoring an egg laying contest. It's the Purina Lay and Lay contest.

Wilson Feed and Seed have several pullets right in their store that are in the contest. They are being fed on Purina to show how many eggs it makes.

All you have to do is fill out an entry blank with your selection of the bird most likely to lay the most eggs in September, October, November and December. Entries must be in by Nov. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham and children have returned from Sedalia, Mo., where they visited with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Cecil Harr, and Mr. Harr.

### Alpha Delphians Open Season With Dinner At Woman's Club

The Alpha Delphian Club season was opened Thursday evening with a seven o'clock dinner at the Women's Club. Hostesses for the occasion were members of the social committee, including Mmes. O. M. White, B. O. Harrell, Luther Bear, O. L. Hooper and Carl Timmons.

The meal was served to guests seated at game tables, laid with white linen and decorated with flowers. The clubroom was also decorated with fall flowers and attractive pot plants.

Following the meal, Mrs. J. A. Doyle, president, held a short business session and outlined plans for the new year.

Mrs. Henry VanGeem, yearbook chairman, gave an interesting resume of the course of study, "Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow" and gave each member an attractive new yearbook.

Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, membership chairman, introduced and welcomed Mrs. Virgil Massengill, new member.

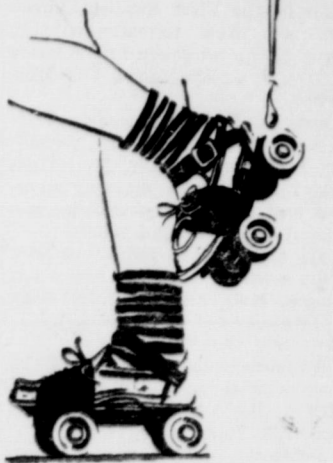
Others present were Mmes. W. C. Vickers, N. P. McCarney, W. B. White, Dave Flensy, C. M. Oakley, E. S. Perdue, E. J. Turner, George Lane, Carl Jones, Floyd Robertson, Cecil Collins, J. LeRoy Arnold, Roy Young, Marvin Hood and Miss Mable Hart.

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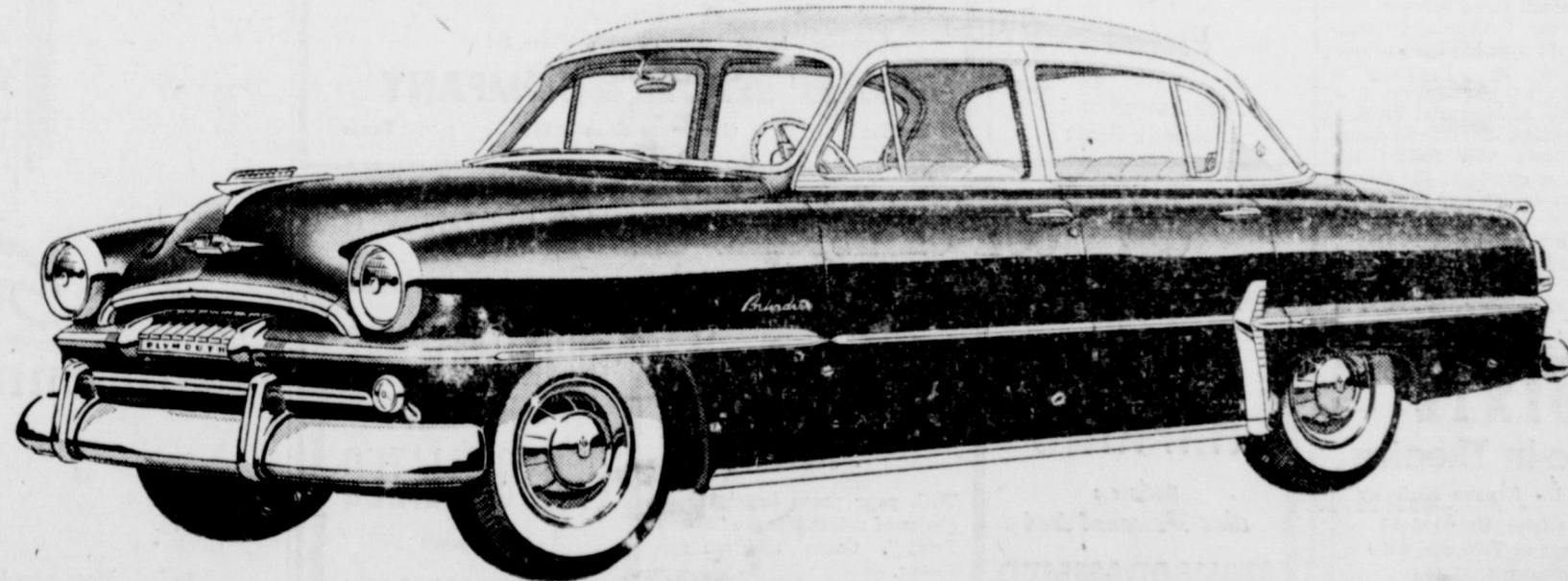
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<b>STURGEON BAY PIE</b> <b>CHERRIES</b> 2 No. 303 Cans <b>49c</b>	
<b>FRESH GREEN</b> <b>ONIONS</b> Bunch <b>5c</b>	<b>LIBBY — Halves or Slices</b> <b>PEACHES</b> No. 2 1/2 Can <b>25c</b>
<b>BABY BEEF</b> <b>Short Ribs</b> Lb. <b>19c</b>	
<b>BABY BEEF</b> <b>Loin Steak</b> Lb. <b>49c</b>	
<b>FRESH GROUND</b> <b>Beef</b> Lb. <b>29c</b>	
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## Announcing the NEW '54 PLYMOUTH

