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EASTLAND, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 12, 1938

Biggest Business Boom In 10 Years Started

OPS BEGIN ATTACK UPON SOUTH CHINA

By United Press
Japanese naval, land and air forces invaded south China today...

Cockrill Speaker At Tuesday Parley Of Eastland Lions

Business transacted in a congressman's office was related Tuesday by J. W. Cockrill, secretary to Representative Clyde L. Garrett...

Harry Westerman Resigns AAA Job For Brady Duties

According to a statement by Harry K. Westerman, he is resigning Oct. 16 as county administrative assistant under the AAA program in Eastland county...

He's Martha's Ooohhh Boy!



Hollywood's "shoutingest" girl, Martha Ray, uttered a meek "I do" before a Mexican magistrate in Ensenada, Lower California...

Ranger Votes 128 To 11 for Water Bonds in Election

Although the vote in the \$80,000 bond election, held in Ranger Tuesday, was light, those who balloted were almost unanimous in favoring the water revenue bonds...

Game Conserving Meeting Is Due at Cisco Thursday

Landowners in the Cisco area will meet at the Cisco Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 p. m. Thursday night to discuss the organization of a Game Management Demonstration Area...

REPORTS SHOW INCOME HAS MADE BIG GAIN

Million People Have Gone Back to Work in Past Five Months. Increased industrial activity has been reflected in employment. Current estimates are that more than 1,000,000 persons have gone back to work in the past five months.

Dick Weekes Is Named Manager By Peanut Growers

The formal resignation of W. B. Starr of Dan Horn, as manager of the Southwestern Peanut Growers association, who has been succeeded by Dick Weekes of Alameda, was announced Wednesday.

Party of County Farmers, Boys to Fair Is Planned

A party of Eastland County farmers and 4-H club boys who plan to attend the State Fair at Dallas Monday, Oct. 17, is being arranged by County Agent Elmo V. Cook and Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart.

Annual Dance of Policemen Is Set Thursday, Oct. 20

The annual Policemen's Ball will be held Thursday night, Oct. 20, at the Connelley hotel in Eastland, it has been announced.

MAVS, BUCKS TO PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT; BAND, PEP SQUAD NEED RIDE

Transportation for both band and pep squad will be needed on Friday when the Eastland Mavericks play the Breckenridge Buckaroos in a night game, school officials emphasized Wednesday in asking cooperation of Eastland citizens.

Policy Makers of A.F.L. Sidetracked In Heated Session

HOUSTON, Oct. 12.—The American Federation of Labor, in a heated session today, upset its policy makers and sidetracked a report charging that the present policies of the new deal are pointing toward "socialism."

W. I. Franklin of Ranger Buried In Colony Cemetery

William Isaac Franklin, 79, of Ranger, who died in Eastland Tuesday, was buried in the Colony cemetery Wednesday afternoon, following funeral services at the First Baptist Church of Ranger...

Leon Hale Named President of Band At Eastland High

Leon Hale has been elected president of the Eastland high school band, according to an announcement Wednesday. Julia Parker and Pat Owen are advisors; Bob Galloway and Bob Phelps are librarians, and Virginia Garrett and Mary Nell Crowell are reporters.

Our Candidates to Be On Ticket For Governor of Texas

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 12.—The Supreme Court today overruled motions by which the Independent American Party and the People's Pension Party sought to be candidates for governor in the general election.

Final Rites Held For K. F. Page at Eastland Wednes.

At the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon in Eastland funeral services were conducted for K. F. Page, Eastland oil operator who died early Monday night following several weeks of illness.

Pretender to Throne Of Russia Is Dead

PARIS, Oct. 12.—Grand Duke Cyril, 62, pretender to the vanished throne of Russia, died today.

Ex-Convict Sought In a Murder Case

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 12.—El Paso agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, today identified Thomas Lawshe, 29, as the "blond young man" who disposed of an automobile owned by Virgil Vaughn, 27, who was found slain near Stafford, Ariz.

Storm Warnings Up Along Gulf Coast

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 12.—Northeast storm warnings were hoisted along the Gulf of Mexico from Pensacola, Fla., to Corpus Christi today.

19 Quality For Ranger Tourney

A total of 19 golfers have qualified in the Ranger city tournament, being played at the Ranger country club course each Sunday from now until Oct. 23, it was announced today by Weldon W. Webb, secretary of the club.

Truck Driver Dies In Crash Near Cisco

CISCO, Texas, Oct. 12.—Clyde Snell, 24, Fort Worth truck driver, was killed instantly today when his truck was wrecked and burned three miles west of here.

Ranger School Board Wins a Tax Suit

Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st District court in Eastland gave the Ranger Independent School District judgment in the case of No. 11,505-M styled S. V. Rust vs. the Ranger Independent School District.

