

#### EASTLAND, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1960

#### No. 30

# MORE IS NEEDED Good Rainfall **Brings Hope**

After looking at rainclouds for with .10 of an inch everal days without getting any The rainfall was the first in moisture, Eastland citizens enjoy- July, which has been very hot, and ed a good rain early Wednesday helped some. Most agriculturalists morning. The moisture, which to- agreed, however, that more moistaled .47 inches in Eastland, was ture is needed.

the first reported here since June 15, when a shower teased the area

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By Boyce House

The rain brought Eastland's moisture count for the year up to 12.03 inches which is still slightly behind normal. During the first part of the year good rainfail fell. Normal for the first seven months of the year is 16.33 inches. Here is a chart showing rainfall

for the year here compared to ormal rainfall

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The so-called smart, sophisticat- ed humor of the New York City night clubs isn't difficult to pro-	Iconverse	<b>1960</b> 3.09	Avg. 1.37
ign proclaiming, "Our Bread Un-	March	1.53 1.14 2,36	1.38 2.33 2.87
'ouched by Human Hands," you can quip, "Baked by apes, I sup- pose?"	June	2.23 1.21	4.08 2.56
Or if a restaurant announces, "We make our own pies," you could remark brightly to the pro-	July TOTALS *-Only Pa	.47* 12.03 rtial Month	1.74

**Allotments Are** making a speech, the club president Mailed for can say, "This was the largest rowd since I've hear the largest **1961 Wheat Crop** 

College Station, July- Official notices of farm allotments for the 1961 wheat crop are being mailed to farmers this week, according to Baldwin P. Davenport, chair-man of the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. Most of the allotments differ only slightly from those

minimum of 55 million acres, He pointed out that all growers who will produce more than 15 acres of wheat as grain in 1961 will be eligible to cast ballots in the July 21 referendum on marketing quotas for the '61 wheat crop. Growers with smaller acreage and those in the feed wheat program are not eligible to vote since their wheat would not be

a.m. and it was past midnight be-Davenport said the referendum would decide important questions A little incident, you say and for wheat producers and he urgnot worth setting down. And you are correct except for this-it ballot. Marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1961 wheat crop if two-thirds of the growers casting ballots favor their continuance. Too, marketing penalties will apply to the excess wheat of growers not complying with their farm allotments, and price support at not less than 75 percent of parity will be available.

Churches Hold...

The two congregations will

## ... Union Services

The First Christian Church and the First Methodist Church have started a series of union services each Sunday night.

meet in one of the church buildings one Sunday and the other the next. Last Sunday they held services in the Methodist Church and Rev. Ray Heckendorn, pastor of the Christian Church, delivered the sermon. This Sunday the union service will be held in the Christian Church and the Methodist minister, Rev. James Campbell, will preach

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#### Sumner G. Whittier, Admin's- | separated from the service, to have trator of Veterans Affairs, today the benefit of a higher rank than called the attention of veterans and that at time of separation from their dependents to the following the service provided he held it for six laws enacted recently by Con- six months at least and was holdgress and approved by President ing it within 120 days of the date of his separation or death.

1. P. L. 86-490 provides that if 4. P. L. 86-494 provides that a veteran submits proof of depen- survivors of certain Navy enlistdents within 60 days of notice that ed men, who died as a result of the evaluation of his service-con- aviation accidents between Oct. 8. nected disability is increased to 50 1940, and Aug. 3, 1942, while training to become aviation cadets may apply for \$10,000 gratuitous National Service Life Insurance less the amount of Government insurance in force. Payment will be made to survivors but not to es-

tates. 5. P. L. 86-495 prohibits paythe marriage requirements for

widows entitled to death Sources under either death compensation of the death of more than one paor dependency and indemnity comrent in the same parental line fol-lowing the date of the law (June spending a holiday on the front pensation. For death compensation it extends from 10 to 15 years the 8, 1960). The prior law would altime limit within which the widow time limit within which the widow must have married a veteran who from a parent's death and a step-This year the Four

ed cause following the termina-6. P. L. 86-497 authorizes walvtion of the period of service in er of premium payment to be which he sustained his service-con-nected disability. This law does not affect a widow who qualifies because she was married to the veteran for five or more years or which he sustained his service-conveteran for five or more years or ance became effective. The waivwhere a child was born of the marer of premiums renders the insurance non-participating while the 3. P. L. 86-492 allows a widow waiver is in effect.