# Big Bright Beautiful



### New "Color-Tuned" Styling!

Here's luxury new to low-price cars, yours in the brilliant new 1954 Plymouth! Exciting new, lower-sweeping lines, accented with sparkling chrome and "Color-Tuned" with gem-like new colors! Superbly fashioned, all-new Hy-Style interiors, two-toned and "Color-Tuned" with rich new fabrics and textures!

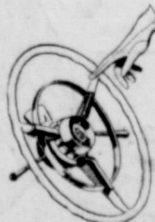
### Three great new lines!

Now there are three new lines of Hy-Style Plymouth cars to choose from—  
the ultra-smart new BELVEDERE  
the luxurious new SAVOY  
the beautiful new PLAZA

Each with all of Plymouth's famous engineering features that add up to more value for you! You're cordially invited to see the new 1954 Plymouth at your Plymouth dealer's Thursday.

### New Power Steering!

You steer without effort, park without effort! Plymouth's full-time Power Steering, the newest in the low-price field, keeps you from "tensing up" in traffic, lets you hold a safe course over rough roads, gives you the feel of absolute control. Hydraulic power does the work—you enjoy the ride!



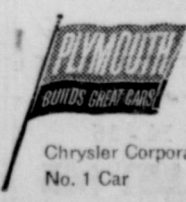
### No-shift driving with Hy-Drive!

The newest, smoothest, least expensive no-shift driving in the low-price field! Plymouth's new Hy-Drive gives you instant acceleration, lets you "hold" your car on an upgrade without braking, gives you engine braking in downhill driving. With Hy-Drive, you have complete control for all driving situations!

Hy-Drive and Power Steering each available on any 1954 Plymouth at low extra cost. Your Plymouth dealer will be glad to arrange your demonstration of either or both of these great driving aids.

### WIN ONE FREE!

You can win a sparkling new 1954 Plymouth, or one of hundreds of cash prizes in the big \$25,000 "Win a New Plymouth" Contest. It's easy! It's fun! Anyone can enter—anyone can win! Details and entry blanks are at your Plymouth dealer's now! Contest closes midnight, Monday, October 13th.



You're invited to see and drive **THE NEW '54 PLYMOUTH**



### Baptist TEL Class Elects Year's Officers

Officers were elected Thursday when members of the TEL Class of the First Baptist Church met for their regular monthly covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. J. L. Brashears, 601 Mulberry.

Mrs. W. F. Barton was re-elected president, Mrs. H. F. Vermillion re-elected teacher, Mrs. Hannah Lindsey was elected secretary and Mrs. J. L. Brashears was elected treasurer and reporter.

The meal was served at one long table, covered with a white linen damask cloth, and decorated with an arrangement of Zenias. Ed T. Cox gave the invocation.

Announcement was made of the next meeting at 11:30 a.m. Nov. 12th in the home of Mrs. Ed T. Cox, 103 South Daugherty.

Members present were Mmes. Barton, J. F. Williams, Alice Spear, Lindsey, W. E. Reaves, Vermillion, Ida Morris, Nora Andrews, John Matthews, Rosa Bishop, Ed T. Cox, C. W. Pettit, Nora Vaught and the hostess, Mrs. Brashears.

Visitors present were Ed T. Cox, J. L. Brashears and Mmes. Mary Hancock and Bertie Irving.

### Willing Workers Elect Officers

Mrs. Ronald Hughes was elected president of the Willing Worker's Class of the Olden Baptist Church, at their meeting Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Dee Cooper.

Mrs. Ruth Norton was elected vice-president; Mrs. L. E. Talley, secretary; Mrs. Cecil Alford, assistant secretary; Mrs. Alfred Nelson, teacher; Mmes. Marvin Hutto and James Blankenship, group captains.

Mrs. O. H. Dick gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Hughes presided. Mrs. Hutto, retiring teacher, was presented with a gift.

A refreshment plate in the Hallway theme was served following the business session.

Others present were Mmes. Truman Bryan, T. M. Alford, Archie Kelley, Bess Fox, Pete Rodgers, Clyde Anderson and J. T. Weaver.

### Tarleton State Sets Homecoming

The annual Fall homecoming at Tarleton State College in Stephenville has been set for Nov. 7.