Postal Receipts Show Increase at Office in Eastland

For the quarter ending in September, postal receipts at the Eastland postoffice were \$222.81 more than those of the similar period in 1937.

Texas Producers Are Hit By Price Cuts

DALLAS, Oct. 12.—Texas producers bore the brunt of several price slashes in crude oil, placed in effect today in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas and Kansas.

Bicycles a Hazard Safety Expert Says

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 12.—Ralph Ellis, Jr., a safety expert, said today there are 7,000,000 bicycles now in use in the United States, making a hazard which can be eliminated only by adequate legislation.

Mineral Wells Youth Is Fatally Burned

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Oct. 12.—Aubrey Harris Blackman, 26, died today from burns received in a gasoline explosion last night.

Formulate Plans For 'Birthday' of Eastland Nursery

At a called meeting Tuesday afternoon at the Eastland W. P. A. Nursery, the Mother's Club made final plans for the "Open House" to be held Tuesday, October 25, commemorating its first anniversary.

Bethlehem Is Scene Of Severe Fighting

JERUSALEM, Oct. 12.—Sandbag barricades were erected in the sacred city of Bethlehem today and heavy fighting was in progress between British troops and Arabs.

Texas Company Meets Oil Price Cut

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 12.—The Texas company announced today that it had met lowered price schedules for oil in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Kansas, posted by other oil firms.

Ranger Masons Will Confer Two Degrees

Announcement was made by officials of the Ranger Royal Arch Chapter No. 394 that two degrees would be conferred on Thursday night beginning promptly at 7:30. The Mark and Past Masters degrees are the two that will be conferred and teams from Breckenridge, Eastland and Cisco will confer the degrees.

Durocher Will Pilot Brooklyn Team

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Leo Durocher, fiery captain and shortstop, today was named manager of the Brooklyn baseball team, replacing Burleigh Grimes.

Naval Building to Continue Next Year

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—President Roosevelt's announcement that next year's naval expenditures will be increased to a new peacetime high, today doomed any hope held by officials for a reduction on armaments.

BABY IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter of Eastland announced Wednesday the birth of a son, named Charles H. Carter. The son, weighing seven pounds, was born at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital at Ranger. Mother and son were doing fine.

SAFETY IS URGED

AUSTIN, Oct. 12.—State police renewed their appeal to football crowds for traffic safety today, as they reported a September traffic toll of 127 deaths.

STRIKE CLOSES PLANT

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 12.—A sitdown strike today closed the Motor Products company plant. Officials of the United Automobile workers said 2,000 men had joined the strike.

Aged Man Burned In a Fire at Waco

WACO, Texas, Oct. 12.—Tom Barker, 85, was burned to death and two other persons were injured when fire razed the Wheelers hotel here last night.



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Democracy Cannot Fight With Fascist Weapons

Americans have spent the last fortnight wondering how, where, and when the democratic ideal is going to make an effective defense against Fascism.

With all its imperfections, the democratic way seems to us to promise a future in which somehow mankind will be able to develop its limitless potentialities, while Fascism seems to offer precisely the reverse.

But the defense of democracy is a good deal like charity: that is, it begins at home. And what happened the other night in Hudson county, New Jersey, is a fine illustration of the fact.

In Hudson county the German-American Volksbund decided to hold a rally. It was to be addressed by Fritz Kuhn, the "fuhrer" of this home-grown Nazi outfit.

Now nobody is going to grieve very much over any misfortune which befalls Herr Kuhn and the Volksbund. The trouble is that this misfortune didn't befall them; it befell American democracy.

Socialist Norman Thomas has as little love for Fascism as any man in America; but Mr. Thomas remarked that this mobbing of the Volksbund "is doing more to promote Fascism in America than Fritz Kuhn ever can do."

When you try to defeat Nazi brutality by applying brutality of your own, you are simply playing the other fellow's game. You are meeting him on his own ground, and by doing so you are confessing that in your heart you don't really believe in your own vaunted principles.

The essence of this Fascist-Nazi theory is the proposition that brute force may be used to shut off unwelcome ideas; and the essence of democracy is that any man may voice any idea that seems good to him, without hindrance, because the good sense of the people will in the long run be protection against disaster.

There are a great many things we can do to save democracy, but there is one thing we can't do. We can't fight for it. Democracy is the first casualty in any fight, be it a great war or a street corner row.

DIRECTOR WISHES ALL FILM PLAYERS WERE AS SMART AND OBLIGING AS THE QUINTUPLETS



How five famous little girls reacted when they saw their first real, live puppies, is recorded above by the camera. Jean Hersholt, veteran screen star who plays Dr. Luke in the quint's forthcoming picture, "Five of a Kind," brought the little red cocker spaniels to the nursery in a big basket.

'Five of a Kind' Was Just Fun For Dionnes

BY PAUL HARRISON NEA Service Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 12.—In their third motion picture, "Five of a Kind," the Dionne quintuplets will make their first bows as real actresses.

