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Citizens Group Seeks Street Markers Here

Moore... ABOUT Eastland

By Virgil E. Moore

We have said it before, we say it again, and will probably repeat it 3000 times more: If it wasn't for the leadership that the Civic League gives Eastland, we just flat wouldn't have any.

That's a hard thing for us, being of the opposite sex of the members of the League, to say, but it just appears that the statement is so.

The proof of the statement cropped up again in our face last night. Mrs. James Horton was a unanimous choice to head the Citizens Committee to get the city's streets marked.

Now before all of you fellows gang up at once, let us qualify that statement by further saying that it will be the men who finally get those signs up — we will grant you that — but not until the women folks nag us into it.

It's wonderful to have such aggressive and talented women in our city, but just one time we would like to see the stronger sex do something that we could brag about in this column.

See where the United Press ran the following story: "A German Newspaper has printed a story saying a tall, handsome Texan would like to meet a fraulein. The West Berlin tabloid 'Telegraf' prominently displayed a picture of six-foot-orth-inch 193-pound Frank Merrideth of Eastland, Texas in U.S. Army uniform. Merrideth invites frauleins between 20 and 30 years old to write him."

That boy should just come home!

Received a letter from Norman Wright, our old fellow staffer, this week. In Terrell now, Norman tells about Bryant Houston coming up that way and walking off with first place honors in the fiddlers contest. Wright says we should do more "columnating" on Houston, saying, "You may not know it but Bryant is the biggest ad Eastland has had since Old Rip. He goes everywhere and never does seem to lose a contest. Gets publicity everywhere."

The Band Boosters' birthday calendar lists the following birthdays today: E. E. Freyschlag, Karen Elaine Gallagher and Don Hazard. Wednesday Lonnie Joe Basha and Mrs. Billy Halford will celebrate.

Received a letter this week from Walter Crichton of Charleston, W. Va. asking for help. He says a few years ago he drilled an oil well around here and "became quite intrigued with the stories I heard regarding the oil and gas industry." Says he got so interested that he began collecting the news stories regarding oil and gas wells and other stories of a similar vein. Now he plans to write a book and would appreciate it if you would write and tell him the stories you know. His address is 508 National Bank of Commerce Building, Charleston, West Virginia.

Tip Arther was busy talking the weather with other county commissioners Monday morning when he made the following statement: "I sure didn't know it was as hot as it was yesterday. If I had known it I sure wouldn't have got outside."

It's not really very hot, though. Now you may laugh at that statement, but you should just consider its possibilities. Out in the Panhandle, when it gets 10 degrees below zero, those folks just get to talking about it "really not being cold" and pretty soon they have convinced themselves of the fact. Truth of the matter is, we have sat and listened to our old editor out there discuss and "cuss" the Dallas News and other "East Texas" papers for saying it was cold out there. Just keep reminding yourself how nice and cool it is, and quit looking at that thermometer.

P.S. — It was 107 here Sunday.

Now we would be the last person to want to make Dallas and Fort Worth get in a fuss, especially since they have been on such friendly terms in the last few years. But somebody is fibbing a (Continued on Page Five)

Dr. Caton Outlines History Of Rotary

An outline of the history of the Eastland Rotary Club was given Monday by Dr. J. H. Caton.

Dr. Caton told how the club was first organized 35 years ago and brought its history up to the present date. He recalled that things haven't changed too much, saying that the first thing the Rotarians did was sponsor a big celebration at "the big, new Eastland Lake."

Caton, saying that much of his information was taken from the historical sketch of the club written by Earl Bender, said the first meeting of the club was held in the Charlotte Hotel. Next the group met above the Elks Hall, then on the second floor of the Athletic Club, then at the Country Club, next at the new high school building, then at the Methodist Church and finally at the Connelley Hotel Roof Garden.

The club has had 33 presidents. They are Tom W. Crutcher, Scott Kretz, Jack Williamson, Dr. J. H. Caton, Sen. H. P. Brelsford, Jos. M. Weaver, Earl Bender, Homer Brelsford Jr., Frank Williams, Dr. W. E. Chaney, Jim Horton, B. M.

Collie, Ben Hammer, T. E. Richardson, Carl P. Springer, Art Henderson, Judge W. P. Leslie, Jack W. Frost, Leslie Gray, Rev. J. Daniel Barron, R. N. Wilson, Chester Geue, Fred Brown, Bill Maddrey, Arthur Murrell, Mayburn Harris, Dr. Ken Cowan, Hubert Westfall, Dr. Jim Whittington, Bill White, Cyrus B. Frost, Frank Sayre and Bernard Hanna. Tom Wilson becomes the 34th president of the club.

Charter members of the organization were Tom Crutcher, E. A. Bills, Charles W. Watson, Henry Seale, W. T. Scott, Kretz, Art Kolbrenner, Jack Williamson, Louis Robbins, R. K. Phillips, E. B. Massie, James E. King, Ford Alcus, R. L. Perkins, Maurice Rubin, Nick Chrones, Robert G. Kinnaird, Homer P. Brelsford, Grady Pipkin, Tom Ball, L. B. Wright, Phillip S. Wolfe, T. L. Fagg and Jack E. Lewis.

Annual Meeting Of Stockholders Of PCA Is Set

Directors of the Stephenville Production Credit Association have selected August 4 as the date for the 1956 stockholder meeting.

Stockholders from the 10 county area will hold their meeting at the city park auditorium in Stephenville beginning at 9:30 a.m. on the designated date. The Stephenville Association serves Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Comanche, Parker, Hood, Somervell, Johnson, Tarrant and Wise counties.

The nominating committee met in Stephenville and nominated R. Cal McCurdy for re-election at the forthcoming event. McCurdy is a charter member of Production Credit and has served as member of the board of directors since the date of organization in February 1933. He is the president of the (Continued On Page Five)

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He Helped Too... ...Get Old Rip

An Eastland visitor this week looked hard and long at the Eastland County courthouse.

Roy Whately of Quincy, La. stood on the walk outside the Telegram office looking at the courthouse before coming inside to relate a story. Whately told how he helped tear down the old courthouse and lay the cornerstone for the new one while working for Christyoff Construction Co. back in 1928.

Now a master mechanic in Quincy, Whately recalled that oldtimers said a bottle of whiskey and a horn toad was in the old cornerstone. When it was opened, he went on, there was only the toad and some old papers.

Whately also remembered that workmen had to dig up the new cornerstone because it was rumored that another toad was placed in it.

"That was a big event," he said, smiling.

'Y' Day Camp Gets Off To Good Start

More than 40 eager boys and girls were on hand Monday as the Eastland YMCA Day Camp got under way here. Twenty-three boys and 19 girls registered.

Edith Cox is serving as head counselor and Charlie Marshall is in charge of the Y program.

Here's a typical day camp program:

Nine a.m., opening assembly, roll call, announcements and camp songs.

Nine-fifteen, morning devotionals.

Nine - thirty, morning activity period including swim instructions, craft work and games.

Noon, lunch with each child to bring own bag lunch from home. Drink to be furnished.

