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County HD Club To Have All-Day Outing, Aug. 12

The Eastland County Home Demonstration Council met Wednesday July 8, in the county court room at Eastland. The president, Mrs. T. E. Roberts, presided at the meeting. Twelve clubs were represented.

Mrs. Ernest Schaffer of Word Club suggested the clubs present a short program before each council meeting, starting with the September meeting the Word club will present the first program.

Council voted to have an all-day outing at the Eastland park on Wednesday, August 12, starting at 10 a. m. Each club will be responsible for one stunt at the night program, and each club will bring a full menu, consisting of meat, vegetable, dessert and drink. The chairman appointed the following recreation committee: Mrs. Ernest Schaffer, Mrs. Cecile Eubank and Mrs. Thad Henderson.

Two delegates, Mrs. John Love and Mrs. D. Ball, with Miss Willie Word as alternate, will attend the annual State Home Demonstration Association meeting in Fort Worth, August 18, to the 20th.

Miss Gladys Martin, County Home Demonstration Agent, reported 119 mattresses and 774 comforts had been made in the county since June 15th. She stated no new applications could be made for mattresses or comforts as this was just finishing the old program. She also asked each member to dry some fruit, the best to be displayed in her office.

Miss Helen Childress, assistant county home demonstration agent announced the Gold Star girl of Eastland county would be selected July 29th. The judges for this will be Mrs. T. E. Robertson, council chairman; Mrs. Thad Anderson, education chairman and two 4-H girls to be appointed later.

Victory demonstration pins were distributed by Mrs. Love. The next meeting will be in September.

U.T. Regents Have Financial Problem

AUSTIN, Tex. — If you had \$40,000,000, couldn't spend a cent of it, but had to invest it and use the income, what would you do with it?

That has been the problem of the Regents of the University of Texas. The board includes prominent oil men, lawyers, a doctor, and one woman. This is how they have invested the University's \$40,000,000:

More than \$20,000,000 is in United States Bonds, more than \$8,000,000 in Texas City and county bonds; \$625,600 in State of Texas bonds; \$93,444 in public utility bonds; \$49,988 in railroad bonds; \$30,770 in real estate mortgage bonds and \$2,200 in foreign bonds.

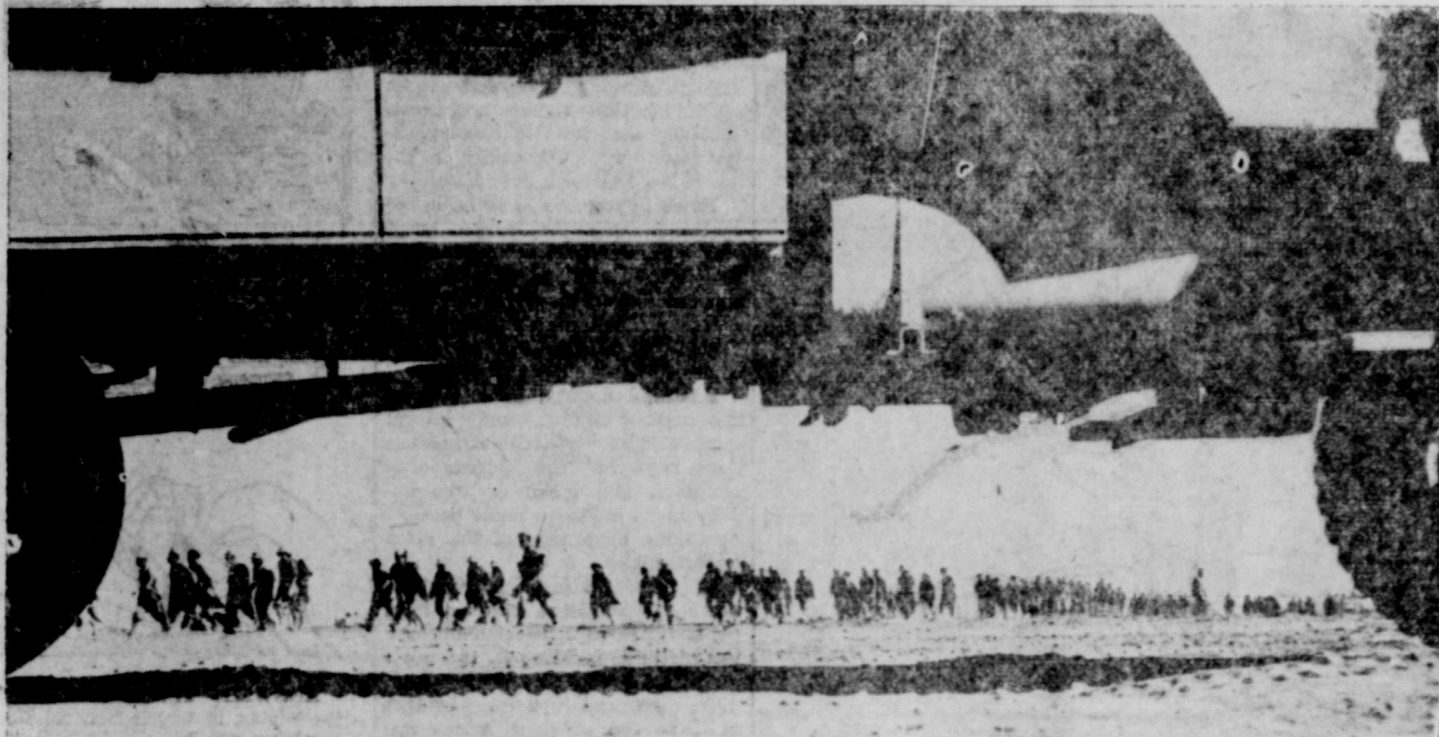
Beside the bonds the regents hold \$150,400 in insured shares of building and loan associations, \$362,121 in real estate mortgage notes; \$34,000 in accrued interest on notes receivable and lesser amounts in savings deposits and small notes.

1 In 100



Lane Navy nurse to escape from Corregidor, Ann Agnes B. Curtis, in Washington, Texas there were about 100 women on the island when it capitulated. (Official U. S. Navy photo.)