The day-long activities will include a parade, a football game, and a reception dinner, and dance for ex-students.

Plans call for a three-mile long parade to form at 10 a.m. Twenty-five high school bands have been asked to march. Others to participate will include the Tarleton cadet corps and co-education band and colorful floats entered by Stephenville merchants and ex-students from other towns.

Highlight of the afternoon will be the football game between San Angelo Junior College and Tarleton. Kick-off time has been set for 2 p.m., but the Homecoming Queen will be crowned in pre-game events at Memorial Field.

The reception, dinner, and dance for ex-students will follow the game. Honor guests at the dinner will be former Tarleton professors of military science and tactics. Among these will be S. F. Davis, now serving as head of Tarleton's chemistry department. He served as the first military instructor at the school.

### DIXIE Drive-In Theatre

Eastland - Ranger Highway  
Box Office Opens 6:45  
Showings at 7:00 and 9:00  
ADMISSION 40c  
Children under 12 free

#### Last Times Tonight

Tuesday

Each Tuesday is Dollar Night! One dollar per car or regular admission, whichever costs you less.

#### SHANE

with Alan Ladd, Van Heflin, Jean Arthur

ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS

Wednesday - Thursday  
October 14 - 15

### NEVER LET ME GO

with Clark Gable, Gene Tierney

ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS



Robert Mitchum and Linda Darnell in 3-D Thriller MOVIE FAIR by Corle Pierce

When a beautiful American girl, who has fled to South America to escape the vengeance of her jilted gangster sweetheart and to start a new life, meets an American prizefighter, who has also fled there to find himself after having accidentally killed an opponent in the ring, the result is destined to be romance. Especially when the girl is lovely Linda Darnell and the man is rugged Robert Mitchum.

These are the basic ingredients of RKO's first 3-D Technicolor production "SECOND CHANCE".

"Second Chance" is 3-D that puts you so close to the lovers YOU feel everything they feel! So close to the big fight YOU feel the killer's cold hands clutch your throat!

See "SECOND CHANCE" at the Majestic Theatre, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. With "Second Chance" you will also see the first Color Cartoon in 3-D, Walt Disney's "Melody."

### Large Crowd Attend Celebration Of Rev. and Mrs. Blair's Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

The many friends of the Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair filled the house and the yard all afternoon Sunday, when the couple were honored by their three children at an open house at their home on Highway 80, near Cisco.

The occasion was the golden wedding anniversary of the couple. Rev. and Mrs. Blair were married in Carlton at the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bingham. She is the former Miss Laura Rebekah Bingham. Rev. Mr. Blair is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John F. Blair, and he and the bride of 50 years were reared in Hamilton County.

They have lived in Eastland County for the past 26 years, during which Rev. Mr. Blair has been missionary for the Cisco Baptist Association. Before his retirement last month he had been actively engaged in the ministry 41 years. He held pastorates in Duffau, Chairette, Iredell, Cranfills Gap, Archer City, Megargel, and Moran also in Devol and Olustee, Okla.

Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Lard of Dallas, Miss Mildred Blair of Samatorium, and Wyman Blair. Mrs. Jane Allen of Dallas, sister of Mrs. Blair and Mrs. A. H. Smith of Denver, Colo., sister of Mr. Blair presided at the punch bowl. Mmes. Odell Arnold of San Antonio, Mrs. Paul Hukill of Littlefield and Mrs. O. S. Johnson of O'Brien, nieces of the honorees served the cake.

### Junior High Mothers Get Behind Doggies

A group of mothers of Junior High pupils met Monday morning at the home of Mrs. H. L. Hassell, 212 South Ostrum, to formulate plans for opening the concession stand at the football field for the game here Thursday between the Doggies and the Cisco Juniors.

Game time has been set for 7:30 p.m. and the concession will be open at 6:30 p.m. the spokesman said.

Other than Mrs. Hassell, committee members are Mmes. Neil Day, Clyde Young, Jimmy Hart, Hubert Toombs, B. Howard Green, I. C. Inzer, Bill Walters Jr., and J. B. McConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Beard of Dallas visited here over the weekend in the homes of their parents, J. A. Beard, and Mrs. Mae Harrison. They also visited with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones were business visitors in Abilene Saturday.

### YESTERDAY AND TODAY by John Mac



2 GALLONS OF GASOLINE NOW DO THE WORK 3 GALLONS DID IN 1925

Dramatic road tests prove that 2 gallons of the high quality gasoline you buy today do the work 3 gallons did in 1925. Yet today's gasoline costs about the same as gasoline did then - only taxes are higher. This shows how your progress and oil progress go hand in hand. And it is one reason we're proud to be part of the competitive industry that brings you this progress. This is your assurance that we'll continue to be on the job for you - every day.

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### Co-Ed Club Plans Informal Dance For Oct. 16th

Members of the Co-Ed Club planned an informal dance for October 16 at their meeting Wednesday, Oct. 7, in the home of Marianne Myrick.