It's not quite the sort of acting other child stars consciously do, explained Director Leeds, because the quintuplets portray themselves and thus behave naturally.

"But they behaved according to orders," he said, "and handled their roles exactly as we hoped they could."

"Never having seen a movie, except some animated cartoons, they didn't understand the real reason they were acting. I'd work out little pieces of business and tell them what I wanted done and sometimes rehearse them in action. They took directions for two reasons: because they're such oblig-

ing kids, without a bit of contrariness in them, and because they thought it was a game."

Jean Hersholt and other veterans of 20th-Fox's two previous expeditions to Callander, Ont., give credit to the 28-year-old director for the fact that about four times as much usable film was obtained for this picture, and in record time despite bad weather.

SING IN ENGLISH THINK IN FRENCH "Leeds speaks French," said Hersholt, who is "Doctor Luke."

"He found the little girls had a French vocabulary of about 300 words. They know some English, and they even sing a song in English, in 'Five of a Kind' but they think in French."

"Leeds made everything a game for the quintuplets. When they balked at something he would say, 'If you don't play the game with us, we will have to go home.' And then they'd do whatever he asked them."

"Leeds would not do anything to hurt their confidence in us. I remember what a time there was about the puppies. Five little cocker spaniels were sent up from Toronto for the babies to play with in the picture, and the nurses had told the babies about them. But the dogs could be photograph-

ed only outdoors, and day after day it was cloudy and we had to work inside.

"We were making the sequence where the quintuplets undress their dolls and put them to bed. All of a sudden they went on strike and just wouldn't play with their dolls. Yvonne said, 'Mlie, Corrievau promised the puppies! We want the puppies!'"

"Leeds pleaded with them, and Marie asked if they could play with the puppies the next day. But Leeds wouldn't promise because he knew the next day might be cloudy too, and he wouldn't risk having to double-cross them."

"So Yvonne still refused to kiss her doll and put it to bed, and we didn't do any more work that day."

INSTALLMENT COFFEE WHEN the pups finally were brought to the play yard, and carried in by Hersholt, the camera was turning to record the quint's first reactions to pets they previously had seen only in picture-books.

However, most of the sequences for "Five of a Kind" were rehearsed in advance; or at least there was some discussion about them.

Leeds told about the time the four-year-old stars were supposed to bring "Doctor Luke" his breakfast, mostly coffee. One would race in with a cup, another with a spoon, a third with the cream and so on.

"They did it four times," the director recalled, "and when I was hoping we'd get it right, the kids stopped and went into a huddle. Whenever they were puzzled about something they'd settle it in a huddle, and a funny thing was that they seemed to be almost telegraphic in the way they'd drop everything at the same time, and get together and start whispering."

"Well, I found out they were

Hartnett Gets Another Trim



Gabby Hartnett, colorful manager of the Chicago Cubs, had his hair trimmed when he dropped in to get this one in New York world series. Like Barney Oldfield and Joe Jacobs, the big backstop wouldn't look natural without the hair.

worrying about why we were playing that game five times. Pretty soon they decided simply that 'Dotta Lute' must be a very hungry man that morning to want so many breakfasts. So they came back and whipped through the scene again and we got it just right.

"They have a swell sense of humor, and love to make other people laugh too. There's a sequence where the kids are around a microphone and are supposed to be on the air. I thought it might be amusing if they took the mike to pieces and carried it away. That didn't take much coaxing, because they'll take anything apart if you give them a chance. Emilie is the most mechanical-minded and she did most of the work, and then the other four grabbed the base and ran away with it. It was really so funny that we all laughed out loud, even with the camera turning. The kids were so delighted to hear us laugh that on the second take they really wrecked that microphone and galloped off with the pieces. I guess it's the most enthusiastic scene in the whole picture."

GETS 1ST RANK First rank was conferred upon Stewart Doss at the weekly meeting of the Knights of Pythias Tuesday night at Castle Hall in Eastland.

Students Invite To Abilene

All high school faculty members in the area are being invited to Abilene Christian school, October 15, as part of a C. C. meet the university eleven in Abilene.

Garrett to Attend Stamford 100

Congressman Clyde B. Garrett of Eastland is scheduled to attend the 100th anniversary of the West Texas Old Rebekeh association in Stamford, Texas, Oct. 25.

