



Moore... ABOUT Eastland

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

Here's your chance. Elsewhere in the Telegram you will find a story of Juvenile troubles in Eastland. Yes, we have a problem here. There must be an answer to the problem somewhere. We can't give you a solution, but we can tell you of one organization that has done wonders in curbing delinquency.

You probably took the words out of our mouths. Naturally we are talking about the Boy Scouts of America.

We confess we never did get higher in the Scouts than a tenderfoot. But we really have some fond memories of scouting. Most of you businessmen, workers and others have those memories too. You know what the Scouts can do for a boy, we don't have to tell you.

Well here is your chance. Tuesday you can do one of two things—or preferably you can do both.

- (1) You can be at the kick-off breakfast and take part as a volunteer worker in soliciting funds.
- (2) You can contribute freely when called upon.

Don't fail our men of tomorrow. Do your part, with a smile.

JUNIOR HIGH DOGIES TAKE ON CISCO JUNIORS TONIGHT IN MAVERICK STADIUM AT 7:30

Eastland's Junior High School Dogies take the spotlight this week end in gridiron play as the Mavericks take a one week rest from the rough and tough game. The Juniors play host to the Cisco Juniors in Maverick Stadium with game time set at 7:30 p.m.

Coach Wayne Brock's Dogies, who have yet to taste defeat in their home stadium, lost their first game of the season last week to a strong Ranger eleven. The Dogies previously had defeated De Leon 12-6 and Dublin 32-13.

An exciting game is on tap for fans who care to venture out to Maverick Stadium Thursday night. Coach Brock reports he is well pleased with his charges and has indicated the Dogies might hang up an impressive record when the season ends.

The starting Dogie line-up will probably have Virge Lee, 120, left end; Rex Webb, 165, left tackle; John Lively, 116, left guard; Kenneth Watson, 116, center; Henry VanGeem, 108, right guard; Johnny McMahan, 147, right tackle; Charles May, 122, right end; Clint Humphreys, 90, quarterback; Mike Manning, 110, left half; Saul Pullman, 11, right half; and Weldon Watson, 125, fullback.

Others who will probably see a lot of action are R. I. Stuard, Delton Shirley, Larry Hollis, Hampton Stamey, Dwayne Brown, Elton Williams, Donald Carline, Larry Aldridge, Gene Reagan, Allen Miller, Philip Rodriguez, Knicky Arthur and Stanley Reed.

County Has Heavy Sell On Peanuts

Eastland county's peanut harvest moved into full swing this week with sales estimated at just under 500,000 pounds early this week. Ranger led the sales with more than 300,000 pounds, Rising Star had around 175,000 and Gorman 50,000. Grades ran high.

The marketing resumed in Eastland and several other counties after rain slowed the deal last week. Buyers were surprised to find grades running well above government standards on nearly all peanuts brought to market.

Comanche had 403,660 pounds marketed Tuesday, with the highest grade 75 per cent sound meat nut with 7 per cent foreign material and 12 per cent moisture. Of 31 grades pulled, only four fell below the government standard of 70 per cent. Comanche marketed 230,230 pounds Monday.

At De Leon, Tuesday's marketing amounted to 200,000 pounds Tuesday following about 150,000 pounds Monday and 365,510 pounds all last week. De Leon's grades were holding up surprisingly well, buyers said, with several at 74 and 73 per cent and few below 70.

Gustine, also in Comanche County, marketed 60,810 pounds Tuesday and 53,550 Monday.

In Erath County, Stephenville reported 83,500 pounds marketed with grades averaging well above the 70 per cent standard and only one lot (at 68 per cent) below the standard. Highest grade was 74 per cent. Monday's marketings at Stephenville, a mounted to around 20,000 pounds.

Legionnaires' Membership Drive Begins

Eastland County Legionnaires will join others from more than 800 Texas American Legion posts with a slogan "Knock on Every Door for '54'" and put on their caps and go out and seek other veterans for their organization, Tuesday, Oct. 30. Governor Allan Shivers has proclaimed the day as "L Day."

That date begins another fiscal year for the American Legion which will start its 37th year as the largest veterans organization in history.

The new department commander of the American Legion, L. E. Page of Carthage, has urged every Legionnaire to dedicate "L Day" to talking to friends and neighbors about the principles of the organization. The "L Day" drive is directed by Albert D. Brown Jr., of Austin, immediate past state commander and who is now state chairman of the Legion's post activities and membership committee.

Some of the posts will gather at breakfast for a "skull practice" session before starting out to enlist old members; others will have a luncheon meeting and some have planned evening sessions with barbecues, dances and other entertainment to celebrate the success of "L Day."

DISCOVERY WELL NINE MILES NORTH OF GORMAN BROUGHT IN

A discovery well nine miles north of Gorman highlights this week's Eastland county oil news.

J. E. Connolly of Abilene appears to have a Marble Falls discovery well there. It is the No. 1 Susie P. Wharton, et al, Lot 11, Harvey Kendrick Survey, A-340.

Operator was swabbing to clean. The wildcat has been swabbing four to five barrels of oil per hour.

Governor Shivers Says Court's Gas Ruling May Prove Helpful

Governor Shivers said Wednesday the Supreme Court's agreement to rule on validity of the 1951 gas pipe line tax may prove helpful even if the court eventually invalidates the levy.

"The opinion might say what is good or bad and tell us how to write one," Shivers told reporters.

The court's decision to hear arguments on the appeal of test cases brought by the pipe lines was announced Monday. It was a setback for Texas' hopes for quick access to pipe line tax millions for teachers pay and other needs.

Texas wanted the court to dismiss the case without going into arguments at all. That would have meant an immediate victory for the state in its fight to prove the tax constitutional.

The procedure of hearing oral arguments, writing a decision, and disposing of possible motions for rehearing by whichever party loses in the Supreme Court could delay final decision until next year.

The Eastland county winner is Don Jobe. In addition to the trip Jobe and Miss Clovis Ann Watt of Tarrant county will receive \$250 scholarships. Jobe and Miss Watts were selected on the basis of their 4-H achievements. The scholarships and certificates of recognition will be presented to the winners in ceremonies to be arranged in each of the counties concerned.

Local county extension agents supervised the 4-H demonstration and activity program of each of the winners with assistance from the adult leaders of each member's local 4-H club.

This year's winners were selected on a basis of the member's leadership and achievement in 4-H; length of membership; participation in community, county, district and state activities; production records and the overall record submitted by each participant in the program. Judging was done on the county basis.

Other winners were Don McGinty, Dickens county; Joanne Rutroff, Victoria; Jayne Jeske, Hidalgo; James Gabel, Potter; Margie Jean Claghorn, Ward; Mildred Jones, Cameron; Floramae Hoffman, Bastrop; Dale Schutter, Denton; Joe Nelson, Castro; Freddie Max Stuart, Fisher; Lenette Ruschhaupt, DeWitt and Jack Davis, Van Zanet county.

Easy Way Out
MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Birthdays are no problem for Mrs. Byrle Kynard. Her husband and her two sons have the same birthday.



JAMES KENDRICK College Class Officer

James Kendrick Class Officer At Tarleton

James (Shorty) Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kendrick, of Eastland, was recently elected vice president of the Freshman Class at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

He is drum major of the Tarleton co-ed band and the military band. He was drum major of the Eastland High School Band last year.

James is majoring in music education at Tarleton.

Boy Scout Drive Gets Underway Here Tuesday

Kick-off Breakfast At Seven To Begin Drive

A kick-off breakfast Tuesday morning at 7 at the Connellee Hotel Roof Garden will get the 1953 Eastland Boy Scout drive underway, Grady Pipkin, general chairman, said Thursday.

Pipkin said between 70 and 100 volunteer workers were expected to attend the breakfast and aid in collecting donations from those who wish to aid the scout cause in Eastland.

Solicitation Chairman Frank Sayre said it was hoped that the campaign could be wrapped up in one day.

"We know this is one drive that everyone knows is for a good purpose," he said. "We have always had full cooperation in the annual scout fund drive and expect another successful drive in '53."

Pipkin said many volunteers had already announced that they plan to aid in the drive. He said about 70 had been placed under captaincy, five to each group.

Eastland now has two Boy Scout troops and a Cub Scout Pack is now being organized.

The drive will not be made door to door in the residential section of the city, Sayre said, but he indicated everyone would get an opportunity to give.

The drive will begin immediately after the breakfast ends. Pipkin urged that those contacted think over the background of the Scouts before giving. "Then we are sure they will dig deep," he said.



FOR IKE—Trio of workmen put finishing touches to six-foot cake which Pres. Eisenhower will cut at his birthday party in Hershey, Pa., Tuesday night.

INTRODUCING... THE 1953 RANGERS

(This is another in a series of pre-season newspaper sketches of members of the promising 1953 football squad of Ranger Junior College.)

Jimmie Ray Cole

Jimmie Ray Cole didn't have to travel far to find a place to continue his athletic career.

The former Ranger High School three sports star just enrolled in Ranger Junior College.

Jimmy, who was named on the second team 10-AA all-district, back in 1951—if you remember that was the team that won the district crown with a season record of nine wins and two losses — is another product of the Warden Grid School. That's O. C. (Stubby) Warden, Ranger High mentor. He has played quarterback and halfback while picking up three grid letters.

The 19-year-old youth is a player-RJC Coach Dick Henderson can be proud of.

Besides football, Jimmy also plays basketball and baseball. He won two letters in basket ball at high school and one in baseball.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Cole of Eastland. Jimmy is a member of the First Baptist Church. This summer he worked in Louisiana.

While in high school Jimmy was a class favorite, class president, class representative and class reporter. He was best all-around boy, co-captain of the football team and most valuable player in basketball.

Jimmy, a 5 foot, 10-inch youth, has brown hair and blue eyes. He is majoring in engineering.

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Light Showers On Weatherman's Menu Thursday

The weatherman issued a prediction of light showers for the Eastland county area Thursday. The prediction came as skies were blue early Thursday morning.

A heavy overcast hid the sun most of the day Wednesday, but although there was rain in the Panhandle and traces in other parts of West Texas, Eastland county did not receive any moisture.

