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Keynote of Fair Will Be Variety, Committeemen Decide at Meeting

Precipitation For Eastland Is Over 3 Inches, Beard

Precipitation in Eastland Monday and Tuesday measured 3.15 inches, J. A. Beard, official weather observer, reported at 12:15 p. m.

Fourteen Criminal Case Dates Fixed

Fourteen criminal cases have been set for trial in 91st district court for the week commencing Monday, Sept. 15, Criminal District Attorney Grady Owens announced Saturday.

Cases are: Sam Taylor, burglary; Sam Taylor, theft; Paul Tomlin, cattle theft; Paul Tomlin, cattle theft; J. W. Adams, cattle theft; J. W. Adams, cattle theft; J. W. Adams, burglary; John Sargent, theft of auto; Walter Owens, driving while intoxicated; W. F. Clark, alias "Baldy" Clark, assault to murder; Dick Pennington, assault to murder; Earl Free, theft of auto; Frank Laird, theft of auto; R. W. Worth, swindling.

Seventeen County Youths Enroll In Conservation Corp

Names of 17 Eastland county youths who have been sent to Abilene and Brownwood to enroll in the civilian conservation corps were announced Saturday by Wortham Seale, case worker in charge for the county.

The following youths were sent to the Brownwood recruiting station: Thomas Nathaniel Rogers, Ranger, Route 3; Stephen Alva Kirby, Ranger, Route 3; Elzo Gullett, Olden; Hugh Edward Callaway, Ranger; Brian Henry Hughes, Rising Star; Norman Franklin Woodall, Gorman, Route 3; James D. Barker, Eastland; Lornzo Alfred Parks, Cisco, Nimrod Route; L. D. Tarrant, Ranger, Route 2; William Wilson Lee, Ranger, Route 2; Billy Loan Arney, Ranger; Benjamin Franklin Parrish, Ranger; David Kent O'Keefe, Ranger, Route 3; Woodrow Wilson Kitchen, Ranger, Route 1; Lester Levell Miller, Ranger, Route 1. Later two youths were sent to Brownwood conditional upon their being vacancies, Seale stated.

Howard Laird and J. C. Young of Ranger reported Saturday at Abilene.

There is no connection of the CCC with the army, the chief concern of the enrollees being the conservation of natural resources. The government, Seale stated, expends the equivalent of \$65 per month on each enrollee.

Gridirons To Be Bantoms of Oil Belt During the 1935 Season

The heaviest candidates for tackle are Truman Brown, Jack Trantham and Evan Mitchell. Brown and Trantham weigh about 165 pounds and Mitchell scales 158.

Bob Sikes, a 152-pounder, and L. A. Dolberry, who weighs 142, will guard the Mavericks a veteran guard combination. Kitchen, however, expressed some likelihood that one of the experienced boys would be moved to a tackle to make room for one of the scrappiest players on the squad. He is James Fields, weighing 115 and has the distinction of being the smallest man on this lightweight crew.

Although neither are experienced, the center job will probably go to Harry Taylor over Hab Simmons because of his great advantage in weight. Taylor, who weighs 170, is one of the big boys of the squad.

Outstanding backfield prospects are Raymond "Bones" Hamilton, who was not in school last year but lettered at fullback in 1933, and Daus Simmons, slippery halfback. Working for the other two spots are Claude O'Neill, Billy Wood, James Hill, Tom Samuels, Wesley and Warren Lane, Cleo Key, Garrett, Roy Hatton and Travis Cook.

Others in the training camp are Ralph Greer, Gene Gage, Andy Taylor, Gates Breisford, Jim Taylor, and Charles Van Geem.

Filling the positions left vacant by Darrel Tulley and John Garrison, two of the leading scorers in the district last autumn, will be the hardest job of the young coach. He must also replace seven other players lost by graduation in May.

Variety of entertainment will be the keynote of the ninth Eastland County Fair to be held in Eastland Sept. 25-28.

This was shown Wednesday when features were decided upon by members of the fair committees at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce office.

Motions were voted which slate presentation of a rodeo Thursday afternoon, a parade Thursday morning, a football game between two county class B teams Friday afternoon, "sensational performances of daredevil acts" by J. B. Moreno throughout the four days, and boxing on Saturday night.

Ernest Jones, committeeman, stated that organizations having concessions last year are expected to co-operate in this year's presentation.

Further arrangements are being made as time for the fair progresses.

Committeemen attending were County Agent C. Metz Heald, Chamber of Commerce Secretary H. C. Davis, Ernest Jones, Frank Roberson, G. H. Hipp, George Harper, J. D. Harvey, John Burke, R. L. Ferguson, Rev. Charles W. Estes, Ira L. Hanna, A. E. Arthur, and Carl Johnson.

Cisco Boy Killed In Auto Accident

CISCO, Texas, Sept. 4.—Funeral services for Robert E. Bates, 19, who was killed in a car accident on the Lake Cisco road Sunday night, were held today at the First Methodist church. Rev. Frank L. Turner, pastor, officiated.

Young Bates, one of five youths who were riding in a car to a dance at Lake Cisco, died within thirty minutes after the car, driven by J. T. (Buddy) Rogers left the pavement and turned over two or three times. Examination at the mortuary where the body was taken showed that the right chest had been crushed.

In the course of the inquest conducted by Justice Joe Wilson, young Johnson said that he, Bates, Coon Dawson, Gene Campbell and Silas Whately were en route to Lake Cisco when, about two miles north on Highway 23, a car traveling rapidly struck the front left bumper of the Johnson machine, causing it to leave the highway and turn over two or three times.

Bates and Campbell were riding in the rumble seat of the car. Both were knocked unconscious and were rushed to Graham Sanitarium in the car of a passerby. Bates was found to be dead on arrival at the sanitarium. Campbell had a skin laceration of the head, but was otherwise found uninjured. He left the hospital after an hour and a half of observation and treatment.

In returning a verdict of accidental death Justice Wilson said that the boy's account of the accident was not verified.