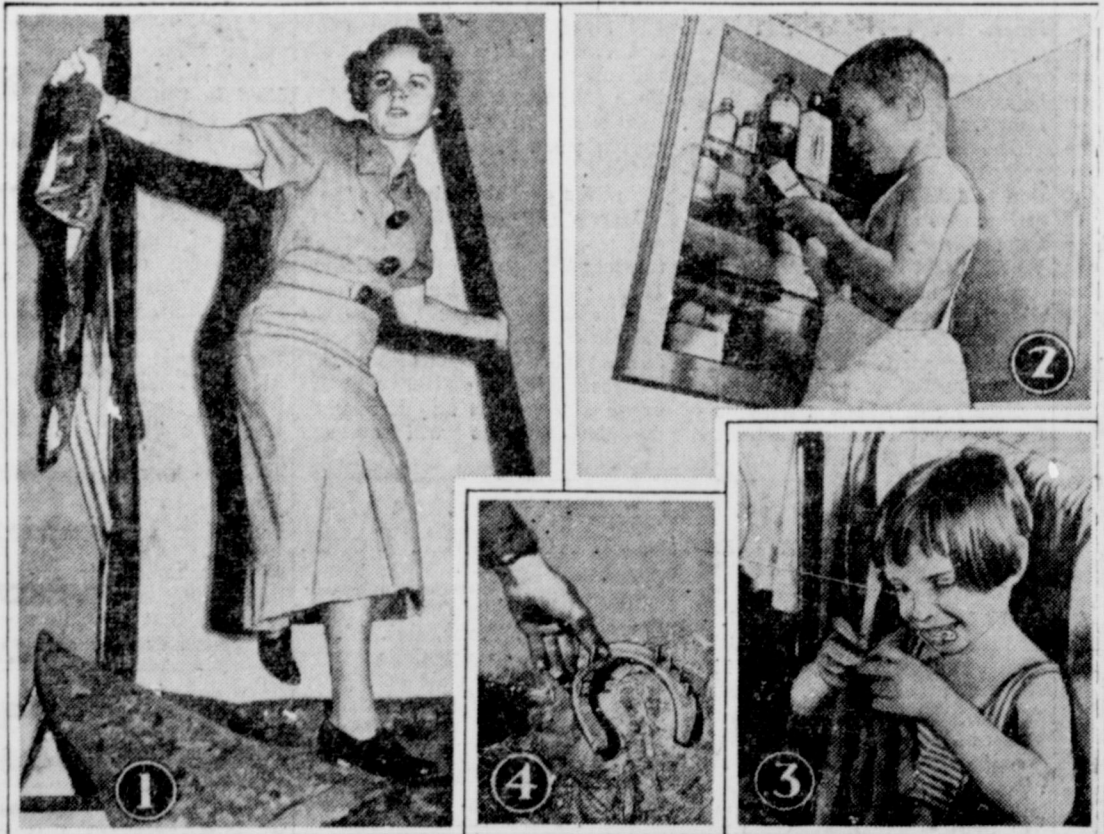
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OUTLINE MAP PUZZLE

A crossword puzzle grid with a map of Texas in the center. The puzzle includes horizontal and vertical clues and a list of answers to previous puzzles.

A grid for the crossword puzzle, with numbers indicating the starting positions for the clues.

How Safe Are You at Home? Red Cross Warns of Hazards



- 1. Loose rug at top of stairs is a dangerous hazard. 2. Keep medicine cabinets locked or out of reach of youngsters. 3. Teach children not to put safety pins or other small objects in their mouths. 4. Good luck if you hang it up, but bad luck if you step on the nails in this horseshoe.

DURING the month of October, the American Red Cross will carry a safety message into ten million homes and farms throughout the nation, urging a check-up on accident hazards.

Do you know these hazards? How safe are you at home? Do you know that deaths from injuries on the farm are steadily increasing? What are the causes? These are a few of the questions the Home and Farm Accident Prevention Service of the Red Cross will send into homes, on an accident check list to be distributed through Chapters, by millions of school children and members of the Junior Red Cross. And the answers are provided on the check list, too.

A large advertisement for a movie quiz contest. It features the text 'EVERYBODY Here's your chance to See a Movie, Play a Game and FORTUNE in this Exciting, Fun-packed, FREE Prize Contest off \$250,000.00 in Cash Awards including a First Prize of \$50,000 and 5403 other cash prizes. ANYONE CAN WIN MOVIE QUIZ Contest. It's EASY, it's FUN, it's FREE—no box to labels—nothing to buy. Get Contest Booklet at local theaters. FREE'.



MURDER TO MUSIC

BY NARD JONES

song—words and music. But the real author was to get a percentage of any and all types of revenue from "The Cat's Meow."

"Well, Dombey couldn't be hanged for that, Rogers. It was a business proposition—and with Dombey's name behind it the musician probably made hundreds of times what he would have made on his own."

I never did like to have guys tell me what was healthy for me. The way I figure it is this—I may quit trying to play detective, and then again I may not. But whichever it is, I won't worry too much about what you think of it. Is that clear enough?"

CHAPTER VIII  
Tait returned to his room and found Harris Rogers waiting for him. Rogers wanted to keep out of the Dombey

"Yes," answered Rogers. "He would have—if Dombey had kept his affairs in decent shape. But Dombey was always broke. He let payment after payment slip. Time and again I've had to scrape up enough money to keep the fellow quiet. A thing like that would have cracked Dombey wide open, and this fellow began to realize it."