The predicted high for today and Friday is near 80 with the low forecast down around 60.

Tuesday and Wednesday sections of the Panhandle reported good rains. The moisture fell over a wide area.

The West Texas forecast calls for partly cloudy skies Thursday and Friday with widely scattered thunderstorms in the Panhandle, South Plains and east of the Pecos Valley. No important temperature change forecast.

Lowell Snyder Entertains Lions Club

With a near perfect attendance, Eastland Lions had an entertaining luncheon meeting Tuesday at the Methodist Church.

Lowell Snyder rendered several selections on his electric organ which were warmly received by the club.

Several business matters were brought up at the meeting and Clyde Young was elected as a member of the board of directors to replace W. B. Pickins.

The Club's Sunshine Committee report was favorably received by Lions.

Lions voted to invite the Eastland Rotary Club to a joint meeting Oct. 27. At that time a representative of the USO will address the club.

Cisco Junior College Eleven Hosts Goodfellow

Cisco Junior College will go up against Goodfellow Air Force Base in Cisco Friday night in a game that has all the possibilities of a first rate struggle.

The Cisco JC eleven will be facing a group of ex-college stars including players who have seen action in the Rose Bowl and Cotton Bowl.

Four Negroes are on the team including Bobby Carlo of Illinois who played in the Rose Bowl in 1951. Bobby is a swift, running the 100-yard dash in 9.7 seconds.

Another name player on the team is Roy (Kentucky) Smith who was one of the big reasons TCU lost their 1952 start in the Cotton Bowl.

A reserve section in the south stands has been set up for Negroes

It's Your Problems

County Officials Bear Brunt Of Juvenile Delinquency Problem

(Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of articles pertaining to juvenile delinquency. In a later article laws which deal with juveniles will be discussed. This story, we hope, will serve as an eye opener to the serious problem the city faces.)

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

"I can't sleep. I can't eat. I can't relax during one of these kind of cases."

Speaking was Eastland county's youthful county attorney, Joe Nueesse. Just completed was the hearing of a 16-year-old Eastland youth.

Why should a hearing so unreflexive a man accustomed to seeing crime first hand every day? A Nueesse; ask your county judge, John Hart; ask your sheriff, Frank Tucker; ask your police chief, Ray Laney; or better still, just ask yourself.

It's a question that is easily answered. The case involved a mere boy, at the most a young man. In the eyes of the law he is still a juvenile. Perhaps now we should say a juvenile delinquent.

Is that so bad? We will let you answer this one for yourselves too.

Eastland county has a duty to this youth. Or at least we did. The county—or to be specific you—have a responsibility to this boy and every other future man and woman of this community. Do we recognize that responsibility? Again, we will let you answer that question.

But we could ask questions all day, we pause to ask ourselves, do they do any good? The answer, they can't do any harm.

Nueesse was speaking frankly. He admitted he didn't know the answer. In fact he wasn't even too sure there is an answer.

He did know that juvenile cases are his number one headache.

"Hardened criminals don't bother me," he said. "We work up a case on them, present it and then forget it. After all about all we can do is keep them away from society for a length of time."

Nueesse holds a different opinion about juveniles. "I worry about a juvenile case before, dur-

ing and after a hearing," he said. And after talking to Nueesse you begin to realize the burden he does carry. He and Judge Hart must decide the future on many youths.

In recent months this county has declared a record high number of juvenile delinquents. Most have been turned over to their parents with the understanding that they have to "toe the line." Four juveniles recently released to their parents must be in at 10 p.m. each night except on Saturday when they can stay out until 12.

Nueesse tells of two boys, under five, who were brought to his attention. "All we could do, he said, was take them away from their parents. They had been stealing since they were old enough to walk, and three of their older brothers are already in prison."

Then he tells of the young girl who was sent to the girls reform school in Gainesville from here.

Yes, it all happened here, in Eastland. Will we attempt to find an answer, or just shove it back down deep in the juvenile docket.

Pete Parker To Head County USO Drive

Pete Parker has been named Eastland county treasurer for the Texas United Defense Fund, the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$775,000 in Texas this year.

Parker's appointment was announced today by Mrs. Marene Johnson, chairman of Eastland county.

Dudley K. Woodward Jr., Dallas attorney, is state campaign chairman of the forthcoming fund appeal to carry on the familiar services of the USO to the young men and young women of the nation's armed forces.

A major portion of the Texas goal, as in 1952, will be included in Community Chest campaigns throughout the state this year.

Meeting of Master, Wardens Set Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the 73rd District, consisting of Eastland and Stephens counties, of the Master, Wardens and Secretaries Association, will be held at 7:30 p.m., Oct. 20.

The meeting will be open house and the wives of the officers were also invited.

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Jimmie Ray Cole . . . Ex-Ranger High back adds strength to Ranger Junior College eleven

DE LEON MAN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Ed Thornton Jr., 25, of De Leon was killed about 1:15 p.m. Tuesday on Highway 16, a farm road, near Gorman when his automobile overturned on a curve.

The car was driven by John Edward May of De Leon who was not injured. The accident occurred about two miles south of Desdemona.

Thornton's body was taken to Higginbotham Funeral Home at Gorman.

Cotton Markets

Cotton futures closed unchanged to 9 points higher in New York and in New Orleans futures closed unchanged to 40 cents a bale higher.

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Church... Society ... Clubs

Weatherford Mayor Gives Eastland Club Women Food For Thought At Opening Meeting Wednesday Noon

Jim Wright, mayor of Weatherford, compared the cost of city government with that of our national government, in bringing to mind the many advantages offered at local level, not obtainable in any other country in the world. He was speaking to members of the Civic League and Garden Club at their opening meeting, a luncheon, held Wednesday at noon on the roof of the Connellie Hotel.

Mr. Wright, young, presentable and interesting, commanded the full attention of his listeners in his informative talk on "Our Home Town." He was introduced by Mrs. Horace Horton, president, who welcomed the members and guests and presented Mrs. Arthur Murrell, yearbook chairman. Mrs. Murrell outlined the year's programs and told of outstanding speakers scheduled.

One hundred and seven women attended, several from nearby towns. They were seated at a long table laid with white linen, place cards marked with silhouette cards, and decorated with artist's

Personal To Women With Nagging Backache

Nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headaches and dizziness may be due to slow-down of kidney function. Doctors say good kidney function is very important to good health. When some everyday condition, such as stress and strain, causes this important function to slow down, many folks suffer nagging backache—feel miserable. Minor bladder irritations due to cold or wrong diet may cause getting up nights or frequent passages.

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Beethoven Club To Sponsor Junior Concert Here Soon

Members of the Beethoven Junior Music Club met Monday, Oct. 12, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pittman for a program on American Music with their daughter, Jeannie, as hostess.

The program was opened with assembly singing of "Texas, Our Texas," and "America," with George Ann Bennett at the piano. The club collect and pledge was given in unison, with La Vonda Jordan, vice president, presiding and leading.

The club voted to present Martha Carolyn Graves and Lethom Jernigan, junior artists from Goldthwaite, in a program for the public in the near future. They also planned a bake sale to be held

LOOK WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Cox, 303 South Virginia, are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday, Oct. 14, in the Eastland Memorial hospital. She has been named Debra Gay, and she and her mother are reported to be doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox have an older child, a son, Charles Anthony, four.

Grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Graves of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cox of Dublin.

Homemakers Class To Meet October 20th

The regular covered dish supper and social meeting of the Home Makers Class will be held at 7 p.m. October 20th in the Don Parker home, 605 South Bassett. Mrs. Ita R. Parrish will be co-hostess.

All members and social members are expected.

Las Leales Club To Meet Monday

Members of the Las Leales club will meet Monday evening at 7:30 for their second program of the season at the Woman's Club.

Mrs. Wayne Caton will be hostess for the program entitled, "City and Country." Mmes. E. E. McAllister and Rudolph Little will have program parts.

W. L. Wood Is Honored on 77th Birthday Sunday

A birthday dinner and party was given Sunday honoring W. L. (Lawrence) Wood, long time resident of Eastland and Eastland County.

Mr. Wood was celebrating his 77th birthday in the family home here at 1505 South Slay Street. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brock and daughters of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beggs and sons, Rusty and Kim of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Merion Whately, Beverly Turner, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Beggs and sons, Larry, Tinny and Gussie, and Mrs. W. L. Wood.

West Ward P-TA To Meet At 3:15 Tuesday

The West Ward Parent Teachers Association will have their regular meeting at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, October 20th in the school auditorium.

A program has been planned for the afternoon, and further plans for the Halloween Carnival will be discussed.

The Carnival will be held in the High School Gymnasium Thursday night October 27th. Both West Ward and South Ward schools will participate in the Carnival.

Columbia Club To Meet On Tuesday

The Columbia Study Club will meet at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 20, in the home of Mrs. E. E. Crawford.

Mrs. W. D. Conway will review the book "Time and Time Again"

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brock and daughters, Sandra Joe, Susan Kays and Donna Ray of Lubbock were the guests here over the week-end in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brock and W. L. Woods and family.

Las Leales Club Members Answer Curtain Call Meeting Monday

The year book committee, with Miss Eunice Nall as chairman, were hostesses Monday evening when members of Las Leales Club gathered for their opening meeting, entitled "Curtain Call", at the Woman's Club.

Miss Verna Johnson reviewed the life of the famous Bronte family, in her story, "The Bewitched Parsonage." In her very charming manner, Miss Johnson, portrayed the trials and tribulations of the Bronces, virtually bringing them to life for her attentive listeners.

Members were seated at game tables, each of which was prepared with a program theme, from the course of study, "Our Passing Parade." The tables were laid with white linen, and each was centered with stage curtains, revealing the program titles, such as Patriotism program's mobilized car bearing two American flags, and Folks and Facts' program, portrayed by a miniature piano, supposedly the piano of Jerome Kern. Each person seated

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Eastland County 1953 Taxes Are Now Payable and Subject to Discount For Early Payment

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Is applied to taxes paid during October. Discount in November will be two percent, and in December, one percent.