British Herd War-Weary Caravan To Prison Camp



Killed Highlander helps guard weary axis prisoners captured by British in fighting near Knightsbridge before General Rommel's desert forces swept past Tobruk and Matruh to menace Egypt. (Passed by censor.)

COUPLES NOW LIVE LONGER THAN THOSE OF THE 90'S

OPA Voted Funds But Gasoline Price Raise Is Cut Out

WASHINGTON. — A Senate Appropriations sub committee today agreed to give the Office of Price Administration \$120,000,000 for its operations in the fiscal year of 1943.

At the same time the committee voted drastic restrictions for the agency, including provisions to revoke the two and a half cent price increase for gasoline in the Eastern States.

Treasury Favors Voluntary Bond Buying By People

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Treasury Department today denied that it has changed its policy of favoring voluntary purchases of War Bonds, despite a statement by one of its assistant secretaries that compulsory savings are on the way.

Appeals Court Is Given Recognition

AUSTIN, Tex. The "ablest criminal court in the United States" is the rating given the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in the Tenth Edition of Wharton's Criminal Evidence, one of the most widely used texts on criminal law.

Because of its name and the fact that writs of error may carry cases from Texas courts of civil appeal to the State Supreme Court many people think cases can be carried also from the Court of Criminal Appeals to the State Supreme Court.

In fact, the Court of Criminal Appeals is the final Texas tribunal in crime cases just as the Supreme Court is in civil cases.

The Court of Criminal Appeals and also the State Supreme Court, have a combination of the elective and appointive system in their make up. Three judges of each of these courts are elected. The Court of Criminal Appeals is assisted by two judges appointed by the three elected judges. The Supreme Court is assisted by six commissioner-judges who are appointed by the three elected judges.

In both courts, decisions are made by the elected judges but the appointed judges write opinions, which the elected courts adopt or reject.

FAIR IS CANCELLED
RISING STAR, July 10 — For the first time in more than 20 years there will be no free fall fair at Rising Star this year. The directors, at a meeting Tuesday cancelled this year's fair in deference to the request of the government that such events be left off for the duration.

NEW YORK (UP) — Many of the young people who are marrying this year have a fair chance—barring divorce or separation—of celebrating their golden wedding, a very good chance of surviving for their silver anniversary, and are almost sure to be alive for their 10 wedding anniversaries, according to the statisticians of one of the largest life insurance companies.

When the average couple step up to the altar, the statisticians explain, they can look forward to the advent of their 50th wedding anniversary with twice the assurance of the bridal pairs of the late '90s. It is pointed out, for example, that for the girl of 21, who marries a man five years older, the chances are one in five that the two will survive together for the next half century. Fifty years ago the chances would have been only one in ten.

For the bride of 25, with a husband of 30, the chances today for their living throughout the next 50 years are one in ten as against one in 20 half a century ago. The chances of a golden wedding celebration decrease rapidly with increase in the ages at marriage.

For the bride 25 years or younger, marrying a man five years her senior, the chances of celebrating her 25th anniversary, or silver wedding, are four in four; if the groom is the same age, the chances are four in five. In the past 50 years the chances of a couple surviving to enjoy their silver wedding have increased about one-half.

As for celebrating their tenth wedding anniversary, the statisticians explain, the chances are more than nine in ten for brides up to age 38 with grooms of the same age, and for brides up to 34 if the groom is five years older.

In general, the chances of a tenth wedding anniversary, according to present health conditions, are about one-sixth greater than they were 50 years ago.

"In many respects the American people are singularly fortunate with regard to their marital status," the statisticians say. "Their marriage rate is among the highest in the world and they tend to marry younger than in most countries of the Western world. They are also favored with such good health conditions that aside from separation or divorce they are almost certain to celebrate their tenth wedding anniversary, they have a very fair chance for a twenty-fifth anniversary and a chance far from negligible to live to their fiftieth anniversary."

Huge Naval Bill Is Signed Today

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt today signed legislation authorizing \$8,500,000 in new naval construction, with emphasis upon airplane carriers. Just recently the Navy Department, in asking for more appropriations for a larger navy, eliminated plans for several large battleships, in favor of aircraft carriers.

Champion Here, Too



Corp. Barney Ross takes physical drill under arms with Marines at San Diego, Calif., base. Former lightweight and welter champion graduated honor man in his platoon following seven weeks' training.

Wants Little Man Also In Nevada

RENO, Nev. — More than 24 millionaires have now taken advantage of Nevada's freedom from state income, inheritance, intangibles, sales and other taxes to take up residence in Nevada and purchase important lands. State authorities, however, have now launched a campaign for the "little man," with the small income, also to return to the land.

First Aider Is Eager, But Gets A Citation

PASADENA, Cal. — Clarence C. McCoy's first effort to put into practice his first aid training drew him a traffic citation. He rushed across the street to help a woman who apparently had fainted, and was immediately handed a citation for jay walking. The police judge, however, took into consideration the motives and circumstances.

Independence Hall Peace Talk Urged

PHILADELPHIA (UP) — Dr. George E. Nitzsche, Recorder of the University of Pennsylvania, has suggested historic Independence Hall as the site of post-war peace conferences.

Asserting in his report to undisclosed officials that "There is no place which would be more appropriate for carrying on peace negotiations," Nitzsche has outlined a plan for condemning a number of city blocks around the national shrine, to give the buildings a park setting.

Nitzsche suggested that the national government undertake the improvement of the Independence Hall group with a view toward having the peace conference in the buildings in which the United States was born.

Ohio Man Flew In Raid On Japs

"SHANGRI-LA" (UP) — Climb into a B-25 U.S. army bomber with Lieut. William Power of Ravenna, O., and fly at the tail end of the squadron which bombed Japan last April 18.

Our ship is flying low over the water until land is sighted. Then we fly just over the tree tops, and even below tree level when it's possible. The countryside is pretty. Everything seems neat and orderly.

Going around one hill we ran smack into a Japanese airfield. Three or four Jap bombers are preparing to land. What a surprise for us and for them! But we get away before they know what's happened. There's Tokyo in the distance. Lieut. Bower trained and studied for the trip for so long that he knows just what the city looks like from the air. Heavy anti-aircraft fire is coming up at us.