Rogers' expression did not change. "I never took you for a fool, Tait. I'm sorry now that I tried to give you a tip."

Tait moved impatiently, and Rogers hurried on. "I'm not quite finished. There is the matter of Lud's contract with the recording company. He was supposed to make records for them exclusively—but he got into a jam and needed quick money. He went out into a little venture of his own. He began getting a few of the boys in the band and making bootleg records for shipment into the foreign market. That's not according to his contract. I happen to know that the recording company is carrying on an investigation—and they'll sue. Rogers paused a moment. "Do you want to hear any more?"

"Make it snappy, then."

"I'll think it over, anyhow." The band manager seemed unsatisfied. "My advice is to do more than that, Tait. I'm not going to tell you any more than I have—but I've an idea that it isn't going to be very healthy to show too much interest in who killed Ludden Dombey."

"It's been good business to keep that name secret, and I think it still is. I'm telling you that I wouldn't write it. It was left to him by a broken-down musician who wanted Dombey to be in his band because he couldn't be able to sell it. Dombey could see that with a little bit of thought he could hit a hit—with its introduction by Swingsters. He offered to it outright, but the man was a little too cagey for that. He did offer to turn it over to a royalty proposition. To world it was to be Dombey's

"A LOT of women were in love with Dombey, you know. Some of them knew him pretty well. And extended investigation into his past is going to kick up some things that would wreck his reputation with the swing fans, and thereby make The Swingsters useless as a name to draw the crowds. I've managed to hold the Pacific-Plaza to its contract—but unless things quiet down and this business is forgotten, they won't renew the contract. The Pacific-Plaza doesn't get a job in a fourth-rate beer tavern tomorrow."

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"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



N. McFatter of Ranger Honored On His Birthday

Friends and neighbors of Judge N. McFatter of Ranger assembled at his home in the Marston dining last Monday night to celebrate his on his 80th birthday. The party was a complete surprise to the judge and the evening was spent in congratulations, best wishes and viewing the number of presents prepared by his friends.

Those who sent congratulations and gifts that could not be present: Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Denney, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale, Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Kaykendall, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stribb, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Bran Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Tibbles, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Schooley, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Sig Faircloth, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blackmond, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Brashier, Mr. and Mrs. Col Brashier, Mr. L. N. Thompson, Mr. Hall Walker, Mrs. Saunders Gregg, Miss Kate Kramer.

ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON.—Hours which seemed the last few before world war—those preceding Hitler's summons to Munich—are unforgettable even in Washington, far from prospective battlegrounds. Around the clock—"EMERGENCY" CABINET MEETING: As hundreds of groups surround loud-speakers to hear Chamberlain, and attaches sit on newscasters in embassies and legations, most cabinet members reach the White House to listen to the premier and discuss Roosevelt's final message to Hitler, the mob numbers 50 or 60, cameramen perching on file cases. . . .

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Service Staff Writer  
WHEN you ask your grocer for butter, you get butter because today butter is the only food for which there is a legal standard. But when you ask him for jam or for noodles you may get jam or noodles, or you may get a product called by those names but actually different in taste and ingredients from the food you had in mind.

These public hearings will take place in the Food and Drug Administration offices at Washington, D. C., and probably at other convenient places throughout the country. Here the public, producer and consumer alike, will have a chance to present facts—to tell what they think should enter into each particular food standard. Then after thorough deliberation, the committee will draft the final standards, present them to the Secretary of Agriculture. . . .

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



YRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll





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BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor

Calendar for Thursday
The Girls Auxiliary of the Baptist church will meet at 5:15 p. m., Thursday in the home of Lila Ann Love. All intermediate girls are urged to attend.

Thursday Afternoon Club To Meet
The Thursday Afternoon club will meet at the Woman's Club house Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Chaney as leader of the program.

The program will be on "The Food Industry Talks to the Consumer" opening with the Music appreciation period by Mrs. Grady Pipkin.

As guest speaker, Grady Pipkin will talk on the subject, "Serving the Consumer" under the heading of "Know Eastland."

Mrs. Ben Scott will talk on "The Canned Food Label and What it Represents" from the National Canners' Association.

"From Range to Range," John Holmes, will be Mrs. Earl Conner's subject followed by "Milk for America" by Mrs. W. S. Poe.

Mrs. R. E. Sikes will close the program with the topic on "Wheat and its Flours."

Mrs. Taylor Speaker
A general assembly of the high school Tuesday morning, Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville, director of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, spoke on restricting immigrants and tax problems of the country. Mrs. Taylor is the past state president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and is now working on tax study groups being established over the United States.

Bible Lands Program Subject
The program chairman, Miss Edith Fields, presented an interesting program on Bible Lands at the Monday night meeting of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Baptist church at the home of Miss Fields.