STANLEY WEBB

TAX ASSESSOR COLLECTOR

Leaders To Take County Youngsters To State Fair

Miss Jimmy Dee Sturdivant, assistant county home demonstration agent and Mr. Williams, assistant county agent, will accompany the 4-H Clubs, FFA girls and FFA boys to the State Fair in Dallas Saturday.

W. M. Crow, Eastland High School Agriculture teacher and Mrs. Crow, County Home Demonstration agent, will also accompany the group, which will be more than 50 youngsters, Mrs. Crow said.



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EARTH ABIDES

by GEORGE R. STEWART

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THE STORY: Isherwood Williams recovers from a snakebite in the mountains and starts home to his town of Huttonville, he finds no one there. No one has seen him for some time. He reads a newspaper and discovers that a virus has hit the whole world. He seems to be the only survivor of the disease.

In the late afternoon he came across the crest of the hills, and saw the Bay lie bright beneath the westerling sun. Smoke rose here and there from the vast expanse of city, but they did not look like smoke, rising from chimneys. He drove on toward the house where he had lived with his parents. He had no hope.

He let the car roll to a stop in front of the house where he had lived so long. He blew two blasts on the horn, and waited. Nothing. He got out of the car, and walked up the steps into the house. Only after he had entered did he think it a little strange that the door was not even locked.

Upstairs also everything looked much as usual, but in his parents' bedroom both the beds were unmade. Perhaps it was that which made him begin to feel giddy and sick. He walked out of the room, feeling himself unsteady.

As he opened the kitchen door, the fact of motion within the room struck his senses. Then he saw it was only the second hand of the electric clock—above the sink, steadily moving on past the vertical, beginning its long swoop toward six again. At that moment also he started wildly at a sudden noise, only to realize that the motor of the electric refrigerator, as if disturbed by his coming, had begun to whirr.

As twilight fell, he realized that he had not eaten since morning. He was not hungry, but his weakness might be partly the result of lack of food. He rummaged around a little, and opened a can of soup. He found only the stub of a loaf

of bread, and it was mouldy. The refrigerator supplied butter and stale cheese. He located crackers in a cupboard. The gas-pressure at the kitchen stove was low, but he managed to warm up the soup.

Afterwards he sat on the porch in the dark. In spite of his meal he felt unsteady, and he realized that he was suffering from shock.

The next morning he worked out a plan. He felt sure that in an urban district of 2,000,000 people others must be left alive. The solution was obvious; he must find someone, anyone. The problem was how to make contact.

First he set out to walk around the neighborhood, in the hope of discovering someone he knew. But around the well-known houses he saw no sign of people. The lawns were parched; the flowers, withering.

He walked on across a broad surface of smooth rock that sloped with the hillside. It was pitted with small round holes marking the places where squaws had once pounded with stone pestles. "The world of those Indians passed away," he thought. "And now our world that followed theirs has passed too. And am I the only one left?"

After reaching the house again, he got into his car, mapping out in his head a route to cover the city so that few areas would be left out of the sound of the horn. He drove along, hooting the horn about every minute and then waiting, listening for some reply. As he drove, he looked about curiously, appraising what had happened.

The streets had an early-morning look. Many cars were parked, and there was little disorder. Fires were burning here and there, as he could see by smoke-columns. An occasional body lay where the man had finally been overcome. At one street-corner, the body of a man was hanging from the cross-arm of a telephone pole, conspicuously labeled with a placard "Looter." After he had passed this pole, he came to a good-sized business district, and then he noticed indeed that there must have been a certain amount of disorder. The big window of a liquor store was broken.

As he came to the end of the business district, he blew his horn again in his regular routine, and half a minute later he started to hear a faint honk from far away. He honked again quickly, and immediately this time he had a reply. His heart sank—"Echo!" he thought. But then he honked again, a long and a short, and as he listened carefully the reply came merely one long.

HE turned, and drove in the direction of the sound, which he estimated must be half a mile away. Having driven three blocks, he honked again and waited. More to the right this time! HE turned. He honked, and the reply was closer. Straight ahead this time he went on, overshot, and heard the next reply to the right and behind him. He took another turn, and came to a small business district. He thought it strange that whoever was signaling back to him did not stand in the street somewhere and wave. He honked, and suddenly the reply was almost at his elbow. He stopped the car, jumped out, and hurried along the sidewalk. In the front seat of a car parked at the curb, he saw a man. Even as he looked, the man collapsed and fell forward on the wheel. The horn, pressed down, emitted a long squawk as the body slipped sideways to the seat. Coming closer, Ish smelled a reek of whiskey. Ish looked around, and saw that the liquor store close by was wide open.

Then as the man's eyes opened, and Ish looked into them, he felt suddenly no more anger, but only a great deep pity. Those eyes had seen too much. There was a fear in them and a horror that could never be told. However gross the bloated body of the drunkard might seem—somewhere, behind it all, lay a sensitive mind, and that mind had seen more than it could endure.

(To Be Continued)

1—Luncheon and style show: Ballroom of Windsor Hotel. Mrs. Roy Chopman, Program chairman, Cisco, will preside. Mrs. B. W. Clouch, Ballinger, will give the invocation; Mrs. Chas. Griggs will give the greeting. The style show will be presented by Minter's, Grissom's, Marcus, Whitehursts, Bea Haney, and Thorntons. Favors for the luncheon will be presented by Grissom's, Whitehursts, and Minters. Flower corsages will be presented the models by local florists. Door prizes will be given by clubs of the 8th district.

Afternoon: A lecture by Mr. Scott Fikes, head of the Abilene Parks on: "Landscaping the Home."

The District 8 Chairman would like to extend a cordial welcome to the Society Editor of your paper or her representative, to be our guests at any or all of the events. We would appreciate a reply from those expecting to attend.

Telegram Receives Letter Of Invitation For Garden Club Members To District Convention

There are twenty-four counties in District 8 of the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. The Garden clubs in your city are members. The annual fall meeting of District 8 is on Wednesday, Oct. 21, in the Windsor Hotel, Abilene, Texas. It is an all-day convention. Please use any of the following material given below that you can help inform members in your own city:

Reservations for the convention should be made through Mrs. Robt. Westerburg, 3441 South 8th, Abilene or Mrs. K. L. Svedinon, 1289 Jeanette, Abilene. Reservations should be made early for only 250 people can be accommodated. Deadline for reservations is noon, Oct. 19. The fee is \$2.50 per person which includes lectures, luncheon, and a style show. Members may bring guests to the programs for \$2.50 per guest.

The general chairman of this convention is Mrs. Chas. Griggs, Sweetwater, Texas. The District

Governor is Mrs. Wilma Lucas, Abilene. The Convention program is both varied and interesting:

Morning—9:30-30, Registration on Windsor Mezzanine; 9:30-9:30, Executive Board Meeting, Garden rooms, Windsor; 9:30-10, Business Meeting, Garden Rooms; 10-10:15 Horticulture; Mrs. E. G. Thornton, Olney, Texas; 10:15-10:45, Therapy; Mrs. Keet Dunn, Winters, Texas; 10:45-11, Civic Beautification, Mr. Scott Fikes, Abilene; 11-11:15, Projects; Mrs. G. J. Clark, Abilene; 11:15-11:30—Awards; Mrs. A. G. Womac, Anson, Tex.; 11:30-12, Introduction of chairman; Mrs. Wilma Lucas, Abilene. 12-1, Table Show: Windsor Ballroom.

Each club in the district is expected to display one table arrangement appropriate to the theme "I like mine country style." The tables will be judged. First prize will be Gregory Conway's "Treasury of Flower Arrange-

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Pythian Sisters Meet Monday

Members of the Pythian Sisters met Monday evening in regular session, with Mrs. Carol Noble, most excellent chief presiding at Castle Hall.

Plans were completed for Friendship night, Oct. 19, and plans for past chief's banquet were discussed.

Announcement was made of a call meeting for drill practice, in preparation for the formal initiation.

Present were Mmes. Noble, Frank Williamson, O. M. Hearn, Bill Darr, Had Freeman, M. S. Dry, J. C. Poe, Lewis, Lee Campbell, E. K. Henderson, C. C. Street, Frankie Flowers, Cecil Spurrier and Florence Crable.

Hospital Report

Patients in the Eastland Memorial hospital Thursday morning were T. H. Thurman, Moran; Mrs. B. Hudson, Cisco; Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, Cisco; Mrs. H. D. Cox, and infant daughter, Debra Gae; J. L. Hutchinson, medical, Eastland.

Recently discharged were Mrs. E. O. Everett, Melinda Urban, Mrs. W. L. Holmesly, Mrs. F. H. Lund.

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Don Christman Takes Breckenridge Bride In Double Ring Ceremony

The marriage of Miss Tommie Dea Sikes of Breckenridge and Don Christman was solemnized at 10 o'clock Friday morning, October 2nd in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Sikes, Breckenridge.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Zola Sikes, 407 West Fourth Street and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Alice Christman of Eastland.

Rev. J. D. Hicks of Eastland, pastor of the Carbon Baptist Church, read the double ring ceremony before the fireplace, banked with greenery, orange blossoms and white chrysanthemums.

Miss Sharon Sikes, pianist, presented the wedding music and accompanied Ruby Treadway, who sang, "With These Hands," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Tole Ann Rhodes was maid of honor, and Fred Williams of Eastland was best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, E. L. Sikes, was wearing a ballerina length gown of white satin, designed with scalloped pleats. The fitted bodice was fashioned with sweetheart neckline and cap sleeves. Her veil of illusion and lace was attached to a head band of white satin encrusted with seed pearls. She wore

a string of pearls, gift of her brother. She carried a white Bible topped with red roses.

For something old, she wore a ring of the maid of honor's. Her pearls were something new, the Bible she carried was borrowed for something blue, a garter completed the tradition.

A reception followed the ceremony and was also held in the home. The bride's table, laid with a white linen cloth, was centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums, forming a background for the three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bridal couple. Carolyn Sikes lauded punch and Lu Nelle Hawkins served the cake. Kay Sikes registered the guests.

For traveling, Mrs. Christman wore a gray suit with red accessories. Following a wedding trip to Carlisbad, N. M. and other places of interest the young couple will make their home in Breckenridge.