American Legion Hall was the place chosen for the dance and 8 p.m. named starting time. The group stressed informality, saying, "wear sport clothes."

Refreshments were served following the business session.

Present were Brenda Tankersley, Jane Jordan, Barbara Hightower, Earline Turner, Sylvia Latham, Goldia Skiles, Ellen Whitley, Barbara Carey, Geraldine Johnson, Jo Ann Hollis, Betty Nell Jones, Donna Scott, Dixie Day, Betty Westfall, Barbara Dalton and Marianne Myrick.

### Plans Visit To State Fair, Sat.

The F.F.A. chapter of the Eastland High School, sponsored by W. Crow met Friday at the school and voted unanimously to attend the State Fair at Dallas Saturday, October 17, and to take along the chapter sweetheart, Sylvia Sullivan and her escort.

Officers of the club this year are Clyde Evatt, president; Terry Warren, vice-president; Dean Tindie, secretary; Larry Tankersley, treasurer and Jerry Arther, reporter.

### PALACE Theatre - in Cisco, Texas

Tuesday - Wednesday

### Beware My Lovely

with Ida Lupino

—plus—

### Jim Thorpe, All American

with Burt Lancaster

Starting Sat. Oct. 17

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Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday  
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... may reason somewhat like the man who doesn't carry insurance. He gazes at the creatures from his window and believes them to be real. But he has never been hit, so why worry? Neither has he ever had a fire or windstorm, so why insure? That line of reasoning is fine for the dreamer but it is dangerous business. True, the law of averages is with the saucer man until the law goes haywire. Then the saucers disappear, so does the saucer man and out the window go his empty dreams.

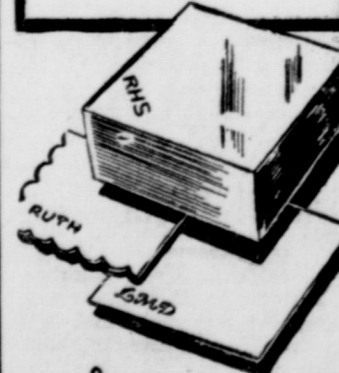
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Friday - Saturday  
A KING'S RANSOM IN THRILLS!  
Walt Disney's  
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Sunday - Monday  
**LITTLE BOY LOST**

**Mighty Midget Starts Revolution**

THIS IS A "TRANSISTOR" ... the most important single invention ever developed by telephone scientists. Now used mostly for military purposes, it promises to revolutionize the design of many everyday electronic devices, from hearing aids to television sets. In telephone equipment it is expected to replace vacuum tubes - doing the same job, but taking up far less space and using far less power. Not all the new ideas developed by telephone research are as exciting as this. But every year an average of 260 inventions and improvements are made to help us keep our telephone service high in value - low in cost. SOUTHWESTERN BELL ... A TEAM OF 27,600 TEXAS TELEPHONE PEOPLE ... AT YOUR SERVICE.

**Gasoline** for Sunday driving ... or **Natural Gas** to cook next Sunday's roast?

Most people think only of gasolines, lubricants, and fuel oils when the petroleum industry is mentioned. The fact is, practically all oil producers are also natural gas producers. So today the driller of a wildcat, or exploratory well, calls his venture successful if the well discovers either oil or gas.

If it is an oil well, then he has helped to supply the country's increasing needs for oil and oil products; if it is a gas well, he has discovered additional supplies of an efficient, economical fuel for household and industrial use.

The petroleum industry's development and conservation of the country's natural gas resources is a practical demonstration of the progress to which Oil Progress Week invites attention.

Beginning with the location of the well, advanced geological and geophysical studies of underground formations aid in the selection of likely oil or gas producing areas, but still the odds against a wildcat well producing either gas or oil are eight to one.

If a natural gas field is discovered, reservoir engineers immediately begin their studies to determine the best producing methods to conserve the underground energy and to obtain the maximum production for the longest possible time.

If the gas that is discovered is "wet," it is processed in gasoline plants which remove the liquid parts and send them to refineries for further processing into motor fuels and aviation gasolines, or to petrochemical plants to be converted into a long list of useful chemical products, among which are the plastics and synthetic fabrics with which you are so familiar. "Dry" gas, the residue from gasoline plants, and sometimes produced direct from the gas field, is the natural gas that burns in literally millions of homes throughout America and under the boilers of thousands of American industries.

So, whether a wildcat well discovers oil for gasoline or natural gas for the kitchen stove, it adds to the available energy resources of the most highly mechanized nation on earth; it supplies products essential for today's and tomorrow's high living standards; it gives additional strength to measures for National defense.

