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## National Music Week Program Is Announced

Special music in each church school department in all the churches in Eastland, all clubs and organizations.  
Sunday, May 5—Eastland county artist program at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church.  
Monday, May 6—Rotarian Club, at 12:15, Vocal duet, Mrs. Art Johnson and Mrs. Grady Pipkin. Piano solo, Barbara Patterson.

Baptist Church at 3 p. m., W. M. S., Vocal duet, Miss Roberta Kinnaird, and Mrs. P. L. Crossley. A talk on Music Week, Mrs. Frank Lovett.

Methodist Church W.M.S., at 3 p. m. Mrs. W. F. Davenport will speak on Music Week. Musical Reading, Melba Wood, accompanied by Mrs. A. F. Taylor.

Church of God W.M.S., 3 p. m., Talk on Music Week, Mrs. Holder. Monday, at 8 p. m., Las Leulas Club present Evelyn Oppenheimer, in book review, at high school auditorium.

Tuesday, Lions, 12:15, Musical readings, Miss Melba Wood with Helen Lucas, accompanist. Eastern Star, 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, piano solo, Mrs. W. W. Kelly.

Junior Fine Arts program, high school auditorium, at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Mrs. Hollis Bennett presiding.

Wednesday, May 8, Scale Runners Club, 3 p. m. Garden Club pilgrimage and plantation supper. Program of music at South Ward, at 1:50.

Thursday, May 9, Taylor Studio students program, in high school auditorium at 8:50 a. m. Delphin Club, 3 p. m. Community Clubhouse, piano solo, Marie Hart, Trombone solo, Pete Fegues, accompanied by Johnnie Lou Hart.

High school Junior-Senior banquet, special music.  
Friday, May 10, Musical program, 9 a. m., West Ward Home Wakers class and Gleaners Mothers Tea at Baptist church at 3 p. m. Hardin-Simmons University Fine Arts faculty program, 8:30 p. m. at Methodist church.

Legion Post Is To Meet This Evening

Henry Pullman, Post commander of the Dulin-Daniels Post of the American Legion called attention today to the regular monthly meeting of the Post, which will be held at the Legion Clubhouse at City Park tonight.

All Legionnaires have been urged to be present, as a good program has been outlined for the meeting.

Girl of 16 Goes to 74 Schools Over a Ten Year Period

BOSTON.—Miss Jane Hanke, 16, whose address might be given as "North America," is getting her education the hard way.

In the past 10 years she has attended 74 schools in every state and in Canada and Mexico. Miss Hanke is the daughter of a salesman who travels "like a gypsy" and settles temporarily wherever prospects look good.

Born in Detroit, she attended six kindergartens in her first year. Her freshman year at high school was spent in 16 schools. Despite her "hit and run" education Miss Hanke is in the same grade as other girls her age.

She estimates that she has traveled 360,000 miles in 10 years.

School Strike Fad Spreads in State

JOHNSON CITY, Texas, May 2.—Thirty-seven high school pupils struck today for re-employment of Lem Davis as principal and basketball coach of the Johnson City high school.

The Superintendent said the students will lose credits if they do not return to classes immediately.

Hatch Bill Vote Is Sought in the Senate

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Rep. John Dempsen, democrat, New Mexico, initiated a petition today to force a house vote on the Hatch "pure politics" bill extension to include state workers aid from federal funds.

## Have You Been Enumerated In The 1940 Census?

Have you been overlooked in the 1940 federal census?

If you have, telephone 192 and notify the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. An effort is being made to have everyone in the city counted during the 1940 census, in order that Eastland may obtain benefits from a larger population.

The census enumeration is to close soon, and unless you have been visited you should notify the Chamber of Commerce so the enumerators can be notified.

## Eastland County 4-H Club Work Is Given In Speech

(EDITOR'S NOTE—The following is a speech made by Miss Vera Ramsower at Abilene concerning Eastland County 4-H Club work.)

There are sixteen active clubs in Eastland County. Each club has a president, vice president, secretary, reporter, program chairman, recreational leader, parliamentarian, sponsor and two club demonstrators. All the officers are elected by the club except the demonstrators and they are volunteers.

Eastland county has the largest enrollment in the history of club work. The last time the club members were counted there were 265, but, there is approximately 300 now. All 4-H club work is conducted by the assistant agent. Three new clubs were formed this year.

Our poultry and bedroom demonstrators usually show rooms and poultry houses before improvement. These are shown through quilting parties or picnics.

Our plans for the summer are that we go on with the meetings in some member's home. These meetings will be once a month in most clubs. There will also be a county group inspector of demonstrators this summer. Buffalo 4-H club has had one inspection. At the July meeting this summer there will be one-half day spent at poultry demonstration and one-half day at bedroom demonstration. We plan to have egg dishes on the menu.

The girls of Eastland County 4-H club saw the need for a county group meeting to discuss plans and learn new things. Twice a county council organization has failed. Under the advice of Miss Hearn, Miss Jacks, and Miss Swift we organized another council and appointed committees. This council proved worth while, we have meetings once a month.