Huge fires and great smoke clouds dot Tokyo as we fly overhead, but to our astonishment we meet no air opposition at all. Two Jap pursuit planes trail us for about 2000 yards but don't attack. Our ship keeps on the course to Yokohama where our objectives—an oil refinery and a railroad siding—are located. Lieut. Bower knows just where they are.

The rear gunner lets go our load as we move in at the objectives at low level, just a few hundred feet above the ground. One bomb hits the refinery, another blasts the railroad.

The force of the explosions is terrific and the ship rocks a bit, but we get away without any trouble—and as fast as the ship will fly.

THE WEATHER

West Texas — Little temperature change tonight. Scattered thunderstorms in northwest portion this afternoon and tonight.

TWO MAJOR BATTLES IN NAZI DRIVE ON RUSSIA ARE UNDERWAY TODAY

800,000 Cigarets An Hour Average For State Smokers

AUSTIN, Tex. — Texans smoke more than 800,000 cigarettes every hour, to judge from the figures in the current demand for cigarette tax stamps.

State Treasurer Jesse James found that a new high record for cigarette tax stamps was set in June when the receipts of his office from this source mounted to \$930,383.28.

Statisticians can break this down into the number of cigarettes easily by dividing the total by the three cents tax on each package of 20 cigarettes. Roughly it figures 31,000,000 packs—or more than a million packs a day.

A million packs a day means 20,000,000 cigarettes a day, or more than 800,000 for each hour of the 24. Allowing for the heavier smoking in daytime and early night, it is reasonable to conclude that a million cigarettes an hour are being puffed during most of the time.

Pig Production Goal Is Exceeded

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. — Texas farmers nearly tripled the Food for Freedom production goal set for increased pig production, the USDA War Board pointed out this week.

According to the spring report of the Department of Agriculture, Texas farmers saved 1,620,000 head of pigs from spring farrowings, the largest crop on record and 52 per cent more than saved in the spring of 1941. The Food for Freedom goal for Texas called for an increase of 18 per cent in pigs saved.

"Texas farmers are to be congratulated for going away over the top on this production goal," Vance declared. "America and her Allies need all the pork and pork products we can produce. This tremendous increase in pig production is just another proof that Texas farmers are doing all they can in the production of Food for Freedom."

At the same time, Vance urged that the pigs be finished as fast as possible and marketed as early as practicable in order to avoid shipping delays during the peak season. Transportation shortages will impede shipment during the peak months this winter unless many of the pigs are marketed early.

Sailor Credits Gift From Fiance With Saving His Life

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Richard H. Bachman, Ex-Ls. 1st, Minn., gives his fiance credit for saving his life when Japanese planes attacked the air craft carrier Lexington in the Coral sea.

Although she was 12,000 miles away, Bachman said Anna Lee Etchison's gift—a metal cigarette case which he carried in his dungaree pocket—kept him from injury, perhaps death. It deflected a flying chunk of metal that otherwise might have torn his leg off, Bachman said. Bachman and Miss Etchison, Frederick, Md., were reunited here during his furlough.

Anti-Horse Thief Group Celebrates

FAIRVIEW VILLAGE Pa. — "Horse thieves, beware!" The F.U.H.C.F.T.R.O.S.H.A.T. D.T.T. will get you, if you don't watch out.

The alphabet-exhausting organization is known more fully as the Farmer's Union Horse Company for the Recovery of Stolen Horses and Detecting the Thieves. The rubber rationing situations being what they are, the organization's members used their recent 108th anniversary to begin a general rejuvenation program.

Don River Basin And Far Northern Arctic Regions Are Only Major Fighting Fronts As Germans Continue Pushing Hitler's Summer Offensive To The East

Youth Arrested As He Brings Plans Of Air Base Into U.S.

MIAMI, Fla. — An attempt to smuggle a blue print of a Caribbean Army Air Base into the United States has been discovered and Walter Gustafson, 24, of Minneapolis, Minn., has been arrested for violation of the United States Espionage Act. Federal Bureau of Investigation agents announced here today.

Highway Traffic Is A Key To The Trend Of The War

DALLAS — The past thirty years—the opening phase of what future historians may call the rubber age—has been the building of 1,400,000 miles of hard-surfaced highways criss-crossing our country.

This is a third of all the cement and asphalt highways in the world. Many of our greatest industrial centers and largest residential areas and some of our most productive farm areas owe their existence to the steady pumping of those arteries.

Since gasoline rationing became necessary in the eastern seaboard states, where more than 8,000,000 of the country's private cars are owned, many of the country's finest highways are now almost bare of traffic.

Because German U-boats had sunk many tankers, because many others are needed to carry gasoline and oils to our armies and our allies overseas, discomfort and in some cases hardship has been put upon a hard-working, war essential section of the nation.

They have not been the only ones to suffer this direct result of war. Filling stations and garages, suburban property owners, small businessmen of every type have been quick to feel effect of this limitation of what had come to be looked upon as a normal pattern of American life—life based on four rubber-tired wheels.

But serious as this war-born change has been to the car-user and upon those whose livelihood is geared to his car, the gravest effect has been felt by the war production effort. Many thousands of workers are finding it increasingly difficult to get to their war jobs—not, thus far, because their allowances are not sufficient to get them there and back home again, but because they find it difficult to discipline themselves and their families to the strict necessity for eliminating all useless pleasure driving.

Fire Prevention Poster On Display

COMMERCE, Tex. — The fire prevention poster of Jacqueline Alison of Ranger is now on exhibit in the main lounge of the East Texas State Teachers College library. The poster is rated excellent among the 100 being exhibited throughout the state by the Fire Insurance Division of Insurance Commissioners, Austin Texas.

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Two major battles — on both sides of the Don River in the Ukraine Section of Russia and far to the north on the Arctic Sea Route — raged on the Russian Front today.

In the Don River Basin the German offensive toward the Caucasus had thrust two spearheads across the river toward the vital industrial city of Voronezh and had pushed another powerful offensive toward the southeast to the railroad town of Rososh, only 200 miles from Stalingrad and Rostov.

The Red army, however, was counter-attacking repeatedly and reported that the German main forces still were being held on the West bank of the Don River.

The second major battle scene was thousands of miles to the north on the Arctic coast of Finland and Norway and in the Barents Sea, where the Russian bombers attacked the Nazi air bases in an effort to eliminate threats to the Allied supply line carrying goods for the Red Army to Murmansk.