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- *It's Luxurious*
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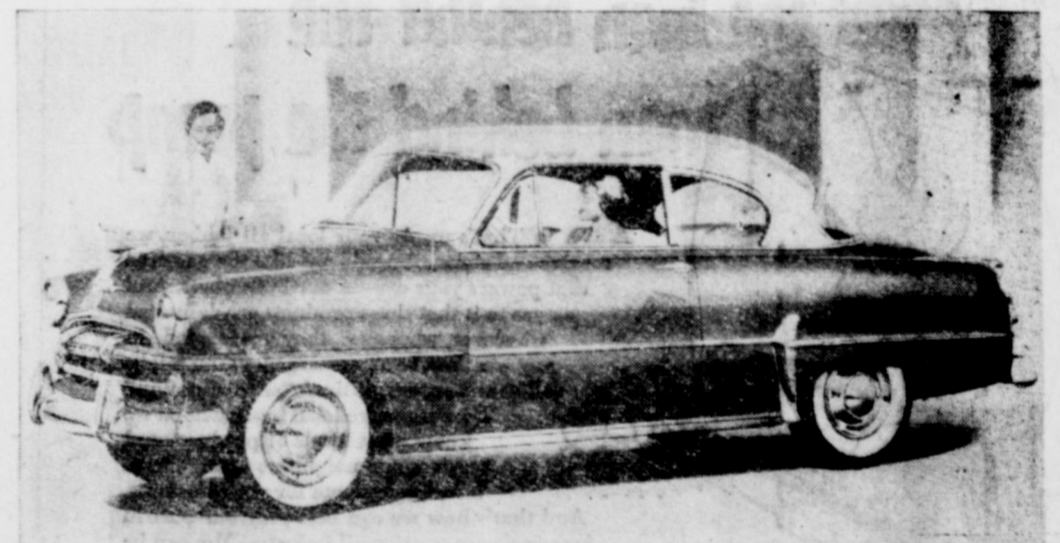
# '54



The 1954 Plymouth is longer and looks wider and lower as a result of design modifications. Front view shows new massive bumpers and new grille design with attractive Plymouth identification. The front is designed with a view to ease of cleaning and simplification of repairs.



The Belvedere four-door sedan is one of eleven beautiful body types in the 1954 Plymouth line. All models are longer than their predecessors and all are available with Plymouth's new full-time power steering and with Hy-Drive, a no-shift combination.



The six-passenger Belvedere sport coupe typifies the new styling of 1954 Plymouth cars. It is longer than the previous model and has a completely restyled interior. All 1954 Plymouths are available with power steering and with Hy-Drive, a no-shift combination.

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**Church Fires Blamed On Texas Smokers**  
Smokers were blamed today by Acting State Fire Marshal Eugene Sanders for fires that burned five Texas churches last year.  
Careless smoking habits ranked third in the cause of 85 major church fires in the state in 1952, Sanders' report said. Defective heating systems were blamed for 18 fires and defective wiring and other misuse of electricity caused another 32.  
Lighting started three church fires, the cause of seven were unknown and the rest resulted from miscellaneous causes.  
Church fires resulted in an insured fire loss of \$429,907, Sanders reported.

**Willy-Willys Is First With New Rug Cleaners**  
Eastland women are offered for the first time two sensational cleaners for rugs and carpets. These cleaners give new life and color to solid rugs. It's easily applied and requires only a short time for cleaning.  
Two separate cleaners, "Cotton Sheen" for the lovely new cotton carpeting so popular now, and "Rug Sheen" for all wool rugs and carpeting. This is an entirely new product and is offered at introductory prices at Willy-Willys Furniture Mart, who is first in Eastland when it comes to new things for the home.  
If you are one of the fortunate women, who have the new wall-to-wall carpeting, you will appreciate being able to care for it in this new modern way.  
Don't fail to see these products on your next visit to the store. The salesmen there are very enthusiastic about these new rug cleaners and say that "it is just what we have been needing, it really gets the job done."

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**Women's Department At State Fair Offers \$5,115 In Prizes**  
The program of women's activities has virtually been completed for the 1953 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 10 through 25, Mrs. Leah Jarrett, Women's Department manager, said Saturday.  
The Great Christi, a magician's show, will provide free entertainment at 1, 3 and 5 p.m. daily in a tent behind the Woman's Building, Mrs. Jarrett announced.  
Exact duplicates of Mrs. Eisenhower's inauguration jewels have been obtained for a special exhibit. The Texas Bugle Society will show rare tropical birds in the Women's Building greenhouse.  
Acceptances have been received from 25 of the nation's most distinguished craft artists to participate in the Second Annual Invitational Crafts Show, of metal work, weaving, ceramics and jewelry, Mrs. Jarrett said. The exhibition will be in the Museum of Fine Arts.  
Mrs. Jarrett listed other women's events as follows: Oct. 10, judging of frozen foods and lecture by Louise Mason; Oct. 11, reception honoring men and women who attended the fair during first five years, 1886-1890; Oct. 12, Mexico Day tea honoring distinguished visitors.  
Oct. 13, Porcelain Art Day exhibit; Oct. 14, Speed Crochet Contest; Oct. 15, "Trim-A-Hat" Contest; Oct. 16, Cake and Cookie Contest, "Imagination" and Candy Contest, all for children.