The bride is a graduate of Breckenridge High School and an employe of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Her husband is employed in Eastland.

Out-of-town relatives attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Vick, Abilene, Mrs. Christman and Miss Sue Naylor of Eastland.

HDC Council Officers Re-Elected Important Business Transacted

The present officers were re-elected Wednesday afternoon when the Home Demonstration Council met in the County Court Room in the Eastland County Court House.

Mrs. H. C. Fridge, president, presided and others are Mrs. Bill Tucker of Cheaney, vice president; Mrs. Marshall Berry, Pleasant Hill, secretary, and Miss Willie Word, treasurer; Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth of Cisco, THDA delegate with Mrs. Beulah Turner of Flatwood alternate.

The group voted to endorse and support Mrs. Bill Tucker for Texas Home Demonstration Association district vice president, if she should decide to be a candidate.

Seven of the eleven home demonstration clubs gave their annual reports.

The Education, Expansion and Exhibit committee made their report, naming Nov. 18 as Achievement Day. Their report and plans were accepted and approved.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY—Oct. 16
Union Center Home Demonstration Club, 2:30 p.m. Union Center club house.

SATURDAY—Oct. 17
Rural Youth Day at State Fair, Dallas for all 4-H Club boys and girls.

MONDAY—Oct. 19

Baptist State Convention, San Antonio 10—22
Lake Cisco Home Demonstration Club 2:30 p.m.
Las Leales Club 7:30 p.m. Woman's Club.
Word Home Demonstration Club, 2:30 p. m., Willie Word home.
Victory Dinner, First Methodist Church.
OES Past Matrons 7:30 p. m. R. L. Carpenter home.
Word Home Demonstration Club 2:30 a.m. home of Miss Willie Word.
Victory Dinner, First Methodist Church.

South Ward P-TA Will Meet Tues. October 20th

The South Ward Parent Teacher's Association will meet at 3:15 Tuesday, Oct. 20, at the South Ward School.

W. W. Linkenogger will be the afternoon's speaker and will speak on "Working Together for a Better Community."

Mrs. James Wright, president, will preside and plans for the Halloween Carnival being held jointly, Oct. 27, with the West Ward P-TA will be completed.

The fifth grade pupils will present the program and their mothers will serve as hostesses.

STUDEBAKER CHOSEN ONE OF WORLD'S 10 MOST BEAUTIFUL CARS



Raymond Loewy, designer of Studebaker's eye-catching 1953 passenger cars, explains the lines and contours of a 5-passenger Commander Starlight coupe to a group of art students at the Museum of Modern Art in New York. The European-styled Studebaker was chosen by the Museum of Modern Art as one of the ten most beautiful motor cars in the world, and as the only American-designed and American-manufactured automobile is being exhibited by the Museum along with the foreign creations. All cars in the exhibit are produced in volume; none is custom-built or experimental. All were chosen on the basis of their fulfillment of safety and performance requirements and particularly for their excellence of design. The Loewy-designed 1953 Studebaker is described by the Museum as "the first American mass-produced car to adapt the design characteristics of European automobiles" and as being outstanding for its beauty.

Christian Women's Fellowship County Council Meets Monday

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church in Ranger was hostess at 2:30 Monday afternoon, Oct. 13, to the County Council of CWF including Ranger, Eastland and Cisco.

The program was opened with a piano solo by Miss Anice Locke. The book, "Come, My Beloved" by Pearl Buck, was reviewed by Mrs. J. P. Morris. The program closed with prayer by Rev. Lynn Robbins, pastor of the church.

Following the program, the past president, Mrs. J. M. Flournoy, turned the quarterly business meeting over to the new officers: Mrs. L. E. Huckabay of Eastland, president; Mrs. J. M. Flournoy of

Cisco, vice president; and Mrs. B. S. Dudley Sr., Ranger, secretary-treasurer, who will serve for the next two years.

During the social hour refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Dick Jones, Lowe Wallace, Bob Allen, Eary Wallace, R. A. Jones, Henry Martin, Coleman Brown, D. O. Moffett, Susie Cridler, V. V. Cooper, Dudley, E. T. Matthews, Morris, Miss Locke, and Rev. and Mrs. Robbins, of Ranger. Mmes. Homer Williams, Lon Horn, T. A. Bendy, L. L. Cooper, N. L. Smitham, L. C. McNatt, E. E. Wood, Huckabay, Joe Tow, Otto Marshall, R. L. Todd, R. I. Malone, N. T. Johnson, J. W. Watson,

Winnie Wynne, E. J. Henderson, Pat Murphy and Miss Sallie Day, all of Eastland, and seven from Cisco.

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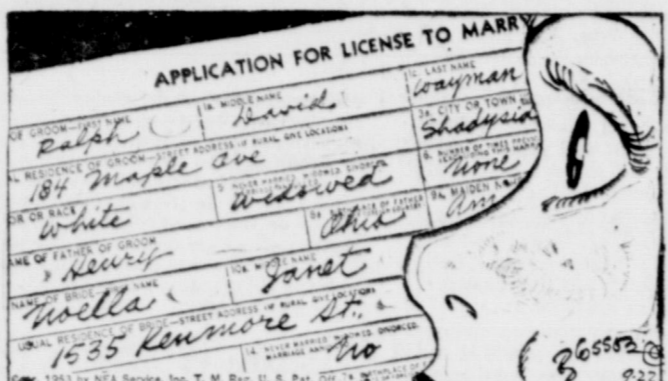
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• NOTICE

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.

NOTICE: Odd Fellows Lodge No. 120 called meeting Friday night, October 16th, 7:30 p.m. First, Second and Third Degrees be presented. Refreshments. Donnie Rogers, Noble Grand R. E. Smith, Sec.

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FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Phone 9520. Hillside Apartments.

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FOR RENT: 3 room furnished apartment, bills paid, \$20 month. 710 W. Patterson.

FOR RENT: Small furnished house, close in, re-decorated. Call 745-J or apply at 210 E. Valley, after 6 p.m.

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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, its successors and assigns, are hereby fixed and determined to be as follows:

Minimum Monthly Bill \$1.00
First 600 cu. ft. at \$.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 monthly 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 8 day of Oct., A. D. 1953.

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 _____.

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Two T & P Men Receive Promotions

Two well-known Dallas railroad traffic representatives of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company are "stepping up" to new posts, it was announced by W. W. Fair, T&P passenger traffic manager, Dallas.

Ervin Rehfeldt, who has been chief clerk in T&P's general office passenger traffic department, has been appointed district passenger agent, succeeding the late Joe Sloan. His headquarters will be in the railroad's city ticket office located in the Adolphus Hotel Arcade. Stepping into Rehfeldt's chief clerk post is B. B. Binford, who has been serving as assistant chief clerk. Both Rehfeldt and Binford are prominent in Dallas civic and church affairs.

Rehfeldt, a native Dallasite, started with the T&P in 1912 as a messenger boy in the passenger traffic department. All of his railroad career as well as that of Binford's has been in this same department. During World War I, Rehfeldt served two years in the United States Navy and he returned to the T&P in 1919. He served in various capacities in the passenger traffic office, coming up through the ranks and was named chief clerk in 1946.

Binford, a Buckhorn, Texas native, started as a file clerk in his T&P career 33 years ago. Like Rehfeldt, he has come up through the ranks serving in various capacities. In fact, his career has followed closely that of Rehfeldt's.



EYE TO EYE—William Standage, who despite total blindness is a member of the Ground Observer Corp., runs his sensitive fingers over the radar eye of a new U. S. Air Force F94-C Starfish at a Burbank, Calif., aircraft plant. Sister ships of the electronically guided plane guard key bases, and are intended to track down and clear the air of possible invading planes. Standage's job is to place coded tags on aircraft

Mrs. J. E. Spencer of Cisco was the guest here Wednesday of her daughter, Mrs. Lilly Frost, and attended the opening luncheon of the Civic League and Garden club.

Mrs. A. W. Brazda, Ranger, was the guest of Mrs. E. Roy Townsend, yesterday at the Civic League and Garden Club luncheon.

DISCOVERY—

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Cut, all slated for 1,300 feet.

No. 5 E. F. & W. H. Kilgore will be 450 feet from the east and 15 feet from the south lines of a 75-acre lease in N. B. Mitchell Survey.

No. 6 Kilgore is to be 450 feet from the south and east lines of the lease.

No. 7 Kilgore will be 450 feet from the east and 750 feet from the south lines of the lease.

E. M. Howard, Rising Star, will drill his No. 8 A. F. Armstrong as a 1,450-foot try 3 1/2 miles northeast of Cross Cut, 565 feet from the north and 530 feet from the west lines of a 36 acre lease in H&G Survey.

Methodists Extend Invitation To Join Story Telling Class

An invitation is extended by the Methodist Church to all those interested in learning the art of telling stories to young children to join the class with Mrs. Frank Sparks as teacher, which will meet in the Booster Room next Tuesday at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Sparks, a professional and experienced teacher of speech, will discuss in addition to the mechanics of good storytelling, the handling and easy management of children through appeals to the imagination. Also the class will receive practical information on basic rules of speech, deportment, and attitude helpful in putting over the stories. Please bring a small notebook and pencil.

Class Luncheon Held In Church Annex, Tuesday

The Friendship Class of the First Christian Church held their monthly covered dish luncheon Tuesday in the church annex.

Mmes. Dave Fiensy and N. L. Smitham were hostesses. Mrs. Smitham gave the invocation, after guests were seated at one long table covered with a white linen cloth and decorated with an arrangement of garden flowers.

Mrs. O. J. Hooper, assisted by Mrs. Otto Marshall, presented a skit with Mrs. Marshall reading parts from the Life of Will Rogers.

Mrs. Smitham gave a Bible quiz. Others present were Mmes. Wynne Wynn, Pat Murphy, Lon Horn, T. L. Cooger, R. L. Todd, L. C. McNatt, T. A. Bondy, Clara Wingate, Miss Sallie Day and Mrs. Alice Luikart of Clovis, N. M., sister of Mrs. Wynne.

The next meeting will be Nov. 10 with Mmes. Wynne and Wingate as hostesses.