It was indicated that the land-based German air forces dominating the Arctic Sea route to Murmansk had become a critical problem for the Allies as American, British and Russian representatives were conferring on the problem at London.

Outcome of these conferences will have a direct bearing on supplies going to the Russian Armies fighting on the Kalinin Front and in the Don Basin, where it was obvious that Hitler had made important but costly progress in his summer offensive.

There was little action on the Far Eastern fighting fronts today.

Steps Taken To Cut Sabotage As Nazi Trials Go On

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Government officials were concerned today with the secret trial of eight Nazi saboteurs, and they said today that this nation had strengthened its defenses against possible entry of any more submarine-borne Hitler agents.

House Is Opposed To War Sales Tax

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Rep. A. Willis Robertson, Democrat, Virginia, said today that he was convinced by a poll he has conducted, that a majority of the house members are opposed to a war sales tax at this time.

On Guard



Lt.-Gen. Hugh A. Drum commands U. S. Eastern Defense Command and First Army. (U.S. Army photo.)

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Over The Hump

If Admiral Stark's optimistic statement proves correct, and we actually are bringing the submarine menace under control in the Atlantic, then the tide of this war has turned.

No layman is in position either to confirm or to deny the admiral's disclosure. We don't know how many ships were being sunk in the past, nor do we know how many are being sent to the bottom today.

For military reasons, which we are obliged to accept even though we sometimes question their soundness, the public has been kept completely in the dark both as to our losses and as to the retaliatory vengeance we have exacted.

We do know, from a long series of official statements on both sides of the Atlantic, that shipping is our worst headache. When we were attacked, we had inadequate facilities for supplying our allies, bringing raw material into this country, transporting expeditionary forces to the fighting fronts and servicing them while there.

Sinkings have exceeded launchings, so that as of today we are worse off than we were last December.

Experts say that one may speculate intelligently that we have averaged a loss of at least two ships a day. By the end of this month we expect to be turning out two ships a day, ready to go to sea with cargoes. On that basis we would be just about holding our own.

But two ships a day is only an intermediate point. Our goal is to produce 750 vessels this year and twice as many—an average of four a day—in 1943.

If Admiral Stark is correct, even to the extent that we can count upon holding the U-boats of their present effectiveness, then by Decoration Day we shall have climbed over the shipping hump and start coasting down on the sunny side.

Nobody knows what the total will be. At the beginning of 1941 we had 1150 ships with a combined gross tonnage of 7,078,000. Last year we built less than we lost. This year and next we are adding 23000 craft with a gross tonnage of roughly 12,000,000.

So by the end of next year we shall have something fewer than 3500 vessels with a gross tonnage of less than 19,000,000. At the beginning of 1941 the British possessed 2664 ships of 16,806,000 tons. Japan, third maritime power, had only 898 vessels grossing 4,754,000 tons.

Knock off what you will for sinkings. Your guess is better than any figure that has come through the censorship. It still will be safe to say that—if Admiral Stark is right and we have brought the submarines under control—from the middle of this year thenceforward we shall have begun to break the bottleneck which is handicapping war production and preventing us from taking the offensive against Hitler and Japan.

Whole Hog



Boyce House Former Resident, And Candidate For Lieutenant Governor Is A Visitor Here Thursday Night

"It is a pleasure to report to my old friends in Eastland county among whom I lived for 10 years that I am leading in the race for Lieutenant Governor all over Texas."

So declared Boyce House, newspaperman now living in Fort Worth, while here Thursday in his campaign for Lieutenant Governor of Texas.

"Naturally I'm hoping for a splendid vote from my old home county. My taxes, small though they were, helped to pave streets and build highways. As editor in chief, Eastland and Ranger, it was my privilege to try to boost the schools and help the churches of the county. I wrote about the exciting football games of the Bulldogs, Mavericks, Lobos, about the new oil wells that meant prosperity for workers, operators and business men—in short, I rejoiced with you in your good fortune and sorrowed with you in your griefs."

Nation Finds That From Production Standpoint U. S. Machine Tool Bottle Still Has Its Neck

BY PETER EDSON

NEA Service Washington Correspondent

YOU get to thinking that war production is coming along famously, and then you bump into machine tools, which provided the country with the original Public Bottleneck No. 1, way back in October, 1940, when the country was just getting defense conscious. Well, the machine tool bottleneck has been widened considerably but you still can't get a machine tool through the eye of a bottle, or you can't make a machine tool out of a sow's ear, or something.

Preliminary figures on machine tool production for the merry month of May run to \$118 million. That figures out at the rate of \$1.4 billion worth of machine tools a year. Compared with 1932 machine tool production, which was only \$22 million for the entire year, that's wonderful. It means that in May, 1942, the country's 100-odd machine tool builders turned out over five times as many pieces of metal working machinery as the industry turned out in the whole of the bottom depression year, and nearly as much in that one month as in an average \$150 million year.

Yes, that's wonderful, but it's still not good enough. In February, 1942, machine tool production required was placed at \$2 billion worth for the year. Though the rate of production has been going up every month, from 20,000 units in February, to 24,000 in March, to 25,400 in April and 29,500 in May, \$2 billion worth of machine tools a year means 500,000 new units a year or over 41,000 a month and the industry is still quite a way from that goal.

WHAT'S wrong? Recent figures of the Bureau of Labor Statistics indicate the industry as a whole is still averaging only 60 hours a week. The theory of putting the industry on a three-shift, 168-hour work week is still a theory. Some of the big plants have attained it, but a lot of the smaller ones haven't. Not enough machine tool makers for one thing, and a certain independence among them, for another. If some skilled workman is assigned to the second or third shift, he is too likely to say, "Why should I, when I can go to some other plant and get a job on the first shift?"

Shortages of special steels and alloys have interfered, too. A vast amount of missionary work has been done by the machine tool division of WPB and its engineers to encourage greater use of plant facilities, more extensive sub-contracting, developing new sources to build complete machines, financial relief on plant expansions. But the job of machine tool production has been confined largely to the firms that were in the business before the defense effort began and there has been too little or too late con-

BOYCE HOUSE



Boyce House of Fort Worth, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, visits his old "Stomping Ground" to greet old and new friends and maybe talk a little politics in connection with his race

ing about Eastland County and I've come back often, just to visit and talk over old times. And I hope that on July 25 the people of this county and this part of the state are going to roll up an especially big vote in helping to 'put House in the State House'.