One p.m., rest period with stories, etc.

Two, afternoon recreation, group games, etc.

Two forty-five, closing assembly. Camp songs, skits, talent show and roll call.

Three p.m., closing prayer and

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Continued hot weather for the Ranger and Eastland area. Partly cloudy Wednesday but small chance for scattered thundershowers. Afternoon highs 98-102. Morning lows 78-82.



MRS. JAMES HORTON
... she gets handed the job

Lions Rip Dogs And Medics Edge Comets

The Lions and the Medics continued down victory road Monday night in Little League play, while the Bulldogs and the Comets dropped a notch lower in the standings.

The Lions scored a home-run barrage 15-4 victory over the Dogs and the Medics outscored the Comets 11-9.

The Medics scored their run off just four hits, all of them coming in the second inning, when they got nine of their runs. R. D. Ables was the losing pitcher and Donnie Wheat got credit

Wheat was touched for all five of the losers' hits before being replaced by John Garrett in the fourth inning. Buddy Moser got the only extra base hit of the game, a double.

Clark Connor and Eliza Govan each had two home runs to pace the Lions to their tenth win. Babba Hunter was the winning pitcher and Lays Fuentez was the loser. The Lions collected a total of 12 hits and the Bulldogs pounded out seven.

Thursday night the Medics play the Lions and the Bulldogs take on the Comets.

THE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Lions	10	0	1.000	0
Medics	6	5	.545	4 1/2
Comets	4	6	.400	6
Bulldogs	1	10	.091	9 1/2

for the victory. Ables, who got relief from Terry Moore, gave up all the hits to the victors and

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De Court Say No... ... But De Unit Blow

Eastland County Commissioners voted against buying an air conditioner unit for the jail living quarters at their regular Monday meeting, but the jail was 30 degrees cooler inside despite their action.

A check revealed that an evaporative cooler had been installed at the jail "last week" at a cost of just over \$100. A County Grand Jury recently recommended that it be purchased.

Probably the situation came about because of a ruling by the Court at their last meeting. At that time commissioners voted in favor of buying the unit providing that it could be paid for out of the permanent improvement fund. A check with the attorney general proved that such a transaction could not take place, however.

When the cooler problem came up at Monday's meeting, the Court—apparently eyeing two situations which exist in the County—turned thumbs down on buying the unit out of the general fund. The two situations are these: (1) The general fund is going to be hard pressed to stay within the budget; and (2) the Court has been trying to ward off an effort for more air conditioning in the courthouse.

Just who authorized the purchase of the unit is unknown, but apparently it was believed that the cooler had been approved by the Court. Commissioners were scheduled to meet again today to study tax renditions, and it is likely that the air conditioner may come up again.

At any rate, things were cool at the jail.

Committee Proposes Correct Numbering Of Homes As Well

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

A group of Eastland citizens, representing various service clubs and other organizations, dreamed up a way to kill two birds with one stone Monday night and then put their initial plans to work.

Meeting in City Hall, the citizens committee made plans to number all of the city's residential homes correctly and erect street markers at every intersection in the city. The group was assured assistance of the City of Eastland and voted to "proceed immediately" with plans to complete the job, that "is already 30 years overdue."

It will take some \$1650 to do the job, not counting the same amount of money which it will take the City to erect street signs and pay for pipe to place them on.

The committee elected Mrs. James Horton to head the group and then ordered \$200 worth of the signs to place in the business area to "show the citizens what they can expect."

Eastland, long known as one of Texas' easiest small cities to get lost in, hasn't had a complete street marking project done in 30 years, Mrs. Horton said, adding that she has lived in "my home for 33 years and have never had a house number on it or a street sign on our street."

The citizens group, meeting to decide what method to use to get street markers — not whether to get them or not — turned down a temptation to take the "cheap" way out. They voted almost unanimously not to erect cement signs with painted lettering, favoring instead a sign with a lifetime guarantee.

The sign selected — which was displayed by E. D. Smith, a representative of Sargent - Sowell, Inc. of Grand Prairie, is made of

rust proof steel with a baked enamel finish. It is the same type sign now in use in Abilene.

Smith told the group he would be happy to sell them either type sign, but said the concrete sign would be far the more expensive in the long run. The signs will cost \$7.50 each, and will give the name of both streets at each intersection and the clock number.

Mrs. Horton told the group that she had gone to Sweetwater to look over the third type sign considered, curb marking, and found that it "is beautiful." But, she quickly added, "I was told by the City Engineer that he definitely would not recommend curb marking." She said the engineer told her it cost the city of Sweetwater \$3000 yearly for maintenance.

Jimmy Young, city manager, told the committee that the City now has 75 percent of the pipe which would be needed to erect the signs, and would be willing to purchase the remaining 25 percent.

Representatives of the Civic League and Garden Club, the Rotary Club, the two Beta Sigma Phi chapters and the Lions Club were present. Both the Civic League and the Rotary Club have already donated \$100 each for the project.

A plan to finance the program was also outlined. It came from Mrs. Tom Stamey. She recommended that each property owner be asked to donate \$1. In return each home would be correctly numbered and a street marker would be erected at each intersec-

tion. The plan will work, providing that each home owner is willing to pay the \$1 charge.

Mrs. A. L. Murrell and Mrs. Jack Frost were appointed by Mrs. Horton to help her appoint chairmen for each block in the City. Smith told the group that his company could furnish the signs 40 days after the order was made.



RALPH YARBOROUGH
... "corruption is issue"

Corruption Is Chief Issue, Ralph Yarborough Says

(Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of articles written for this newspaper by the six candidates for governor. W. Lee O'Daniel outlined his platform Sunday, today it's Ralph Yarborough and Thursday it will be Price Daniel.)

Ralph W. Yarborough, Democratic candidate for governor, sees the central issues of the campaign as a double-barreled affair: Corruption in government and the state's perilous water emergency.

Though the Austin attorney bases his "Platform of Progress" on the bedrock of moderation, he said at the opening of his 1956 race: "I'm not moderate about corruption in public office." Yarborough insists it will take a new government in Austin to

clean up the insurance and land scandals which have toppled Texas from its position of dignity among the other states. This, he says, will take a governor unstained by alliance with the outgoing administration.

Another major need in Texas is "a real water conservation program" to save the 80 percent of floodwaters now gushing into the Gulf of Mexico each year. To do this, Yarborough proposes a system of dams on rivers, creeks and little streams, of the state. Intelligent conservation and use of this water could produce green, profitable farm and ranch land where waste land stretches today, he says. Modeling his water program on the Lower Colorado River Authority — which cost the people of Texas nothing — Yarborough envisions this construction as working absolutely no hardship on the taxpayer. The LCRA was financed through non-tax bonds. Yarborough was an original LCRA director.

Hand-in-hand with Yarborough (Continued On Page Five)

PAGE ONE MUST

The regular meeting of the Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will be held tonight at 8 p.m. in the Center Point community home near Carbon. New officers will be elected.