Miss Florence Barber, presented with the first part, discussed the Bible in Foreign Lands. She was followed by Miss Irene Williams, who used as her topic, Palestine and Syria. Rama Barber gave the continuity of the topic on Palestine and Syria, concluding the program.

During the business session the remaining committees were appointed: Rama Barber was appointed as personal service chairman; Fay Taylor, social chairman; membership, Irene Riek; program, Edith Fields; study course, Bessie Taylor.

Refreshments of hot coffee and fruit pie topped with whipped cream was served to Mrs. L. V. Simmonds, new sponsor; Florence Barber, Rama Barber, Georgia Mae Bishop, May Taylor, Irene Riek, Irene Williams, Barbara Blythe, Johnnie Giles, Vern Allison, Allean Williams, Alice May Sue, Geneva Seale.

Mission Study Continued
The second lesson of the Mission Study course from the book, "The City and its Church" was held Monday afternoon by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Fred Davenport is leader for the Mission program and presented Mrs. Lola Mitchell, who gave the second chapter of the book. The theme of her talk was "Some Problems of the City People Meet." Mrs. Garner Kinard discussed the third chapter, on the subject of "Families of the Cities."

Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, superintendent of the Works Progress Administration sewing room in Eastland, discussed at length the social service work being done there.

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Here's Looking At You!



Charlie McCarthy, Edgar Bergen, Andrea Leeds and Adolphe Menjou all featured in John M. Stahl's production, "Letter of Introduction." Coming to the Lyric Friday and Saturday.

Pontiac's Engineers Build Three New Models of Autos

Pontiac engineers have displayed skill and originality in the design of three new lines of cars for 1939 that combine the height of fashion and good taste in modern streamlining and rich appointments with important mechanical improvements that feature Duflex rear springs as the greatest engineering achievement.

The Quality Six, a newcomer to the line, is designed for large production at a low price. With five body models (Two and four-door sedans, business and sport coupes, and station wagon) of 190 inches overall length, it digs deeper into the lower price field than any previous Pontiac.

The DeLuxe Six, with the same engine but longer chassis than the Quality Six, comes in five more finely appointed bodies. A cabriolet with two coupes and two sedans constitute the line. Overall length of 196 1/4 inches makes it the longest six by four inches Pontiac has ever built.

The DeLuxe Eight with its famous smooth running and economical straight eight engine, will embrace the same five body styles as the DeLuxe Six.

In the appearance of the three lines we find complete modernization in the styling of hood, radiator, fenders and body. Continuing the Silver Streak through the center of the hood and radiator for the fifth year as the central motif, there is more of a yacht-line prow to the radiator, which in turn is flanked on either side by chromed side grilles set into the front surfaces of the fender catwalks.

The radiator ornament serves as the locking handle to raise the alligator type hood. Harmonizing multibeam headlights are mounted on the front fenders. The Quality Six thus is the lowest priced car today with three-beam headlights.

There is increased visibility for driver and passengers alike in the new Pontiac which, of course, is an added safety factor. In the DeLuxe Six and Eight models visibility is fully 25 per cent greater than in previous models. Windshield and window glass are wider and higher. Windshield corner posts are narrower. Cowl-line is lower and the radii of upper wind-

shield corners are shorter, thus enlarging the vision all around. A single panel rear window in all models also adds to the visibility. With wider and lower DeLuxe Six and Eight bodies these models are equipped either with or without running boards. Floors being only curb-high (two inches lower than last year) many people desire to step directly into the car without the use of a running board.

Fisher unisteel bodies on DeLuxe models provide greater seat width and more leg room both front and rear with a finer handling of instruments and accessories for 1939 than ever before.

Front seat frames are constructed of steel tubing for lightness and strength. New door locks require only a light pressure on the doors to close them securely. The new three-spoke steering wheel is T-shaped to permit an unobstructed view of the instrument panel.

Complete color harmony is provided in the front compartment by finishing the steering column, gear shift lever, steering wheel, brake lever, pedal pads, floor mat and accessories such as radio, heater, etc., in the same warm shade of tan.

Quality Six models are upholstered in mohair or cloth DeLuxe Six and Eight sedan and coupe models in brown Bedford cord or tan mohair with cabriolet models in leather or cloth and leather.

The remote control gear shift pioneered last year by Pontiac and now copied by many manufacturers has been refined and improved and is standard equipment in all 1939 Pontiac models at no extra cost. Thus the wide front seats are free and clear of all obstruction and as comfortable for three passengers as the rear seats.

Considerable refinement in the appearance and operation of the gear shift has been effected this year. The shift lever and other exposed parts are smaller and less conspicuous. A booster spring has been added which supplies up to 50 per cent of the effort required to shift gears. Another improvement is an adjustment which permits the setting of the shift lever to suit the reach of the driver.