Edson

Wheat Is Stored In Panhandle Bins For Future Use

COLLEGE STATION, Tex.—Panhandle wheat farmers this week were storing hundreds of thousands of bushels of wheat in pre-fabricated bins purchased through the AAA.

At the same time, Commodity Credit Corporation was setting up a number of steel bins and had ordered shipment of some large, wooden bins to hold 1941 wheat moved out of elevators to make way for the current crop.

Despite all efforts, however, the wheat storage situation is extremely serious, according to B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board. Over most of the Panhandle farmers are being forced to pile their wheat on the ground while awaiting construction of additional storage facilities or shipment of prefabricated bins.

The latest wheat crop report of the Department of Agriculture emphasized the seriousness of the problem when the indicated Texas production jumped from the 44,325,000 bushels forecast on June 18 to 47,280,000 bushels on June 18.

Pre-fab bins are being shipped at a rate of about 100 per day from Texas plants to various counties in Texas, principally to the 55-county farm storage wheat area, Vance said. The pace is expected to be stepped up somewhat during the coming week.

Farmers interested in purchasing pre-fabricated bins were urged to contact their county AAA offices as soon as possible, Vance said.

Davenport Has Secured Many Road Projects

Although Henry V. Davenport, county commissioner of precinct 1, which includes the Eastland, Olden and Ranger trade territories, is unopposed in the coming Democratic Primary, he is making the rounds of his precinct, seeing as many of the voters as possible, and seeking any information that they can give him which might be of value to him in conducting the office he now holds.

A survey of Davenport's record in office today revealed some rather startling figures and facts, showing that he has accomplished much for his precinct in the years he has been in office.

Since September 1, 1935, in cooperation with the Works Progress Administration, Davenport has secured and supervised 12 construction projects in his precinct, which has given precinct 1 some of the best roads in the county.

Eastland county, as a whole, has better county and lateral roads and better bridge structures than any of the surrounding counties, and much of this improvement has been made possible by taking advantage of the WPA opportunities.

In Davenport's precinct alone these projects have meant a total expenditure of \$655,630.00, and has included building of 118 miles of gravel roads. There have been 472 rock and concrete bridges built in the precinct, which are estimated to be worth another \$95,000.00.

Through means of this work an average of 250 men has been given work in the county that otherwise would not have been available, thereby greatly increasing the buying power in the three towns in the precinct.

Davenport stated today that, with much of this type of work

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: The battle of Chattanooga, during the War Between the States, in which General Hooker gained the summit of Look-out Mountain.

curtailed on account of the war, expenditures had been less the past year than for many years, and that next year the expenditures would be cut even more.

"I am going to secure all the projects possible under the curtailed program," Davenport stated today, "and I will continue to work for the good of Eastland County and Precinct 1, wherever possible."

The same love that makes the world go round just makes the young folks park.

FAMOUS ACTOR

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pictured late actor, —
- 10 Stupefy.
- 11 Fowl.
- 12 Mixture.
- 14 Limits.
- 16 Sharp pains.
- 18 Moccasin.
- 19 Unit of work.
- 20 Collection of facts.
- 21 Obtain.
- 22 Either.
- 23 Any.
- 24 Consumed.
- 26 Babylonian deity.
- 27 Office of Civilian Defense (abbr.).
- 28 Golf mounds.
- 30 Skill.
- 31 Chest bone.
- 33 And.
- 35 One who inherits.
- 38 Upward.
- 40 Right side (abbr.).

VERTICAL

- 41 Before.
- 42 Accomplish.
- 43 Sink.
- 45 Weep convulsively.
- 47 Limb.
- 48 Forbid.
- 49 Melody.
- 52 Oriental guitars.
- 54 Slave.
- 55 Age.
- 57 Organ of smell.
- 58 Psychiatrists.
- 14 Elot.
- 15 Senior (abbr.).
- 16 Grabbers.
- 17 Male deer.
- 23 He was a stage — for 60 years.
- 25 Weird.
- 27 Refuse.
- 29 Courtesy title.
- 32 Undeveloped plant shoots.
- 34 Change into bone.
- 36 Type of fur.
- 37 Peruses.
- 39 Deep holes.
- 42 Meet defiantly.
- 44 Preparatory (abbr.).
- 46 Onward.
- 48 Fish.
- 50 Measures of area.
- 51 Limit (corn form).
- 53 Rocky pinnales.
- 55 Exclamation.
- 56 Rough lava.



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The Payoff

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Service Sports Editor

WASHINGTON.—From a high administration source, who insists upon anonymity, I have unraveled a bit of startling news which may change the entire complexion of world affairs. This is just a warning to the Washington press contingent that they are not the only persons with inside information. My informant tells me—he communicates only by carrier pigeon and dresses in a black suit with suction shoes—that he has checked this message carefully. It is substantiated by Reuters which heard the report on a Swedish radio as reported by DNB and relayed to Buenos Aires, where it was etched in stone and carried to the capital by diplomatic pouch. ANYWAY, super-confidentially, an important troop movement has taken place which is apt to cause quite a flurry on the third front. A well-equipped band of men with sufficient materiel, boundless morale and superb direction has quietly begun to train for an important offensive. They are equipped with 10 15-m.m. tubas, 16-trench trombones, an incendiary bassoon and a Molotov clarinet. They will drill all summer in preparation for an autumn offensive. You'll hear from them. P. S.—The Washington professional football Redskins' big brass band has begun summer training in preparation for the football season. Keep 'em tooting.

A Representative Cadet Has Had A Varied Career

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. — Search for a cadet pilot who is highly representative of the American scene was ended at the U. S. Naval Air Station here with the bringing to light of the biography of aviation cadet Franklin Barby Orgain, of Bastrop, Texas.