The regular meeting of the Eastland City Commissioners will not be held Thursday as scheduled because a number of the commissioners will be on vacation. The meeting will be held July 26.

Absentee voting got underway in Eastland County this week. County Clerk Johnson Smith had 25 applications waiting to be mailed out Sunday, and he reports more and more are coming in daily.

A locomotive fireman was taken off the train here Monday by a Hammer ambulance following a sudden illness. He was treated and later dismissed from Eastland Memorial Hospital.

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BOX SCORES

MEDICS

Player	ab	r	h
Treadwell	2	2	1
Wheat	4	1	0
Garrett	4	1	0
Moser	4	1	1
Perry	2	1	0
Graham	4	1	1
Jones	0	1	0
Wright	1	1	0
Justice	0	0	0
Kimber	1	1	1
Carroll	1	1	0
Johnson	0	0	0
Totals	23	11	4

COMETS

Player	ab	r	h
Cooper	2	2	0
Miller	3	1	0
Yancy	2	1	0
T. Moore	1	0	0
W. Beck	4	1	1
J. Ables	3	2	1
Underwood	2	0	0
Harris	2	0	0
J. Moore	4	0	2
R. Ables	2	1	1
T. Beck	3	1	0
Totals	28	9	5

BULLDOGS

Player	ab	r	h
Ehans	3	1	1
Lewis	3	1	1
Westbrook	3	0	1
Lovelace	3	0	0
Lusk	3	0	0
Thornell	1	1	1
Moylan	2	0	1
Garrett	2	0	2
Sargent	1	1	0
Totals	21	4	7

LIONS

Player	ab	r	h
Fosor	4	1	2
W. Thomas	3	1	1
Cartwright	4	0	1
Hunter	3	2	2
Alford	3	2	1
Connor	3	2	3
Webster	3	0	0
Govan	3	2	0
Varner	3	2	2
Totals	29	15	12

Food Sense—Not Nonsense



Enriched bread, like the vote getter above, is the winning contestant at the nation's popularity polls. Year after year in the competitive food field it is the people's choice. Breadmaking has moved from the home to commercial bakeries out of which daily move 40 million loaves.

Here, where the race is diverted among numerous attractive varieties of bread, the decisive vote is won by enriched white bread—the people's choice. The new publications of the United States Department of Agriculture, "Bread—Facts For Consumer Education," reports that 86 percent of the families purchased enriched white bread during an average week. Second contender, whole wheat bread is bought by 22 percent of the consumers and the group—cracked wheat, rye and raisin breads—comprises breads selected by 29 percent of households.

different types of "panned" enriched white bread. In this four-way competition—texture, sweetness, fat and milk contents—the popularity poll was won by a very light, fluffy loaf made by increasing the volume as much as almost 50 percent. For another aspirant, sweetness, the highest level of sugar was preferred. The third test determined liking for different amounts of nonfat milk solids in the loaf. These influence texture and taste. Out and ahead, were the usual loaf made with four percent milk solids and the one with eight percent milk solids. These were preferred over breads made without milk. The fourth issue concerned fat content. Bread made with larger amounts of this ingredient failed to win appreciable votes.

AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

By OMAR BURLESON

WASHINGTON, D.C. — This will be the last newsletter of the weekly series for this year.

Except for obvious reasons, this column would continue until the Congress adjourns this session, which is now expected to be nearer the latter part of July than the middle, as has been hoped for.

An effort has been made through this column each week to comment upon those things behind the scenes in Washington not usually reported in the daily press. Many times the "little things" between the headlines become most significant, and often the action behind the headlines is more important than the event which makes the black type.

This generally has been the intent of this column, and thanks and appreciation go to those who have written me their reaction to many of them. It will be continued at the appropriate time.

As is usual in every session of the Congress highly important legislation comes late in its deliberations.

At the present time, the so-

called Federal Aid to Education, or more properly defined as Federal Aid to School Construction, is being debated.

Then will come the postal rate increase, and likely public housing.

Two measures embodying extremely different philosophies are the so-called Civil Rights Bill and a bill known as HR 3, by Smith of Virginia, which redefines States' Rights. The Smith Bill was discussed in this column last week. I support this measure wholeheartedly, and have been doing everything possible in getting it up for a vote.

The farm bill passed by Congress will raise farm income by \$2 billion if the Administration will carry out its provisions effectively and conscientiously.

An incident occurring recently reminds me that the Navy is not too different from what it was when I served in it during World War II. The Navy, like the other branches of the Armed Forces, is concerned with the defense of our nation, but it has a problem of such importance that the board of policy has submitted the matter to the Secretary of the Navy for a decision.

The question is, "Should the Navy modernize its equipment and put zippers on the traditionally many-button trousers of enlisted men?"

The secretary has promised to

take the matter under immediate advisement.

A well known senator said the other day, "Even if you have the best aim, you still have to pull the trigger."

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday, July 12

2 p.m. The Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club will meet in the home of Mrs. B. J. French. Mrs. Minnie Mae Hart will be in charge of the program.

Monday, July 16

7:30 p.m. — The Christian Women's Fellowship Group 4 of the First Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Bill Collins, 200 South Oak Lawn.

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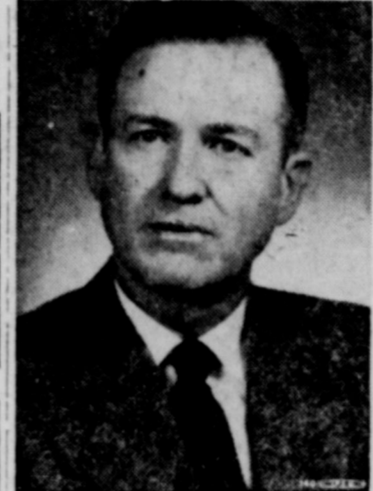
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Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McCullough are the parents of a boy, Larry Allen, born Sunday, July 8 in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces.

ATTEND REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cornelius and daughter, Anita, of San Marcus spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin. After a visit here, the Cornelius' accompanied by their parents, went to Abilene where they attended a family reunion in the home of Mrs. R. L. Young, another daughter of the Martins. All of the family was present for the affair. Following the reunion, the Cornelius family left for California for a vacation.



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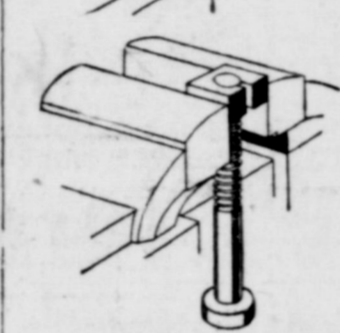
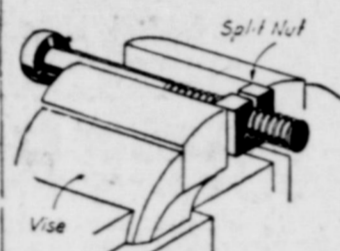
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nut on the bolt to the point of the cut-off, place the nut in the vise as shown. Tightening the vise applies pressure on the nut, closing the gap and securing the bolt without damage to the threads. Now use the hack saw to cut the bolt.
Finish the cut end of the bolt with a file by placing it in the vise as shown in the lower figure.