eligible to receive dependency and indemnity compensation, which is EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK "On The Square" based on the rank of the deceas-MEMBER F. D. I. C.

ed veteran at the time he was C.C. to Give Prize for Biggest Melon

Group, 4th Cavalry, charge ashore along a Korean river in an attempt to infiltrate the main battle positions of their unit during night training exercises. Constant combat exercises keep these members of the "First Team" (1st Cavalry Division) at the ready along the "Bamboo Curtain" in Korea. Gray Matter

CAUGHT AGAINST THE BACKDROP of a night sky, "Aggressors" of Company D, 2d Battle

#### By JOE GRAY

This was a quite Fourth of me a headache smelling them. July we spent on the front porch Although the Abilene track was School graduate, has been named this year, which, by the way, is not the largest nor the best in on the Spring Honor List at Sul one of the best on earth to be the nation, I think it rated among Ross State College by Dean of the spending a hol'day in the hot the best because some of Amer- College, Bevergton Reed. summer time. The e days there ica' best racers raced there. I re-

surance to any child on account literally taking hit life into his used to make the Abilene race coach next season at Ranger Colown hands to get out on the road. almost every year. He later won lege, About all he has to worry about the Indianapolis Memorial Day for a world's record, which I think

porch is the danger of falling out This year the Fourth passed in its usual manner, hot and dry. But there have been some excep-

tions to this rule in the past. 1 rmember a Fourth we had a long time ago when I was in had to light the fires in our homes

say once in a man's age. That was in the long ago when the most popular thing to do usually wrecked itself in the here was to go to Abilene to the shuffle, but I don't remember

automobile races. At that time Abi Clyde Evatt, Eastland High

Evatt, a former E.H.S. football

race in that city and was trying of distinction of the academic world and is achieved by not more he also held at some time or than 15 percent of the student other, at Daytonna Beach, Flor-body. Seventy-five students were ida, when he lost control of his named for the last semester, of car and lost his life when he drove whom eleven received a "straight

Most of the cars racing in Ab- its doors to its first students in grammer school that was a real ilene used to be four-cylinder June 1920, and according to a cold day. It got so cold that we jobs, hopped up for racing cars. recent tabulation, the August grad-Most of them were small, much uating class will mark more than here in Eastland, but that sort of smaller than racing cars today five thousand graduates in the things doesn't happen once in a are and most of them didn't have 40 year history of the institution. coon's age, or perhaps I should starters or very little, if any, Summer Convocation has been an

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are so many people on the high-member in particular a fellow by star and a Sul Ross standout on ways each holiday that a fellow is the name of Frank Lockhart who The Dean's List is the mark

braking systems on them. If one nounced for August 21. of them got out of control, anyone getting killed at Abilene

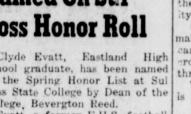
races any of the years I used to MUST

'We make our own pies,"

it into the sea at too fast a speed A" average.

**Ross Honor Roll** 

Sul Ross State College opened



could remark brightly to the proorietor, "That makes it easy for the customer to fix the responsibility, doesn't it?" Or if you have just finished

three weeks."

The night club brand of humor s fundamentally cruel. Like all newspapermen, I dislike vriting letters but have exchanged them with Carl Sandburg, Rex Beach, Dr. Frederick Cook and W.

rowd since I've been president-

J. Bryan. There's a foursome! Sandburg is, in my opinion, the foremost living American author; Beach wrote exciting novels of for 1960, since the national acre-Alaska; Bryan was the greatest age allotment remains at the orator of his generation and Cook claimed to have discovered the Davenport said. North Pole and to have been the

first to climb Mount McKinley. It was at night in a leading hot I'wo men were carrying on an animated conversation with the door open into the hall. Their voices penetrated through the closed door of the opposite room where the occupant who was paying a neat um for anight's rest tossed sleepsubject to marketing quota pen-

essly. He had left a call for 6 alties.



#### of the best dirt-track racing in

We The Eastland Chamber of Com-Democratic merce will award a \$15 prize nson as Presias vice presito the Eastland County grower wouldn't do who brings the biggest countyhe wouldn't ing mate watermelon to the C-C top pos office by Aug. 6. An additional plan calls for \$5 prize will go to the person nson's part who then comes closest to guessing the weight of the melon.