Gridiron Banquet Is Slated Friday

BRECKENRIDGE, Sept. 5.—New coaches of the Oil Belt, as well as veteran mentors, players, officials, and fans, will be on the "spot" here Friday night, as speakers take random potshots in the annual gridiron frolic of the Lions club.

All coaches, captain, principals and superintendents of the district as usual, are being invited to the banquet.

Guest speakers will include Mattie Bell, S. M. U. coach; George White, Dallas News sports editor, and Boyce House, Fort Worth newspaperman.

Civic Cases Set In 88th Court

Setting of cases in 88th District Court have been made as follows: Sept. 16, Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co. vs. Ernest R. Brooks. Sept. 19, N. D. Barras vs. Mrs. Blanche Reinhart, et al.

C. T. Williams vs. Metropolitan Life Insurance Association. Sept. 23, Loyd A. Lucas vs. Safety Casualty Co. Mattie A. Melvin vs. Rex. C. Outlaw, Exec.

Sept. 26, R. H. Wells vs. L. H. Flewellen.

Sept. 30, K. C. Foreman vs. Wichita Falls, Ranger and Southern Railway Co.

Oct. 7, H. B. Paulette, et ux vs. W. M. Isenhauer, Jr., et al. Tom Guin vs. Sunbeam Market Place, Inc. T. S. Langford vs. Sunbeam Market Place, Inc.

ROADS OF THIS PRECINCT ARE FOUND IN GOOD CONDITION ON A TOUR OF INSPECTION

By F. D. HICKS

Leaving Ranger Friday morning at 8 o'clock, a representative of this paper accompanied Henry Davenport, road commissioner of Ranger and Eastland precincts and visited in some 12 communities and traveled 250 miles checking with the commissioner on the work that has been done under his administration over the past three years.

We traveled most of the main roads as well as the feeder roads in the precinct and with the exception of the road coming into Eastland off the Grapevine road all were in excellent condition. The commissioner has this road slated for a general grading and

graveling and hopes to get the same done before the fall and winter rains set in.

The day was a most enjoyable one because of the cool weather and also because we traveled into all parts of the county and saw lots of new country.

That the public might know something of the number of miles in Commissioner Davenport's precinct and the responsibility of a commissioner we are listing the projects and roads we traveled.

Going out by Bod Hodges and the Montgomery Dairy, east and south of Ranger this road had been graded and gravelled last winter and a new road opened going

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Justice Precinct 2 Votes to Legalize Sale of 3.2 Beer

In a special beer election in Justice Precinct No. 2, held in Ranger Saturday after a petition had been presented to County Judge Clyde L. Garrett, the voting was very light, but the sale of beer throughout the precinct was legalized by a little over two to one. The total vote was 54 for sale of beer and 23 against.

The vote at the city hall box was 28 in favor of extending the sale of 3.2 beer beyond the city limits to the limits of the justice precinct was 28, with 10 voting against the sale, while at Young school the vote was exactly two to one wet, the count being 26 for legalizing sale of beer and 13 against.

Lack of interest was shown as only 77 votes were cast in the two boxes.

JOPLIN, Mo.—Tips to police: remember the experience of Jasper county officers when pursuing bandits. While chasing a trio that hijacked a produce truck, officials were bothered by a constant stream of egg crates and cream cans that the fleeing group tossed out.

Marriage Rate Gains Throughout Canada

SAINT JOHN, N. B.—New Brunswick led Canada in the rate of marriage growth in 1934, figures just issued by the dominion bureau of statistics reveal.

While in every province there was an increase in the marriage rate, the increase was greatest in New Brunswick, where there were 7.1 marriages for every 1,000 of population, as compared with 6 in the previous year.

For the whole of Canada the increase in the marriage rate was from 6 to 6.8.

J. T. Hammett, Phil-Pe-Co Ace, Bogs Mud to Win Tournament at Eastland From S. Conner, 1-Up

An additional name was added to the Eastland Golf and Country club's champion list Tuesday, following termination of the fifteenth annual tournament Monday when J. T. Hammett, Philpeco ace, defeated Sam Conner, Eastland, 1-up, for the crown.

Though weather ranged from a slow drizzle to a semi-hard downpour, Hammett shot par, 72, in the title round.

Conner, who last year was defending champion of the meet, was 2-up at one time and the championship swung from one to the other as the match progressed before finally Hammett won the crucial hole.

The Eastland tourney win served as a one-day late birthday present for Hammett, who was 19 years of age Sunday.

The win of Hammett's was his fourth for the year. He won the Ranger, Hamilton and Philpeco tourneys earlier.

Douglas Jones of Eastland who was medalist with a 67 was defeated by Hammett Monday morning, 3-1. Last year Jones went to the finals with Conner.

W. E. Storey, formerly of Eastland, now of Breckenridge, fell to Conner, 4-3 in the semi-finals.

Second flight winner was Darrel Tully, Eastland, who defeated J. S. Armour, also of Eastland, 5-4. In semi-finals Tully defeated

Funeral for B. L. Mackall Is Held

With Dr. C. T. Alexander, supply pastor of the Baptist church of Eastland, in charge, funeral services were conducted from the Methodist church in Eastland Thursday afternoon for Benjamin Lawrence Mackall.

Mr. Mackall, 64, was born in Hookstown, Pa., moved to Eastland in 1920 from Salem, W. Va., where he worked in the employ of Standard Oil company for 20 years.

Six children surviving Mr. Mackall are: Clyde Wilson Mackall, Pomona, Calif.; Mrs. Virginia M. Bettis, Eastland; William Carnegie, Wilson, Los Angeles, Calif.; Theodore Edward Mackall, Eastland; Benjamin Lawrence Mackall Jr., Eastland; John Wesley Mackall, Eastland.

A sister, Mrs. Vallie Snow, Lisbon, Ohio, and a brother, Edwin Mackall, East Liverpool, Ohio, also survive. Eight half-brothers and sisters and a step-mother, Mrs. Sarah Mackall, reside in Negley, Ohio.