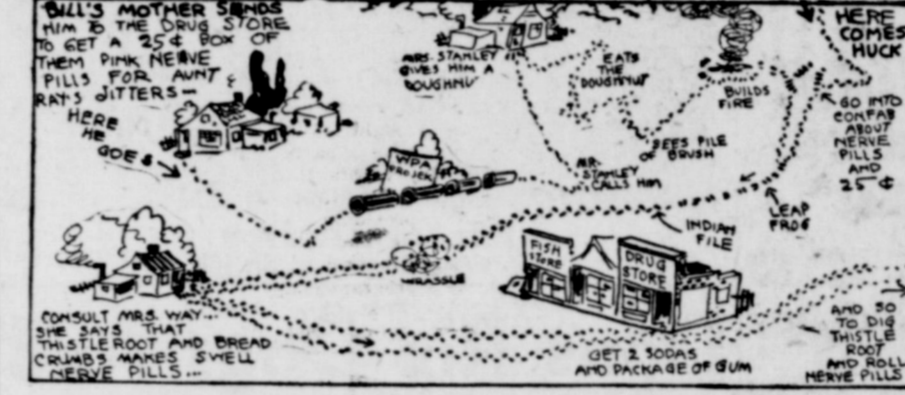
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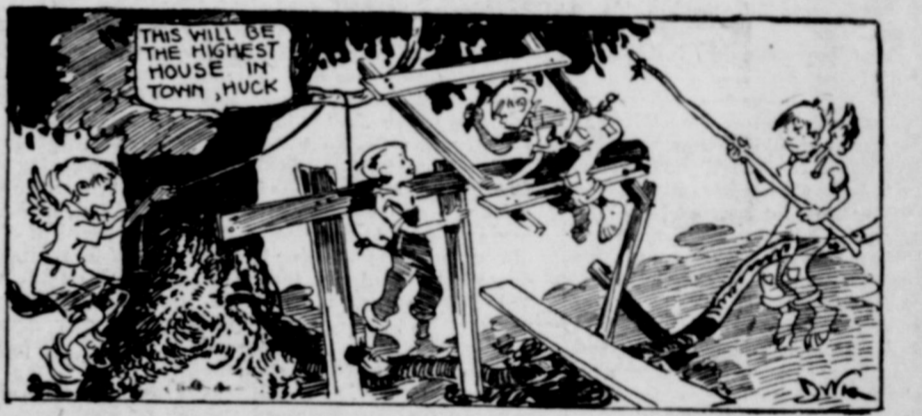
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TOO MANY POLITICIANS, NOT ENOUGH STATESMEN

Many of our politicians lack moral and spiritual courage.

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God has given us the courage to push aside our stupid mistakes. Let us, we the people use it.

The mistakes of our politicians have led all of us into national and international decay. We are being taxed to death for a useless purpose.

The give away program and silk hat diplomacy should have disappeared forever when the first atom bomb exploded over Japan bringing a Godless nation to its knees. This was God's will.

Since then, we have had nothing but conversation, lost our boys in Korea, and our politicians are leading us into economic slavery.

Send a spokesman for we, the people, to Washington and find out where we are being led.

Paid Pol. Adv.

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Miss Louise Mitchell, a missionary to the Indians in New Mexico, who is visiting her parents at Hertz, has been visiting in our community and with her sister, Mrs. George Brockman of Wichita Falls, and was a Sunday visitor to New Hope Baptist church.

Mrs. Vallie Jones and her son J. B. are visiting with relatives and friends at Abernathy and other points in west Texas.

Mrs. Ida Raney, who has been

visiting at Pampa, came home Friday with her son, W. R. Leonard who with his family visited his sister, Mrs. D. W. Mitchell there.

Mrs. J. F. Eddleman and son Jackie, who have been making a tour of California and other parts of the Western United States as a guest of a brother-in-law returned last week with an account of a glorious trip.

HOLIDAY VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gilbreath of McCaney visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath over the fourth. His mother accompanied them back to McCaney for a visit.

Women's Activities

Boles Circle Meets With Mrs. Earl Bender

Mrs. Earl Bender was hostess to the Boles Circle of the First Methodist Church Monday in her home at 308 South Dixie.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Bender and the devotional, "Royal Road Prayer Power" was given by Mrs. B. O. Harrell.

Mrs. C. W. Boles presided over the short business session at which time the group decided to serve ice cream and cake at the election July 28.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Bender, Boles, Harrell, Cecil Collings, Frank Castleberry, Herman Hassell, Milburn Long, O. O. Nichols, C. M. Pogue, J. C. Whitley and two visitors, H. E. White and R. D. Burton.

VISIT FROM DALLAS
Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cone and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Anderson of Dallas visited in Eastland over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and Mr. Cone's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Shaw.

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Gallaghers Are King and Queen At Kid Party

The first of a series of recreational evenings for teenagers was held Friday night in the annex of the First Christian Church. It was held in the form of a kid party with the young people coming dressed as little children.

Games included: knock-kneed relay, potato relay, tooth pick and life saver relay, nursery rhyme charades, sneeze concert, balloon and bubble gum blowing contests, the Organ Grinder Man, paper tearing contest and a tooth pick and olive relay.

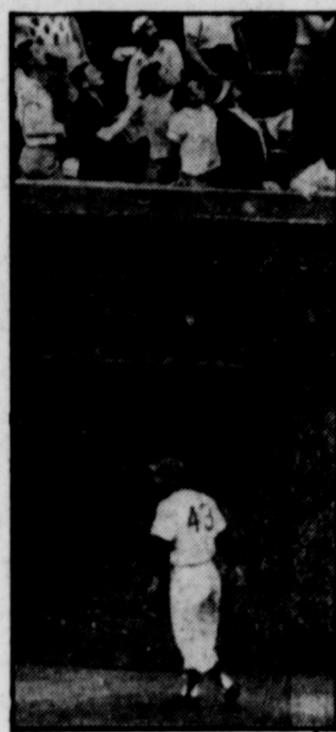
Refreshments of pink lemonade, suckers, life savers, gum drops, pop corn, animal crackers, and bubble gum were served.

Arthur and Mary Ann Gallagher were elected as King Sucker and Queen Gum Drop of the Romper Set.

Those in attendance were: Linda Huckabay, Carol MacMoy, Doris Ann Jumper, Mildred Day, Marian Woods, Nancy Owen, Jane Edison, Betty Young, Jan Robertson, Ellen Whatley, Dixie Day, Fred Miller with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gallagher and Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Turner serving as sponsors.

The group decided that they would like to have a recreation program each Friday night. Once a month they would have a party and the other Friday nights the church will be open as a "Drop-In" youth center providing a place to play ping-pong, and other games as they are provided.

This is not to be a program just for members of the First Christian Church. Any group that



A (YAWN) HOMER—Cubs' outfielder Walt Moryn walks disinterestedly away from the wall as a home run hit by Pittsburgh's Dale Long sails into the right field bleachers at Chicago. The fans are more concerned about it than the player.

would like the young people to visit their church on any Friday night in order that they might sponsor the activity are asked to contact Roy Turner. They will meet again Friday night at 7:30 p.m. at the annex.