Miss Sallie Day was the surprised honoree at a shower of gifts in celebration of her birthday, following the program.

Dub and Wanda Wright have returned to their home here in Eastland after having been in Houston for the past several months. Mr. Wright is a salesman for Horton Ceramics.

J. I. Siddons of Bridgeport is visiting here this week in the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Cooper.

Zeta Pi's Hold Model Meeting In Arther Home

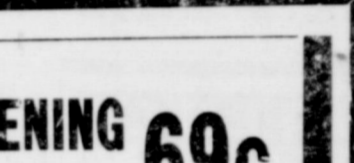
The annual Model meeting of the Zeta Pi chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority was held Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Bill Arther, 1004 South Seaman Street.

Mrs. W. A. Leslie presided over the business session, following which Mrs. Marjoe Johnson presented the program on "Happiness."

Mrs. James Edwards poured coffee, presiding at the refreshment table, prepared with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow roses. Dainty cookies and roasted peanuts were served.

Members and guests present were Mmes. Roland Phillips, Don Doyle, Jack Horn, R. M. Sneed, John Goodie, Johnson, Buzz Hoyle, Jack Germany, J. W. Edgerly, T. L. Bleck, Earl Lee, W. A. Leslie, Bill White, Neil Hart, Luther Wilson, and the hostess, Mrs. Bill Arther, the co-hostess Mrs. James Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Willman were in Dallas Friday to attend the SMU football game. The Willman's son, Jim Ed, is a member of the Mustang Band.



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Short Ribs	Lb. 19c
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BONELESS STEW MEAT	lb 29c
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Hog Cholera Vaccination Is Recommended

With midwest swine raisers again facing possible million-dollar losses this fall from hog cholera, the American Foundation for Animal Health urged farmers today to adopt proper vaccination measures.

"The fact that there are now seven types of hog cholera vaccination which have been government approved has confused many farmers," the Foundation said. "It would be a tragedy if this confusion interfered with protection from the nation's number one hog killer."

The choice of the proper type of vaccination is important for maximum protection, officials said. Each method has certain advantages and disadvantages depending on the local situation.

Such factors as herd history, the presence of hog cholera in the past, general herd health and other variable factors all enter into the choice of the proper vaccine. The Foundation pointed out also that vaccination at the wrong age or wrong time must be guarded against.

"Every farm and every herd is a different problem," the Foundation said. "That is why a herd owner would be wise to leave the selection of the proper type of vaccination and the proper time to vaccinate to his veterinarian."

"Vaccination is the only reliable means for controlling this swine threat," officials said. "Failure to protect the herd will increase the chances for heavy losses."

As It Looks From Here Big Question On Cattle Price Supports — How Will It Work?

By Omar Burleson There is considerable interest and a great deal of discussion on the matter of support prices on cattle. It certainly is understandable that many livestock raisers would favor such a program since they must buy feed which has a support price on it.

The big question arises as to low controls on cattle will be applied. It is practically a foregone conclusion now that when support prices are provided for any commodity, controls must be applied. Otherwise, there is no way in the world to estimate how much it will cost the Government. Without such controls it could conceivably wreck the entire farm program.

An investigation is to be made of retail meat prices. This is to find out why meat prices over the counter remain so high when cattle are cheap. I asked for such an inquiry more than a year ago. The Agriculture Department and the big packers of meat made an explanation, but it was far from satisfactory and was no answer at all.

The following are pertinent parts of a letter written by Congressman Foye of Waco to a printer at Afton regarding cattle acreage quotas for next year, and the inclusion of acreage prepared but not planted because of the drought.

"There is no justice in imposing a double and a continuing penalty upon the unfortunate people who have been the victims of two to three years of drought. The Congress had no intention that you should suffer. In 1950 we carefully wrote into the cotton law the provision that allotments should not be based on County and State history alone, but that this history with adjustments for unusual weather conditions."

This was intended to give the Agriculture Department the authority

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Wednesday - Thursday

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A REPUBLIC PICTURE

Bushland To Speak At Stock Meet



R. C. BUSHLAND

R. C. Bushland, superintendent of the Bureau of Entomology, Kerrville, will discuss new insecticides in livestock insect control at the Texas Livestock Pest Control Clinic in Breckenridge Nov. 9 at the American Legion Hall.

"Dr. Bushland played an important part in developing Screw Worm Smear Number 62, one of the first and most widely used screw worm controls that has been developed by the Bureau of Entomology," Dr. R. L. Rogers, program chairman of the Texas Pest Control Clinic said.

"He also helped to discover many of the early uses of DDT and spent three years working with the Army on Scrub Typhus Chiggers," Dr. Rogers added.

Dr. Bushland will speak at 2:15 in an all day meeting held jointly by the West Texas Ranchers Association and the Association of Texas Manufacturers and Distributors of Veterinary Supplies. All livestock producers and others interested in livestock pest control, mosquito control or other livestock subjects are invited to attend the clinic.

Leo Martin, president of the A. T. M. D. V. S. will preside. A. S. Kimmel is president of the West Texas Ranchers Association. The meeting will be entirely informational. There will be no commercial exhibits.

Twenty-three per cent of the deaths among American Indians are caused by tuberculosis, according to the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Record Sale Of Milk In Area Announced

Reports of handlers regulated under the Central West Texas Marketing Order showed receipts and sales of milk greater during the month of September than any month since Federal Order No. 82 became effect. Byford W. Bain, Market Administrator, announced today. Reports from the eleven handlers regulated under the Central West Texas order showed a daily increase of 44,016 pounds or 16.8% in Class I sales during September over August, and 48,719 pounds or 18.9% over July. Receipts of milk from producers also increased in approximately the same proportions. On a daily basis, production increased 39,723 pounds or 15.3% in September over August, and 40,509 pounds or 15.7% over July.

The average daily Class I sales (fluid milk, skim milk, buttermilk, flavored milk and cream) during the month of September was 306,630 pounds as compared with 262,614 pounds in August and 257,911 pounds in July. The range in daily Class I sales for the current year has been from 274,723 pounds in January 1953 down to 241,565 pounds in June, and up to 306,630 pounds during September.

The average daily production in September was 298,779 pounds as compared with 259,056 pounds in August and 258,270 pounds in July. There were 653 producers delivering milk to the market during September. This is an increase of 95 producers from August and 102 producers over July. The average daily production per farm in September was 458 pounds which compares with 463 pounds in August and 469 pounds in July.

Producers will receive \$6.11 per hundredweight for 4.0% milk f.o.b. handlers' plants in Abilene, Sweetwater, and San Angelo, Texas. For milk delivered to handlers' in Lamesa or Midland producers will receive \$6.31 per hundredweight, and for milk delivered to plants located in Brownwood, Texas, the price is \$5.91 per hundredweight.

Postcard Pile

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — Robert W. Diel has a collection of 70,000 postcards. Among them are some made from wood, leather and plasterboard.

DIVORCE A DANGER-FRAUGHT AMPUTATION, SAYS EX-WIFE

"Divorce is definitely a surgery, agonizingly painful, uncertain in its outcome, to be used in extremity. It is not an easy, simple solution for minor difficulties, but a danger-fraught amputation which a wise physician can order only in a question of spiritual life and death."

This is how one ex-wife, 10 years divorced, begins her moving story in October Pageant—a story in which she frankly admits that she's bitterly sorry she divorced her husband. Understandably, the article is signed "Anonymous."

"At 20," says the author, "I had married on the basis of what is ambiguously called love. When the first 'careless rapture' of passion had inevitably yielded to the attempt at mutual tolerance and understanding which marriage in its maturity demands, there was much that survived. We both thought the same things were amusing, we both were devoted to our child, Jim was reasonably successful in his profession and possessed the characteristics of that somewhat mythical paragon, a gentleman, characteristics which do much to ease the tensions of prolonged intimacy. Economically, we were comfortable."

"To me now, this would present a working basis for matrimony. To me then, the fact that Jim drank too much and consequently visited on his family the inevitable morning-after-the-night before irritability blinded me to all else. I think I used to say, 'I must have freedom to bring up my child as I see fit and to live my own life'—whatever that means. Now I know that freedom is the greatest illusion of all."

"To me now, no wrong or indiscretion that a human creature can commit (and it is significant that most divorces are won on the grounds of nothing more or less than discovered indiscretions) is deserving of this punishment: that a man's child should grow from babyhood to childhood, from childhood to boyhood, from boyhood to manhood unaccompanied, ununited by one of his parents responsible for its life. This is the true perversion of divorce."

"In looking back over my 16 years of marriage and one 10 years following the divorce, I discover that much which I believed was the fault of my husband has proved to be the result of my own in-

adaptation or misadaptation to the rigors of life. It is amazingly easy to put the blame on marriage for one's personal meeds or for one's graver unhappinesses, and a husband is the handiest rationalization that can be found for almost anything wrong with life."

JOY DRIVE-IN

Sunday - Monday October 19 - 20



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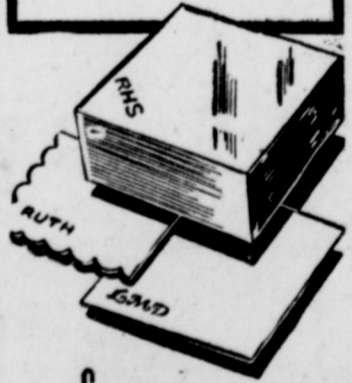
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Tuesday October 20

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News and Cartoon

Holy Trinity Has Guest Preacher

The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 10 a.m. and the Church School will meet at the same time Sunday at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Eastland.

Sunday is the Feast of Saint Luke the Evangelist and is also the Twentieth Sunday after Trinity.

At the morning service the Rector, the Rev. Arthur E. Hartwell, will have for the subject of his sermon "The Christian Duty of Work for the Spread of God's

Kingdom."

At the evening service the guest preacher will be the Very Rev. Dorsey G. Smith, Rector of St. John's Church in Brownwood and Dean of the Southwestern Deanery of the Diocese of Dallas. He will bring a message of importance, a church spokesman said.

Friends and visitors were given a special welcome to attend the service.

Junior High 4-H Club Organized

Miss Jimmie Dee Sturdivant, assistant county home demonstration agent met Tuesday afternoon with a group of Junior High School pupils for the organization of a 4-H Club.