Mr. Mackall was a member of the Methodist church, a member of the Masonic Order Salem Lodge No. 84, A. F. & A. M., in Salem, W. Va. He was also a member of the Commandery No. 15, Knights of Templar, Adronim Chapter No. 11 R. A. M., Clarksburg, W. Va.

Burial was made in the Eastland cemetery. Pallbearers were W. K. Hyer, John Knox Jr., Harry Williams, George Wilkins, W. C. Yeager and Joe Pargin.

Hulen Lasiter Grows First Gorman Bale

GORMAN, Aug. 31.—The first bale of the 1935 cotton crop was brought to town and ginned on Wednesday morning. It was grown by Hulen Lasiter on the Underwood farm in the Indian Mountain community.

The bale weighed 500 pounds. It was sold to W. L. McDonald, who paid 11 cents for it, \$1.59 being raised for Mr. Lasiter.

Application for Nine Projects In County Which Aggregate Over \$100,000 Sent to San Antonio

Application for nine projects in Eastland county, asking funds aggregating \$110,262.39, have been approved at district offices of the Works Progress Administration at Abilene and sent to the state office at San Antonio.

The projects, as announced from the office of W. S. James, district director, at Abilene, with sponsors, general description, number of man-months of labor, federal funds asked and total estimated cost, are as follows:

Eastland county: County wide sanitation, including septic tanks and pit toilets; 138 man months; \$4,614 federal fund; \$8,790 total cost.

City of Eastland: Concrete wading pool and swimming pool in Eastland park; 236 months, \$8,739.50 federal fund; \$9,949.55 total cost.

Eastland county: Rebuilding shoulders and caliche topping on 12.35 miles of road from Rising Star to Okra; 552 months; \$20,847 federal; \$27,354.50 total.

Eastland county commissioners court: Reconstruction 5.5 miles of lateral road from Scranton to connect with U. S. Highway 8 and State highway 1; 249.6 months; 10,658 federal; \$12,321 total.

Eastland county: county wide health survey, with immunization against communicable diseases, necessary prescribed tests and literature on infant and pre-school child care for distribution, 79.2 months; \$2,880 federal; \$2,880 total.

Ranger Independent School District: repair a building for use of junior college; 36 months, \$1,632 federal; \$3,229 total.

Cisco Independent School District: Repair foundation West Ward school; 316.75 months; \$11,981.58 federal; \$15,568.40 total.

Game, Fish and Oyster Commission of Texas: Installation of new water supply system at fish hatchery, three miles north of Cisco; 18 months; \$5,823.43 federal; \$9,491.94 total.

Game, Fish and Oyster Commission of Texas: Improvement of fish hatchery at Cisco 570 months; \$17,470 federal; \$20,678 total.

Funeral Is Held For W. S. Barber

Services for W. S. Barber, 67, who died in Eastland Monday, were held from his residence in Eastland Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. Clark, Abilene Methodist pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Eastland cemetery.

Mr. Barber had been ill for over 12 years.

He was a member of the Methodist church and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include the widow, and the following children: J. B. and Linus Barber, Clovis, N. M.; Frank Barber, Houston; Miss Jennie Barber, East Texas, and Mrs. R. L. Jones, of near Eastland.

Pallbearers were E. E. Layton, T. M. Collie, John Seale, E. C. Satterwhite, W. J. Herrington, Ed T. Cox Sr., John Bishop.

Canvass Returns Election Aug. 24

Eastland county favored four amendments in the special election of Aug. 24 and voted against three, canvass returns made by the commissioners' court shows.

Amendments favored were the pension, commitment of insane, probation by courts and abolition of the fee system. Amendments opposed were repeal, submission of amendments and free text-books.

Official number of votes cast for and against the issues show: (1) Pension, 3,006 for, 451 against; (2) commitment of insane, 2,033 for, 1,088 against; (3) repeal, 1,490 for, 19,24 against; (4) submission of amendments, 1,346 for, 1,504 against; (5) probation by courts, 1,513 for, 1,429 against; (6) abolition of fee system, 1,899 for, 1,116 against, and (7) free text-books, 1,358 for, 1,912 against.

Father of Ranger Woman Is Dead

T. N. Morgan, Stamford, died Sunday, Sept. 1, at the home of his son, V. H. Morgan.

He is the father of Mrs. C. L. Dinsmore of Ranger. She has been with him for the past four weeks during his illness.

He was a close friend of the late Tex Rickard.

Many of Mrs. Dinsmore's friends will be sorry to hear of his death.

Former Pastor at Desdemona Tells Of Holy Land Visit

By MRS. W. C. BEDFORD
Staff Correspondent

DESDEMONA, Texas, Sept. 4. Sunday morning a large crowd gathered at the Methodist church and enjoyed a sermon and lecture by Rev. R. L. Butler, who was pastor here a number of years ago and who has recently returned from a tour of Palestine and Egypt.

Rev. Butler told of his early life and his desire when a small boy to swim in the Sea of Galilee and how that desire materialized this past February. Among the many things that he described so perfectly that his audience felt they were really seeing the places were King Tut's tomb, the wonders of which can hardly be imagined.

He told of the places connected with the life of Christ that made his hearers feel that they were visiting those scenes with him. At the close of the service Rev. Butler sang "Galilee" and was accompanied by his daughter at the piano. After the benediction he put on a costume worn by a native of Palestine and exhibited many beautiful souvenirs he had brought back with him.

Company Transfers Oil Scout to Make Eastland As Center

L. B. Berry, oil scout for Sheel Petroleum company, has moved with his family from East Texas and will make their permanent residence in Eastland.

They are now located at the Connelley hotel.

The move marks the first transfer of any oil scout to Eastland for over a year, oil men stated.

Colony School Is Started Monday

The Colony school held opening exercises Monday with a good crowd present despite rains that had fallen all day, and with a large number of pupils present for the opening of school.

Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Ranger, delivered the address at the opening of the school and pronounced the invocation at the opening of the exercises.