**YESTERDAY AND TODAY** by John Mac

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AMERICA'S OIL RESERVES ARE NOW OVER 4-TIMES GREATER THAN 30 YEARS AGO!

The continuous search for new sources of oil by America's oilmen is paying off for the nation. U. S. oil reserves are now at an all-time high—despite the fact that Americans are using up more oil than ever before in history.

This record of progress makes us proud to be oilmen—part of a competitive industry devoted to your service. This is our pledge that we'll continue to serve you well—by bringing you the latest samples of oil progress.

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On land... on the sea... and in the air, oil and the men and women who make up America's competitive, progressive oil industry are at your service—ready to bring you the finest oil products at the world's lowest prices.  
It's our job in this industry to give your car top-flight care and to offer you the finest services possible.  
This is our pledge that we'll continue to be on the job for you—doing everything we can to keep your gasoline tank filled, your car serviced and rolling smoothly.

**CARE Turkey Packages Can Now Be Sent**  
Turkeys, with or without the trimmings, are now awaiting orders for Thanksgiving or Christmas delivery overseas in the annual CARE food packages especially prepared as holiday gifts, it was announced today.  
Americans who wish to assure festive dinners for relatives, friends or needy families may reserve the birds immediately in a \$12 Turkey Package or an \$18.75 Holiday Package, complete with a whole canned turkey and a generous serving of extras.  
Based on recent surveys of food needs, this year's Holiday Package is in two variations: one for England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, the other for Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Greece, Western Germany and Berlin, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Yugoslavia. The turkey alone goes to Japan, Okinawa and the Philippines as well as all the countries above.  
Increased parcel post rates don't affect CARE's prices, since the non-profit agency does its own shipping, Paul Comly French, executive director, pointed out. Present parcel post fees alone would cost a minimum of \$5, French said, if an individual sent overseas a package comparable in weight to the average \$10 CARE food package (also available for holiday gifts). Orders marked for Thanksgiving or Christmas delivery may be mailed to CARE, 660 First Ave., New York 16, N. Y., or any local CARE office.

**Clippings**  
HOLYOKE, Mass. — A young man seeing a three-months jail sentence here apparently takes pride in his press notices. When he was stopped for driving an uninsured automobile without a license, police found in his wallet a press clipping that showed he had been in court previously for the same offense.  
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### Purina Company Names Two Texas Area Managers

Mr. G. L. James, Western Region Sales Manager of the Ralston Purina Company, announces the formation of a North Texas and South Texas Sales Division from the present Texas Division.

R.W. Bridges who has been Sales Manager of Purina's Texas Division is retiring. He will be succeeded by T. H. Buckingham as Sales Manager of the new North Texas Division and R. L. Payne who becomes the new South Texas Division Sales Manager. All changes are effective October 1st.

Mr. Buckingham was born in Stamps, Arkansas his family returning to Texas when he was two weeks old. He went to work for Ralston Purina Company, May 1,

1926 as a junior salesman; being promoted January 1, 1927, to territory salesman with headquarters in Roswell, New Mexico. He left Purina at the end of 1927 and entered Texas Tech College, majoring in agriculture. For the past eleven years Mr. Buckingham has been District Salesman in the San Angelo territory where his work has been outstanding. Plans are for the entire family to move to Ft. Worth, headquarters for the North Texas Division.

R. L. (Bob) Payne is a native Texan and a graduate of the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce. Prior to his association with Purina, as assistant Sales Manager of the Texas Division, he was an outstanding teacher, coach and Rural Rehabilitation and Farmer's Home Administration Supervisor. He served more than three years in the armed forces during World War II. Mr. Payne and his family will continue to live in Austin, the headquarters for the South Texas Division.

In making the announcement of the two Texas Divisions, Mr. James stated, "The steady and constant growth of our business in the southwest has been evident for some time. The need for services is increasing rapidly. These changes will enable our field force to serve dealers and customers a quicker and more effectively."

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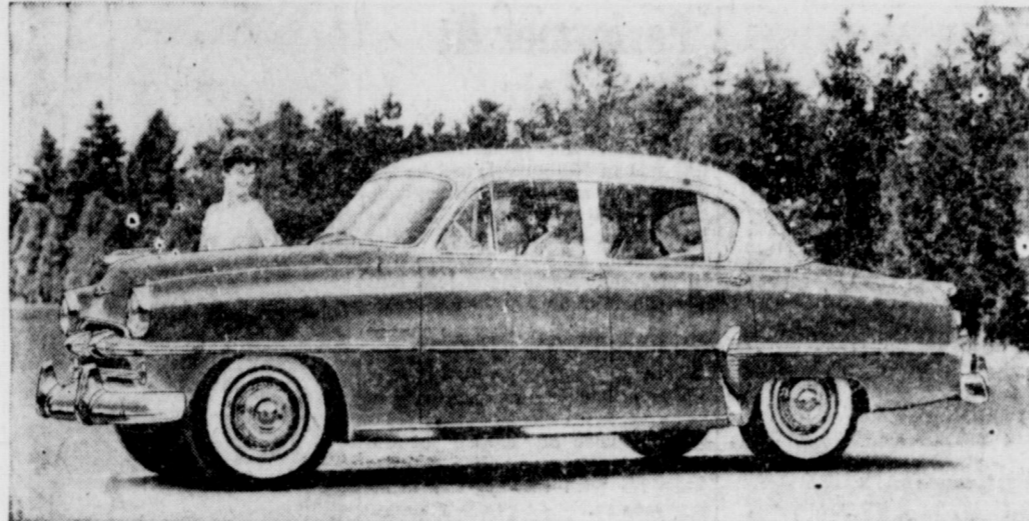
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### WRITTEN FARM RENTAL AGREEMENTS ADVISABLE