Studies conducted by Navy flyers and fliers to be have already brought out that pilots on mass represent every phase of American social and business life, that they are rarely the fictional type of dare-devil hero, but instead sober young men just like the chap next door. However, until now, the files at the "University of the Air" have failed to disclose a man who alone spoke for almost all of the phases. This is the story of Cadet Orgain, well along in his flight training and specializing in the big flying patrol boats; the story of a man who has been very nearly everything from prize fighter to English tutor; and now is also a Cadet Officer. Born in Bastrop June 7, 1917, Orgain was brought up in typical small town environment, attended the local school, and worshipped in the Methodist church. Winning of an oratory contest resulted in a scholarship to the University of Texas. His studies at that University and also at Southwestern University which won him a B. A. and M. A. and an L. L. B., extended over a period of 7 years, in which he was aiming at a political career. During that time he earned money dancing, waiting on tables, sweeping dormitories, life guarding at pools, prize fighting under a professional name, being labor foreman, tutoring and feature article writing. His career as student was interrupted from time to time, however. He made several voyages

WILLIAMS NTSTC Co-Eds Invade Shops To Learn Vital Defense Work



DENTON, Texas.—Invading the realm of Joe College, femininity takes the spotlight in the new North Texas State Teachers College defense building, which this summer is dominated by co-eds preparing for jobs in the defense plants of the nation.

In the upper picture the two co-eds wearing the serious expressions of professional draftsmen are Margory Gambrell of Troup, left, and LaVerne Wharton of Leonard, who are making detailed pattern developments. Wielding a man-sized power air riveter, Ella Mae Smith of Decatur works on a vent hood in the lower picture.



What do you want? Dawson whipped around — he hadn't heard anyone coming along the hall. Framed in the archway leading into the room was a tall, heavy man with bushy eyebrows and harsh features. His resemblance to the unfriendly housekeeper who had led him in was almost startling. His right hand was buried deep in a sport jacket pocket.

No individual tire owners in Canada are permitted to combine their tires to operate a single vehicle, the Department of Commerce reports.

Sugar rations in Canada have been reduced from three-fourths of a pound to one-half pound per person per week, the Department of Commerce reports.

DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT SPEEDS UP TIRED KIDNEYS

No more getting up nights! SWAMP ROOT helps wash away pain-causing acid sediment in kidneys. You feel worlds better! If you suffer from backache or getting up nights due to sluggish kidneys, take the strong, active and intestinal liquid tonic called SWAMP ROOT. For SWAMP ROOT acts fast to flush excess acid sediment from your kidneys. Just good ingredients that quickly relieve bladder pain, backache, run-down feeling due to sluggish kidneys. And you can't miss its marvelous taste effect! Originally created by a well-known practicing physician, Dr. Kilmer, SWAMP ROOT is a combination of 14 herbs, tonic, vegetable, balsams and other natural ingredients. No harsh chemicals or habit-forming drugs. Just good ingredients that quickly relieve bladder pain, backache, run-down feeling due to sluggish kidneys. And you can't miss its marvelous taste effect! Try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root free. Thousands have found relief with only a sample bottle. So send your name and address to complete bottle free and postpaid. Be sure Kilmer & Co., Inc., Stamford Conn., to follow directions on package. Offer limited. Send today and see how much better you feel.

Some modern processes of petroleum refined yield a larger volume of gasoline than that of the original crude petroleum used, according to the Department of Commerce.

Advanced airplane engines weighs less than one pound per horse power compared with 10 pounds per horse power for most automobile engines, according to the Department of Commerce.

Portugal and Spain account for about 70 per cent of the annual world production of cork, says the Department of Commerce.

"When will Hitler come to his senses?" asks a columnist. What comes?

SERIAL STORY

MURDER IN FERRY COMMAND

BY A. W. O'BRIEN

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THE STORY: A note, written by a man on the eve of his execution for murder, has brought Clyde Dawson to Chicago. Dawson, Canadian Intelligence Bureau department investigator, is on the trail of spies operating against the U. S. in the Boston Ferry Command. On route from Canada he has captured a would-be assassin, Paul Hedy, member of the spy camp, in Chicago Dawson finds a picture of an American soldier murdered by Lemmy Statler, the hanged man, in a rooming house where lives Carole Fiske, the mysterious girl referred to in Statler's cryptic note.

ON THE SPOT CHAPTER VI

DAWSON walked slowly to the fireplace and picked the photograph off the ledge for closer examination. Yes, those features were unmistakable. The presence of the photo here placed the dead soldier squarely into the mystery, adding a further complication. Just where did he fit in with the girl Carole Fiske? His name—Dawson had to think twice before recalling it—was Private Bernard Skrol . . .

"Well-I-I, it wasn't much but I thought it might be nice to drop around and see you in person. He said to tell you the other half of the reunion date couldn't make it but he really missed her—and plenty. That was all except . . ." Dawson grinned, "that he warned me you were NOT Hedy Lamar."

SOMETHING

SOMETHING snapped in Dawson. His role of good-natured salesman vanished in a surge of hatred. With one quick step he came within range and his right fist lashed out with sledge-hammer force. John crashed over backwards, one of the old-fashioned chairs breaking under his weight. As he hit the floor, Dawson dove—one hand clutching the downed man's throat while a knee pinned the pocketed hand on the floor.

way, he had said he met Dawson in Halifax . . . ah, that was probably it—John knew Lemoy had not been in Halifax "a few days ago!" Even so, the girl would ponder over the visit of the friendly salesman and wonder if, perhaps, he really had met Lemoy in Halifax . . . the telephone cut sharply into the room's silence.

