#### ral Old-Age Survivor's urance Plan

r's Note: The following r of a series of arti-ared by W. O. King, of the Abilene Social Board field office, to hed in this paper. The lon contained in the serticles is educational atterest to the general Additional information cured by addressing King, 205 Alexander Abilene, Texas).

TS FOR SURVIVORS RRENTLY INSURED" WORKERS he new old-age and sur-

rance program of the urity Act. certain surnefits are provided in "currently insured" ho die before becoming red." A "currently inges in covered employleast \$50 a quarter for quarters during the 3 r to his death. e: Joe Black who re-

es of \$50 or more in nployment for each of 6 quarters in 1939, 1940 the war. dies in January 1942. ently insured, because 6 of the last 12 quardiately preceding his is not fully insured bedid not work in covered nt for half the number s between 1936 and the lied. The only survivors ceive monthly benefits the death of a currently orker are his widow, if ependent children in her ntil the children reach if still in school.

TO YOUNG WORKERS five out of every one ersons who applied for rity account numbers were boys and girls unkers under age 25 apsocial-security account in 1938. Over half of ealized that a social-seount means future pror their families as well Social Security Act the d survivors insurance being assembled and checked. provides supplemental

minor children of an-

the Social Security Board than 8 1-4 billion dollars. insurance program first operation on January 1.

the old-age and survivors system must have a sowages are recorded by Security Board. That is important that every ave only one account and that he tell it to each he has. The employer the account number so nay report the worker's rectly to the Govern-

unt of the monthly ich a retired wage earneive will be figured on of the wage credits in ecurity account. The ayable to a worker's deor survivors are also d by his wage record, : Keeping Tab On Social

Claims the

#### Mail Seizure Been Justified

DN, Mar. 6.-Undersec-Foreign Affairs Richard day told the house of that contents of the ed bore out the British

n inquiry by a laborite

l-Up Meeting et for Eastland

ance from Gorman, Gra Breckenridge is expected tound-Up Club, social Py-ganization, meets Tuesday Eastland. Meetings are

### **BRITISH TAKE MORE ITALIAN SHIPS TO PORT**

Italy has lodged strong protests with Great Britain over seizure of Italian ships hauling German coal from Rotterdam, Holland, for use in her industries. Tuesday two Italian ships were seized and taken to contraband stations and to-day the total had been swelled to nine of the 10 ships which have left Holland in the last few days. It was learned today that Italy has ordered six more ships to attempt to run the British blockade and reach Italy.

Italian newspapers were cautious in their criticism of Britain, but at Florence school and college students put on an anti-British demonstration, declaring Britain's action in seizing the ships amounted to piracy and theft. Newspapers expressed the hope that ar amicable settlement could be reached in the delicate situation.

In London it was indicated that the seized coal might be sold, and the money placed in trust, to be turned over to Italy at the end of

Britain was preparing a firm but polite rejection of the Italian protests, on the grounds that the seizures were in line with the entire British blockade system against German exports.

It was considered that after Britain's rejection of the Italian protests the next move in the diplomatic situation would then be up to Italy.

#### the dependent children Preparations Made For County Meet In growth in the Jungle where it was reported to have been forced down. DLD-AGE INSURANCE Ranger March 27-30 There were 12 passengers on the plane.

Preparations for the Eastland Dam Is Just White County Interscholastic League Meet, to be held in Ranger, Mar, of 19. More than 2 1-2 28, 29 and 30, were being made today, and plans for holding the track finals on Friday night, instead of Saturday afternoon, were Few of them being taken under advisement.

The Ranger NYA wood shop is now constructing 50 regulation owner. hurdles, to be used in the track hemselves. Under the events, and other equipment needed for track and field events is

meet for colored charter is also meeting with much approval in would give it away.

So attorneys offered it to the every thousand women capable of tion of two missing Eastland boys.

If the colored meet prove popular it is expected that it will become an annual event, being held each year in the town in orker in employment cov- which the other events are held.

#### rity account number. This erves to identify his insocial-security account, in Last Plea to Make

AUSTIN, Mar. 6 .-- Mrs. Richard Gray Gallogly, pretty blond wife of Richard Gallogly ,escaped Georgia life term convict, today waited outside Gov. W. Lee O'. Daniel's office in an effort to make one last plea for her

band. Gallogly, who was convicted and served a part of his prison term in connection with a holdup slaying, remained in the Dallas County jail, after surrendering to obtain "Texas justice."

# e benefits are directly the amount of benefit Wife of a Ranger

dence after a long illness, it was reported here today.

Survivors, in addition to Bradley and one daughter, C. E. Armstrong of Fort Worth, Winters, legal counsel." that seizure of United one sister, one brother and one grandchild.

The body was shipped overland to Dublin for burial.

#### ement was made in an- Breaks Arm While Playing At School

Mary Halkias, nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Halkias, is recovering from a Boston, Mass., was in a Ranger ter of Mrs. J. D. Cain of Cleburne, sister of Mrs. S. E. Stiffler of Ran-

school in Eastland.

The girl was playing on a "giant stride" apparatus at the school
when the injury was received. The
break was on her left arm above
the elbow.

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Survivors include, in addition
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#### NAZI GIRLS DOUBLE CROSS HITLER; IGNORE COMMAND FOR BABYKRIEG



### Plane Feared Lost In Mexican Jungle

MEXICO CITY, Mar. 6 .- All tored transport plane, reported to have made a forced landing in the

Air officials expressed doubt that the plane could have landed safely because of the thick undergrowth in the jungle where it was

By United Press

company doesn't need the impos- ship. ing concrete structure any more. The company planned to demolish woman under the Third Reich," Plans for holding a county-wide it, for dams, it appears, are ashe asserts, "falls far below the woods asked to assist, reported meet for colored children is also sessable for taxes, but decided it record of the wretched year of Wednesday noon that no word

Eastland, Cisco and Ranger, it was announced today, and indications Town Council as a present, no bearing children (that is, between the ground announced today and indications to the council as a present, no bearing children (that is, between the ground announced today and indications to the council as a present, no bearing children (that is, between the ground announced today and indications to the council as a present, no bearing children (that is, between the ground announced today). workers who die.

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padre of the Royal Engineers 160,000." families in Wales.