Spare tires are placed upright against the back of the rear seats, the shelves removed from the trunks thus providing a larger amount of useful trunk space. It is noteworthy that all sedans are the touring sedan type and that their prices are lower than the former prices of straight back sedans.

The most important mechanical

changes are to be found in the chassis. Starting at the front, knee action has been refined by the use of lighter and stronger pressed steel arms which make possible an inch greater road clearance under the lower knee action control arms. A new parallel link arrangement of connecting steering tie rods at geometric points on a connecting link improves the general handling of the car and further reduces tendency to shimmy, tramp and wheel fight.

Probably the outstanding of all Pontiac engineering developments for 1939 are the new and original Duflex rear springs which give one passenger as easy a ride as six passengers and furthermore reduce bouncing and pitching when going over bumps.

The spring is simplicity itself. To the conventional leaf spring, and directly below it, has been added a second but shorter auxiliary or helper spring. For light loads the car rides almost entirely on the main or upper unit which affords a slow comfortable motion. As the passenger load increases this upper spring comes progressively more and more into contact with the helper spring.

Shock absorbers are inclined with the bottoms out toward the wheels and the tops in toward the center of the chassis the better to absorb both road bumps and side sway.

With the lowering of floors Pontiac has adopted a hypoid rear axle of its own design which is built in its own finely equipped axle plant.

Pontiac engines have been eminently satisfactory and so only slight changes were advisable. As formerly both six and eight engines are the L-head type, the bore and stroke of the six being 3 7/16 x 3 1/2 inches, while the eight is 3 3/4 x 3 3/4 inches.

Chrome nickel alloy electroplated pistons (a Pontiac patent), rifle-drilled connecting rods, metered-flow lubrication, full length water jackets with water flowing completely around all cylinders and gusher valve cooling, continue to feature the engine construction.

The principal power plant changes which affect all models are the new clutch and transmission. A single diaphragm spring clutch does away with 21 parts, requires less pedal pressure, is smoother and more positive. The new transmission was designed especially for remote control gear shifting. Although the transmission case is shorter it retains the same gear face widths and torque transmitting capacity. With shorter spaces between bearings it is more rigid than its predecessor.

Carburetors on all models have been redesigned, refined and simplified with fewer parts. Baffles in the float chamber assures a constant fuel level on sharp curves.

Changes which affect the six cylinder engines only include larger bearings thus providing greater rigidity and smoother high speed performance. Other six cylinder engine changes are improved oil seals, lighter one-piece exhaust manifolds and more accessibility to the gasolator. Muffler shells are made of corrosion resisting torne plate steel.

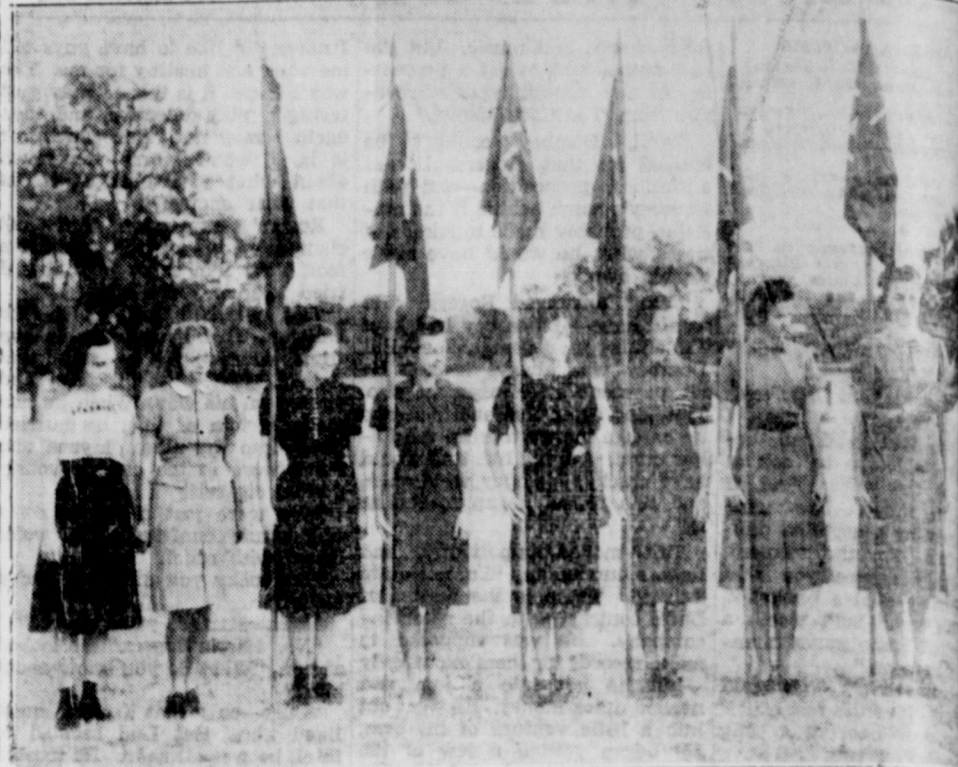
Muirhead Motor Company on East Main Street is now showing the new 1939 Pontiac models.