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EASTLAND COLONEL HONORED-The Air Force Commendation Medal is pinned on the blouse of Lieutenant Colonel Roland L. Perkins of Eastland (left) by Lt. Gen. on the west side of town, just Archie J. Old, Jr., commander of Fifteenth Air Force at March AFB, Calif. The award was presented for his meritorious service as chief of maintenance, assistant deputy commander for maintenance, deputy commander for maintenance, commander, 64th Bombardment Squadron and

assistant deputy commander for operations, 43rd Bombardment Wing, Davis-Monthan AFB, Tucson, Ariz. from July 1958 to March 1960. Born in Memphis, Texas, Col. Perkins graduated from high school in Eastland in 1934 and went on to attend North Texas State College in Denton. He first entered the armed forces in May of1942 and now holds the position as chief of the current plans branch in the 15th Air Force headquarters directorate of operations at March AFB. He and his wife, the former Jimmie Lou Goldman of Sweetwater, Texas, make their home at 1296 East St. in Riverside, Calif., with their children, Patti Lee, 15, and Roland II, 13. The colonel's father, R. L. Perk-were something awful. They gave 47 1.74 ins, lives at 407 S. Dixie, Eastland, Col. Perkins holds the 12.03 highest aeronautical rating possible in the U.S. Air Force, 25.83 that of command pilot. He has completed over 4100 flying wITH THE WILDCAT ENGINE his tubes on the road and of Partly Cloudy hours. (USAF Photo).

ilene and park our cars downtown to avoid the parking jam and grounds. Yes, that's what I said. ride the streetcar to the grandstand. Abilene used to have two or three cars running on regular schedules about town, and was and El Paso large enough to support an electrical streetcar system on its city streets. This was back in the early twenties and Abilene at that time was all of 10,000 or where near hitting the 89,000 people recorded in the 1960 cen-

sus, as recently reported in the early reports of population of Texas cities and towns.

been much more than Thurber, but was a company town while Abilene was a typical county-seat ing, farming, and education. It had two colleges and perhaps three at that time. It just depends on the date McMurry was established, but I think , it was established in the early twent'es. ACC and Simmons, as Hardin-Simmons was known then, were middle of an aroused cat. already going concerns. However,

I think it is interesting to note that of the world's rubber market, Abilene Christian College then was about as far west as the present can public for every cent they Sears, Roebuck store, but on the could get in the world's rubber north side of the Texas and Pac-market. A standard tire for the ific Railway tracks.

heads and when they had an opportunity to get much-needed land on the eastern side of town, picked up the school and bodily moved it to a more roomier location. Those old auto races used to fascinate me, although they used to give me a headache every time I went to one of them. Racing cars

See and Drive the New TURBINE DRIVE BUICK MUIRHEAD MOTOR CO.

attend. Getting to the race was some-

to keep control of it.

all America each Fourth of July thing of a day's work too. The out at the race track in Fair Park. highway wasn't paved all the way That was the old West Texas Fairto Abilene then and we usually grounds that used to be located had to detour all the way from just to the west af the city aud-Putnam to Baird. The detour went itorium. We'd all get over to Absomewhat north of the present highway and was one of the roughride the street car to the fair- est pieces of road I think I ever saw. Right after a rain it was almost impossible but we seemed to always manage to make it. although it was quiet and ordeal. If we didn't have a flat or somethe only town between Fort Worth thing like that we thought we were doing good.

I suppose the early-day auto races did serve a useful purpose. The automobile and tire manufacturers learned things about their 11,000 people. It didn't come any- products at these races that they probably never would have found out otherwise, and there was a lot of things they needed to know too.

In those days of the twenties The actual population of Ab- automobiles only had brakes on ilene at that time might not have the rear wheels. Many people thought if they had four-wheel brakes there would be a danger of them somersalting if the front town owing its support to ranch- brakes accidently grabbed too soon. Tires too have improved a lot since those days. Some of the things the tire manufacturers needed to know about tires came about as a result of the early sport of auto racing. Tires in those days were higher than the hide in the The British at that time had control synthetic rubber had not been invented, and they bled the Ameri-

time cost the motorist about \$50 Being so close in to town, the or \$60 and it was sometimes fathers of that school used their guaranteed for a full 3,000 or 4,000 miles.