And he is useful in more ways in 1937, according to Dr. Gumpert. than one. When the padre wished Heinrich Himmler, head of all

only man in a squad who could in war," promised Himmler.

drive a car when the padre was in While the birth-rate is falling the need of assistance.

#### Girls Study Law; To Set Up a Law Firm

By United Press

SEATTLE, Wash-Judges and Resident Buried juries may get a double share of feminine pulchritude before the Mrs. Della Gertrude Moore, 52, Declining German national has been accepted by visitors to health is reflected in other strik- the Sedgwick Museum at Camwife of G. J. Moore of Ranger, at the University of Washington died in Fort Worth at her resilaw school. They disclosed recently that

### Ranger Student Is Hurt In Accident

### Birth Rate Drops Welles To Leave **Fumes**

at command of Fuehrer Hitler. jungles near Vera Cruz. No trace the Reich expects every German Premier Daladier of France. woman to bear a child-latest dedown, not up.

is now 11 per cent below the president's third term decision. level needed to maintain a posi-Elephant to Plant ures are revealed in a new book, "Heil Hunger," published by Alliance Book Corp., New York. The book, written by Dr. Mar-

FREDERICTON, N. B. — The book, written by Dr. Martin Gumpert, now a practicing dam across the Nashwaak river at Marysville that's looking for an Marysville that's looking for an experitific information which on scientific information which The Nashwaak Pulp and Paper slipped through German censor

"The fecundity of the German economic crisis, 1923, when for had been received as to the loca-

fecundity sank to its lowest level, 77.1 per thousand. And according Statistics Department of the son and the other boy. Batman for Padre Reich, the number of mothers with four or more children de-

rings for his batman, the bell is Fall in the German birth-rate answered by a peer of the realm, follows the decline of the mardescendant of one of the oldest riage rate. From the high level He is Viscount St. Davids, 22. riages receded to 8.9 per thousand

that he had a mobile cinema for the Nazi police, recently urged the troops in isolated spots, the women to have children, either in batman bought the whole affair. or out of wedlock. Special spon-St. Davids was made a batman sors would be appointed for all by the regimental sergeant major children "of good blood born in or because he happened to be the out of wedlock whose fathers fall

notwithstanding such pleas, says Dr. Gumpert, the mortality rate is Old Death Battle rising. At least 80,000 more persons now die annually in Germany than before the Nazi regime, In 1937 the death-rate for infants under one year was 6.4 per

"They prove," he says, "that the when school days are over and German people, living for the last bar examinations passed—they six years under the frightful pressicientists, students, lecturers and husband, include one son, R. J. hope—the blonde twins will hang sure of war conditions, has reach-R. J. hope—the blonde twins will hang sure of war conditions, has reach the public have been duped by a Mrs. u ptheir shingle: "Winters and ed the limit of its physical and practical joker. While both axe-psychic working capacity, and bead and skull are authentic, he says they were found separately the prospect of a collapse much and the axe-head was placed in more dreadful than that of 1918."

### Sister of Rager Woman Dies Tues.

broken arm injury received Monday while playing at South Ward school in Eastland.

hospital today as the result of an automobile-motorcycle crash which occurred Tuesday afternoon on termination to the funeral services at Watts

# For Paris Today

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Mar There is no ersatz for Dables of the United States, And the German baby crop, unlike cabbage, can't be increased suffering with a slight cold, was preparing today to leave here for

velopment of a plan started six stood to have cancelled all en years ago to increase the German gagements for Thursday and Fri birth rate-now is met by revela- day, in order to confer with tion that the Nazi baby market is Welles. Welles declined today to comment on whether or not his Despite the Fuehrer's orders the report to President Roosevelt German birth rate is falling and would have any bearing on the

After conferring with Daladie tive population balance. The fig- and British officials Welles expects to confer again with Musso lini, returning to the United States by Mar. 26.

### Boys On Bicycle For One Missing

The office of Sheriff Loss

Monday night after fruitlessly to the latest compiliations of the pursuing as far as Abilene his

DeBusk, according to an Abi lene newspaper, said he had traced clined between the middle of 1933 the boys as far as Abilene. A po-LONDON - When a certain and the beginning of 1939 by liceman told him he had seen the pair riding one bicycle Monday

and Tommy Jordan, about 12 or of 1934 (12.2 per thousand) mar- 13. John is 5 feet 2 inches tall, weighs 107 and was last seen clad in khaki pants, blue shirt, aviator cap annd gray coat.

The elder DeBusk at Abilene described the Jordan boy as being about 5 feet tall, weighing about 97 pounds. He did not know how he was dressed.

The bicycle they are riding is equipped with one red tire, and one black tire.

### Proves to Be Hoax

LONDON-For more than half a century a stone axe-head, buried in a 4,000-year-old animal skull

But now Major Gordon Fowler

Major Fowler declares that he knows who carried out the joke, but he cannot tell the whole story until five years after the death of the man who perpetrated the hoax. He has been dead two year

### Sweetwater Judge

### REDS ALMOST SUCCESSFUL IN VIIPURI RAID

A bloody battle on Vijpuri Bay was reported today when Russian forces attempted to surprise the defenders of the city and neared the coast before being discovered A withering artillery fire turned back the attack, but it was be ieved several Red soldiers reached the shore in safety.

Troops on motor sledges were dso beaten back in the south when attacked by Finnish planes. Another Finn, a former schoolteacher, was today added to the list of heroes who have staged single-handed attacks on Russian forces. The former teacher drops from trees on tanks and batters the crews with hand grenades. He has been credited with demolishing 70 tanks in this manner. Yesterday reports of one sniper quieting a Russian artillery unit and saving a Finnish company by shooting out the lenses of telecope sights was reported.

From Moscow word has been sent out that May Day, the tradiional Red holiday, has now been set for the downfall of Finland after their boasted conquest of Feb. 23 ,anniversary of the Red army, failed.

Webb Miller, United Press European News Editor, who has been covering the Finnish war, reached neutral territory today and reported that observers believed that Russia would seek peace after the fall of Viipuri, as that would gain for Russia the Karelian Isthmus territory she demanded from Finland.