We had our meetings in Oct., Nov., Dec. and then because of bad weather we did not have another meeting until March. In October we had twelve clubs present represented by fifty-four members. This meeting was conducted in form of a training meeting. Many committees were appointed.

At our November meeting we had 65 members present. After each meeting we visited one of these three plants: Ice Cream plant, Coca-Cola Bottling company and Ice plant.

At our last meeting in March we had ten clubs represented. We discussed the 4-H Club plans for the summer. Committees were appointed to be responsible for each of these plans. Girls and sponsors make up the committees:

1. Gold Star Girl Score Card.
2. Short Course Score Card.
3. 4-H Club Sunday.
4. Rally Day.
5. 4-H Club Encampment.
6. Summer Trip.

Instead of the large group meetings these committees meet and take care of these meetings.

## More Fish Taken To Possum Kingdom

The third load of fish to be taken from the State Fish Hatchery in Cisco went through here today, enroute to Possum Kingdom Lake.

The fish taken to the lake today included 50,000 No. 1 fingerling bass, more than an inch long. The load, as were the previous two taken to Possum Kingdom this week, were to be placed in the lake by L. A. Proctor, assistant superintendent of the Cisco hatchery.

## Legionnaire Enters Commissioners Race

AUSTIN, May 2.—Major Walton Hood, American Legion Commander, announced today that he was a candidate for the office of State Railroad Commissioner.

## Three Bodies Found In a Freight Car

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 3.—Three dismembered bodies were discovered today in box cars here. Police said the murders were characteristic of Cleveland's "mad butcher of Kingsbury Run."

## New Brazos Dam Is Included in a Bill

WASHINGTON, May 2.—A \$5,000,000 appropriation for Whitney Dam on the Brazos river was included today in a \$191,000,000 bill for nationwide flood control.

## Among Perils of Antarctic Explorer's Life



Surrounded by admirers, Admiral Richard Byrd, head of the Byrd Antarctic Expedition, is pictured at Santiago, Chile, where he recently stopped off on his way back to the U. S. The occasion was a ball given in his honor by U. S. Ambassador Claude Bowers and attended by President Aguirre and the Chilean Cabinet.

## FIRST COLORED COUNTY MEET DUE SATURDAY

The first track and field meet for the pupils of the colored ward schools of Eastland County will be held in Ranger Saturday May 4th. The schools participating are Cisco Colored Ward Abel C. Butts, principal; Eastland Colored Ward, C. H. Dorsey, principal, and Ranger Colored Ward, Claudia Slaughter, principal.

The events of the day will be: 9:00 a. m. Declamations—all divisions for boys and girls. 10:00 Spelling Contest—two divisions—grades 4 and 5; grades 6 and 7. 11:00 Choral Singing Contest—Each school will sing two songs. 2:00 P. M.—Playground ball games at the Ranger Soft Ball Park, where a small admission charge will be made for those who do not attend the three participating schools. All children of these schools will be admitted free. Funds raised will go to purchase awards for the winners.

4:00—Track and Field Events: 50-yard dash; 100-yard dash; running broad jump; running high jump; 220 yard relay race.

## C. Of C. Directors Hold A Luncheon

Committee reports and future projects were discussed at the regular monthly luncheon of the directors of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, it was reported today by H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager.

Several items of old business and several new matters were brought before the directors for their consideration, Tanner said today.

## Telephone Girls Object to Latin In Their Examination

DETROIT.—Five women telephone operators protested to the Detroit civil service commission when they failed qualifying examinations that included questions asking the meaning of the terms "et al" and "in re."

They contended they had competently plugged in right numbers for years and there was no need for them to know Latin terms used in business. Only 2-17th of the tests were concerned with switchboard work, they said. The commission countered that the examination was standard. But just the same it took the complaints under advisement.

## Rancher Is Slain Near Sweetwater

SWEETWATER, May 2.—Inquest into the death of Cranston Hodge, about 35, a rancher, got underway today as officers investigated the shooting to ascertain how he was killed and by whom.

Mrs. Hodge found the body of the rancher today.

## Convict Confesses to A Hatchet Slaying

LINCOLN, Neb.—Clyde Fillmore, Wichita Falls assistant district attorney, said today that Ernest Hoegen, 27, Nebraska prison inmate, has admitted the hatchet slaying, two years ago, of George Richt, a Kansas carpenter.

## The Air Mail Must Go Through



The air mail must go through, and does, despite the floods which recently isolated the Parkersburg, W. Va., airport. Plane is shown picking up sack of mail hung between flagged posts and snared by hook at end of rope lowered from plane.

## Farmers Take to Anvil When the Blacksmith Fades

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The Pennsylvania department of agriculture records one instance where progress has bounced back. Years ago farmers were their own blacksmiths. The demand became great enough to support blacksmith shops as rural population grew and before long the "smithy" was as much a part of the country community as the general store.

Then the horse was hard pressed by development of the automobile and tractor. The blacksmiths let the fires grow cold in their forges and one by one the familiar shops closed.