At this time of year, landlords and tenants alike are thinking about farm rental arrangements for 1954. While many operate from year to year on the basis of verbal agreements regulated largely by local customs, written leases are better and may save disagreements and hard feelings.

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between the parties. Farming is a business and should be conducted in a business-like manner for best success. Rental contracts involve a full year's work by the tenant and possibly thousands of dollars for both parties. A few dollars spent on a properly drawn agreement is good business economy.

A farm lease is not a simple paper. Printed lease forms often turn out to be traps if not understood, or if not properly executed. A farmer-tenant contract is intricate and of such importance to both parties concerned that amateur draftsmanship is risky.

Fixing of cash rent or designating the length of term are relatively simple. Yet, even in these matters, ambiguity or incompleteness can cause bitter disputes and expensive lawsuits.

A loosely drawn property description may have consequences entirely unintended by either landlord or tenant. Where rent is to be based on acreage, an accurate description is doubly important.

In addition, there are legal rules to substitute for some omissions in the written leases. For example, the tenant who holds over beyond his term may automatically renew the contract if the

lease is silent on the subject. It is as important to know the results of omissions as to know the court's interpretation of the language used.

There are many matters which should be covered by a properly drawn lease. For instance, it is a tenant's duty to farm on a share basis are should be taken to define what expenses are to be paid by the parties as well as what shares are to be taken out. A lease should cover such things as who is to make repairs, what land is to be cropped, whether the tenant can cut timber, whether loss of a building by fire or other causes frees the tenant, or whether the landlord must accept a sub-tenant.

One great cause of difficulty with leases is blind faith on the part of the persons involved that all differences of opinion can be worked out. Poor memories as to verbal agreements can cause disputes between persons even though they are both honest and generous.

Many of the possibilities that should be covered by a properly drawn lease will not occur to inexperienced persons. The renting of land deserves a written contract, and it is a contract too important to be entrusted to anyone other than an expert.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

### An 'Old Stove Round-Up' Has Been Announced

When a new gas range is delivered to a customer's premises, it must be properly assembled in accordance with the instructions furnished by the manufacturer. Care is necessary in tightening up surfaces coated with vitreous enamel in order to prevent chipping which can easily take place if parts are forced or tightened excessively.

The location of the gas range is important to the use. Their wishes should be considered, but at the same time every fitter should be familiar with the most desirable location.

1. The cooking surface should be entirely accessible and well lighted by natural light during the daytime and artificial light at other times.
  2. It should be reasonably close to the sink work table, or kitchen cabinet.
  3. The range and floor around it should be accessible for cleaning.
  4. It should be located so that opening or closing doors will not graze so close to the range that fingers may get caught.
  5. All controls should be accessible for operation and adjustment, and not blocked by being placed too close to the wall.
  6. It is most important that gas ranges be set so that the cooking tops and oven racks are quite level. Setting should be made by using a level and not by eye.
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### Life Span In U. S. Reaches New High

The average length of life of America's wage-earners and their families reached a new high of 68.5 years in 1952, it is reported by the statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Experience among the Metropolitan's industrial policyholders shows that 1952 registered the ninth year of consecutive rise in longevity.

The gain in average lifetime amounts to five years since 1941, to 10 years since 1932, and to 22 years since 1911-1912. In 1879-

1889 the average lifetime was only 34 years—less than half that for 1952.

Comparing longevity in 1952 with that of 1946, the first post-war year, brings out some noteworthy improvements, especially among female policyholders.

Whereas the increase in expectation of life for white males at age 5 amounted to 1.3 years, the corresponding gain for white females came to 2.2 years.

"The record for gains in longevity among our wage-earning families, when compared with that for the general population, is particularly impressive," the statisticians concluded. "In 1911-1912, the average lifetime for industrial policyholders was about six and one-half years less than that for the general population; currently the two are on a par. It is significant of our American way of life that the health status of the wage-earning segment of our population has now caught up with the general average for the country."

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ALTHOUGH this week-old fawn is too young to really "watch a birdie", he's getting his first lesson at close quarters in one of the caretaker's cabins at Jasper Park Lodge, Canadian Rockies, on how to be a proper deer model.