The Finns, Miller reports, have thrown up strong defenses behind the city, however, and apparently intend to keep up the fight. Spring weather, which will melt the ice on the Finnish lakes, is expected to be a decided advantage for Finland and will hamper the Russian advances, if the defenders can hold out that long. Snow has played an important part in Finland's military strategy through out the winter, and the thawing ice on her many lakes is also expected to be utilized as a natural

#### 2 Commissioners Will Be Selected

An election at which two city commissioners will be selected has been ordered by the Eastland board of commissioners for Tuesday, April 2, it was announced to-

The election was called because the terms of C. B. Wellman and C. T. Lucas expire at that time The terms to be filled in the election are for two years each.

Oscar Wilson has been selected as presiding judge of the elec tion, R. B. Braly and J. F. Mc Williams are to serve as election

Voting will be at the city hall. March 18 at 5 p. m. is the final time for filing by candidates at the city hall.

### Census Questions To Be Continued in Spite of Protests

WASHINGTON, March 6 .-Census director W. L. Austin said today that no compromise is to be offered because of the senate dis- house. pute over census questions con cerning personal income.

Meanwhile, at Milwaukee, James Rosselli, a shoemaker, who chased a census taker out of his shop smilingly surrendered to federal authorities. He was the first to be charged with refusing to answer census questions.

### Russia-Rumania To

immediately for Bucharest, where and when I get home for dinner non-agression pact between at night. Russia and Rumania would be

#### School Executives At Strawn Named To Canvass Returns

STRAWN, March 6 .- Supt. S V. Colley and Talmage Head, principal and athletic director,

### LIVESTOCK SHOW WILL BE HELD IN RANGER ALL DAY THURSDAY

#### Complete List of 4-H Winners at Cisco Show Given

A. C. Pratt, assistant county! gent, announced today a com- members of his department were lete list of 4-H club winners in busy today building pens in which he Eastland County Livestock hogs, goats and sheep are to be show held recently at Cisco. exhibited, and P. E. Moore, secre-

he various classes were: Ranger, second; Billy Johnson, turkeys.

Dairy cattle, two years and ver, Raymond Beck, Morton Val- be displayed adequately. ey, first, (his entry also grand champion); A. L. Whatley, sec- ever before was indicated today Earl Ervin, Desdemona,

Jack Walker, Rising Star, first; ous entries. Word has been receiv-Curtis Redwine, Alameda, second; ed from Strawn that one man ames Walker, Rising Star, third. there would have several high-Fat barrows, Jack Walker, Ris-

ng Star, first; Raymond Beck, and that boys would have at least Morton Valley, second and third. two club calves from the town. Entries in the Cisco show were furnished by FFA and 4-H boys.

### Violation of U.S. Neutrality Laws Is Charged at Houston

HOUSTON, March 6. - The Remington Arms Company and Mar. 8. two Mexican army officers were indicted today by a federal grand 14 Jerries, owned by 4-H club jury on charges of violating the United States neutrality laws.

The Mexicans were arrested at Laredo on Jan. 19, allegedly carrying a quantity of ammunition into Mexico. The Remington Arms company

#### was charged with conspiracy. Germans Claim 20 Tommies Killed

BERLIN, Mar. 6 .- High Gernan sources said today that in- vision. Dr. Hodges has one of the creased activities had been noted few flocks of Karakuls in the on the Western Front, particular-ly in the vicinity east of the Mo-in this part of the country. As

zelle River. said that one German soldier and it is expected to attract much at-20 British soldiers had been killed tention at the show. in a patrol raid that captured a
British dugout. The communique
stated that 16 British prisoners

All entries in the show will be
in place by 9:30 Thursday morning and judging will start at

### **Eastland School**

Members of the Eastland school board, in session Tuesday night, awarded in the show. ordered an election for Saturday, April 6, at which time two vacancies on the board are to be Colorado Governor

filled. Terms of Frank Sparks and W. K. Hyer expire April 6. The terms to be filled are for three years. The members of the board stat-

filing of candidacies with C. A. 12 at the Southwestern Repub-Hertig, board secretary. Oscar Wilson was named presiding judge and Walter Gray and as, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Colorado, E. C. Satterwhite selected as Kansas and Arkansas have been

### Tea Tester Drinks

BOSTON-One of four men men paid by the United States Western States Seek government for brewing, smelling and sipping tea, it might seen that Emery C. Griswold of Melrose would have enuogh of the Sign a Pact Soon | beverage after tasting 15 samples

Griswold compares samples

from incoming tea ships with a standard chosen by the U. S. Tea Board.

### In Saturday Vote

A. S. Mauzey, judge of the 37th judicial district, from Sweetwater, and his reporter, W. R. Swaim, were visitors Wednesday in Eastland.

Returns from Saturday's country-wide beer eelction will be cantracted by members of commissioners court, it has been announced. Unofficial returns indicate drys won by a majority of ed the local system late last year. 118.

#### Preparations were being rushed to completion today for the fourth annual Ranger Livestock Thursday, Mar. 7, in the Ranger

Softball Park. Fire Chief G. A. Murphy and The 4-H winners in the show in tary of the show, announced arrival of coops enough for 40 Fat steers-S. S. Faircloth, Jr., pens of poultry and six pens of

Cattle entries will be staked around the park where they can

A larger number of entries than with word from many communities that livestock owners would be on Dairy cattle, one to two years, hand early Thursday with numer-

A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent of Eastland County, who was aiding in preparations today, said that more 4-H club entries would be ready for the Ranger show than were displayed at the livestock show held last week in Cisco, Practically all entries in the Ranger show will be taken Thursday night to Fort Worth, where they will be entered in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, which begins Friday,

Pratt stated today that at least boys, from six to eight hogs and from four to six beef calves that have been on feed will be displayed, in addition to those entered by FFA boys and adult growers of fine livestock.

A larger number of entries in all divisions of the show is indicated by advance information about entries, it was stated today.

Dr. Ross Hodges, chairman of the livestock show, stated today that his brother, Dr. Bob Hodges, would have some of his fine Karakul sheep on display, though there were no prizes offered in this di-A communique issued today Karakul sheep or lamb, his exhib-

had also been captured in the 10:30. All animals will remain on exhibition until 4 o'clock in the

afternoon. No entrance fee is to be charged for the show, and anyone own-Vote April Sixth ing fine animals or poultry are eligible to enter as many as they wish. A total of \$71.50 in cash prizes and 146 ribbons will

### To Speak at Rally

FORT WORTH, Texas-Gov ed that Saturday, March 30, at Ralph Carr of Colorado will be noon will be the deadline for the the principal speaker here March

lican rally. Members of the G.O.P. in Texclerks for the election, to be invited, and an attendance of 3,-held in the basement of the court-Fletcher of Fort Worth, president of the Tarrant county republican club.