But the horse did not give way so completely, especially in the small farms that comprise most of Pennsylvania's agricultural districts.

And now the farmers have found it necessary to do their own blacksmithing once more and have requested the agriculture department's county farm agents for practical instruction in the nearly extinct trade.

## Dam Workers Turn Up Gold During Their Off Hours

SACRAMENTO, Cal.—Men employed in construction of the Ruck-A-Chucky debris dam on the American river near Auburn have turned to gold mining in their spare time, George Pollock, of Sacramento, contractor for the dam, reported.

Site of the dam is in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada, in the Mother Lode country made famous by California's gold strike of nearly a century ago.

About 40 men are employed at the dam, and some of them have made as high as \$100 a day in working high quality ore from a pocket opened by the Pollock company in cutting a temporary roadway at the damsite, the contractor said.

The men have not deserted their jobs, he added, but they merely turned to prospecting while it was too wet to work at the damsite for construction work.

## Rhode Island May Jail Drivers of Cars With Worn Tires

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Motorists whose automobile tires are worn thin may be fined or sent to jail in Rhode Island.

Gov. William H. Vanderbilt has signed a bill providing for a \$30 fine or five days in jail for anyone whose tires show "breaker strip, cushion gum or fabric." The law is part of the state's highway safety program.

## Winter Wheat Crop Forecast Increased

CHICAGO, May 2.—Crop experts today forecast a domestic winter wheat crop of 441,000,000 bushels, up 13,000,000 from the estimates made on April 1.

## ALLIES LEAVE CENTRAL AREA TO THE NAZIS

ALLIES LEAVE . . . . . 36

Germany today celebrated victories in Scandinavia while Europe tensed for the next Nazi stroke with fears it may be in the Balkans or in the Mediterranean.

Stockholm reported that the allies had completed abandonment of Central Norway with withdrawing from Narvik and have set up a new base in the Northern Mountains.

Rumors spread that the Norwegians will seek to negotiate a peace with Germany.

The official German news agency, DNE, claimed that 135 units of the British Navy had been "put out of operation" in the Norwegian campaign.

French sources doubted that Mussolini's pledge to stay out of the war for the time being as Italy's fleet was ordered to be on the alert and the allied fleet was concentrated at Alexandria, in the eastern Mediterranean.

Jugoslavia drew an Italian warning that defense measures aimed at Italy would not be tolerated, and the country called up 10,000 more men to the colors, stating that Jugoslavia's armed force would be kept at around 500,000 men.

## U. S. Will Strive To Keep the War Out of Southeast

WASHINGTON, May 3.—President Roosevelt indicated today that the United States will still work to prevent the war from spreading to Italy and the Mediterranean.

He made the statement at his regular press conference, but did not say that he would personally intervene as he did prior to the start of the European war.

The president also indicated that the naval building program would go on, and said that the European war proved the need for larger guns and heavier armament for United States airplanes.

## Forecasts Foretell Of Danger Period For Forest Fires

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—A new method of fighting forest fires is in use in Rhode Island this year.

Instead of the old-time method of waiting for a fire to start, then rushing out with shovels, brooms and water, the state is using weather bureau instruments to determine where or when there is any possibility of fire.

Anemometers, with measure wind velocity, and thin strips of basswood, which measure the amount of dampness in the forests, are among the instruments used. CCG enrollees read the instruments regularly and forward the recordings to the Boston weather bureau.

The weather bureau sends out warnings if the day's "one of extreme danger. On such a day there was only one last year—old CCC leaves are canceled, fire wardens notify their crews and two fire crews are called to each CCC camp for the day. The other fire-fighters are held within 10 minutes journey of their base.

Less vigorous precautionary measures are used other days. Seven fire towers in the state are backed up by state patrols and members of the Northeast Timber Salvage Association crew on days that are classed as 4, 3, 2, and 1.

## Local People Go To Safety Meet In Brownwood

Representatives and visitors from towns in this area went to Brownwood today to participate in the annual Oil Belt Safety Conference.

The Eastland high school band left today to participate in the big parade and band contest that was to be staged in the afternoon. The Eastland delegation was headed by H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce; W. J. Peters, chief of police and Sam Gamble, superintendent of the Lone Star Gas company.

From Ranger the High School Band and a group, including safety judges, were in attendance. The judges were W. J. Van Bibber, Arthur Williams, Jesse Smith, Charles Russell, Reed Campbell, E. H. Everett and John Usery.

Mineral Wells, Cisco and Graham were principal bidders for the 1941 conference. L. H. Taylor of the Lone Star Gas Company is president and J. C. Watson of Abilene is secretary.

## First Aid Study Is Given To 5300 Texas NYA Youths

AUSTIN, Tex.—First aid instruction has been given to approximately 5300 boys and girls on National Youth Administration projects throughout the State during the past twelve months, according to J. C. Kellam, State NYA Administrator.