NEWS FROM DESDEMONA
By Anell McMasters

Mrs. Lester Barker has come home from the Stephenville Hospital and is reported some better.

Mrs. Willite is not doing any better. She is at her home.

A large number of people of the Church of Christ of Desdemona attended a get-together Saturday night at Stephenville Park. Visitors from Stephenville were Mr. and Mrs. Walls and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Torrance.

A large group was present for the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon singing. A large group of people from surrounding Churches of Christ attended the singing.

Mack Kieth of Monahans was here Monday and Tuesday visiting his mother, Mrs. Ethel Kieth.

Mrs. Buck Read of Ranger was visiting here Monday with Mrs. Katie Little and other friends.

Bill Parks of Abilene was here on business Monday.

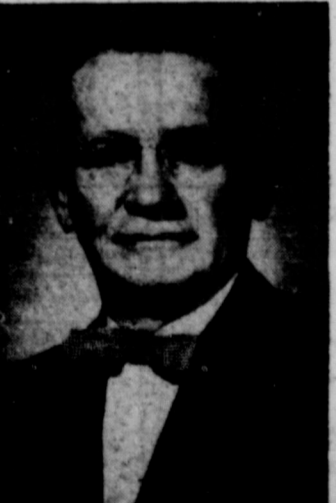
James Buckley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Buckley of Abilene is here this week in preparation to leave for the service Friday.

Tommy and Bessie Rainey returned home Monday after several days visit in Monahans with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kieth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart of Odessa are here on vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilcoxson.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty LeMaster and family of Dallas are visiting relatives here.

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Hospital Report

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Dessie Reed, surgical
Revis Gregg, Cisco, medical
Mrs. Edna Reynolds, surgical
Mrs. E. D. McCullough and

baby son, Larry Allen born July 8 at 3:13 p.m.
Dismissed were:
Mrs. Susan Gourley, surgical
Earney Catshaw, Fort Worth, medical
Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland are:
Mrs. Rabb Steddum, surgical
A. C. Frick, surgical

VISITED THE SMITHS
Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and children had as their week end guests his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Smith and Vicki of Fort Worth.

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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Barbara Bennett of Big Spring visited recently with Mrs. Jimmy Little.

Sam Collins and son, Vinson Lee, made a business trip to Fort Worth Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard accompanied by Mrs. Nora Woods of Eastland were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson visited in Mason Friday and Saturday. Mrs. M. A. Abel accompanied them as far as Llano where she visited with friends.

Mrs. J. W. Mounce was on the sick list this week but is much improved at this writing.

Buford Webb of Eastland has been a visitor in the T. E. Pope home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby of Eastland were the overnight guests Monday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Munn from Big Lake came Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Munn's mother, Mrs. Zona Griffin. The Munn's accompanied by

STATEMENT OF CONDITION EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 30, 1956
EASTLAND, TEXAS

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,186,770.87
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00
Banking House	13,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	13,500.00
U. S. Government Bonds	1,186,200.00
Other Bonds and Warrants	191,348.06
Cash and Exchange	1,410,107.13
	\$4,004,426.06

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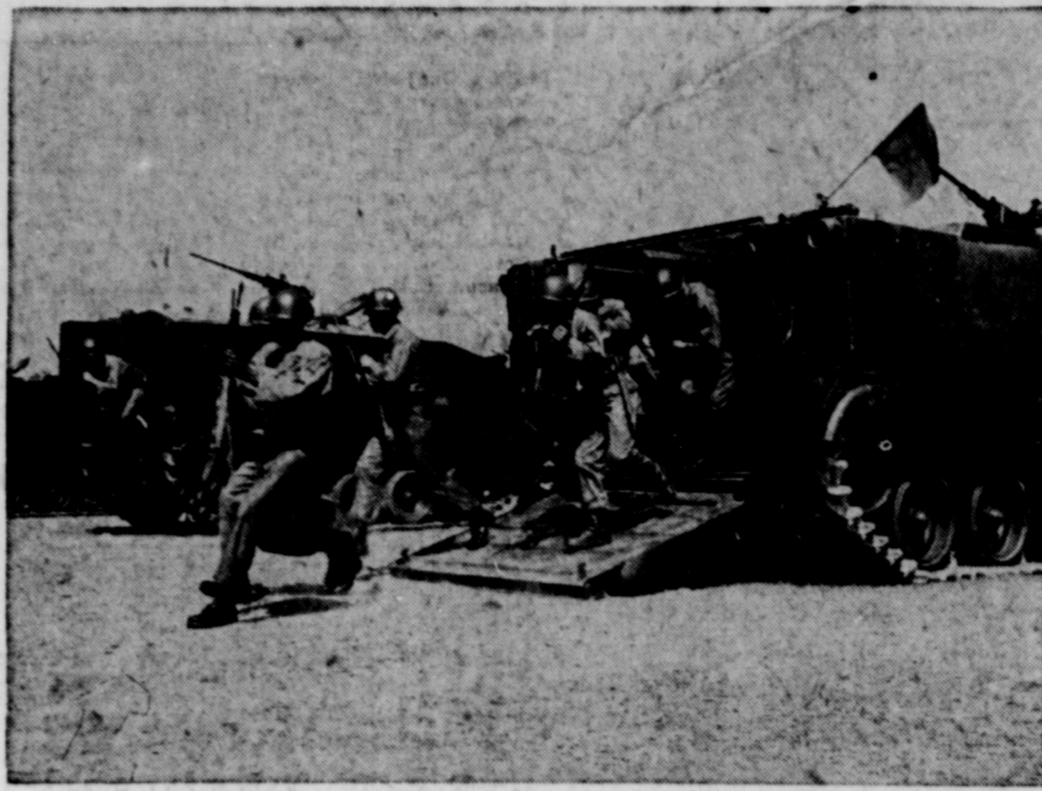
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Reserves	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	76,917.94
Reserved for Taxes	1,249.16
Deposits	3,776,258.96
	\$4,004,426.06

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Mrs. Griffin visited with the J. H. (Slim) Adams at Desdemona Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman, Kenneth and Allen of Olden, were guests Sunday evening of Mrs. Foreman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and son, Ray Neal, have returned from a week's vacation trip where they visited points of interest in the states of New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Don from Brownwood, spent

the fourth with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pope and son, Ronnie and Richard Fanguy from Houma, Louisiana, were visiting recently with Mr. Pope's parents, the T. E. Popes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Cisco and Ranger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett and Lavell of Kokomo were guests Friday evening of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little.

Coffee Honors Mrs. T. D. Wheat Here Saturday

Mrs. Travis Wheat was honored with a "going away coffee" Saturday morning in the home of Mrs. L. A. Scott, 1315 South Seaman.

Mrs. Wheat with her husband and family will move to Fort Worth July 20.