Sidney Seale was chosen president; Ann Pittman, vice-president; Sarah Sims, secretary; Linda Linkenhogor, reporter; Jamie Stamey and Sue Stoker, song leaders; Nancy Owen, Parliamentarian.

Mrs. Perkins On Cancer Speaking Tour This Week

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins is on a several days speaking tour which started Wednesday night, when she spoke before a medical meeting of the South Plains Area, in Lubbock, in the interest of the American Cancer Society, of which she is a State Vice-President.

She will speak Thursday in Borger before a group representing District three of the American Cancer Society, and again in Lubbock on Friday to the Southern area of District three.

Mrs. Perkins will attend the fourth annual meeting of District 13 to be held Tuesday in Graham, where she will have a part on a well planned program.

Accompanying Mrs. Perkins will be Mrs. Frances Walters of Eastland, Mrs. A. Louise Weber, Rising Star, and Mrs. Charles S. Sandler of Cisco.

NEWS FROM CHEANEY

Mrs. Bill Tucker

Aunt Ellen Tucker is still holding her own these past few days. Neighbors have been so good to come sit up nights, bringing food, fruits and other nice contributions.

J. B. Blackwell is still experiencing a serious head trouble which began quite awhile ago. Treatments have not given the desired results he expected.

Visitors at the Cheaney Church of Christ on Sunday morning were Mrs. Richard Tucker and Mrs. Hattie Love of Ranger. Also Mrs. Griffith of New Mexico, who is the guest of Mrs. A. H. Dean.

Mrs. Griffith will also visit in Commanche with her daughter, Mrs. Dick Weeks and family.

Jack Love, of Odessa came by for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Ann Love, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy A. Tucker and son Garland, of Jal, N. Mex. were here Wednesday and Thursday with the Parental Fred Joiner and Bill Tucker families.

Junior Love, from Fort Sill, Okla. spent the week-end at home with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Love and Betty recently.

'54 Plymouth Belvedere Sport Coupe

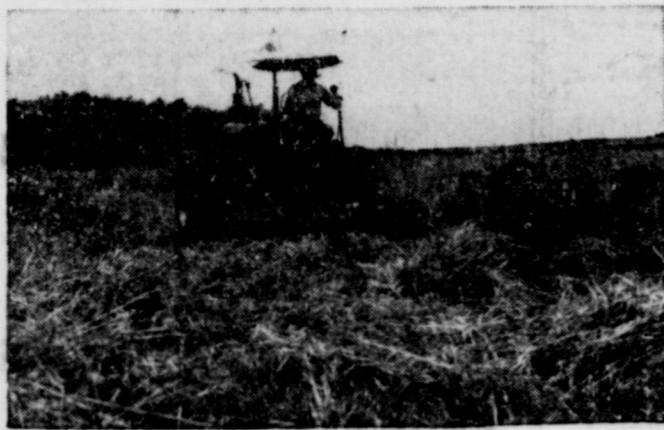


The six-passenger Belvedere sport coupe typifies the new styling of 1954 Plymouth cars. It is longer than the previous model and has a completely restyled interior. All 1954 Plymouths are available with power steering and with Hy-Drive, a no-shift combination.

Recent visitors in the Thelbert Jones home was his younger brother, Captain Billy Jones and his family from Sheppard Field Air Force Base.

Thanksgiving is not so far away and you should see that big flock of bronze turkeys on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers, near Salem. Several thousand, in fact, and they surely look fine.

Everybody, men and women are busy with harvesting the peanuts, so much so that some of us failed to make it out to Church Sunday, much to our regret, but that is the way of the peanut harvesting, but making hay while the sun shines is the best policy when your years work is on the ground, there is a need for making every minute count.



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The Soil Conservation Service, through your soil conservation district, can supply the details on hairy vetch and other soil improvement crops.

Baptist Circle Meets In Home Mrs. H. P. Cole

Rev. F. A. R. Morgan gave the Bible lesson, Monday afternoon, based on Books of Galatians and Ephesians for members of the Virginia Buddin Circle of the First Baptist Church at their meeting in the home of Mrs. H. P. Cole.

Mrs. Frank Lovett, chairman, presided and opened the meeting with sentence prayers.

Refreshment of bottled drinks and cookies were served following the lesson.

Present were Meses. John Williams, Don Daniels, Mary Copeland, Ida Chandler, Etta Drake, C. C. Street, H. F. Vermillion, A. H. Cartledge, Howard Upchurch, Diney, new member and Ida Lindsey, a visitor, Rev. Morgan and the hostess.

Episcopal Church Women To Have Rummage Sale

The Woman's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church will have a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, October 16th and 17th in the Pullman building on the South Side of the Court House Square.

A variety of good clothing and other usable articles will be offered.

Third Sunday Singing Set For 2 p.m.

The regular third Sunday Singing will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, October 18 at the Church of God. Everyone was invited to attend.

The electrolytic process of making aluminum was discovered by Charles Martin Hall at Oberlin College in 1886.

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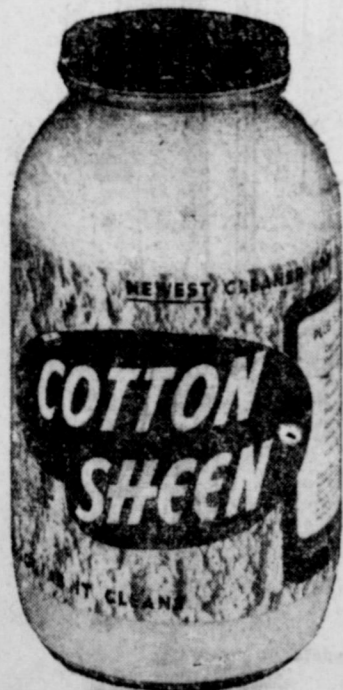
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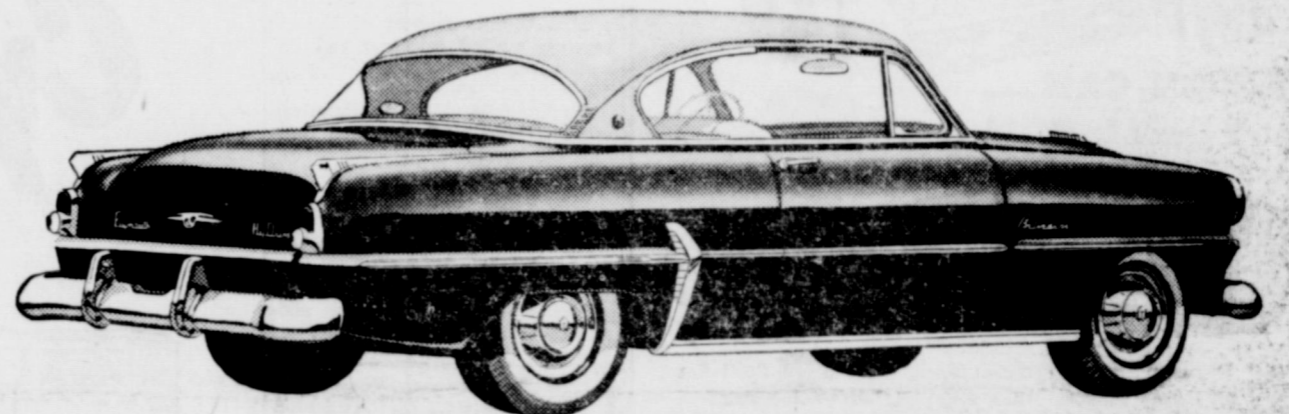
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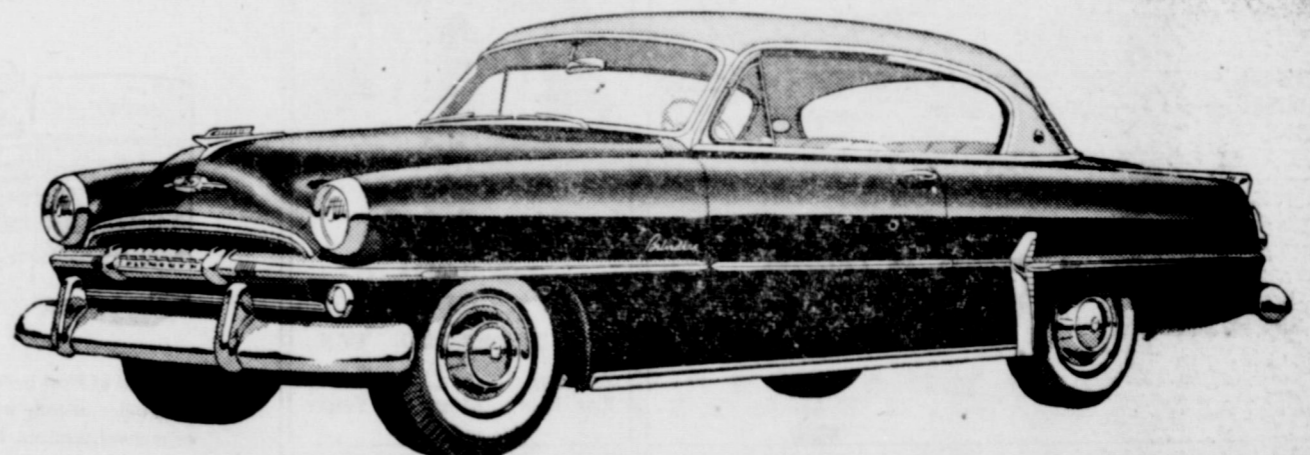
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NEWS FROM OLDEN

(By Mrs. Dick Yielding)

The football boys, both the A and B teams, played good games at Lingleville last Friday night. The A team lost by a few scores but the B team brought home a victory. Those attending the games were Mmes. Travis Hilliard, J. T. Weaver, C. B. O'Brine, Dick Yielding, Alfred Nelson, W. E. Colburn and Jim Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. John Supulver have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Norma Jean Roberts of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt visited his sister in Dublin Thursday. Grandpa Elliott left last week for Dallas where he will spend three weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt visited the McKelvains in Cisco on Friday evening of last week.