R. B. Creager of Brownsville, Tea Thrice Daily republican national committeeman, is expected to attend.

### Narcotics Hospital

By United Press SACRAMENTO, Cal.-Western states have responded favorably to the suggestion of Gov. Culbert MOSCOW, March 6.—The Moscow government reported today I like so much at breakfast as my that Premier Molotoff would leave tea. I drink it again at luncheon seeking construction of a federal narcotics hospital in the west. Letters have been received from most of the states, agreeing to ask their congressional delegations to join ferces to obtain such

The federal government now of erates two such hospitals, at Lexington, Ky., and Fort Worth, Tex-

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#### All Americans Want to Vote

A proposal to brand as paupers all persons who remain on relief for three consecutive years hit the New Jersey legislature in Trenton a few days ago and loosed a storm of indignant protest. If the plan were carried out, it would automatically remove the right to vote from persons who fel under its provisions.

The recommendation was submitted to the legislature by State Senator Homer C. Zink, chairman of the Emergency Relief Committee, but was the work of a hired investigator, Col. G. Barrett Glover. It was not a committee report and was not submitted as such, but that didn't temper the amazement of people who feared an infringement on their civil rights.

It is a pretty serious thing to be called officially a Prepared For War pauper. It knocks the wind out of you. It leaves you humiliated and desolate. People don't take the pauper's oath, unless there isn't much else they can do.

It is equally serious to be stripped, at the same time, of your right to vote. A man forced to live on relief for a long period of time is not necessarily a poor citizen. He is more likely to value his franchise than does the man who much better for aiding Europe's has a job and security. He has more time to think about war victims today than it was in

Colonel Glover's way is not the right way to go about straightening out the relief situation. It's an easy way, an ministrators had to be sent from son of the man who developed the obvious way. But, aside from the harm it could bring to Money was raised for sufferers in individuals, it doesn't answer the fundamental question: the 1914-18 war, to insure that it How can we reduce our relief rolls without causing too was properly distributed. much suffering?

Colonel Gover can't be blamed for wanting to reduce said, and funds can be put into taken for granted. But Walt Whitthe number of relief clients; but the methods of the army, use rapidly. In Finland, for infrom which the colonel retired a few years ago, won't work stance, \$160,000 provided by the of the Lord." Carl Sandburg here. You can't just give an order and expect that it shall been sent to that country.

The state of New Jersey, like every other state, some denied that the Finnish relief camday will have to figure out a way of getting its people off dent Herbert Hoover is duplicatrelief Calling them names and disfranchising them won't ing the work of the Red Cross.

Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine of New York he said. Money raised by Mr. has decreed that confiscated gangsters' guns cannot be Hoover's organization is being shipped to Finland. They might go off and hurt some- used in Finland by a government body:

A Virginia prison has only one inmate left. The others tore a hole in a wall and escaped. Maybe the one who Idea of Saving for stayed hadn't finished a chess game with the warden.

A Vermont college student is making money by closing bedroom windows for his colleagues on icy mornings. He must be pretty fond of an aducation.

The President didn't say "no" to the Illinois primaries. He will now have to suffer the consequences.

#### CREATOR OF TOM SAWYER

1. 5 Pen name of the author Sawyer.' carriages.
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of fat. 15 To mistake.
16 To move sidewise.
17 Double bass.
18 Entire man. 19 Fish, 20 Examination. 21 To put on. 22 Genus of auks 23 A favorite child.

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VERTICAL 1 Crowd.

12 To become fixed. spots. 16 That which

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judge.

28 He was .

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29 Measures.

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31 To alienate.

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#### In 'Steinbeck's' "Of Men and Mice"



pictured Betty Fields and Burgess Meredith, two of the stars of "Of Mice and Men" which opens at the Lyric theatre midtite show Saturday, also Sunday and Monday. Also starred in the east is Lon Chaney, Jr. From the best selling novel by John Steinbeck, 'Of Mice and Men" unfolds a richly emotional and tensely dramatic story of the migratory ranch workers of California

### Red Cross Better Than During 1918

WORTH, Texas-The American Red Cross is organized tional Vice President in charge of finance, said here recently.

McClintock said that special adthe United States to France when pecan

Sixty-two nations now are or- grass. American Red Cross already has wrote:

The Red Cross vice president litz and Waterloo.

With so many Finns needing aid and so little money coming in, there is no chance of duplication,' committee that is cooperating with the Finnish Red Cross, Mc-Clintock said.

### Rainy Day Is Dead Professor Declares

ANN ARBOR, Mich-Saving your pennies for a rainy day is ilization depends upon grass." out of date because nowadays Flocks and herds marked the bewhen it rains it rains easy credit, ginning of civilization. Not only and a dollar invested today might does it still provide sustenance for easily shrink in purchasing power unnumbered sheep and countless in the future.

Also, he said, the government tility, in place. has encouraged householders to obtain credit for rebuilding, re- able to develop grasses adapted to pairing, remodeling and installing our Western new equipment, and he added that drouth-resisting. Grass too may be it is so easy for a family of av- the answer to the challenge of the erage means to borrow money for winds sweeping in blinding clouds continuous insolvency faces many.

### I GIVE YOU TEXAS ....

By BOYCE HOUSE

Wherever fine pecans are known the Burkett pecan is known. J. H. Burkett is the man who discovered and perfected the variety which bears his name. This observer recalls-after a lapse of a good 1918, James K. McClintock, Na- many years-the privilege of a visit to the parent tree, under the personal guidance of Representative Omar Burkett of Eastland,

> And now, J. H. Burkett at an age when 80 is not far away, has begun a new study-the study of

> man called it, "The handkerchief "Pile the bodies high at Auster

Shovel them under and let m

I am the grass; I cover all."

John J. Ingalls said it this way: "Grass is the forgiveness of nature-her constant benediction. Fields trampled with battle, saturated with blood, torn with the ruts of the cannon grow green again with grass, and carnage is forgotten.

Forests decay, harvests perish. flowers vanish but grass is immortal. It bears no blazonry of bloom to charm the senses with fragrance or splendor but its homely hue is more enchanting than the lily or the rose. It yields no fruit in earth or air, and yetshould its harvost fail for a s year-famine would depopulate the world."