Just think what would happen today if we could only get 4,000 miles out of a tire? We'd naturally think we were robbed, but that used to be standard practice. The first time I ever made a trip to California in the late twenties we left here with a brand new set of tires. At that time we referred to five tires as a set and some of us carried two spares, instead of the usual one tire, to be extra safe. One of the standard

things carried in every car was a hot-patching kit so he could patch (Continued On Page Two)

Rain caused the postponement of one game and cut another short in Little League play Tuesday night. The Bull-dogs beat the Medics, 11-8, in their game. The tilt was called with two out in the bottom of the fourth inning. Thursday night the Medics play the Comets and the Lions meet the Bulldogs.

The Eastland County Singing Convention will meet all day Sun- got to admit, they told you. day at Kokomo, Lunch will be served at 12:30 and everyone has been asked to bring their lunch fices there is. The former Senator, and attend.

Friday night will be the big night for Eastland Minor League players. There will be a double header at Little League Park to conclude the Minor League season.

EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK "On The Square" MEMBER F. D. I. C.



shows what's the matter with the world. There are too many people who never think of the other man, his comfort, his rights or, if they do, they just don't give a durn.

fore the talking two quit.

This-and-that:

Dr. H. E. Robinson of the Texas Education Agency is an orator -and you can't hardly find that kind any more.

In San Antonio, there's a place of business with a sign, "Our motto is caveat emptor." Well, you

Pat Bullock of Colorado City has one of the most difficult ofas a member of the State Pardon and Parole Board, hears many

pathetic pleas. . Was San Antonio the last city in the county with a town-crier? As recently as the 1920's a man rode around the business district on a horse, calling out about the baseball game that afternoon or a sale in progress at a store-(or so I was told by a long-time resident of

If more than one-third of the voters oppose the quotas, no quotas or penalties will be in effect on the 1961 wheat crop and price support at 50 percent of parity will be available to producers who plant within their farm allotments.

Growers who like to make their own decisions should cast a ballot on July 21, Davenport said. Local announcements will soon be made regarding polling places and opening and closing times for the balloting. Local ASC offices can supply additional information on the referendum or it may also be obtained from community and county ASC committeemen, Dav-

enport said.

#### **Peanut Producers Urged to Attend** Farm Bureau Meet

The Texas Farm Bureau has been cooperating with the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association and several other farm organizations in Texas and Oklahoma in an effort to develop a voluntary check-off program to finance expanded research and promotion for peanuts.

After several preliminary explorational meetings a suggested program has been developed for consideration by the various orgenizations involved.

The State Board of the Texas Farm Bureau will consider this matter at their board meeting July 12-14. In an effort to go over this suggested program and to get the thinking of the peakut producers themselves, a meeting will be held Friday July 8, 3 p.m. in the Orchid Room, Baker Hotel, Mineral Wells.

Ali peanut producers are urged to attend this meeting.

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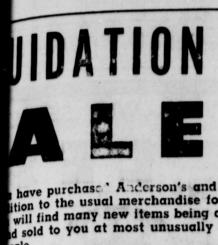


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Hospital News Patients in the Eastland Memoral Hospital are the following: Arthur Mayears, Eastland, surgical J. L. Kuhn, Olden, medical M'ss Pamela Brock, Cisco, surgical Dennis Tilly, Eastland, medical Mrs. Missouri Ann White, surgical Mrs. Ivan Campbell, Cisco, me-Mrs. M. A. Poe, Sastland, medic-Oscar T. Hazard, Eastland, edical Miss Sandra Lasiter, Carbon, medical Cody Cox, Eastland, surgical Mrs. Marg'e Bickford, surgical, Hubbard Mrs. Zona Jones, surgical, Cisco Mrs. Alline Durham, Eastland, medical Charles Cross, medical, Cisco Mrs. Oga Mae Jackson, medical Mrs. Katherine Starr, medical Mrs. Pat McPhearson, Cisco, medical Mrs. Charles Brooks, Eastland, accident Brookks Herring, Eastland, medical Mrs. Emma Lee Caldwell, Carbon, medical Mrs. Albert Fauth , Eastland, surgical Mrs. Ruth Daniel, Eastland, medical Mrs. Pearl Bourland, Eastland, surgical T. H. Landon, Eastland, medical Mrs. Ethel Rowch, Olden, medical Guy Craig, Snyder, surgical Mrs. Veda Hudson, Eastland, medical Billy Carl True, Snyder, accident dical Dismissed were: Robert Marsh, James Gibson, Mrs. James Johnston and baby girl, Miss Donna Hartman and Mrs. Floyd White. Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland and Olden are: Mrs. Mary Loper, Eastland, me dical Mrs. Owen Hamilton, Olden medical V. M. Lovell, Eastland, surgical Visit Our Display Yard In **EASTLAND** before you MONUMENT Located across street from Coats Furniture Co. Willard Griffin, Dealer Ph. MA 9-2557 - Eastland Built by: Riley-Gardner lemorial Co., Hamilton, Texas MATTRESSES Save up to 50% renovating,