Little Louise Woods of Eastland spent the weekend here with her grandmother, Mrs. Nettie Fox.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hilliard were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rogers of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bockman of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Phillips of Hamilton spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Willie Bockman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rushing of the Bullock community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Slough of Abertathy and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lowe of Frier have been visiting Mrs. Bob Lester and the Walter Colburns.

Mrs. Dealva Edwards and girls spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert Jones at-

tended the Farm Bureau luncheon in Eastland Thursday night.

Mrs. Lee McGuire and Mrs. Dick Yielding were in Cisco on business last Wednesday.

Mr. Hillery Bockman and boys visited his daughter Billie May and his new grandbaby in Littlefield over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sims are enjoying the company of their daughter of Brownsville.

Visiting in the O. D. Cooper home Sunday was his brother John and wife of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cole and children of Brownsville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Parks of Desdemona visited in this community last week.

Mrs. Hazel Campbell and Mrs. Dick Yielding spent last Saturday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Dorris Cooper entertained the "Willing Workers" Sunday School class in her home last Thursday evening. After a short business meeting secret pals were revealed and sandwiches, coffee, tea and candy was served to 14 people.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark are visiting his week with their son, Raymond, and family of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGuire spent Sunday in Conanche in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Woolsey.

Last week visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Brine was her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith and children attended the State Fair Saturday.

Mr. F. L. Turpin is a patient in the hospital at Marshall.

Mrs. Winnie Horner of Kermit recently visited relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Supulver were visiting in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Virgil Hamelton Jr., and wife of Fort Worth spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Edna Hamelton.

Mrs. F. L. Turpin and son visited friends in Santo Sunday.

Overseas Veterans Welcome Post No. 4138 VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday 8:00 p.m. Karl and Boyd Tamm.

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Friday, October 16

- 4:00—Test Pattern
- 5:35—Daily Devotions (L)
- 5:40—Previews (L)
- 5:45—Western Theatre (F)
- 6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)
- 6:30—Evening Report (L)
- 6:45—Your Community Chest (L)
- 7:00—Gene Autry Show (F)
- 7:30—Life of Riley (NBC-F)
- 8:00—What's New (L)
- 8:30—"Four-H Headlines" (F)
- 9:00—Late Report (L)
- 9:15—Front Page Detective (F)
- 9:45—Movie Time (F) "Counter-punch"
- 10:45—Evening Vespers
- 10:50—Sign off

Saturday, October 17

- 4:00—Test Pattern
- 5:40—Daily Devotions
- 5:45—Saturday Theatre (F) "Last Ten Feet"
- 6:00—Big Picture (F)
- 6:30—Football Scoreboard
- 6:40—Weathercast (L)
- 6:45—Canyon Country (F)
- 7:00—Wrestling from Chicago (F)
- 8:00—Tandem Theatre (F) "Father Makes Good"
- 9:05—The Cases of Eddie Drake (F)
- 9:35—Saturday Final (F)
- 9:50—Tandem Theatre: (F) "Atlantic Flight"
- 11:20—Evening Vespers
- 11:25—Sign off

Rev. Dorsey Smith To Speak In Cisco

The Rev. Dorsey Smith of Brownwood will conduct services Sunday, Oct. 18, at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Cisco. Dean Smith, dean of the Southwestern Deanery of the Diocese of Dallas and Rector of the St. John's Church in Brownwood, is well known in this area and friends and visitors are cordially invited to attend the services.

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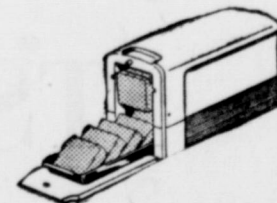
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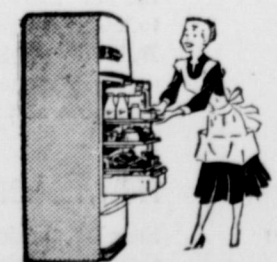
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Probate
 O. W. Ackelson, deceased, application for administration.
 Mrs. Lurah P. Davis, deceased, application to probate will.

Marriage Licenses
 Donald Clayton and Agnes Louise Wood.

Suits Filled
 Emma Jean Williams v. Malcom Floyd Williams, suit for support.
 Malcom Floyd Williams v. Emma Jean Williams, divorce.

Orders and Judgements
 J. T. Carson v. T&P Railway Company, judgement.
 Wanda Faye Kitchens v. D. A. Kitchens, judgement.
 Herman Reimers v. Ira Ashley, et ux, order dismissal.
 V. L. Red v. J. G. Koening, judgement.

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Eastland FHA Elects Beau; Plans Trip

The Future Homemakers of Eastland High School met in the school auditorium Monday.

Plans were made to attend the State Fair Saturday, Oct. 17, and the FHA beau, Verne Meroney, was elected.

Refreshments of cake and tea were served to Annette Sherman, Billie Jo Trout, Nell Urban, Dorothy Jo McKinney, Jean Gaines, Beverly McClendon, Esma Noble, Virginia Caraway, Allene Griffin, Linda Brockman, Geniva Mayers, Shirley Berry, Wanda Bivins, Zelma Phillips, Jo Ann Hollis, Germa Johnson, Betty Nagar, June Mize, Mattie J. Mize, Lav Jordan, Dixie Day, Barbara Dalton, Ellen Whately, Sylvia Latham, Marianne Myrick, Betty Jo Westfall, Betty Nell Jones, Barbara Hightower and Miss Loreta Morris, sponsor.

Large Crowd At Fireman's Annual Banquet

The annual Fireman's Banquet was held Monday evening at the City Park, with a large crowd in attendance.

Carl Johnson was master of ceremonies. Donald Daniels, Guy Robinson, and Milton Nash, entertainment committee, reported that Coca Cola for the barbecue was furnished by the Coca Cola Bottling Co., Parks Poe, manager.

The menu consisted of beef barbecue, red beans, potato salad, cokes and coffee.

Attending were Fire Chief and Mrs. R. E. Kiborn, Messrs. and Mrs. Foy True and Carl, Wallace Williams and family, Guy Robinson, Ray Laney and family, Wayne Jackson and family, El-Nancy Turner and family, Sam Her Marshall, and David, Messrs. and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, Frank Sayre, Henry Pullman and Saul, T. D. Wheat and Don, Roy Young, W. M. Coppock, M. G. Cartwright and

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Christian Science

The Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for this week on the subject "Doctrine of Atonement" emphasizes that the best way to express gratitude for Jesus' sacrifice is to follow him in the way he commanded...to "heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons."

That Jesus' saving mission was supported by the knowledge of his at-one-ment with the Father is made clear in this verse from I

John which will be read (4:9): "In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him."
The following correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook will be included in the Lesson-Sermon: "Atonement is the exemplification of man's unity with God, whereby man reflects divine Truth, Life, and Love. Jesus of Nazareth taught and demonstrated man's oneness with the Father, and for this we owe him endless homage. His mission was both individual and collective. He did life's work aight not only in justice to himself, but in mercy to mortals, - to show them how to do theirs, but not to do it for them nor to relieve them of a single responsibility" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, p. 18).

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Home Gas Incinerators

It's wrong to assume that only new homes may be equipped with a gas incinerator, the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association points out. A home gas incinerator may be installed in the basement of an old home, too, affording the homeowner all the advantages of easy garbage disposal at any time. Owners of this modern "boon" are automatically freed from the nuisance of outdoor garbage cans, which attract flies and rodents and require that despised chore of periodically scrubbing the cans.



NEWS FROM DESDEMONA

By Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel visited in Comanche Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. Abel.

Mr. Neal Matby of Kingsville is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Matby.

A stork shower was given Friday evening in the home of Mrs. John Arnold honoring Mrs. Murry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery enjoyed having all their children in their home Sunday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery and children of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery and Karen of Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Guthery and sons; Mr. and Mrs. Chubbie Forman and daughter, Glenda; and Mr. and Mrs. Hilery Seacy of Gorman. The party was a success.

Mrs. Nina Lohman of Gorman visited here this week-end.

Mrs. Edna Clayton and daughter, Mrs. Richard Crap and Mrs. Ollie Fien visited last week with a sister in Silvertown. Mrs. Maud Fugua and Mrs. Callie Sharp was with the group but visited in Breckenridge with relatives.

Mrs. Tom Northcutt and her daughter, Mrs. Dan Johnson of Pampa, visited in Dallas Thursday night.

Mrs. H. H. Kullenburg of Austin who had been visiting her parents the past two weeks, was joined by her husband Sunday and both left for home Monday.

Little Paula Marine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Marine of Strawn, spent the week-end

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with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Northcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bargon Wilbites of Colton visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Shipman of Mineral Wells are visiting here with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McMathers and Annette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Lewis and children visited in Eastland with a brother-in-law, Mr. Claud Renfrow, who is a hospital patient there.

Mrs. Eppie Carr of Ranger spent part of last week in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis.

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Roaring along with momentum generated by its terrific few days, the giant 1953 State Fair of Texas launches into another mammoth week with a series of big days over the coming weekend.

High point in attendance is likely to be reached Sunday, which is traditionally the fair's biggest day. Attendance on this day last year was 281,228.

Friday will be Elementary School Day, with a free fireworks fiesta at 8 p.m. in the Cotton Bowl.

Saturday is Rural Youth Day, and over 85,000 Four-H Club boys and girls will be present.

They will be guests at the world's biggest picnic at noon. Southern Methodist plays Rice in a Southwest Conference football game at 8 p.m. in the Cotton Bowl.

There'll be free fireworks in the bowl again at 8 p.m. Sunday.

Also Rose and Dahlia shows in the Women's Building.

Horse show events will be staged Friday, Saturday and Sunday with finals of the open cutting horse contest at 2 p.m. Sunday.

Monday will be Negro Achievement Day, with a high school football game in the afternoon and the traditional Wiley College Prairie View game at night.

Attendance for the four days is expected to total over a million.

Tuesday, Oct. 20, is East Texas Day, to be highlighted by a parade.

Will feature the Apache Belles, fireworks and introduction of a bevy of East Texas queens of cities and festivals. Tuesday is also Garden Club Day at the fair.