As Mr. Burkett says, "Our civcattle grazing upon a thousand Dr. Charles W. Coulter, Uni- hills, but grass provides a backversity of New Hampshire socio- ground of beauty, a soft restfullogist, expressed those sentiments ness for the eye. Imagine what a in a lecture before 200 economists, bleak, brown, bare world this social workers, and representa- would be without grass. Further, tives of lending agencies gathered grass prevents floods and stores at a consumers credit conference up the bountiful water of spring sponsored by the University of against a later need and it holds the good earth, with its rich fer-

Perhaps Mr. Burkett will be

luxuries as well as necessities that through a "dust bowl." 

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And think of the spirit of a man, well past the three score dead, one dying, two others burnyears and ten mark, taking up a new study. The lines of Browning ed, baby miraculausly saved and on "Rabbi Ben Erza" come to the earnings of an entire year de-

"Grow old with me, The best is yet to be; The last of life, for which the first was made."

More lawyer jests for old "old oke" competition:

good writeup."

A men, just acquitted of cowstealing because of his lawyer's eloquent speech to the jury, asked the attorney as they were leaving the courtroom, "Does that mean I get to keep the cow?"

That defendant probably was the same man who, before his trial, was asked by a friend, "Are you guilty?" and he replied, "How do I know till I hear the evi-

Then there was the man who vent to a lawyer's office and inquired, "Suppose my cow was to get into your garden and eat up \$8 worth of vegetables, would I be responsible?" To which the attorney replied, "Yes, sir." citizen laughed and said, "Well, pay me, then because it was your cow that got into my garden." The lawyer handed over \$8 and then said, "Now my friend, you owe me \$10 for legal advice."

It's the squeakin' axle that gits the grease—as my grandpa ust to

Some years ago, when this observer was on the staff of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Harold Banks-then state editor-heard that there had been a fire, the night before, in a small town so he called the local correspondent. The latter had been out of town and promised to investigate and report back-which he did, in a few min-

"The fire wasn't in town," he said, "and it wasn't much of a fire-just a farm-house."

"I see," Banks replied and was just about to express his thanks and hang up the receiver but the correspondent remarked casually: "By the way, one of the child-

en burned to death.' "What!" gasped Banks.

"And another one isn't expectd to live," the correspondent continued. "The farmer and his wife were burned also in trying to rescue the children. He threw the year-old baby out of the window and the little fellow didn't get a scratch. Also he had just sold his crop the day before and all the money was burned up."

By this time, Banks had gotten his breath:

Eastland Softball "I see-not much of a fire; one

Eastland Junior High School broke even in softball games played Tuesday afternoon at Eastland Mayor LaGuardia announced The other said, "Yeah, that's against Cisco Grammar teams. The Eastland boys' team defeat-

right-and, say, Blankville plays football here next Friday and you ed Cisco boys by 15 to 2 and the tell Boyce House we want a darn Eastland girls' team was defeated by Cisco 20 to 3.

Teams Win and Lose

\$2,000,000 FIRE IN NEW YO NEW YORK, Mar. 6 .which destroyed the new Guardia Airport hangar last ni today was estimated to have d more than \$2,000,000 dam plans would be made to star construction of the hangar mediately.

Fred Davenport is coach both Eastland teams

# R. M. GILES

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SERIAL STORY

IEW

**\$15 A WEEK** 

BY LOUISE HOLMES

CHAPTER XIII

NN hesitated. There was a difference between going on a party and going to a party. When she hesitated, Florabelle said, "And you too, Clara."

"Oh, Florabelle," Clara breathed edly, "That's swell—simply Isn't it, Ann?" "I'd like to go to a party," Ann

mitted. "What-what kind of a arty is it?" "Oh, 'Florabelle continued caressly, "we'll have dinner some-

here-and dance." Clara's eyes sparkled. "Will we eet swell fellows?" She had a orked in offices behind big maogany desks, they spent their venings in night clubs. She had en them in the movies.

ured her with a little grimace. "Oh, gee," Clara sighed. "What'll with every floor.

irls in Chicago never dress."
Clara ran to the closet and

"ight?" she asked excitedly.

"It'll do." As she left the room,
Florabelle said, "You're the im-

ortant one, Ann. The party is beng given in your honor."

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taxi the other night. He saw you and I'm none the worse for them."

ine and don't you forget it for at them.
minute—Jake Bontel and Steve "Three Claybourne. Steve goes with the North Side crowd. Occasionally he likes to meet the other half."

he proclaimed loudly.

"This is Clancy," Florabelle she might not be able to handle?

What was the fun in a gathering North Side crowd. Occasionally he likes to meet the other half." Ann was a little dubious about

next evening. Ann wore the new blue dress and little pancake hat.

Her hair was like gold, vivid color that you need a little drink," he glass. What was she to do with Why—oh, why had she come? (To Be Continued)

OUT OUR WAY"

burned in her cheeks, her eyes said thickly. "Come with your old were mysteriously dark. Florabelle's gown was black, sleek and plain. At her throat she wore an into a bar. It was loaded with immense rhinestone clip. A smart- bottles and glasses. ly veiled hat partially covered her Ann said, "I thought we were

ash blond head. Clara was a living demonstra-tion of what a girl should not wear. The cerise dress fought with her with sly heaviness. "We're the shade of her rouge, her flame colored nails fought back. She'd had her hair done at noon and her head had an ice-bound look. Bangle bracelets jingled from her wrists, a bib necklace of raw gold covered her chest.

le oking extremely decorative. Clara, aided by Steve, was getting out of her wraps. She was laugh-"Aren't you going to wear any jewelry?" she asked Ann.

"I haven't anything nice."
"Gee, I wish I'd known it. They
have swell stuff at the store." Ann looked at Clara's decora-

provised bar. "What'll it be, angel?" tions and was not in the least endefinite idea of swell fellows. They vious. They found a cab waiting at the curb and Ann quietly en-Ann was at a loss. Evidently this was what was meant by "bejoyed the unaccustomed luxury. At last they stopped before an ing on a party." She had never apartment hotel on Sheridan drive. Florabelle gracefully led the way tasted intoxicating liquor, her father had seen to that. Inexpe-"The best families in town will represented," Florabelle asward, Ann's doubts increasing it was up to her to bluff. She couldn't "put on an act" as Flora-

"Why should we go to Mr. Hor-ton's apartment?" she asked. "Why "Well, don't try to be dressy. ton's apartment?" she asked. "Why ear street clothes. The smartest don't we meet them where we are I'll like," she said indifferently. to have dinner?"

ought forth an atrocious taffeta she said firmly. "Are you planshe said firmly. "Are you planning to have a good time or are you going to put on an act at every turn? Who is throwing this party, anyway?"