First aid instruction given these youth includes artificial respiration, the use of a tourniquet, removing splinters, treating sunstroke, heat exhaustion, fainting, burns, treatment of minor cuts and abrasions, health habits, shock, slight wounds, major wounds, and first aid for broken bones.

Besides intermingling first aid courses with the work experience given these NYA boys and girls on each project, Kellam said specific classes in first aid are taught by representatives from the State Department of Public Safety, registered nurses, personnel working for the State Highway Department and Red Cross representatives.

"In emphasizing first aid instruction, it is our purpose," the State Youth Administrator said, "to make these boys and girls health and safety conscious. We supply them with competent teachers to inform them of the newest methods of first aid treatment, and, after a sufficient length of study, give them first aid examinations. Many of the youth have passed these examinations and have received their first aid certificates."

## Prize Phonograph Record Of Edison Playing the Piano

TUSCALOOSA, Ala.—Abelom M. Kennedy, instructor in electrochemistry at the University of Alabama, believes he has the only phonograph record of Thomas A. Edison playing the piano.

Kennedy and another Alabama faculty member, Dr. Benjamin A. Wooten, professor of physics, are associates of the noted inventor at Orange, N. J.

Kennedy, who worked with Edison from 1910 to 1919, said he set up the recording machine and waited patiently for three weeks before Edison sat down one day and began to tinkle an original score in nimble, two-fingered fashion.

An employee replaced the diamond with a cheap white sapphire. He hoped to give it to his fiancée and the diamond was never worn.

But Ryan was unaware of the change. He placed the ring in a safe deposit box where it remained for 20 years. Then on his daughter Margaret's 21st birthday he gave her the ring.

When she sent the diamond to a Seattle jeweler for cleaning, she learned of the fraud. Margaret, now Mrs. William F. Miller, put the ring away and has not worn it.

Now, she says, the ring will be presented to her 9-month-old daughter on her 21st birthday.

## Narragansett Bay Span Will Replace Old Historic Ferry

JAMESTOWN, R. I.—Completion of the new \$3,000,000 Jamestown bridge, which will span Narragansett Bay from Saunterdown, R. I., to Jamestown, will retire the ferry across the west passage of the bay, which is said to be the oldest transportation system in the United States in continuous operation.

Founded before 1670 by Gov. Caleb Carr of Rhode Island, and afforded a king's grant in 1700, this ferry has been in continuous operation ever since. Another interesting fact is that since its founding there has always been a member of the Carr family in the Jamestown-Newport Ferry service, the present generation being Miss Lucy Carr, clerk in the ferry office.

## Police Chief Back From Murder Trial

Chief of Police Guy Pledger of Ranger returned home Thursday night from Van Buren, Mo., where he testified in the murder trial of Mrs. Verma Slayton Brynand, accused of killing her husband.

Mrs. Brynand, who was arrested in Kansas by Pledger, entered a plea of self-defense, on which she was acquitted.

## THE WEATHER

By United Press  
WEST TEXAS—Mostly fair with high clouds tonight and Saturday.

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To Watch, to Be Aware, Is Not to Bait

The controversy about the Federal Bureau of Investigation is beginning to degenerate into mere name-calling. That obscures the important point. Drunk with fancy phrases, partisans on both sides are hiding the importance of the matter behind a blizzard of invective.

Lots of people have always been unhappy about the custom that began with Al Capone, of convicting criminals presumably guilty of all kinds of crime on federal income tax charges after local prosecution has failed.

Everyone who knows Attorney General Robert Jackson knows that he is genuinely devoted to civil liberties. To hear him talk of the spy delirium of the last war is to realize how deeply he abhors anything smacking of persecution.

Scientists report violent submarine earthquakes eroding the floor of the Atlantic Ocean. These eruptions are small stuff compared to what's going on on the surface these days.

A huge river has been discovered flowing under the Pacific off the coast of California. Probably misplaced by a movie propman on a DeMille location jaunt.

Iceland's parliament, the Althing, boasts a past of 1010 years. And knows how it feels, no doubt, to be as old as the hills.

Shirley Temple celebrates her 11th birthday serves ice cream, and wonders when she'll meet her George Jessel.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOTORISTS—

Failure to stay in the proper lane while driving along a highway is one of the big reasons why 32,000 Americans are killed in traffic every year, the Oil Belt Safety Council says.

State President of Jaycees To Speak Here On Monday

The state president, Mr. W. O. (Bill) Cooper, of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce will be guest speaker on the public meeting of the Eastland Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday night, May 6, at 7:45, in the Connellee Theatre.

RUPTURE SHIELD EXPERT HERE

H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the Connellee Hotel, Eastland, Saturday, only May 4, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

PAY DIRT UNDER TOWNSITE

DAYTON, Nev.—A California dredging company plans to move to another site or raise virtually every building in this city to work over the ground for gold.

Political Announcements section listing candidates for various offices like 17th District Representative (Otis OAT) Miller and 106th District Representative (P. L. Lewis) Crossley.