### Mouse Top Performer At State Fair

Philbert, the smartest mouse this side of Hollywood, will be the star performer in the Telephone Exhibit at the Texas State Fair in Dallas, and one of the hits of the exposition, predicts Manager W. H. McAnally of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

The educated electronic mouse will make his first public appearance in the Southwest at the Fair. He can find his way through a large variety of complicated mazes to a piece of "cheese" at the end, and then remember and retrace his path through the winding passage.

Philbert is carved from wood, has copper whiskers, and is activated by telephone relays, or switches, the same as are used to furnish telephone service, McAnally said. The antics of the little rodent are comical when he is searching his way through the maze, but he is strictly business when he goes over the path the second time from memory without any hesitation and without veering to the right or left.

Rivaling the long-remembered mouse in interest at the exhibit will be a demonstration of the transistor, which has been called the most important electronic discovery since the invention of the vacuum tube, according to the manager. An invention of telephone scientists, the tiny transistor is expected to replace vacuum tubes in many communication jobs.

This little gadget, about the size of a .22 calibre cartridge, may make wireless telephones and even perhaps "Dick Tracy" wrist radios possible. One of the transistor-powered devices shown at the exhibit will be a short-wave radio transmitter about the size of two packages of king-size cigarettes.

Army World War II equipment which today would cost more than \$4,000,000,000 (B) was rebuilt and returned to supply channels during the past year.



NICE 'N' COOL — Only the hands of a Sadhu (Hindu pilgrim) show as he takes part in a prayer to the Lord of Rains in Bombay, India. The mass religious event, attended by one million, marks beginning of the monsoon season, in which Hindus flock to the sea at the height of the monsoon season to ask that rains stop, to protect crops from ruin.

### Public Hunting Test Advanced

The Texas Game and Fish Commission indicated favor for proposed public hunting experiments in East Texas forest lands but decided time was too short to permit the trial projects during the coming big game harvest season.

The public shoots, discussed at the Commission's regular quarterly meeting in Austin, would be on National Forest Lands covered by a two-way agreement between the United States Forest Service and the Commission.

The Commission decided to try out the program despite the patchwork areas involved, caused by irregularity of boundaries with many privately owned tracks wholly enclosed by the National Forest Lands.

One point was made by the Executive Secretary, in outlining the proposed restricted harvests, was that the game population would soon reach such proportions that the brood stock would not be endangered by limited shooting.

It also was emphasized that law enforcement might be strengthened under the suggested new policy in the affected areas where local sentiment opposes prosecutions for game law violations.

The Commission's stand on the proposal, which has been studied by state and federal technicians, indicated the possibility that the experiment might be ready for the 1954 fall season.

Most big game hunting in Texas now is done under the traditional land ownership-game management program whereby wildlife is harvested under leases between land owners and hunters.

The Commission heard suggestions for surveying Gulf Coast reef shell deposits.

Final Commission authority was given the proposed limited harvest of antlerless deer in Kerr, Gillespie and Mason counties to be begun this fall as a means of restoring the sex balance to deer herds.

The Commission authorized resumption of the annual warden school.

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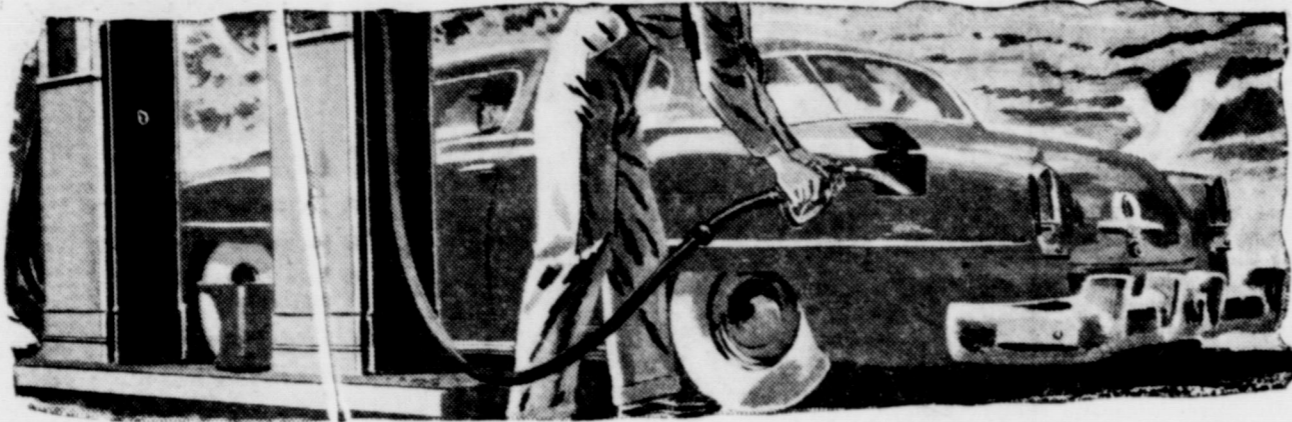
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