Abandonment of Scores of Small Stripper Wells in This Section Feared As Result of New Commission Order

CISCO, Sept. 4.—Premature abandonment of scores of small stripper gas wells in the North Central Texas district embracing territory around Cisco, Comanche, Ranger, Eastland, Jacksboro, Strawn, Breckenridge, Albany, Graham, Bryson, Coleman, Brownwood and Abilene is threatened under the railroad commission's indicated gas proration policy, producers declare.

Although the August order was suspended when it was found that several provisions were unworkable and the September order is too new to determine how it will apply in practice, the regulatory mandates issued clearly indicate that the policy pursued will halt economical operation of numerous small wells.

By distributing the total nominations for the North Central Texas district among various wells, several of the purchasers are unable to obtain adequate gas to meet their contract requirements. The reluctance of one of the largest companies in the area to utilize what many people in North Central Texas declare would be a "fair withdrawal" has placed the smaller purchasers in the "nine hole."

Backed by virtually unlimited gas reserves in other sections of this and other states, the large company has nominated to run only about 4 per cent of its potential production in this district. The insignificant nomination by the large company has so reduced the allowable factor for the entire area that other purchasers, who have a firm established market for their full commitments are unable to obtain the gas without making new connections.

The matter of making new connections sounds simple, but investigation has revealed that the owner of the major productive ter-

OLDEN SCHOOLS WILL OPEN ON NEXT MONDAY

Another successful school year is anticipated by the Olden schools, with newer and better facilities than ever before, and with another large attendance anticipated when the school opens on Monday, Sept. 9.

Improvements for the 1935-36 school year include a wide variety of phases of school life and school work.

Two new teachers, B. H. Pettitt, teacher of the sixth grade, and Miss Goree Graham are now members of the faculty and will take up their school work in Olden for the first time this year.

All the desks in the school system have been sandpapered, re-varnished and are ready for the opening of the school year. Over 100 volumes have been added to the school library, with two encyclopedias added to the high school library and the junior Britannica at the grammar school.

Five lots adjoining the school property have been purchased and the buildings are to be moved to give additional room for school activities.

The school is justly proud of its radio equipment, which includes a loud speaker for each class room. Plans are being made to add microphone facilities for the superintendent's office and each class room.

Additional laboratory equipment has been installed and other supplies and equipment will be added when work is resumed.

Prospects are for a good and successful school year. The high school enrollment is now higher than it has ever been, having doubled within the past five years. The scholastic population is greater than it was during the days when Olden was at the peak of its glory in the oil boom days.

Teachers for the coming year in the Olden schools are: Henry Collins, superintendent, mathematics.

S. J. Smith, principal, mathematics and history.

Herman Scruggs, science, history and coach.

Miss Eunice Hamilton, Spanish and commercial work.

Miss Clara B. Simer, English.

B. H. Pettitt, fifth grade.

Miss Goree Graham, sixth grade.

Miss La Verne Stone, fourth grade.

Miss Nannie Allman, primary department.

Mrs. C. A. Timmons, primary department.

territory having nominated what it intends to use from its own wells has closed that alternative and thereby has choked the allowable factor to such extent that the required fuel by others is unavailable if proration orders are observed.

The danger of forcing premature abandonment of small wells under the indicated policy of the railroad commission in prorationing gas is a simple economic question. For example, a well capable of producing 50,000 cubic feet of gas per day without damage to the property may continue to do so for many years paying the royalty owners a modest sum, but nevertheless a needed revenue in most instances. So long as the property is productive it has a potential as well as areal mineral value. Under the railroad commission's allowable for August, many natural gasoline plants operating largely on gas from stripper wells and with a market for their residue gas will be forced to shut down. The result will be premature abandonment and plugging of these wells, so the owners declare. Employees will be retired and heavy losses sustained by farmers and royalty owners. The salvage value of the physical equipment and the interest obtainable from funds derived would be more by a considerable amount than the revenue from producing gas, if production is further curtailed from wells already fringing the profit column, say producers.

While there has been no organized protest lodged, primarily due to the fact that the railroad commission suspended its August order almost before it became effective, citizens, business men and land owners in the North Central Texas district are expected to fight relentlessly if another similar restrictive order is issued.

'China Seas' Reunites Big Stars of Film

HARLOW, GABLE, BEERY STAR IN CONNELLEE FILM

Pulse Stirring Story Booked For Three-Day Run In Eastland.

Roaring out of the Orient, a typhoon of fierce loves, bitter hates and perilous intrigues comes to the Connellee Monday for three days. It is "China Seas," which unites three of the greatest stars of film-dom for the first time in almost five years, Clark Gable, Jean Harlow and Wallace Beery.

"China Seas" is no weak-tea entertainment. It is red-blooded gripping, intense melodrama from beginning to end. There is not a single moment in which action lags or suspense is missing. It is a background of hurricanes and bloody raids by modern Chinese pirates, and against this vivid setting moves a human drama no less powerful.

Through Stormy Seas
All the action takes place on the wheezy old liner Kin Lung as it plows through the stormy seas between Hongkong and Singapore with a cargo of gold and freighted with an even more interesting cargo—human passions.

Gable, its hard-bitten young skipper, and Miss Harlow, who plays China Doll, a lady of the Oriental ports, have long been friends. But Beery, who appears to be a bluff trader in pigs but secretly is the "brains" of the pirates, also is a contender for Miss Harlow's affections. Adding to the dramatic situation comes Rosalind Russell, as an Englishwoman who loves Gable and has come to the Orient to find him and take him back home.

This is the strange confusion of romantic interests out of which the powerful story is born. The women, bitterly jealous of each other, match wits for Gable's favors. And when he spurns China Doll, she turns to Beery and vows to ruin Gable.

Life Boats Battered
This is the situation that exists when a typhoon is brewed in the China Seas and sweeps toward the liner. For hours it battles the gales. A steamroller lashed to the deck breaks its moorings and careens crazily while Gable and his men fight to subdue it. Lifeboats are battered and washed away, and when the storm subsides the ship is still afloat but desperately crippled.

The pirate crew, led by picturesque Ivan Lebedeff, attacks and subdues the vessel and Gable is tortured when he refuses to reveal the hiding place of the treasure. In this juncture Lewis Stone, who portrays a veteran third mate, accused of cowardice, redeems himself with an act that leaves audiences gasping.