CLASSIFIED section containing various ads: FOR SALE—One Burroughs 5-banks adding machine; FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment; RIVERSIDE TIRES for passenger cars and trucks; AUTO LOANS—New and Used Cars; and FOR SALE—Phico Radio set.

Judge Sam Russell of Stephenville Announces His Candidacy for Congressman from 17th District



To the Voters of the Seventeenth Congressional District: My announcement for Congress was carried in the press, in the daily, and most of the weekly papers, on the 19th day of January of this year, however, the announcement was carried as a news item. This announcement is my personal message to you.

I went to the Army during the World War and I finished my law course while in the Army, and was admitted to the bar and licensed to practice law soon after I was discharged from the Army.

I have, since that time, served my home people for over five years as their County Attorney, having been first appointed to fill out an unexpired term and thereafter was elected to the office twice; my people then elected me District Attorney for the Twenty-Ninth Judicial District for two terms; then they elected me their District Judge for said District, and I am now serving my twelfth year as such.

This history of myself is given for the purpose of showing what my home people where I grew up, think of me, as well as to show my opportunity to study Government, and my qualifications for the place I seek.

As I have stated, the press carried the main points that I think are of paramount importance to the people as a whole, which were: (1) If I am elected your Congressman, I pledge to you that I shall do every thing in my power to keep our country out of war, for I know the horrors of war, and the misery and woe that follow the same.

der to bring about the results intended when the same was passed, whereby the small farmer and the tenant can be protected and taken off of the relief rolls and WPA projects, by securing for them a home and a place to earn their own living. The farm program bearing intended in part as a relief measure to help those who could not help themselves; and I expect to work, if I am your Congressman, to see that this part of the program is carried out.

I am in favor and shall work to have the discriminating freight rates against Texas and the Southwest eliminated. (4) Being a Southern Democrat, I naturally believe in the doctrine of State's Rights, and am opposed to Federal control of private business, and if I am elected your Congressman, I shall fight and oppose to the bitter end, federal control of the oil business in Texas.

(5) I am in favor of the lowest tax rate possible for the operation of our Government, and believe that all taxes should be equal and uniform; and if they are such, the ones most able to pay will be the ones who pay the most, and should pay the most. I am in favor of income taxes, and believe that such a tax is just, when needed to carry on the Government; and I am opposed to the future issuing of tax exempt securities.

(6) I am opposed to the paying of a \$25,000 a year pension to the widows of past presidents. I am opposed to the paying of pensions to retired Federal Judges. I am in favor of paying the aged needy assistance, just as we voted it. (7) I believe in a strict economy in Government. Our national debt is now nearing the forty-five billion mark, which is alarming, and shows that an economy program must be established.

BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN Of Tired Kidneys. If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

POST OFFICE GROCERY AND MARKET

Table listing market specials with prices: Melle-Cure CHEESE Lb. 25c, SPAM, In Can 29c, BUTTER Lb. 33c, BACON Lb. 17c, SLICED BACON Lb. 23c, STEAK Lb. 25c, BEEF ROAST Lb. 18c, HAMBURGER MEAT Lb. 15c, MINCE MEAT 2 Lbs. 25c, FAT HENS Lb. 15c, BANANAS Doz. 10c, APPLES Doz. 23c, ORANGES Doz. 30c, LEMONS Doz. 25c, POTATOES 10 Lbs. 20c, SUGAR 10 Lbs. 49c, MILK, 3 large or 6 small 19c, LARD, 4 lb. pail 45c 8 lb. pail 85c, SALAD DRESSING Qt. 23c, LAUNDRY SOAP 5 Bars 19c, PEAS No. 2 Cans, 2 for 25c. Includes 'Ask Us About China Clipper! Redemption Coupons'.

DAM BUILDER

Crossword puzzle grid with clues: HORIZONTAL: 1 Pictured rodent, genus Castor. 6 It has a webbed hind foot. 12 Tennis point. 13 Conscious. 15 Married. 16 To justify. 17 Domesticated. 18 Pertaining to wings. 20 To mingle. 22 Health spring. 23 Bodily structure. 24 Unit of work. 26 Mire. 27 Derby. 29 Sooner. 33 Brother. 45 Coarse weed herbs. 27 Encounters. 38 Nobleman. 39 To scold. 41 Vein. 42 To separate.

Completed crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-54 in their respective cells.

Large advertisement for LYRIC theatre listing shows: 'If I Had My Way' by Bing Crosby (May 10th), 'The Grapes of Wrath' by John Ford (Friday-Saturday), 'The Farmer's Daughter' (Tuesday-Wednesday), 'Rebecca' (Friday-Saturday), 'Donald Duck' (Friday-Saturday), 'The Grapes of Wrath' (Friday-Saturday), 'The Farmer's Daughter' (Tuesday-Wednesday), 'Rebecca' (Friday-Saturday), 'Donald Duck' (Friday-Saturday), 'The Grapes of Wrath' (Friday-Saturday), 'The Farmer's Daughter' (Tuesday-Wednesday), 'Rebecca' (Friday-Saturday), 'Donald Duck' (Friday-Saturday). Includes 'CONNELLEE' and 'FRIDAY - SATURDAY' listings.