Ann felt properly soughed. "I was cerise, trimmed with ning to have a good time or are you going to put on an act at every turn? Who is throwing this party, anyway?"

Ann felt properly soughed. "I was care was sipping a long drink. She was doing the best to be casual about it, imitating Florabelle's every move. While Jake hilariously mixed the drinks Steve crossed the room to

Ann felt properly squelched. "I just wondered," she said lamely. "Well, stop wondering. Take groomed and nice mannered. He things as they come. I go to parties was a little less intoxicated than "Sure. Jake Bontel was in the like this about five times a week his two friends.

"Will there be a man for Clara?" SHE knocked on a closed door "Will there be a man for Clara?"

Florabelle nodded. "Three men beefy man with several chins and it beefy man with several chins and a bulging waistline beamed out minute—Jake Bontal and for the minute—Jake Bontal and for Clara?"

SILE KROCKED on a closed door and it swung open. A large, beefy man with several chins and a bulging waistline beamed out at them. meeting you," he said. three men.

Why had she come? Why had she let herself in for something

"Three little gifts from heaven,"

"Howdy, Ann and Clara. Come like this? Where was the excuse e affair. She had the feeling in. The two male earth beings be- for it? that Florabelle was railroading hind me are Jake and Steve. Step her into something. On the other up, boys, and do your manners." Steve remarked.

hand, she was eager for gaiety. Ann knew right then that her "I carbinner and dancing—it sounded doubts had been well founded. She crowd." glanced about the apartment. No Florabelfe took her acceptance one lived there, that was obvious. It had merely been taken for the claybourne sees Clara," she said, evening's entertainment. A kitch-clever enough to detect it." Claybourne sees Clara," she said, evening's entertainment. A kitch-laughing lazily.

en, brilliantly lighted, opened off the main room. From where Ann stood, she could see down a hall "Here you are, my sweet."

There was a flurry of baths and stood, she could see down a hall "from which opened bedrooms and "Thank you." She took the

JUST AS SOON AS SHE GETS CLOSE

ENOUGH TO HEAR,

I'LL SHAKE YOUR

HAND AND SAY,

THANKS FER TH'

MEAL AT YOUR HOBO CAMP~ "

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going out to dinner." Anything to

having dinner right here. You like that, beautiful?"

Florabelle had removed her fur

and hat. With a glass in her hand, she sat on the arm of a chair,

ing and talking inanely. Ann

looked at Steve. He was younger than the other men, younger and

Jake had gone behind the im-

rienced as she was, she knew that

"I've never had the pleasure of

What was the fun in a gathering:

"Pert little devil, aren't you?"

"I can hold my own in any

"Do I detect gravel in that re-

"I put some in. Maybe you are

glass. What was she to do with it?

THEN I SAY, "GLAD TO HAVE

MARRIED SISTER WITH A

BABY, AN' MOTHER WAS ALLUS AT HER HOUSE, WORKIN' AN' TAKIN' ALL

TH' BEST FOOD OVER-

AND LOOK AT ME NOW!

WELL, GOOD NIGHT, I'LL

SHE'S AT YOUR

SISTER'S" --

SEE YOU NEX' TIME

HOW'S ZATZ

HELPED YOU -- I HAD A

BY WILLIAMS

belle had said.



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS-





#### BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON. — Unless there is a big change this spring, no THAT explains the tactics being followed by Frank Gannett, the

candidate will go to the Repub- New York publisher. ican national convention with enough delegates in his pocket to take charge.

Mr. Gannett is going to end up a major speaking tour in Los Angeles. He is in close touch with

portion of the delegates-perhaps Wadsworth, one of the shrewdest even a majority-will be unin- him structes

This is entirely to the liking of primary contests and seeking no nost of the national committee- pledges. His entire effort is based

lish woman under the Third Reich,"
as- he asserts, "falls far below the Woods assked to assist, reported d it record of the wretched year of Wednesday noon that no economic crisis, 1923, when for had been received as to the locathe every thousand women capable of tion of two missing Eastland boys no bearing children (that is, between who told friends Monday they

at it 82.3 births. furn- "In 1937, under Hitler, that fecundity sank to its lowest level, worker, returned to Eastland 77.1 per thousand. And according Monday night after fruitlessly to the latest compiliations of the pursuing as far as Abilene Statistics Department of the son and the other boy. ire Reich, the number of mothers DeBusk, according to an Abi with four or more children de- lene newspaper, said he had traced clined between the middle of 1933 the boys as far as Abilene. A po-

neers 160,000." Fall in the German birth-rate night. alm, follows the decline of the marldest riage rate. From the high level and Tommy Jordan, about 12 or of 1934 (12.2 per thousand) mar- 13. John is 5 feet 2 inches tall. 22. riages receded to 8.9 per thousand weighs 107 and was last seen

Heinrich Himmler, head of all aviator cap annd gray coat. for the Nazi police, recently urged ffair or out of wedlock. Special spon- about 5 feet tall, weighing about the women to have children, either in tman sors would be appointed for all 97 pounds. He did not know how najor children "of good blood born in or the out of wedlock whose fathers fall

could in war," promised Himmler.
as in While the birth-rate is falling one black tire. notwithstanding such pleas, says Dr. Gumpert, the mortality rate is Old Death Battle rising. At least 80,000 more per sons now die annually in Germany than before the Nazi regime, In 1937 the death-rate for in fants under one year was 6.4 per

Woman Dies Tues. the man who perpetrated the hoax. He has been dead two year

Mrs. J. D. Cain of Cleburne, sister of Mrs. S. E. Stiffler of Ran-

BY BRUCE CATTON ' | It is a situation full of appealing NEA Service Staff Correspondent possibilities for dark horses.

politicians and rank-and-file vot-It looks now as if a huge pro- ers all across the country. Jim of congressmen, is working with

Yet Mr. Gannett is entering no

The the ages of 15 and 45) there were were going to El Paso on one bi cycle.