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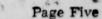
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EASTLAND TELEGRAM, THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1960 WEEKEND GUESTS **VISITS JOHNSONS READ THE CLASSIFIEDS** Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Baker and Mrs. W. L. Keith and Judy were Rodney of Ballinger were weekend Forrest Keith and three daughters of Tulia, Melvin Keith and guests in the home of Mr. and **Funeral Directors** family of Odessa, Carl Keith and Mrs. Finis Johnson. family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Belyeu and Wendell of HAMNER FUNERAL HOME ATTEND THE CHURCH OF Sundown and Mrs. John Swain of YOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY Glen Rose. Ben E. Hamner **Oxygen Equipped - Air Conditioned** Boswell's Hawaiian Eastland Phone MA 9-2611 Phone Hillcrest 2-1211 Holiday AMBULANCE SERVICE ANY WHERE ANY TIME SHERBET Nominal Cost Burial Insurance For The Entire Family TREE OFFER M ATTAL TAL ATTAL AT Only Shifting Incurance Burdens-CARTON COUPON FROM HALF-GALLON BOSWELL'S . . has long been a custom of the American people, and it's HAWAIIAN HOLIDAY SHERBET. POSTPAID. GROWN a good custom. Don't try to carry the load yourself personally, IN New, pink pineapple sherbet . . . tangy but shift it to your local agent and let insurance do it. Your HAWAII and refreshing. Buy a half gallon Boswell's Hawaiian Holiday Sherbet ... losses may be hours or years away but meanwhile if you are adequately insured you not only have protection but peace of send for two living miniature palm mind which are worth far more than the cost in dollars and trees. Hawaiian cents. Loss or no loss, you win either way with insurance! Boswell's Holiday EARL BENDER & COMPANY (Insurance since 1924) Eastland, SHERBET MRS. DONALD SAVERANCE FINEST FOODS AT REAL SAVINGS WE HAVE LOTS 'N' LOTS OF VALUES! Miss Sybie McDaniel and Donald Saverance Repeat Vows Saturday Western Style Solid Pack Miss Sybie Louise McDaniel, illusion. Her flowers were pink MARGARINE NATIONAL HOT Sidney Saverance of Abilene served the couple as best man MONTHI and Norman Drake of Abilene as All Vegetable usher Prices Good Through The reception was held immed-Saturday, July 9 iately following the ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ice We Reserve the Right McDaniel, 1618 Campus Court. to Limit Quantities Mrs. R. Lee McDainel, aunt of IBBY'S SWEET the bride, and Mrs. Dollie Harris, TEA PICKLES PRODUCE aunt of the groom, served three TEA BAGS LIPTON'S 23¢ tiered wedding cake from the Lipton lace covered serving table. For her going-away frock, the COOL, CRISP GOODNESS INSTANT TEA 15-02 49¢ bride chose a pink and white tea houndtooth check tailored sheath with matching feathered hat and W-P LIQUID SUNSHINE HONEY GRAHAM patent accessories. DETERGEN Following a wedding trip to CRACKERS points in New Mexico, the couple Money-Back Guarantee will be at home in Andrews. COFFEE The groom is the A.S.C. Office Lb. Box 3 12-0z. Can Manager in Andrews and Mrs Saverance was formerly Assistant Bananas Central American W-P GRANULATED 2<sup>1bs.</sup> 25c