# GOSH! What Values! GOLLY! What Savings!

SEEING IS BELIEVING - - COME LOOK - - YOU'LL BUY - - YOU'LL SAVE!

**Tomato Juice** Campbell's 14 Oz. Cans **3 cans 19c**

**GRAPE JUICE** Widmar's Quart Bottle **25c**

**JELLO** 3 Pkgs. Limit 3 Pkgs. **10c**

SNOSHEEN **CAKE FLOUR** Pkg. 25c LIBBY'S **CATSUP** 2 14 Oz. Bottles 27c

HAPPY VALE **PEAS** 2 No. 2 Cans 25c NATALIA **SPINACH** No. 2 1/2 Can 10c

PLYMOUTH **COFFEE** 2 Pounds 25c WHITE HOUSE **APPLE SAUCE** 3 Cans 25c

BOUNTY **GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** 3 3/4 Oz. 6 For 20c HAPY-DA **SOUR PICKLES** Quart Jar 10c

STRICTLY FANCY NO. 1 **NEW POTATOES** 4 Lbs. 15c KELLOGG'S **SHREDDED WHEAT** Package 8 1/2c

SUNKIST **LEMONS** Per Doz. 15c

**BEETS** 2 Large Bunches 9c

**CARROTS** 3 Large Bunches 5c

NEW CROP BERMUDA **ONIONS** Per Lb. ... 7 1/2c

FRESH **ASPARACUS** Bunch..... 10c

NEW CROP TENDER **CUCUMBERS** Per Lb. .... 15c



He'll have little time to eat. But just in case he does he'll find these items for his fishing trip.

**PORK & BEANS** 16 Ounce Can 5c

**PICKLES** Sweet, Dill, Sour 7 Oz. Jar 10c

**OLIVES** Stuffed No. 3 1/2 Jar 15c

**CHEESE** Kraft's American 1/2 Lb. Package 17c

**GINGER ALE** 24 Oz. Bottle 7 1/2c Plus Dep.

And to Wind Up On **COOKIES** 1 Pound Bag 10c

**BABY WEEK**  
The King in the three-cornered pants rules supreme at Piggly Wiggly this week! And... don't forget the grown-up "baby" who'll also be looking forward to delicious meals everyday.

**AT PIGGLY WIGGLY**

**GERBER'S** Strained Foods 2 15c  
12 Kinds For SPECIAL FOR BABY WEEK

92 Sets of Triplets Are Growing Sturdy On  
IRRADIATED  
**PET MILK** 21c  
3 Tall or 6 Small Cans

**CELATINE** Package 23c  
KNOX  
CLAPP'S RENNET  
**DESSERT** Package 10c

**ARMOUR'S STAR MILK** 3 Tall or 6 Small Cans 19c

**Clapp's Chopped Foods** 2 for 25c  
FOR OLDER BARRIES AND YOUNG CHILDREN  
SOUPS...FRUITS  
VEGETABLES  
JUNIOR DINNERS

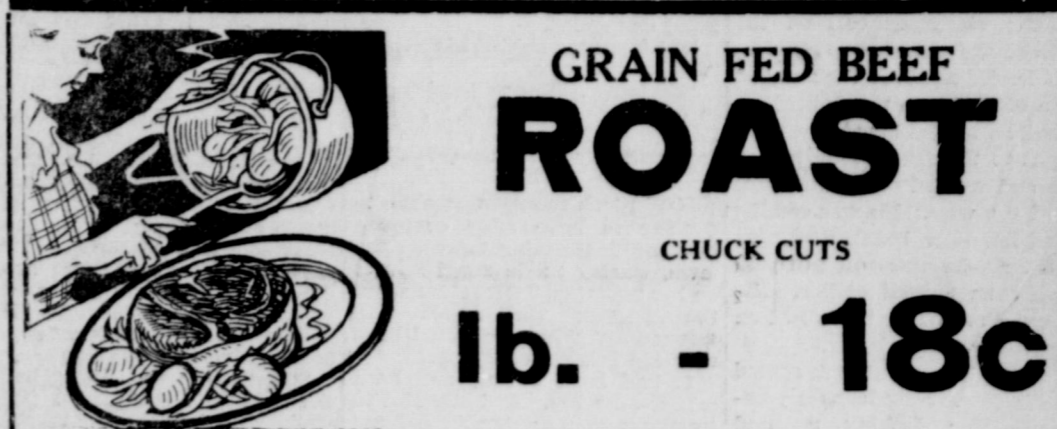
**Heinz** STRAINED FOODS  
TWO SEALS THAT PROTECT YOUR BABY