The fair runs through Sunday, Oct. 25.

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Disc Jockey Evangelist Now On Air

Every Sunday afternoon at 1 p. m., a brown, curly-haired young man steps up to a microphone at Fort Worth's Radio Station KCUL. For the next 30 minutes, the South's first Disc Jockey Evangelist holds forth.

The evangelist, Rev. Marvin Boyd, 25, 5036 James, Fort Worth, spins a familiar platter along with the platters. But here the similarity ends between Disc Jockey Evangelism and other disc jockey programs.

Rev. Boyd has turned the accepted medium of the disc jockey into a formidable weapon against sin. The platters he spins are religious hymns and his "commercials" point the way to a better life.

Highlight of the program each week is an interview with an outstanding religious personality. In earlier programs, Billy Graham has been interviewed, George Beverly Shea was once interviewed. Often a religious leader from this area tells of the joys of living for Christ.

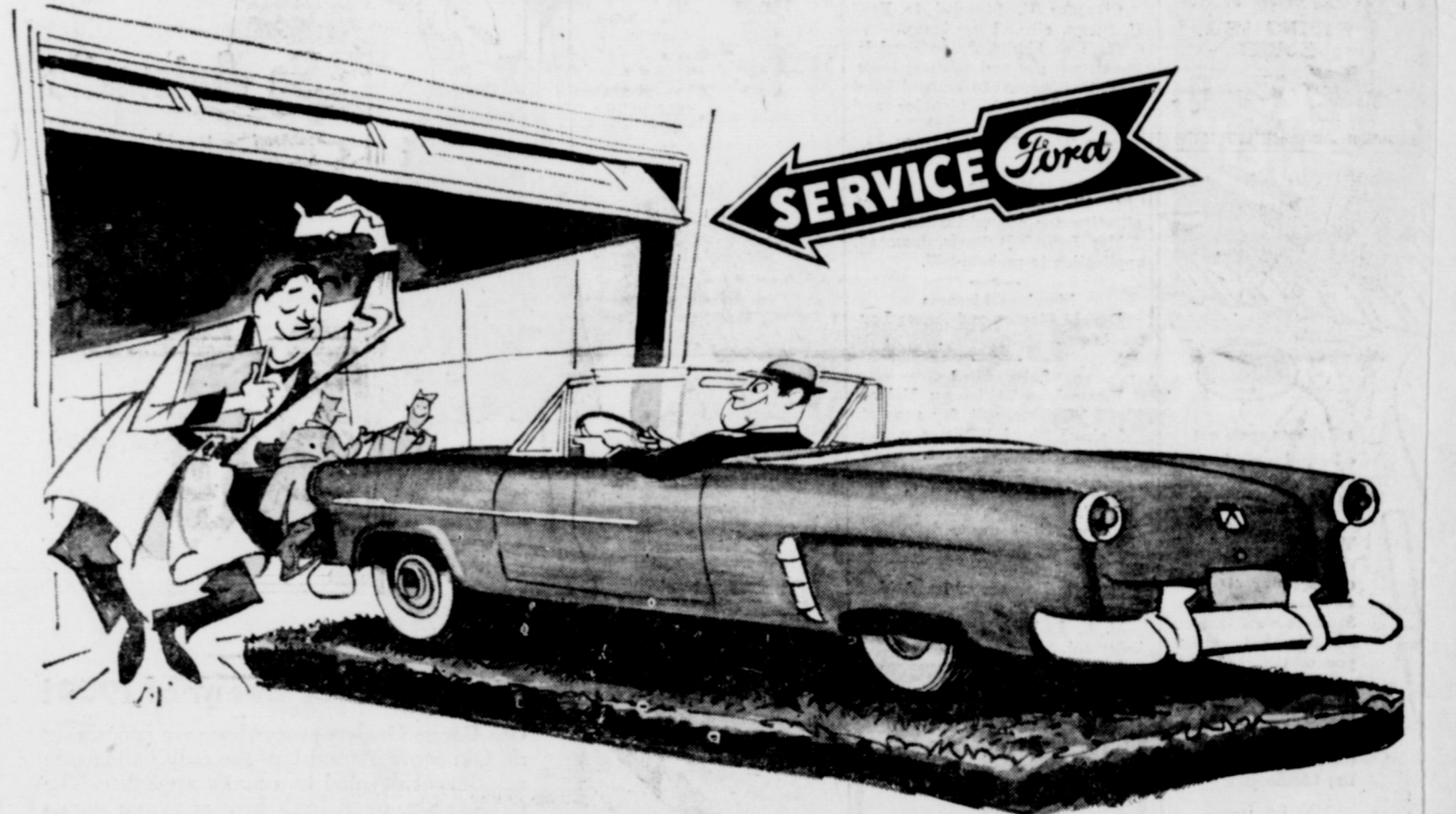
The program idea was born less than six months ago. Rev. Boyd, visiting in his hometown of Houston, was surprised one Sunday morning to hear a disc jockey apologize for interspersing religious songs with not five numbers. Why not a religious disc jockey program?

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Next week, Rev. Boyd will interview Dr. W. A. Criswell of the First Baptist Church, Dallas.

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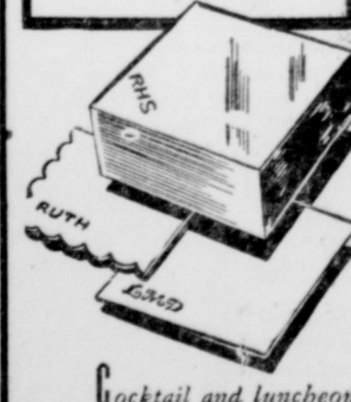
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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration of Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair at their home on Highway 80 between Eastland and Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Zona Griffin is in Ranger General Hospital for medical treatment. She has a host of friends here who wish her a speedy recovery.

The Maurice Hazards of Eastland were visiting with relatives in the community Monday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Mounce and C. L. Henderson were Eastland and Ranger visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan were business visitors in Eastland Tuesday.



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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby were in Eastland Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited with their son, Mr. and Boyd Hazard at Morton Valley Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. William Hazard from San Angelo are visiting with his parents, the Boyd Hazards. William was seriously injured some months ago and is slowly improving. He has a host of friends who will be glad to see him up and out again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dowling visited Thursday with relatives in Comanche and with their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Weldon Hilliard who underwent surgery in a Brownwood Hospital on Thursday. We wish for Mr. Hilliard a speedy recovery.

J. W. Mounce had business in Ranger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard attended preaching services at the First Baptist Church in Eastland Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Langlitz and Mrs. Eva Dick from Olden, were guests Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley and Mrs. J. W. Mounce visited in Abilene overnight Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. Era Slaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope attended services at the Second Baptist Church in Ranger Sunday morning.

PETROLEUM INDUSTRY STILL POTENT FACTOR IN STATE'S SOUND ECONOMIC STANDING

An annual check-up of the Texas petroleum industry shows that the forces within its operations continue as a potent factor in the state's economic health and the 50-years-plus age of the industry here has not dimmed its vision for new frontiers.

These are conclusions which can be drawn from a special Oil Progress Week report issued by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, the state's largest organization of oil and gas producers.

The first increase in crude oil prices since 1947 came in June, averaging about 25 cents per barrel. With production at the billion-barrel mark, this increase will mean something like an additional \$145 million for the state's economy over the 1952 figure.

Overall significance of oil industry operations is reflected in 1952 statistics. Outstripping farm and ranch cash crop income by 23 per cent, the \$2.6 billion sale of crude oil generated a large share of the money which flowed into Texans' pockets and bank accounts.

Latest figures show that Texas has more than 143,000 producing oil wells in some 3,684 fields scattered over the state. Its gas wells numbered almost 10,000.

Production of both oil and gas come from reserves which account for 55 per cent of those known to exist in the United States. At the start of 1953, Texas had some 18 billion barrels of crude oil reserves and its reserves of natural gas are estimated at 105.7 trillion cubic feet.

So widespread and complex are the economic effects of oil and gas development that no precise measurement can be made of the distribution of "oil" money.

One large beneficiary group, however, includes the land and royalty owners who share in the production of oil and gas for a total of some \$450 million a year. There is no figure available on

money received for lease rentals, but estimates are high because the amounts under lease are guessed to be in excess of 60 million acres, with prices ranging from 25 cents to \$50 dollars an acre, depending on "how hot the play is." These payments took on additional significance in a year of drought and regional crop failure.

The supply of equipment for the oil country is a gigantic business in Texas, but no sales figures are available. It is significant, however, that headquarters for many

of the nation's largest tool manufacturing and sales organizations are located in Texas. The same is true of many large well servicing organizations and geophysical exploration firms.

Closely wedded to the trends of Texas petroleum industry is the financial side of the state government and the whole educational system. From production taxes alone, the state derived some \$137 million in revenue last year. Additional tax levies on the industry, such as those from state property taxes, taxes on services, etc., brought the total to \$158 million, or 36 per cent of the total taxes collected by the state. A look at collections from all Texas industry, business, and property, however, shows the oil and gas producers accounting for 68 per cent.

Public education has no stronger financial backer than the petroleum industry. Last year 46

cents out of every dollar of state aid to the free public schools came from the oil and gas producers. Even in the state-supported colleges, oil and gas tax money accounted for 45 per cent of all the appropriations from the General Revenue Fund.

The shift of Texas populations to industrial-type economy is stimulated by rising oil company payrolls. Estimates based on Texas Employment Commission figures show that probably more than 220,000 Texas breadwinners are directly employed in activities bracketed by the search for oil and product delivery at the service station driveway. About 170,000 of these are engaged in drilling, production, transportation and refining. The industry's payroll is estimated at about \$900 million a year. Oil rates are at the top in Texas pay scales.

year pattern of oil production in Texas are two other large industries—drilling and refining.

The processing of two-thirds of the state's crude oil production has made refining Texas' largest manufacturing industry. With investments in equipment averaging some \$38,000 per worker, refin-

ing is a key factor in the Texas industrial scene, particularly along the Gulf Coast port cities. Recently added to the refining complex is a new industry—born of prodigious availability of oil, natural gas, and refinery by-products—now called retrochemicals.

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