CHILD JOB SEEKER

By United Press

CHICO, Calif. — Desire to buy a present for her small brother prompted Dorothy Russell, 8, to look for a job. She spent the entire day in fruitless search. "Everybody's too hard up," she reported at the end of the day, "so I could not find a job."

Eastland Girl Is Chosen As Sponsor



They may be tall or they may be short. They may be a lot of things—but they have to have personality. That is the decision handed by the Cadets of John Tarleton, Stephens, Texas, to serve as a sponsor for the units at that institution. The sponsors drill with the companies, carrying the guidons in parades. Their uniforms will be modeled after those of the boys'. The eight "rookie" sponsors to right, Harriet Mitchell, Stephenville; Christine Adams, Gustine; Marguerite Chapman, Margaret Minter, Carlsbad, New Mexico; Maxine Coleman, Eastland; Margaret Stacy, Ann Harless, San Angelo. The "hard-boiled" drill master is Cadet Lieutenant Sam Way, Boy.

Rector Builds Boat To Chase His Flock

BARRINGTON, Mass. — The Rev. Richard Mortimer-Maddox, sea-going rector of St. John's church, has built a sailboat so that he can "keep up with his flock."

"Since coming here, I have been concerned because many members of my vestry and congregation have sailed away at Saturday noon nearly every summer week end," he says. "I now hope to be in a position to chase after them if necessary."

The rector began building the boat three years ago with tools lent by a neighbor. Work was delayed when the neighbor moved away, but was resumed this summer when another set of tools was lent the clergyman by a vestryman.

The craft, a 15-foot Portuguese sharpie, one of the earliest types of New England fishing vessels, has been built in the rectory yard in spare time away from the preparation of Sunday sermons.

A clothes line was used to hold the sides, and the centerboard was made from a piece of boiler plate from an abandoned mill. The rector plans to have a catboat rig on the craft.

Just a Bit Personal...

Walter Clark of Fort Worth was a visitor Tuesday in Eastland, Ward Mullings of Galveston is in Eastland to visit for several days in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullings. Postmaster and Mrs. Clemmer of Clyde were visitors Sunday in Eastland. While in Eastland they visited Postmaster and Mrs. Frank A. Jones.

Miss Agnes Bearm of Cisco was here Wednesday on business.

Named Chairman



MRS. ART JOHNSON

Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville, national committee woman for Texas in the National Consumers Tax Commission, Inc., Wednesday appointed Mrs. Art H. Johnson as Eastland chairman.

Mrs. Taylor explained that the commission is for informing the public on hidden and overlapping taxes; to work toward revision of tax laws; influence future tax legislation and non-profit making.

Mrs. Johnson, said Mrs. Taylor, will set up a local executive committee and will name women to serve as sub-chairmen on the executive committee.

As national committeewoman

DR. R. C. FERGUSON

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Advertisement for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. It features a large image of a man in a uniform (likely a police officer or school official) and a woman. The text reads: "YOUR TELEPHONE DOES ITS PART AS A CITIZEN OF TEXAS. As one of the industries of Texas, your telephone company pays its share of the cost of government. It is a heavy share, too. In 1937 its local, state, and federal taxes in Texas totaled more than four million dollars... nearly \$12,000 a day. These telephone taxes were equal to more than a third of the company's entire payroll in the state. They amount to \$9.25 for every telephone in service. Where do they go, these taxes? To build and maintain the streets and highways over which you drive. To furnish your police and fire protection. To keep up your children's schools. To help pay for all the services government gives you. The telephone company is part of Texas... here to meet this state's need for friendly, dependable telephone service. As part of the state, it has tried to be a good citizen... always ready and willing to pay its fair share of the cost of government." At the bottom, it says "SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY".

Advertisement for R. N. Giles, representing M. Born & Co. The text reads: "YOUR REGULAR SEMI-ANNUAL SUIT FRIEND: R. N. GILES REPRESENTING M. BORN & CO. Will Be At Our Place of Business WED., OCT. 12 -- THURS., OCT. 13 To take your measure for your Fall Suit... Hundreds of Styles from which to make your selection! Guaranteed strictly all wool! All the new novelties, every conceivable pattern, weave, color and tone effect, made to measure... cut to fit... styled right... quality true... handsomely tailored... beautifully lined and finished. Emphatically America's greatest clothes values! You will appreciate our popular prices when you see the wonderful values!... Why not let us take your measure... now! MODERN DRY CLEANERS & DYERS EVERY EMPLOYEE A CRAFTSMAN Phone 132 South Seaman Street