**KARO SYRUP** 15c  
Rich in Dextrose—Red or White, No. 1 1/2 Can

**GRAHAM CRACKERS** 15c  
Special Deal 2 Large Bars.....

**IVORY SOAP** 15c

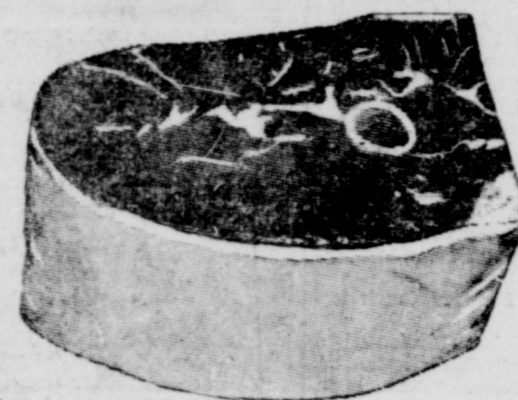
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**GRAIN FED BEEF ROAST**

CHUCK CUTS  
**lb. - 18c**

**BOLOCNA** Per Pound 10c  
**LONCHORN CHEESE** Pound 21c



FANCY FED BEEF  
**STEAK**  
**lb. 29c**

**PURE PORK SAUSAGE** Pound 10c

**PICNIC HAMS** TENDERIZED Pound 17c

**HENS, FRYERS AND FISH**

**SLICED BACON**  
Per Pound 18c

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**BET ON LOVE**

BY CHARLES B. FARMER

YESTERDAY: Shep Grant, steeplechase rider, tells Sherry if Wharton had claimed her colt, she could not have entered Pepper Boy in the Derby. Sherry is fatigued, believes Paul was trying to bribe her into marrying him. Red soldier equals the track record in an easy victory.

**CHAPTER VIII**

NOW the field was coming back to the finish line, for the jockeys to dismount and weigh out. Red Soldier was last in—and Sherry saw Paul Wharton push through the track gate, go out and meet his victorious colt on the center of the course.

But he did not take the shortest line, a diagonal, to the finish line. Instead, he turned his colt, walked straight to the fence, then turned again and walked down the fence toward the wire. He was coming toward her—her bench was next to the rail—he was going to pass in less than a yard of her. His eyes were searching the crowd on the rail—now he saw her.

A big and arrogant grin spread over his face. Now he was passing her—was looking up—and through the band was playing a triumphant march, she heard his words, "Not bad, eh? See you in Louisville."

He passed on—and a moment later flowers were circling Red Soldier's neck, and cameras were clicking.

"Did you hear what he said to me?" Sherry demanded. Uncle Willie smiled benignly: "Let the lad boast a bit. He won—I'm devoutly glad to say." He finished in a tone so low that Sherry missed the last words.

"He can have decency—the cheap braggart!" she flared. "Calling to me as if—as if I were a rail-bird!" She took his arm. "Let's get out of this crowd."

When they pushed back toward the clubhouse she stopped him—though he seemed unusually eager to leave her. "Listen to me a minute, Willie Bond," she said sharply. "We're going to pack up instantly—leave for the Downs. Understand? We can't get there quick enough!"

"Why, er—yes. But there's the little matter of—er—transportation. First, do we owe any bills—I mean track bills?" Sherry frowned. She owed \$4 to the blacksmith; at least \$10 to the veterinarian; more than—She

stopped counting as a collarless, unshaven man walked up to her. An oily smile creasing the furrows of his face, he spoke without even touching his greasy hair—spoke fast:

"Mighty glad to see you come in the money that first race, Miss Bond. Knowed you'd be lookin' for me. You get \$180 running second. I'd appreciate the favor of my \$62 on that feed bill. I was mighty glad to accommodate. Some of these here owners—" "Seems you wish money at once, my man. Am I right?" Willie Bond demanded.

The feed man shifted his weight. "I just want pay—" "Certainly. You will get pay—in cash. Come with me." And to Sherry, "I'll handle it, my dear. And will pay our groom, too."

HOW much money was she going to have after everyone was paid? Standing there on the lawn, Sherry made rapid figures on her program. Twice she totaled the figures; the result was astounding. Why, she would have only \$16 left out of that \$180.

It had been a long and hard winter—for her. And she had to transport Pepper Boy from Long Island to Louisville, Ky.; had to transport her groom, her uncle, herself. Had to ship her tack. Would have to buy feed the moment they were stabled at the Downs. There would be other expenses—and \$500 more to enter the Derby! If Pepper Boy hadn't been left at the post, if his nose had only been six inches further to the front, at the finish—but it wasn't and he ran second.

She glanced at her wrist watch. No use staying here—she had no interest in the other races. She'd go home—could catch a train in 20 minutes. She started for the gate. Lanky Shep Grant stopped her.

"Oh, say! Got time for a drink, Sherry? We can run into the clubhouse." "You know I never touch the stuff, Shep."

"Sure I do, but I wanted a chance to talk." He slipped an arm through hers. "Look here, Sherry—let's sit down a minute. "Sherry, honey, I'd—" "Wait, Shep. Is this another proposal?"

He reddened, grinned again. "It sure is—if there's any chance you'll take me. I'm going to steady down—quit drinking—make some money—buy me a breeding farm."