Acting Wins Praise
The work of the three stars leaves nothing to be desired. Almost five years ago they were together in "The Secret Six," a prize winning picture. But the thrills of "The Secret Six" are as nothing compared to this new drama, "China Seas," in which they make their bow once more in the starring roles.

The supporting cast, hand-picked by producer Irving G. Thalberg of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, and by director Tay Garnett, is equally noteworthy. Lewis Stone does one of the finest jobs of his brilliant career. Miss Russell, a comparative newcomer to the screen, establishes her claim to fame. And the others, without exception, are excellent in their roles. Among those who deserve especial mention are Dudley Digges, C. Aubrey Smith, Robert Benchley, William Henry, Live Demargret, Lillian Bond and Edward Brophy.

"China Seas" is recommended to those who like their entertainment strong.

NEW O'BRIEN FILM TEEMS WITH THRILLS

What is said to be George O'Brien's outstanding screen achievement opens today at the Lyric Theatre. The film, "Hard Rock Harrigan," has the Colorado River Aqueduct as a background and tells a brand new type of story in a brand new way, crammed with action and alive with thrills and plenty of excitement.

The story deals with a feud between a husky hard rock driller, portrayed by George O'Brien, and his tunnel boss, played by Fred Kohler. The men are engaged in drilling a tunnel through a mountainside, to complete a gigantic aqueduct project. The action occurs principally in a construction camp, deep within the interior of the tunnel.

The talented Irene Hervey appears as George O'Brien's leading lady, who operates the camp com-

A Captain Imprisoned on His Own Ship



Wallace Beery and Clark Gable in "China Seas" at the Connellee Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Tense Moment in Film



Lovely Elissa Landi, featured with Paul Cavanagh, Frances Drake and Kent Taylor in Paramount's daring drama, "Without Regret," at the Connellee Theatre on Sunday, doesn't seem pleased with the contents of the letter she has just received, although Cavanagh looks over her shoulder with approval. Harold Young directed.

Signs on the Dotted Line



George Burns is questioning Gracie Allen's ability to write, in their new Paramount comedy, "Here Comes Cookie." Even George Barbier looks mystified. The laugh hit comes today to the Connellee Theatre. Norman McLeod directed.

CONNELLEE THURSDAY ONLY

Double MURDER!
Double ACTION!
Double THRILLS!

On the trail with fiction's most famous female detective—Sarah Keate, R.N., a white-clad angel of mercy who steps in where angels fear to tread!

Mac MAHON GUY KIBBEE
in Mignon G. Eberhart's
'While the Patient Slept'
A Fox Republic Picture with
LYLE TALBOT • PATRICIA ELLIS ALLEN JENKINS

missary. Miss Hervey's charm and beauty lend a welcome contrast to the rugged and untamed background, where the "hard rock" men fight nature in the raw.

Exciting tunnel scenes are marked with thrills and when George O'Brien is caught in a cave-in, which imprisons him with a companion in an inaccessible chamber, shivering tenseness rides high. With an ulterior motive in mind, Fred Kohler braves untold dangers to rescue O'Brien.

How the star attempts to repay his erstwhile foe and win the love of Miss Hervey, provides much of the entertainment value of the picture. "Hard Rock Harrigan" was produced by Sol Lesser for Fox Film release and was directed by David Howard.

"HERE COMES COOKIE" STARS NOTED COMEDIANS

A laugh creating, amusing bit of nonsense comes to the Connellee theatre today in the guise of those prime comedy favorites of radio, stage and screen, Gracie Allen and George Burns, otherwise known as Burns and Allen, whose latest fun film, "Here Comes Cookie," measures up as first rate giggle entertainment.

Joining them in their goofy goings-on is a cast of able comedians, played and an entire vaudeville troupe thrown in to aid the laugh-getters. George Barbier, Andrew Tombes, Betty Furness, and Rafael Storm play leading roles in support of Burns and Allen.

Gracie's mania for dumb bell remarks is given full swing in this fun fest that is crammed with belly laughs galore from the moment her wealthy father, Barbier, decides to deed his millions over to Gracie to handle so as to safeguard his other daughter, Betty Furness from the attentions of a fortune hunting gigolo, and goes off on a fishing trip, and puts Burns, his secretary, in charge as legal advisor. Gracie immediately disinherits her father, and begins to feed and house a group of starving actors in her Park Avenue home.

Acrobats, tumblers, trained seals, trained dogs, trained monkeys, drum players, jugglers, knife throwers, trick marksmen overrun the mansion, rehearsing their acts all over the house. Burns' efforts to stem this tide of hungry vaudevillians is futile. In the midst of her plans of rebuilding the house into a beautiful theatre to produce her own show, Gracie promises to marry her sister's fortune seeking

IN MURDER MYSTERY



They're back again, in the second mystery thriller selection of the Clue Club. The screen team of Aline MacMahon and Guy Kibbee play the leading roles in "While the Patient Slept," the attraction at the Connellee Theatre Thursday. Jovial Kibbee plays a not-so-dumb detective who's out-wisecracked at every turn (almost) by witty Aline in one of her most impelling character parts. Film was made from Mignon D. Eberhart's novel of the same title.

boy friend who has switched his wooing to her.

One of the most hilarious sequences in the film is "Gracie Al-

len's Flop" as a vehicle for her actor friends, Gracie herself takes an important part in the proceedings, putting over a comic song

LYRIC TODAY and SATURDAY

IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR EXCITEMENT—
This is meant for you!

GEORGE O'BRIEN in
Hard Rock Harrigan

A FOX release with
IRENE HERVEY

A CHALLENGE TO ALL SCREEN HISTORY!

Clark GABLE
Jean HARLOW
Wallace BEERY

They fell for the lady called "China Doll!"

Mighty spectacle of flaming romance and pulse-stirring adventure as these three great stars together enact their most brilliant screen roles.