Bill DeBusk, Eastland oilfield

rtain and the beginning of 1939 by liceman told him he had seen the pair riding one bicycle Monday

The boys are John DeBusk, 14, ways in 1937, according to Dr. Gumpert. clad in khaki pants, blue shirt

The elder DeBusk at Abilene described the Jordan boy as being he was dressed.

The bicycle they are riding is equipped with one red tire, and

### Proves to Be Hoax offered because of the senal

LONDON-For more than half a century a stone axe-head, buried in a 4,000-year-old animal skull been accepted by visitors to

they six years under the frightful pres- scientists, students, lecturers and sure of war conditions, has reach- the public have been duped by a

Major Fowler declares that he knows who carried out the joke, but he cannot tell the whole story until five years after the death of

Eastland Visitor

A. S. Mauzey, judge of the 37th judicial district, from Sweetwater, and his reporter, W. R. Swaim, were visitors Wednesday in East-

RED RYDER

. . . . . . . . . By Fred Harman NO! HE'S JUST BEEN KEEPIN'
BA COMPANY -- WITH A NO-GOOD
G. MBLER! NOW RED, HERE'S
MY RANCH -- I'M LEAVIN'
THE ARREST UP TO YOU!





By Fred Harman ALLEY OOP WELL NOW IT LOOKS THIS IS THE PLACE .. YEP ... NOW GETTING WHERE AN EMPTY LET'S SEE .. SOME-CARTRIDGE WHERE



An election at which two commissioners will be selected been ordered by the Eastl board of commissioners for day, April 2, it was announce

Will Be Select

The election was called beca the terms of C. B. Wellman C. T. Lucas expire at that t The terms to be filled in the e tion are for two years each. Oscar Wilson has been sele as presiding judge of the tion. R. B. Braly and J. F. Williams are to serve as electrical services as electrical services.

clerks. Voting will be at the city March 18 at 5 p. m. is the time for filing by candidates

To Be Continued Spite of Prote

WASHINGTON, March Census director W. L. Austin today that no compromise is pute over census question

Meanwhile, at Milwaukee, Rosselli, a shoemaker, who do a census taker out of his smilingly surrendered to fe authorities. He was the first t charged with refusing to

THE SIZE YOU WISH

that Premier Molotoff would mmediately for Bucharest, a non-agression pact be Russia and Rumania wou

posts for another year board of the Strawn sol trict last night, Colley is his third year in Strawn formerly principal at Tah

# Paper

### the city hall. Census Question: FOR STUDENTS

HIGH SCHOOL

Russia-Rumania To Sign a Pact S

MOSCOW, March 6.—The cow government reported

MOSCOW, March 1 Composited To the control of th

a non-agression pact be Russia and Rumania would signed.

School Executives At Strawn Na

STRAWN, March 6 .-V. Colley and Talman principal and athletic

### enison Dam Is Becoming Reality As Quarrel Grows stream bed on the Texas bank. This phase is scheduled to sta

DENISON, Texas-While pro- twice as big. ents and opponents wrangle, Denison Dam on Red River is ming a reality.

vation for the outlet works and version of the stream. A gapg canyon in the Texas bank has sen dug with giant shoveis, anes and trucks to turn the rividuring construction of the dam. below the engineers' estimates.

A \$4,000,000 chunk of concrete and steel , comprising the

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Litigation has not delayed any

lligerent Governor Leon Philips to halt the project.

One contract is about midway ward completion, another is heduled to get underway May 1, if a third, to excavate for the in embankment, is to be award the low bidder about March Nearly half-finished is the exvation for the outlet works and diction in Phillip's injunction suit. The governor later hinted he might use national guardsmen to shut down the \$53,000,000 power and flood control project.

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Contractors are paid every 15 days.

Practically all equipment an supplies have been purchased for outlets of four flood control and the beginning of the outlet cong and four power tunnels, will be set in tract. The principal sub-contractive of cent. In New York it was 4.5 per another hole on a level with the stream bed on the Texas bank.

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This phase is scheduled to start May 1. Although it is the biggest contract yet let, the embankment job coming up next month will be twice as big.

pany to furnish and install the Eleanmetal liners for the power congression duits. These, carrying water from ington the intake structure beneath the dam to the power house, will have twice as big.

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"They prove," he says, "that the German people, living for the last a 20-foot diameter and will be approached by a contract of the second of the strike bridge as evidence of a prehistoric battle to the death.

German people, living for the last scientists, students, lecturers and six years under the frightful pression of the strike bridge as evidence of a prehistoric battle to the death.

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work is going ahead, steadily decision refusing to accept jurisallitarian war of Oklahoma's
ligerent Governor Leon Phil
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Contractors said they were in hang 'sure of war conditions, has reach the public have been duped by a fing up to an agreement to employs and local men except for the ket jobs. Two Hundred men now are on the outlet excavation and did on

Big Cattle Drive From Ranger

J.R.WILLIAMS

By Unned Press AMARILLO, Texas-Cowpokes Sister of Rager

hang

In the Panhandle of an ger, who died at her home, was buried in the Watts Cemetery after funeral services at Watts Chapel, Johnson County, it was learned here today.

Survivors include, in addition defect to her sister in Ranger, two ling. daughters and three brothers. Ob ed eat En

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## Society Notes

CALENDAR THURSDAY Thursday Afternoon Study Club, 3 o'clock, Woman's Club-

day evening, Woman's Clubhouse. Choir practice, 7:30, First Bap-

tist Church. Initiation Date Set For

Order of Eastern Star At the Tuesday evening session of the Order of Eastern Star the initiation services were scheduled for March 26 to be held at Masonic temple. Chapters from Breckenridge and Cisco will be extended invitations to attend, officials an-

Friday, March 8, the Order will hold the Study Club at the temple at 2 o'clock.

The regular stated meeting was observed with Mrs. Jess Richardson, worthy matron, presiding in the East. Theye were 25 present.

Luncheon Honors Elizabeth Pettit Circle at Monday Session The Friendship Circle of the



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For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS WALTER EVANS

For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR.