DAWSON

DAWSON controlled the excitement in his voice as he picked up the receiver. It was the girl. "May I meet you and have a talk tonight?" "Certainly . . . anywhere and anytime." "Thank you," she paused for an instant. "Then let us make it 9:30 at Cottage Grove and 95th street—you see, I'm afraid the Eddingtons might be watched." "I understand, Miss Fiske," Dawson interrupted. "Nine-thirty it will be. I'll slip out the rear way just in case anybody follows me and speak to you. Right?" "Right," she replied. "It was 9:15 when Dawson put on his coat and hat. As an afterthought, he reached into his suitcase and took out a revolver. Taking the stairs with the red fire lights, he found his way to the ground floor. Unobserved, he came to a double door with a bolt and spring lock on the inside. Sliding back the bolt, he turned the lock and one of the doors opened onto a paved lane. Dawson stepped out, turning around to pull the door shut behind him. As he did so, he heard an automobile's gears grind and a motor spring to life. From the corner of one eye he saw a brown mass rushing along the lane and the flash of a gun . . . Dawson plunged headlong to the narrow sidewalk from the second step, bullets whistling into the heavy glass of the double door! It all happened in a split-second but Dawson was on one knee as the rear wheels passed . . . like a sprinter at a track meet he dashed after the car and leapt onto the rear bumper. He just had time for one glance through the rear glass before the car lurched with tires screaming around a corner and Dawson tumbled hard to the street. Blood was streaming down his face and he knew his knee had been hurt but he didn't even hear the chatter of the curious crowd gathering around as he rose painfully to his feet. Burning into his mind was what he had seen in that one flashing glimpse through the auto window . . . two men in the front seat and between them—looking back directly into his eyes—the mysterious Carole Fiske. (To Be Continued)

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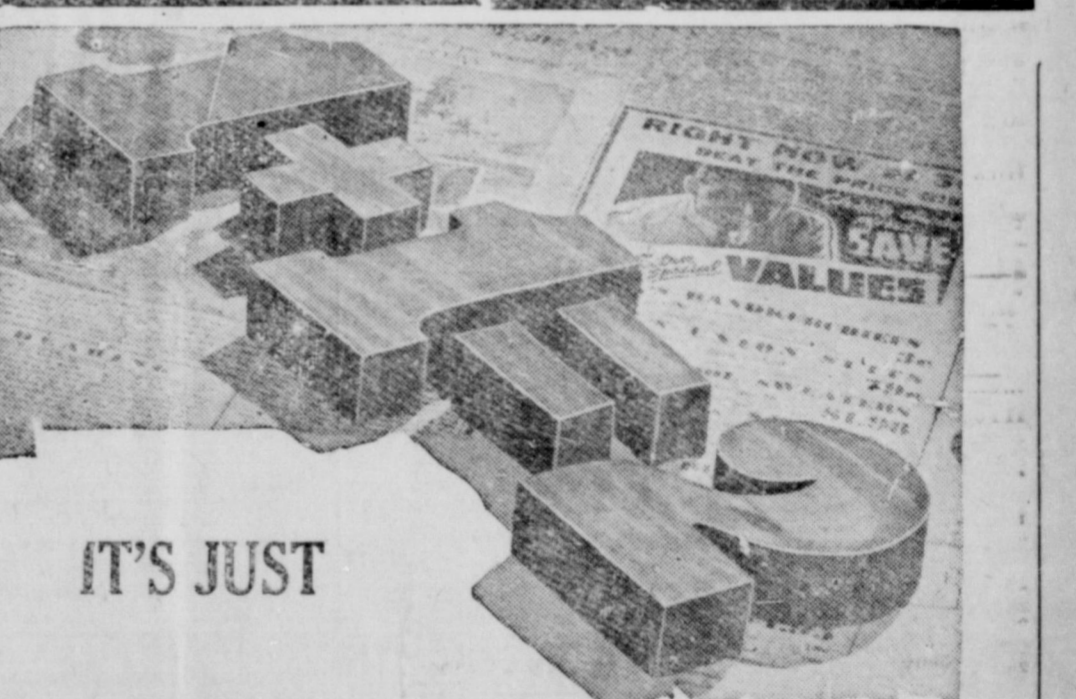
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The Methodist Broadcaster
Weekly News of **First Methodist Church**
J. Daniel Barron, Editor Eastland, Texas

MORNING SERVICE
The sermon Sunday morning will be one in the course on "What We Believe and Why." The specific topic will be on what we believe about organized Christianity as expressed by the churches of all classifications. Why do we believe in the church as the supreme institution among us? You will find something to think about and respond to in this service. As usual, great music will contribute to the service. We trust another large congregation will give its inspiration. No place is better at the hour of worship than the sanctuary where you ought to be.

JUNIOR CHURCH CHOIR
The Junior Church Choir will meet this (Friday) morning at 10

Charter No. 14,299 Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK

Of Eastland, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1942, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$561.18 overdrafts)	\$278,596.39
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	36,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	40,562.39
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,500.00
Cash, business with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	224,835.22
Bank premises owned \$19,000.00	
furniture and fixtures \$4,500.00	23,500.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	2,251.00
Other assets	2,293.71
TOTAL ASSETS	\$614,538.71
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$476,489.85
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,001.95
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	60,476.18
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	9,077.45
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$553,045.43
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
Class A preferred, total par (\$15,000.00), 1% retirable value	\$15,000.00
(Date of Dividends on retirable value is 7%)	
Common stock, total par (\$15,000.00)	50,000.00
Undivided profits	2,993.28
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	8,500.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 61,493.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$614,538.71
MEMORANDA	
Fledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	17,300.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	36,510.54
TOTAL	\$ 53,810.54
Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	56,110.62
TOTAL	\$ 56,110.62

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF EASTLAND, ss:
I, Guy Parker, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
GUY PARKER, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, 1942.
Roberta E. Kinnaird, Notary Public
CORRECT - Attest:
W. C. Campbell, Miriam McCarty, Albert Taylor, Directors

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF
JOHN HART
A Resident Of The County For Many Years

for its weekly rehearsal. Thirty-six were present last Friday morning. You see the choir is growing. Mrs. F. L. Drago, the director, expects to have all robes ready by Friday and them on Sunday morning she plans for the choir to sing a special in the service.

SECOND SERVICE
The second church service will be held at eight o'clock. Last Sunday evening the congregation was a little larger than usual for this service. "Both Feet in Heaven" will be the sermon subject. You will enjoy the singing of the old and new hymns. It is the top hour of the day for a church service. You go and return in the daylight. You have the evening at home. Your presence will be a blessing to others and the service will be a help to you.

MYF AT PARSONAGE
The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet on the lawn of the parsonage at nine, immediately following the second worship service. Aids to spiritual growth will be the theme for the forum discussion. Recreation and refreshments will conclude the program.

YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP
Are you a young adult under thirty-five, married or single, in college or not? If so, we are trying to build up a group for you in the church. The Fellowship meets at 9:45 in the room above the pastor's study. You are cordially invited to become a part of it.

VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL
Our Vacation Church School is scheduled to get under way Sunday-week, the 19th. There will be groups for all the children and the intermediate youth. The sessions will be held from 9-11 each morning. Study, worship, and play will feature the activities of the school.

SOUTHWESTERN ADVOCATE
The Southwestern Advocate, the church paper for this area, is offered at a special price for the period til Dec. 1. The subscription for that time is 50c.

HOME COMMUNION
The Home Department of the Church School, directed by Mrs. Ida B. Foster, is prepared to serve the Lord's Supper in any home where it is desired on the part of those unable to attend the service at the church. Several took communion in their homes this week, administered by the pastor. We are happy to render this service to the good people who are shut-ins. We trust all in this class will feel free to invite it.

BEGINNER'S CHOIR
When the Junior Church Choir was started we were delighted to find many too young for it who wanted to be in a choir; so Mrs. Drago is making provision for them to have one of their very own. It will include those, generally speaking, under the second-year primary. And they can and ought to sing too. So we are making provision for them.

JUNIOR CHURCH SERMON
As a regular feature of the

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Maize, Hegari, and Kafir, \$1.50 cwt. Double rolls baling wire, \$2.65 per roll. Panther Brand laying Mash and Pellets \$2.50 cwt. Killough's Feed Store.
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FRANK LOVETT
FOR SALE: Two stocker cows and one mare. Linkenhor Truck and Tractor, 512 West Main.
LOST: black and white dog, fox-terrier an spitz, seven years old, answers to name of "Teenie." Notify Jack Muirhead, phone 692 or 235.
FOR SALE: McCormick-Deering 19-29 used tractor. Linkenhor Truck and Tractor, 512 West Main.
LOST - Post office key - ring also included two bronze keys and two nickel plated keys. Return to post office.
WANTED Board and room for students - VICTORY BUSINESS COLLEGE over Corner Drug Store.
Tri-Me-Laundry, 200 West Plummer. We do finishing, mangle work. Bundles are washed separately. Mrs. Nola Cheatham.
FOR RENT - Furnished apartment, private bath. Frigidaire. Close in. For sale - Good milk cow. For Sale, whole milk, 16c qt., buttermilk 5c qt. Bring your own tainer, 309 W. Patterson St.

CHURCHES
THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
A. F. Thurman, Preacher
Sermon subjects: 11 a. m. - "The Everlasting Gospel." 7:30 p. m. - "Guard That."
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 12. The Golden Text is: "Let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of that cup" (1 Corinthians 11:28).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Say not thou, I will recompense evil; but wait on the Lord, and he shall save thee" (Proverbs 20:22).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "At all times and under all circumstances, overcome evil with good. Know thyself, and God will supply the wisdom and the occasion for a victory over evil" (page 571).

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
J. W. Justice, Pastor
The revival will continue through Sunday night, July 12th. We thank the Lord for Dr. Neely and the privilege of having him in our home and church. We feel that lasting good is being accomplished and urge all who can to avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this able speaker.
Church school 9:45 a. m.
We will have a special service for the church school with Dr. Neely in church.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
N.Y.P. S., 7:45 p. m.
Preaching, 8:30 p. m.
Always welcome.

Pension Lists Still Growing
AUSTIN, Tex. - (Sp1) - Old Age Assistance rolls continued their steady climb with announcement today by the State Department of Public Welfare that 176,413 aged persons would receive a total of \$3,505,163,000 in July. This is a gain of 1,495 over the June rolls. While grants range from \$5 to \$30, the July average grant is \$19.78. Total disbursements in July will be an increase of \$56,643.00 over that distributed in June.
This month a total of 17,442 families with 36,240 children will receive \$358,225.00 payments averaging \$20.54 per family. This is an increase of 2,292 recipients and \$45,681.00 in cost of the program over the previous month. The maximum grant for a family with one child is \$16.00; for a family with two or more children it is \$24. These low maxima, set by the Texas constitution, account for the fact that 95 percent of all grants to dependent children families are for the maximum amounts.
A total of \$75,703.00 will be distributed to 3,295 blind persons in average grants of \$22.98 this month. This is a net increase of 149 blind recipients over June.

HEADS LIONS CLUB
R. D. Vaughn was installed as president of the Eastland Lions Club at the regular weekly luncheon at noon Tuesday. He succeeds Earnest Jones.
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SUPERMEN OF THE U.S. ARMY
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ALL-AMERICAN HERO!
IN 1924, HE GAINED NATIONAL FAME AS A GOLF STAR AT WEST POINT. HE WAS ALSO A LANCE CORP. A CRACK RIFLE SHOT AND A FINE POLO PLAYER.
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Barron Takes Over At Rotary Club
R. J. Daniel Barron, newly installed president of the Eastland Rotary club succeeding Leslie Gray, has named as chairmen of the club's service committees the following:
Club Service - Dr. J. H. Caton.
Community Service - James Horton.
International Service - Judge W. P. Leslie.
Vocational Service - R. N. Wilson.

IS IMPROVED
"Uncle" John Norton, veteran janitor at the county courthouse, and who has been critically ill for the past few days, is reported as much improved today. Friends stated that he would be out and on the job again in a short time.

Will M. Wood and wife of Abilene are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wood.

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Dell Morgan Sees Great Year For The Texas Tech Team
LUBBOCK, Tex. - With the Army, Navy and Marines fighting on his side, Coach Dell Morgan expects big things for the Texas Tech football season.
Eight of his men will be in Uncle Sam's forces, but finishing their college work. The stars and stripes line up at Tech for next fall includes:
Don Austin, right half, Naval reserve; J. R. Callahan, left half and triple-threat star, Marine reserves; Capt. Will Allbright, right guard, army reserve; Buck Glenwater, tackle, naval reserve; James Evans, left end, army air corps reserve; Walter Webster, end, Leete Jackson and Doyle Caraway, guard, Marine reserves.
The United States flag is one of the oldest national emblems and the pattern has not been changed except for addition of stars, according to the Department of

Don't Gamble on the Future
... ignoring comonic rules and natural laws, for this is false philosophy that can only lead one to disappointment and failure in later years. A good rule to follow is to begin early living within one's means, buy only the necessities of life, and invest wisely. We recommend home ownership as a safe investment any time. See us today for bargain homes on easy terms.
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