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Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer PICTURE

with LEWIS STONE ROSALIND RUSSELL DUDLEY DIGGES C. AUBREY SMITH
Associate Producer: Albert Lewis

Plus HAPPY HARMONY "When the Cats Away" Pete Smith Oddity

CONNELLEE Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

called "I'm the Vamp of the Pampas" in grand style, and then going into a burlesque of Romeo and Juliet. An uproarious climax brings the picture to a close.

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Former Indiana Klan Dragon To Plead for Habeas Corpus Writ on Grounds of New Evidence in Case

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Sept. 5.—D. C. Stephenson, former Ku Klux Klan dragon, whose efforts to gain his freedom from the state penitentiary here have rivaled those of Tom Mooney, is preparing a final effort to obtain his release.

Stephenson will go before the Laporte, Ind., circuit court early in September with a plea for a writ of habeas corpus. The former Klan dragon, who once held absolute sway over Indiana politics, will attempt to introduce "new" evidence at the hearing, which he contends will show he was "framed" by Republican and Klan politicians and is being held as a "political prisoner."

Stephenson's final fight climaxes a career that rose and descended with startling abruptness. At the height of his power, Stephenson reputedly was able to elect or dispose of any political officeholder in Indiana. A few months later he was in the penitentiary, shorn of his political power and sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Madge Oberholtzer.

Taking over the reins of the weak Klan group in 1921 when he was not yet 30, Stephenson made a meteoric rise until the Klan claimed nearly half a million members in Indiana and had great political power.

According to depositions given by Stephenson after his conviction, the Klan was directly responsible for the election of Gov. Ed Jackson in 1924, spending more than \$80,000 in the campaign.

Stephenson stated that he made approximately \$1,800,000, receiving one-tenth of the fees of Indiana Klan members. In addition he asserted the Klan engineered numerous acts of violence in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana.

Efforts were made to enter national politics and gain control there also. Simeon D. Fess, Republican leader, was one of the men approached, according to Stephenson, but Klan efforts to enlist his support and later to end his political life failed.

Stephenson's active connection with the Klan ended in 1923, he asserted. In April of 1925 he was held for the murder of Madge Oberholtzer. Charged with the assault and abduction of the girl on a party which started in Indianapolis and ended in Hammond, Ind., the trial was one of the longest in the records of the state.

The appeal to the state supreme court alone dragged over two years.

Held in the little town of Noblesville, Ind., on a defense change of venue, the trial was one of the most sensational and bitter in Indiana court history. It took more than two weeks to obtain a jury and at one time the case was halted by the nervous breakdown of Judge Fred Hines who presided.

The prosecution read into the evidence a statement signed by Miss Oberholtzer which stated that Stephenson attacked her while en route to Hammond and that the next day she procured the poison and swallowed it. According to the statement, Stephenson then brought her back to Indianapolis and kept her there for several days in living quarters in his garage. Then she was returned to her home. She died a little less than a month after the alleged attack.

Stephenson entered the state prison here in November, 1925, obviously believing that his stay would be short. Prison officials reported that he refused to obey rules at first but after an investigation on charges of prison cruelty, he withdrew his complaints and became a "model" prisoner.

He continued, however, his ceaseless efforts to gain his freedom. Several times pardons for him from Gov. Ed Jackson, whom he maintains he helped elect, and Gov. Harry Leslie were said to be imminent, but no action ever was taken.

Gov. Paul V. McNutt, present Democratic incumbent, consistently has refused to consider the case, referring all appeals to the clemency board. A recent ruling of that board forestalls any chance of a pardon until 1940.

Once reputedly a millionaire, the former "boss" was said to be virtually penniless when convicted. He has been aided in his continuous court fights by friends, but several of his appeals, mostly on

grounds of "new" evidence, have been delayed by lack of funds. Sentiment in Indiana which ran at fever pitch during the trial has gradually changed, and many of "Steve's" former enemies today have taken the view that he is a "political prisoner."

'Defense Funds' Are Often Rackets, Says Consul for Ethiopia



Warning has been issued by John H. Shaw (above), an American serving as Ethiopia's Consul General in New York that many of the so-called "Ethiopian Defense Fund" drives in this country are mere rackets. He has approved formation of an investigating body called the American Committee of the Ethiopian crisis.

Parrot Proves He Belonged to Master

By United Press

DALLAS.—F. B. Nichols, Dallas, had little trouble convincing police that a parrot in the possession of another man really belonged to him.

Nichols lost his parrot when the bird got tired of staying home after sticking around 30 years, and flew away. Another man captured him.

When Nichols saw his bird he gave his pet call and the bird at once pecked the man who was trying to hold it and flew to his real owner.

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Federal and State Game Laws Conflict In State of Texas

DALLAS.—Texas hunters are showing increased interest in the new federal game laws, as evidenced by numerous inquiries which have been made at the county clerk's office during the past week.

The new federal regulations, which were approved by President Roosevelt on July 30, provide for an open season on doves in Texas from Sept. 21 to Jan. 15, while the state laws provide a season in North Texas from Sept. 1 to Oct. 31.

Another feature of the new federal laws is that birds, including waterfowl, may be killed only between the hours of 7 a. m. and 4 p. m. The state laws have no such provision. It has already been decided, however, that the federal game laws take precedence over the state.

Because of the conflict in state and federal laws, the subject may be given to the special session of the legislature which is expected

to be in session next month. Under Texas game laws, the state is divided into two zones, but federal make no such distinction, all of the state being considered in the same zone.

Under federal regulations the dove hunting season extends from Sept. 21 to Jan. 15, with a one-day bag limit of 20 birds. A hunter also may not have in his possession more than a one-day bag limit of any bird.

The federal open season for ducks and other waterfowl is from Nov. 20 to Dec. 19. The one day bag limit for ducks is set at 10 and for geese and brant, four.

Use of live decoys is illegal under federal regulations. Dogs may be used in hunting, but the use of grain or salt to attract the birds is against the law. Also it is illegal to shoot game from an automobile, power boat or sail boat or to use them in stirring up of birds. Blinds cannot be located more than 100 feet from the shoreline or from growing vegetation.