Refreshments of orange tarts, coffee and nuts were served by Mrs. Scott, assisted by Mrs. L. W. Hart, co-hostess.

Those present were Mes. Frances Biggs, W. M. Jones, J. O. Jolly, T. M. Fallon, Tom Amis, R. L. Young, the honoree and hostesses.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF FOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY

Mrs. Tom Wilson Conducts Monthly Story Telling

Mrs. Tom Wilson conducted the Story Hour for children ages three through the fifth grade Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Woman's Club. The hour is sponsored by the Thursday Afternoon Club and is held the first Saturday of each month in the club house.

The stories Mrs. Wilson chose to read were "Raggedy Ann's Tea Party," "Snipp, Snapp and Snurr And The Yellow Sled," "Flicka, Dicka and Ricka And Their New Skates" and "Hide and Seek Voyage." All of these books are available in the Eastland Library for children to check out and read. Those attending were Janie

Sparks, Sharon Wilson, Bret Brunner of Marfa, John Earl Goode, Bob Erving, Mark Layton, Marsha Treadwell, Randall Treadwell, Janet Kimbler, Susan Kimbler and Marilyn Huckabay.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their lovely floral offerings and words of comfort. They have meant so much to us in our time of sorrow and grief, in the loss of our darling father, Mr. J. L. Rhyne. We also wish to express our gratitude to the ladies who sat up at the hospital and also at the funeral home.
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4 1/2 to 5 years	114.00
5 1/2 to 6 years	117.60
6 1/2 to 7 years	121.20
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Moore About -

(Continued from Page One) little in either Cowtown or Big D. On the front page of the Star-Telegram is this statement: "Largest Circulation in Texas... More Than 200,000 Daily and Sunday." And all across the bottom of The Dallas News we read: "The Dallas News' Largest Daily Circulation in Texas Sets All-Time Record." We hate to say it about our fellow journalists, but it appears to us that those newspapermen are getting as bad as the politicians.

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Annual -

(Continued from Page One) board at this time and has served in this office since 1950. The nominating committee was elected at the annual meeting in 1955 and includes the following stockholders: A. L. Bentley, chairman, from Tarrant County; Dale Cook and Robert Crouch, Erath County; Billy Bacon, Eastland County; Dr. A. A. Moore, Hamilton County; L. G. Holland, Comanche County; H. H. Moore, Johnson County; and Melvin Little, Wise County. This committee met in the Stephenville office June 29.

The program committee from Erath and Hamilton Counties met in Stephenville July 3 and elected E. C. Johnson to preside at the meeting next month. Those attending the meeting were E. C. Johnson, Erath County; Obie Grief, Erath County; Clyde Boren, Erath County; E. Bradley, Hamilton County and T. S. Redford, Hamilton County. Three members of this committee from Erath County who were unable to attend were J. A. Herring, M. D. Stewart and Jerry Schrimsher. From Hamilton County R. W. Threatt; J. D. Webb and F. E. Williams were absent.

Plans are being laid for an "interesting and educational" meeting this year," Johnson said. Prizes will be given and a free movie at a Stephenville theater for the youngsters and a barbecue dinner are some of the highlights to be presented. Other phases of the program will be worked out at a later date.



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Corruption -

(Continued from Page One) borough's water proposals is his insistence on an adequate soil conservation plan. "Our land is more precious than gold. This program is needed urgently to keep this priceless asset from blowing out of our lives forever," Yarborough has said.

Old age pensions, often a favorite war horse of Texas politicians, figure prominently in the Yarborough platform. The candidate says he is the only gubernatorial candidate who has outlined a concrete program to help the state's senior citizens have a decent life. If elected, Yarborough pledges to raise these pensions \$30 a month. This will work no additional hardship on Texas taxpayers because the increase would be paid for largely with federal funds. This money already has been paid by Texans to the federal government. It lies useless in the U.S. Treasury.

Other chief points in the Yarborough platform are: A real drought relief program; more and better schools; higher teacher pay and the retirement pay raise to be voted on in the fall; a real youth development program; a real juvenile delinquency program; a real anti-narcotics law for Texas; a lobby registration law; adequate legislative pay to make the blandishments of lobbyists less attractive to lawmakers; higher workmen's compensation and improved industrial safety laws; expanded public health and hospitalization; more and better rural electrification, farm-to-market roads and highways.

Yarborough opposes sales taxes and state income taxes. Above all, he opposes dishonesty and fraud in public service. Yarborough put it this way in a recent speech: "I detest, will not tolerate and will be merciless toward corruption. I will strictly judge all offenses against ethics—even though these be within the letter of the law."

Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 28, 1956.

For Congress, 17th District Dan Krulis Omar Burleson

For Dist. Judge T. M. Collie

For Sheriff J. B. Williams (For Re-election)

For County Attorney J. M. Nuessle Earl Conner Jr.

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Eastland County Bids for State Pecan Convention

County Agent J. M. Cooper and B. B. Freeman, pecan grower of the Cheasey community, left early Tuesday to attend the annual convention of the Texas Pecan Growers Association meeting in that city today and Wednesday.

Freeman is a director of the organization. Both he and Cooper are on several committees.

A number of pecan growers over the county are also expected to attend the annual meeting. A movement will be initiated to invite the organization to meet in Eastland County the next time they meet in the western region, some four years hence.

Plug And Trigger (AT LAKE LEON)

Since Lake Leon has cleared up more reports of good strings of crappie are being brought in. The best string yet reported comes from Frank and Earle's Lodge, caught by C. E. Cashion of Eastland and R. H. Miller of Fort Worth, who strung 28 crappie weighing up to two pounds and two nice channel cat, all on minnows. Also Mr. and Mrs. Templeton of Ranger caught eight crappie weighing up to two pounds, and Mr. McGuyre of Olden caught a 3 1/2 pound bass on a trot line baited with perch.

James B. Crites of Ranger took a 30 channel cat Friday night weighing up to two pounds on a trout line.

James Townzen, one of the owners of the new NW&T Boat Dock, reports he and his party caught a four pound channel cat and ten more weighing up to two pounds Friday night on a trotline. Tex Hargraves of Ranger is the manager of the dock.

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'42' Party Honors Mrs. Winnie Wynne

A "42" party honored Mrs. Winnie Wynne Saturday in the home of Mrs. Pat Murphy, 201 North Mulberry. Mrs. M. Welch was co-hostess. Mrs. Wynne will leave on an

extended trip to California soon. After several games were completed, the guests enjoyed visitation. Refreshments of devils food cake and frosted Coke were served by the hostesses.

Those attending were Mesdames Millie Brittain, Elsie Fien-sy, J. H. Caton, F. D. Elkins, H. E. Fitzgerald, the honoree and hostesses.

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Country Echoes Mrs. Bill Tucker

We enjoyed a visit on Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. W. Gordon from Cheaney community, near Ranger. She had made satisfactory recovery from recent hospitalization in a Ft. Worth hospital, and they have added 200 more acres to their 700 acre ranch south of Ranger.