"Sorry, Shep—" She started to rise, but he stopped her. "Wait! Wanted to say, Sherry, I've had some swell luck lately. At seven hundred—to get to Louis-

ville—get ready for the Derby—Pepper Boy IS good, Sherry—" "Please!" She was on her feet. "That's very sweet of you—" "No strings to it. You don't have to marry me, you know," he told her, smiling. "You're swell, Sherry—"

"And so are you, lad," she said softly, touching his hand as he stood up. "You're a peach, but I have all the money in the world—at least enough to pay bills—and I'll see you at Churchill Downs, Shep." She felt the tears welling up in her eyes, so she flashed him a smile and moved swiftly away toward the gate.

THE sun had dropped behind the housetops when Sherry Bond reached home and faced the rear of a modern Noah's Ark, parked in front of her apartment house.

Drawn to the curb was an enormous, open touring car—a seven-seater, vintage of the late 'twenties; it was jammed with household goods. A rusty locker-trunk was securely lashed to the rear. Who was responsible for this monstrosity?

Somebody was sitting behind the wheel. Deliberately, Sherry walked to the front of the car—stopped, looked at the driver: a horse-faced girl in her early thirties—perhaps—dressed in green tweed with a brown belt pulled back demurely from shiny, walnutf-colored hair parted in the middle. A mass of freckles flecked the features—the homeliest face and the most interesting that Sherry had seen since Christmas.

Sherry drew back from staring; murmured, "I beg your pardon, and was starting into the house when the stranger stopped her. Leaning over the side of the door, the woman asked in breezy, clipped accents of the mid-west: "Can you tell me where—well! if it isn't—it is Cousin Sheridan Bond!"

The car door flew open. An angular girl, whose bones stuck out like those of a half-starved race horse, leaped to the pavement, a joyous smile lighting her face. Phrases cascaded from her lips: "Cousin Sheridan, I am Theodosia Duncan Bond. I recognize you from your pictures—but you're much prettier, much younger looking." "I've just driven in from Wyoming—brought my duds with me. I read about your thrilling apartment—I got the street number out of the phone book." She paused. "You—you are Cousin Sheridan, aren't you?"

"I am," answered Cousin Sheridan Bond, in a still and small voice.

(To Be Continued)

**Society Notes**

**MUSIC STUDY CLUB**

Presents Eastland County Artist May 5, 3:00 P. M. Baptist Church

Presiding . . . Mrs. Guy Patterson Greetings . . . President Eastland Music Study Club—Mrs. F. M. Kenny

1. Caro Mio Re . . . . . Gulesseppi Giordani Alina Del Caro . . . . . Antonio Caldera

The Earl King . . . . . Schubert Mrs. Victor Ginn - Soprano Eastland; Accompanist, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird

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Herzlich Thut Mich Verlangen . . . . . Bach Nocturne . . . . . Stanley Avery Chant Heroique . . . . . C. Franck Hjalmar Bergh, Organist, Cisco

3. Dan . . . . . Pearl Curran April Rain . . . . . Bainbridge Crist I Have a Little Shadow . . . . . Homer Sarauels

4. Fantasie No. 3 . . . . . Priesing Etude in F Major Op. 26 No. 3 . . . . . Chopin Fantaisie-Impromptu Op. 66 . . . . . Chopin Etude in C Minor Op. 10 No. 12

5. Revolutionary . . . . . Chopin Elwood R. Priesing, Pianist, Ranger

Eastland Music Study Club Presents Eastland County Artist Music lovers have a rare treat in the opening program for National Music Week May 5, at 3 p. m., at the First Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. F. M. Kenny will bring greetings with members of the Music Club who will receive the guest are Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Stalter, Mrs. Thomas Haley, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. P. L. Crossley, Mrs. B. W. Patterson, Mrs. Don Parker and Miss Roberta Kinnaird.

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Accompanying Mrs. Ginn will be Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, church organist for the First Baptist Church and accompanist for the Eastland Music Study Club.

Elwood R. Priesing, concert pianist, composer, and teacher, who is dean of music of the Ranger Junior College. Mr. Priesing has given numerous programs in Texas and is highly appreciated by the musicians of near by towns who have heard him. He was born and educated in New York and is a graduate of the piano department of Juilliard School of Music, and holds his B. S. and M. A. degree from Teachers College, Columbia University, with major in piano and minor in voice and violin.

Aside from his outstanding work in piano, Mr. Priesing takes his place among the ranks of composers as well. His master's thesis was a Sonata for piano and violin.

Hjalmar Bergh training has been under the direction of Helen Marsh Carsner, Chicago; Professor Albert Riemenschneider, Cleveland; Marion Hutchinson, Minneapolis. He has held positions as organist in Fort Hamilton Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Church of the Heavenly Rest, Abilene, Texas; Norwegian Lutheran Church, Evanston, Illinois; Polk Street Methodist Church, Amarillo, Texas. Has made guest appearances at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, Minn., Central Presbyterian Church, Amarillo, Texas; First Baptist Church of Brownwood and First Baptist Church, Eastland.

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