Under the federal regulations, shotguns holding more than three shells in the magazine are barred. If this gun has greater capacity, the hunter must plug it up with a single piece of wood or metal which cannot be removed through the loading end of the gun. Shot-

guns larger than 10-gauge are barred.

No open season is provided for Wood, Ruddy or Buffhead ducks or Swan or Ross' geese. Hunters must buy one dollar federal license and if they hunt outside their home county, must buy a state license as well.


Confederate Veteran Claims No Vices

PITTSBURG, Texas.—J. W. Thomas, 92, who has lived here for the last 50 years, claims he has never taken a drink of liquor, chewed tobacco, smoked or used a profane word.

He was a railroad section man for 50 years and has missed only one or two of the annual sessions of the Confederate Veterans.

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Incompetent Officers Make a Weak Navy

No matter how fast the ships or how powerful the guns, a navy is no stronger than the men who command it; and Admiral William S. Sims says bluntly that in that respect our own navy leaves a great deal to be desired.

The retired commander of our overseas squadrons during the World War makes this statement in the current issue of The Atlantic Monthly. It is his contention that the system of promotion now in vogue tends to raise incompetent officers to the top and to ruin the morale of officers in the lower brackets.

"It is enough to make one's hair stand on end," he writes, "to contemplate the results of an unexpected outbreak of war at a time when the fleet and the Navy Department happened to be in the hands of officers who lacked the essential confidence of the service."

Such a situation, he adds, could very easily develop. The present selection boards charged with making promotions, he says, cannot get enough information about the officers they promote to form a just estimate of them, and injustices are inevitable. The result, as he sees it, is that good men leave the service and stuffed shirts often reach high command.

Admiral Sims is not the first to make such charges. During the past summer Dr. F. Russell Bichowsky, former physicist at the Naval Research Laboratory, wrote a book called "Is the Navy Ready?" in which he asserted that naval officers are poorly trained and badly selected and that the fleet as a whole is far from ready for action.

The importance of all of this is evident when you reflect on the enormous responsibility that can rest on the shoulders of a naval commander in time of war.

It was said after the battle of Jutland that Jellicoe, commander of the British grand fleet, was the only man on either side who could have lost the war in one afternoon. In the heat of that battle, Jellicoe had something like ten minutes to make one of the most fateful decisions of any admiral's career. Had he chosen wrong, Britain might have been out of the war by nightfall.

It is different with an army man. There is always a tomorrow for a general. Campaigns last for weeks and months. There is time to take counsel, to repair mistakes, to devise new tactics. But the admiral gets one guess and no more. His entire career can be focused in a tense quarter of an hour in the conning tower—and his country's fate goes with him.

We have spent tremendous sums on our navy in the last two decades. The money will have been wasted if we fail to give the navy the best possible commanders. Admiral Sims' charges need a sweeping investigation, and if they are found to be correct a complete overhauling of the system is imperative.

Security Law Reflects Century of 'Progress'

The new social security law is a reflection of the greatest single change that has come upon the American people in all their history.

To understand the change you need only try to imagine such a bill having been passed a century ago.

At that time, this country probably came closer to the kind of social order envisioned by the prophets of the revolutionary period than any other land on earth. It was a country of small proprietors—small farmers, small business men, small manufacturers, small traders. Political independence had been won in the war with Britain; economic independence, or something closely approaching it, had developed hand in hand with it.

There was not a large wage-earning class. The average American of those days was a farmer, master of his own acres, and proprietor of a plant which provided him with practically all of his food and most of his clothing, year in and year out.

The towns were relatively small, and they were full of small shops, small stores, small businesses. Hardly anyone went out and got a job with the idea that he would be a job-holder all his life; the job was a makeshift, a time-killer until the moment when he could start some undertaking of his own.

Under such conditions, a social security bill like the one just signed by President Roosevelt would have been completely useless. It simply was not needed, nor could anyone in the United States of that day have imagined that it ever would be needed.

In the long run, under those conditions, a man sank or swam by his own efforts. If we had energy and even a half-way decent break in the luck, he need not fear the poor-house or the breadline.

It is almost a waste of breath to remark that the America of 1935 is not the least like the America of a century ago; or it would be wasted, if some people did not still cling to the attitude of 1835 in appraising social legislation like the security bill.

The individual no longer has his old economic independence. Our great cities contain millions upon millions of people who are and always will be wage-earners. With the best will in the world, they cannot be anything else. And no matter how industrious, frugal and ambitious they may be, a depression can at any time sweep their jobs out from under them, destroy their savings and leave them utterly helpless.

"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



WHY WE GOT TO PROTECT THIS CEMENT—LOOK AT TH' MONEY WE'VE SAVED. DOIN' THIS SIDEWALK OURSELVES—YOU CAN'T

YOU DON'T WANT OUR NEW SIDE—WALK ALL FULL OF DOG AN' CAT TRACKS. DO YOU? THIS IS JUST FOR TONIGHT—IT'LL BE HARD IN TH' MORNIN'!

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WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

It is that change which the new social security bill reflects; the greatest change, by all odds, which has ever come upon our people. Our greatest problems of today all derive from it. The social security bill is only a first step in the necessary effort to cope with them.

Too Tough For Autos

Everybody knows that the citizens of the United States used to drink some pretty terrible things during prohibition. Just how terrible was not quite clear until the Treasury Department sought to dispose of some bootleg liquor it had seized in the old days.

During the past winter, it is disclosed, someone thought of filling the radiators of a number of government trucks with the bootleg booze, with the idea that it ought to make a fine anti-freeze solution. The stunt was tried—and the trucks were ruined. The motors were corroded, holes were burned in water hoses, and this "Scotch" and "bourbon" finally turned to a horrible, sticky mush which stopped the engines altogether.

And this was the sort of stuff that people had the nerve to put into their stomachs, a few years ago!

In some countries dodging the tax collector is not considered a crime by those who indulge in it. No chance to dodge taxes in this country. Any way you turn taxes stare you in the face.