Continued hot weather is taking its toll on growing crops in this community, and other communities as well. Cotton seems to be holding up fairly well, but early corn is ruined. Maize comes out of the wilt stage overnight, but we suspect those acres that are already beginning to head out will not have sufficient moisture to mature good grain. The Monday afternoon shower was enough to settle the dust.

We went over to Cheaney Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker, and attended church service Sunday morning. Mrs. Etta Brittain, from Ranger, and her daughter, Mrs. Wanda Frasier and children, from Graham were present. Also the Earl Strickler family from Caddo and their two grandsons, the Moore twins, from Muleshoe. Mrs. Jim Moore is the former Ethel Strickler.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gregory and family of Crosbyton were visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yancey, and Betty Gregory is a member of the Soil Conservation Service at Crosbyton.

Mrs. Ernest Broom and Mrs. Eud Lay visited with Mrs. Elvira Anglin Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Anglin is not recovered from the loss of her father J. W. Stephens two weeks ago.

Ernest Broom visited R. W. (Rufus) McPhail Sunday morning. Mr. McPhail has been seriously ill, but reported much better Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cunningham are enjoying a visit with

their daughter, Mrs. Lott and family, who arrived on Saturday. Another daughter Mrs. Floyd Eison went to Houston Friday for hospital observation and care. It has been our pleasure to know Mrs. Eison for several years, in connection with Farm Bureau and other club activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Patsy, of Jal, N.M. are spending this week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Love, and Loreta Smith is planning on a huge fishing spree at Lake Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Brown, accompanied by Sharon Brown, their granddaughter, spent the weekend in Odessa with Wayne Brown and family. They carried Larry, their grandson home after a two weeks' visit at Cheaney. Larry is the son of Wayne Brown, and Sharon is the daughter of Kenneth Brown.

Luthe Melton has returned to Sweetwater after an extended stay with his brother Lonzo Melton and Mrs. Melton.

The Meltons' daughter, Mrs. Enell Carr and children, from Kermit, are visiting them this week.

The Richard Tuckers accompanied the Jack Rogers Thursday to Caddo, and beyond, for a visit with the Gene Ferrell's who moved recently from Cheaney. After a three-hour search they finally located Gene in the middle of that 12,000 acre ranch, which we mentioned awhile back in our column. The group assured us that it was a hot, tiresome search, with the only drinking water handy — that right out of Possum Kingdom Lake. A few thousand goats had been sold, leaving that man less for Gene to see after. The rest of the day, from 11:30 a.m. was spent in visiting.

Mrs. Malva Love and Joy spent Sunday afternoon with the John Tuckers and Charlie Millers.

We were the dinner guest of Mrs. Mitchell Campbell on Saturday, and a dinner that came out of the Deep - Freeze in a matter of a few minutes from stove to table. We can't help but tell you about new potatoes, as nice and

tasty as anyone could wish, and conserved by the home - freezer method. Fried chicken and a nice, big blackberry cobbler, made the week before, also brings forth our praise. Just wish WE had a home - freezer, brother.

Larry Campbell is visiting in Haskell this week with his sister.

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Mary Bennett Will Marry Franklin Carter

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Titsworth have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their granddaughter, Miss Mary Jane Bennett of Iraan, to Edgar Franklin Carter, Jr. of Roby. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bennett of Iraan and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Franklin

Carter, Sr. of Roby. The wedding has been set for August 8 at 8 p.m. in the First Methodist Church in Iraan.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whaley over the weekend, to help them celebrate their 28th wedding anniversary, included Col. and Mrs. M. L. Crimmins and Miss Jesse Whaley, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mitts of Hobbs, N. M.; and Miss Sally Sheppard of Brecken-



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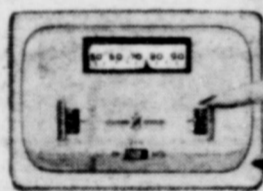
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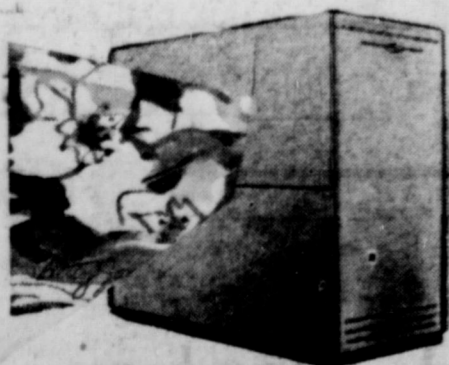


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Bible Comment: Jesus' Ministry Is Focused in Last Week

AS the mid-point of Lent approaches, it is appropriate to consider how large a part of the Gospels are occupied with the events and discourses of the last week in the life and ministry of Jesus.

It is not that the events of the last week were of deeper significance, and therefore called for greater space as they dealt with the climax of the sacrificial ministry and the crucifixion.

The record reveals much more. For the first time Jesus came out in the full publicity of His ministry, and in all His acts and utterances He committed Himself with a completeness that hitherto had been lacking.

Jesus knew that His hour had come. He was prepared for the final sacrifice. He accepted His destiny. He might have continued His ministry if He had stayed in Galilee and confined His ministry to acts of mercy and healing. But there were sterner ways of duty and destiny that He had to follow. The way of the Cross lay before Him.

"Study the events and sayings of the last week, and much that seems mysterious is made plain. How, in so few days, could sentiment so change that the Jesus of the triumphant entry could be the sacrificial Savior on the way to Calvary?"

The answer is that those whom Jesus attacked with such intensity aroused the populace against Him. But it is also probable that the crowds that cried "Crucify Him" were not the same who cried "Hosanna! Blessed is the King that cometh in the name of the Lord."