For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON R. L. RUST

mty Treasurer: GARLAND BRANTON

Commissioner Precingt No. 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT Dietrict Clerk: JOHN WHITE

Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church entertained with a buffet luncheon Monday at one o'clock honoring the members of the Elizabeth Pettit Circle. The luncheon prefaced the Mission Study which is slated to be held each Monday afternoon for six

Rev. P. W. Walker, pastor of the church, led in opening prayer.
A toast was offered to the Elizabeth Pettit Circle by Mrs. W. H. Mullings, with response given by Mrs. Lynn Hardin, leader of the honored circle.

Plate favors of tiny booklets which had the name of the Mission Study Book, "Right Here at Home," on the cover, contained dates and program leaders for the five succeeding Mondays for the Mission study class. These were explained by Mrs. Garner Kinard, acting Missionary Superintendent, also introduced the Study

In keeping with the book to be studied, which begins with the pioneer days, heirlooms of table lamps, small accordian, candle molds and bullet molds were used in the decoration theme, which belonged to Mrs. Anna Townsend. Mrs. Townsend, who is a charter member of the first Ladies Aid organized in the Methodist church and one of the oldest active members serving in the present Missionary Society, gave a short talk on the church organization and the pioneer days. Mrs. Annie Day, who is also one of the oldest members and was the first president of the present Missionary Society organized in the church, was hon-

Lovely spring flowers were used on the luncheon table. Concluding the program was the assembly singing of "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds."

There were 42 present for the buffet luncheon of assorted meats, salads, vegetables, pie and coffee. Following the luncheon period Mrs. Kinard and Mrs. Frank Crowell taught the first two chapters of the Missionary book.

Miss Hale Re-Elected As Head of Jr. Las Leales

At the Tuesday evening meeting of the Junior Las Leales Club Miss Ima Ruth Hale was re-elected as president to serve the coming year. The session was held at the Women's Clubhouse.

Others to serve in official ca-Terrell as project chairman. Mrs. James Horton is the sponsor for members were L. B. Watson, one

On entering the clubroom the nembers were given miniature member. maps of Texas by the hostess and leader, Miss Naomi McBeth, who presented the program on "Texas" which was opened with musical selections of typical range songs played on the acocrdian by Mrs. Lydia Krauskopf of Cisco.

Mrs. Alfred Irby of Cisco was presented as guest speaker and Ours." Facts of the ranches and ranchers in Texas, particularly the famous King Ranch, were

ght by Miss Lorene Da The program closed with the assembly singing of "The Eyes of Texas."

Response to roll call, "Oddities in Texas," were given by Misses Rama Barber, Lorene Davidson, Jerry Terrell, and Mmes. Howard Miller, Harry W. Brogdon, Roy

Fred Scott, Slaton, was a visitor Wednesday in Eastland.

#### Rotary Education Talks Are Given At Eastland Meet

Talks on Rotarianism were given at the session of the Eastland club this week at the First Methodist Church.

In charge of the program was T. P. Johnson . The talks were given by Earl Bender, Jim Horton, J. W. Ligon, R. N. Wilson, Rev. J. B. Blunk, Dr. J. H. Caton and A. H. Henderson.

Visitors were L. R. Pearson of publish the following announce-ments of candidates for public Judge W. P. Leslie; Dr. F. M. offices, subject to the action of the Warren of Abilene, guest of Dr. Caton, and R. A. McDaniel, guest of Johnson.

It was announced that Jim ) Horton will be in charge of the program next week.

#### Passengers Claim **Boulder Saves Train**

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C .- The story of how a huge boulder prevented a derailed train from crashing 300 feet to a rocky canyon bottom was told here by pas-sengers of the train who were being brought by boat from Van-

When the train was traveling the Whtie Pass and Yukon route railway, a passenger and baggage car was derailed in the Skagway river canyon, seven miles from Skagway, Alaska. The rock, lying beside the tracks, miraculously held the entire train on the edge of the cliff.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

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# Discussed at Meet

A WIND, IN ORDER

TO BE OF HURRICANE

PROPORTIONS, MUST

ATTAIN WHAT VELOCITY

The qualities that made the late Will Rogers a great man were discussed Tuesday by Dr. F. M. Warren of Abilene at a meeting the 182nd Field Artillery regi-Connellee Hotel. Dr. Warren, now conducting a

at the First Christian Church in Eastland, was introduced by Rev. J. B. Blunk, pastor of Earl T. Williams and B. F. Mc-

Inroe were in charge of the pro-Present at the meeting in addition to the visitors and regular of the newer members, and Rev. Jones W. Weathers, re-instated

Farmers wish skirts would get longer so they could grow more cotton. We wouldn't mind, except that it's such a long walk down to the beach, just to see a pretty Democrats. Celebration of the vic-

WILL IT BE - -

Thrown into the Gutter?

Hidden Under Shrubbery?

Blown Against the Hedge?

Just Rubbish on the Lawn?

or WILL IT BE - -

Thrown in the Waste Basket?

Consumed by a Trash Burner?

Inside the HOME - a cherished

and INVITED member of the

family circle. This is where

your message will be if placed in

The Eastland Telegram which is

a welcome visitor in homes of

DETROIT-The Michigan Na-

to Detroit residents for a strange type of training instrumentphonograph records.

ment, has asked that people rummage in their attics for old marches and other types of military music. Explaining that the change from a four man to three man column in army drill has increased the amount of practice required of the National Guard and other units, Capt. Kanaga said that the records would be

D. He would trust human nature know it so well.

the November elections, however.

WHERE

Will You Advertising Be

When the lnk is Dry?

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used in drilling small groups.

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The Republicans won an Ohio congressional district from the tory will be suspended until after

Evangelist

Rev. C. Y. Dorsey, evangelist, who will conduct services at the First Baptist Church revival which begins Sunday in Eastland. W. G. Womack will be in charge of musical activities during the meeting, officials of the church de-The revival will end March 24.

A Chicagoan was given a divorce because his wife visited Germany and liked Hitler so well that she refused to return to her husband. The deserted mate now might try suing the Fuehrer for alienation of affections.



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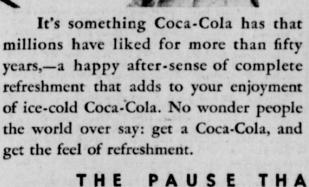
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Greta Garbo

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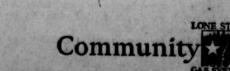
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Drink

Refreshing

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