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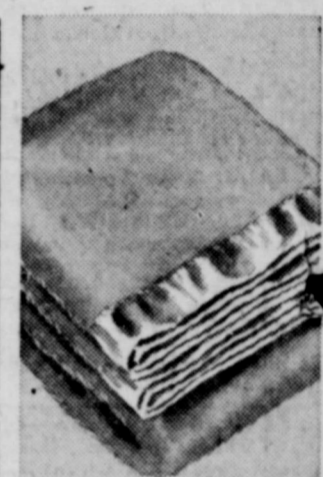
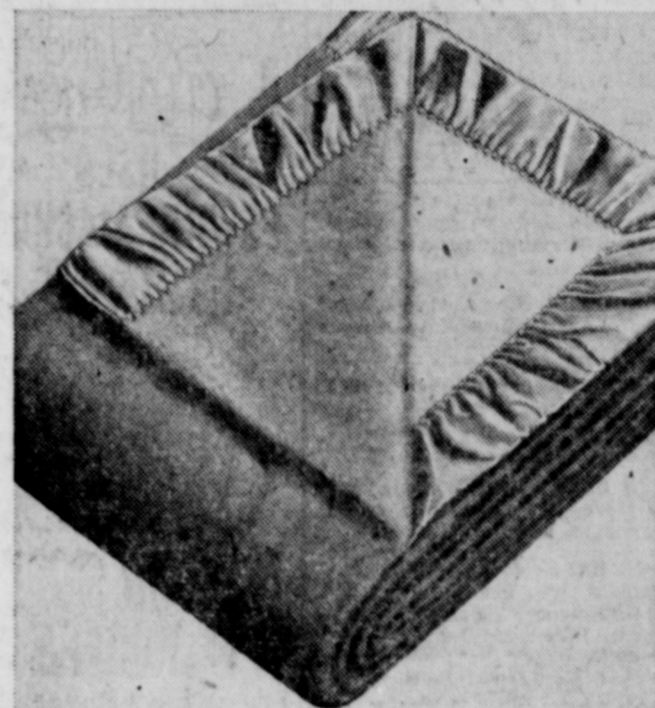
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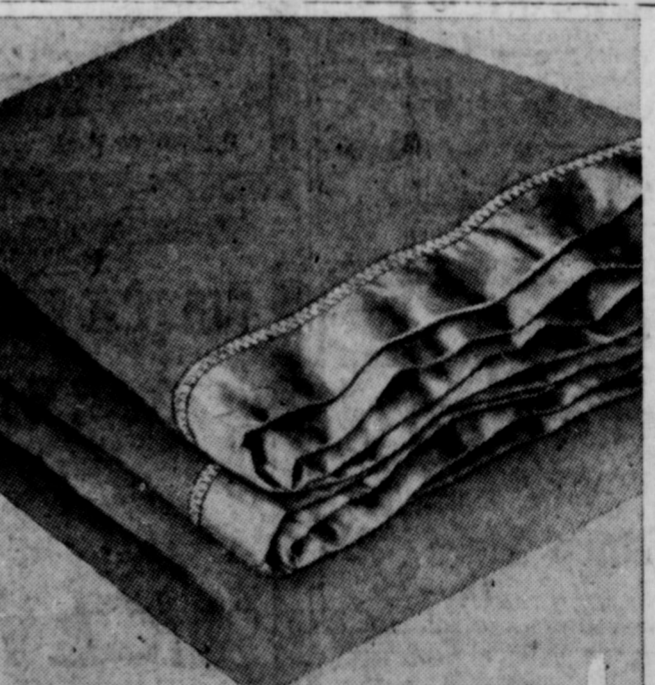
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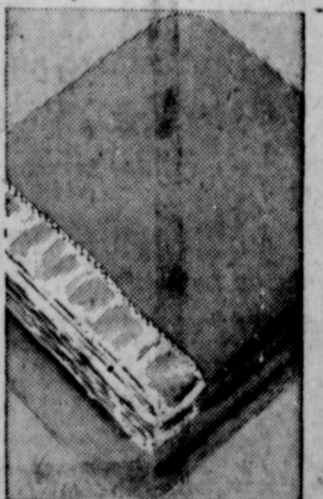
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The people were told this was a "soak the rich policy" and caught the poor man off guard. The middle and low income groups work three months free out of each year and give all this money to our Federal Government who turns around and gives it to our foreign friends who never had it so good. The working man is paying most of the taxes.

You are actually paying the government for the privilege of working.

The politicians tell you this is a "soak the rich" deal but don't you believe it. It is a cold blooded "soak the poor" deal. Most of you work Monday and Tuesdays free before you earn enough to take home to your wife and children. Some of you work Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and part of Thursday free so our foreign friends can get the big hand out.

A tax revolt is in the making.

All around the country there is opposition to this evil tax set-up whereby the working man is paying all the bills. But so far all we had from our politicians is conversation.

The communistic tax law prevents the poor man from accumulating any worthwhile savings in his life time, while the rich families of the country are growing richer and richer and all the money they had before this vicious law was put into effect. They loan out this money and make millions in interest and the taxes they pay represent practically nothing while you the working man are paying most of the bills and also running into debt. The salaried worker, professional men, storekeeper, owners of small businesses, executives, everyone who has had to make his own way is getting the worst of the deal.

Refer to my previous articles on this terrible subject and my proposals.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

INSTRUMENTS FILED

County Clerk's Office
 Lillie Adkins to Mary Etta Wall Adkins, quit claim deed.
 Mrs. A. E. Alexander to Horace E. Horton, warranty deed.
 H. A. Bible to Gilliland & Company, warranty deed.
 Eugene A. Brashear to The Public, proof of heirship.
 R. E. Browning to Oliver Wesley, warranty deed.
 Edward Brown to The Public, affidavit.

Blue Danube Oil Company to Charles Newman de Veguar, assignment.
 J. W. Branton to Rutherford & Steel, cor. warranty deed.
 Luther Cunningham to Roy F. Townsend, quit claim deed.
 City of Ranger to The Public, resolution.
 F. H. Campbell to Mrs. Della Clement, warranty deed.
 Glenn D. Compton to Bob Barber, deed of trust.
 Maggie V. Dyer to Hodge Bone, warranty deed.
 C. S. Daniels to A. C. More oil and gas lease.
 Eastland National Bank to Pa H. Stanford, Inc., warranty deed.
 Lee Everheart to Keith McDonald, bill of sale.
 Eastland National Bank to C. P. Porter, warranty deed.
 Walter R. Fairbairn to The Public, tax receipt.
 T. L. Frasier to First National Bank, Gorman, extension of vendor's lien.
 T. L. Frasier to First National Bank, Gorman, extension of deed of trust.
 Julia Freeman to Ranger Lumber & Supply Co. to First Federal S & L Assn., M.L. & assignment.
 E. W. Griffin to Irish Drilling Company, MML.
 Gulf Oil Corp. to George M. Rogers, partial release of judgment.
 Craig Gilliland, Sr. to Wilford R. Penn, warranty deed.
 Berry F. Greenwood to Edna Greenwood Morgan, power of attorney.
 Ola E. Garrard to Willie Christene Garrard, quit claim deed.
 M. H. Half to C. C. Phippen, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Wesley Holler to The Public, ratification agreement.
 C. N. Hilton to O. C. Stewart, release of oil and gas lease.
 Jesse Hayes to Will Williams, deed of trust.
 R. E. Kirby to H. V. Kirby, quit claim deed.
 Ethel Keith to Leona Allen, warranty deed.
 M. L. Kinnebrew Drilling Co. to Lang Tool Company, Inc., assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Magnolia Petroleum Company to Oscar Harris, release of oil and gas lease.
 Myrtle Millward to F. L. Merrill, warranty deed.
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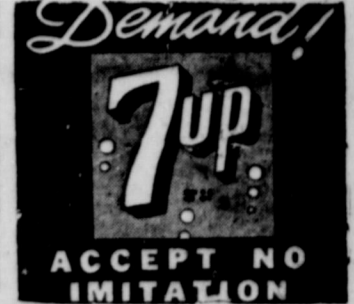
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 Eastland National Bank v. Mrs. G. H. Red, debt.
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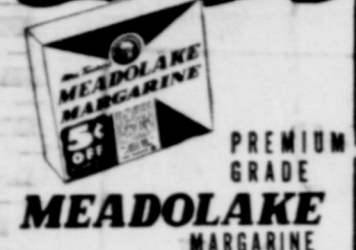


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