Roads of County

(Continued from page 1)

into the Cross Road school serving as a bus route allowing children to catch the bus along the road at all farm homes on this route. The new road was in excellent condition and from the commissioner's report the people were very appreciative of this new road. This road ties in with the Sam Berry road in the Cross Roads community and makes a complete circle of some seven or eight miles.

We next traveled what is known as the Ainsworth cut-off road that serves Cheney and Hunter communities coming back into the Desdemona and Eastland roads. Much work had been done on this cut-off, including grading, raising road bed in places and drainage.

Coming into the Ranger-Desdemona road the commissioner is working on a project to widen and straighten this road so as to meet the requirements of the state engineer who will in all probability inspect this road soon. On this particular road we inspected the bridge that was built by using an old fire still that was in excellent condition, purchased by the commissioner from the Ranger Refinery and cut half in two and used as a drainage. The still was laid in concrete and all ditches and drainages were in excellent condition.

Frank Ames was foreman of the crew that laid the still and finished the bridge—it is really an excellent piece of bridge work. The bridge crosses Jim Neal creek and some 100 yards of fill was necessary.

Driving then on to the Lone Star and Jess Blackwell road, found these roads in fair condition and then on out on the Panhandle road toward Gorman—this road as well as some of the others is up for consideration on the new PWA set-up adopted by the county commissioners.

Coming on back to Ranger we headed east for the Tudor and Tanner communities, new roads which were built by the commissioner last winter and both are in very good condition. There is not much travel over this road—some 10 miles had to be built, one bridge repaired and stumps and small brush removed by hand and teams before the road machinery could be put to work. The south end of the right-a-way is in Commissioner Crawley's precinct and we understand he cooperated with Commissioner Davenport in constructing this road and making it possible for the people to go and come in any kind of weather.

After each rain M. A. Wooten and W. H. Jackson drag the roads with a machine having been left for them to use. Davenport also showed us another new road he has under consideration to go through the Allen ranch to Desdemona. The Tanner and Tudor communities have some of the earliest settlers in the county still living in the community. The Guest, Mitchell, Tanner, Mc-

Closter, Messmer and Ott families as well as a number of other early settlers, Tudor is the voting box. Most of the people do their trading in Ranger. They are served by the rural route out of Strawn.

Leaving Ranger at 12:45 we traveled north on the Caddo highway to the Wayland road going out by the cemetery—this part of the road was worked last year under George Murphy of Ranger and is really a good piece of road work. Davenport said that he has asked for \$24,500 for the Caddo road and hopes to put this road in the best condition.

Going on to New Hope community and by the Hank Herman farm on to Colony, we found some new road, topped with caliche, new bus route and all in all roads in excellent condition. S. C. Hatton and other in the neighborhood helped construct the roads.

Might say here lest we forget, that in all the communities we traveled the commissioner stated the people cooperated in every way possible.

Crops in all communities were in excellent condition, farm homes were in lots of places newly painted, fences in fair shape and it seemed the people were taking more interest in the upkeep of their property.

Going on to the Markham-Tidal road, then out by Arab plant and States Oil plants on the Morton Valley school grounds. The school will open at Morton Valley soon.

Colony, Pleasant Grove and Morton Valley communities are all prosperous communities and the people take an active interest in their schools.

Then on toward Eastland to the Yellow Mound community where we saw new roads, new bridges, and other excellent improvements, giving the people good roads and an outlet for their produce. The commissioner stated that when he went into office his one aim was to get the people as good roads as possible and keep them from getting in the mud and to fix it to where the school buses could go and come under all conditions. The John Nix road was topped with caliche and ditches drained. Bedford road was in fine condition.

Coming into Eastland, about 3 o'clock we left for Flatwood, on to Kokomo and Pumpkin Center. Davenport stated that Arch Birt of the Cisco precinct had been of much help in cooperating with him in joint projects wherever he had been asked. The roads around Mangum and the bridge across the Leon river, which was partly washed out some time back were in good shape.

Several of the roads along the route the commissioner said he was trying to work out a project to widen the highway and move fences back and that he believed the people would all cooperate, especially since the fences would be rebuilt.

Coming on back into Eastland

we traveled the by the Leon come the Olden highway. Arriving p. m. All in all, the sioner Davenport shape. He has built hood of 35 miles opened up old roads tion of the work of the CWA set-up, work was cut off tion and had to be county money. The commissioner had asked for \$145,000 of the PWA money that amount and him to finish some gun and put every cinct in good shape

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SEVEN LOCATIONS OFFERED FOR FEDERAL BUILDING IN EASTLAND AS BIDS OPENED

Seven locations were proposed for a federal building site in Eastland when bids were opened publicly Thursday morning at the post office by Frank A. Jones, postmaster.

Proposals were offered by the following:

Eastland Free School Incorporation, north half of old high school grounds, measuring 200 by 212 feet, \$4,500.
 Mrs. Alyo Deveeis, Engleman hotel property on Lamar and Moss, measuring 100 by 190 feet, \$1,900.
 E. C. Downtain, corner Bassett and Rosewood, measuring 200 by 100 feet, \$4,000.
 First Christian church, measuring 100 by 200 feet, \$5,500. Property faces Lamar street on east and Olive street on south. It was

offered by E. E. Wood, trustee, and others.

Dr. T. E. Payne, three sites from hospital location, separate proposals for property facing either of three directions, each measuring 200 by 112 feet, each at a cost of \$5,000.

The Eastland Telegram in a letter to the postmaster stated they were preparing to offer property which is located on corner of South Seaman and South Plummer, measuring 100 by 200 feet.

Witnessing the bid proposals opening for the site were D. G. Hunt, J. A. Beard, R. L. Perkins, Assistant Postmaster John Van Geem and newspaper representatives.

A postoffice inspector will be in Eastland Monday and Tuesday to inspect the sites that have been offered and may be offered.

Oil Belt Grid Schedule About Completed Now

The following is the Oil Belt schedule for the 1935 season, with the exception of one or two games to be matched by Brownwood early in the season:

- Saturday, Sept. 13
Eastland at Mineral Wells.
- Friday, Sept. 20
Mineral Wells at Breckenridge.
Ranger at San Angelo.
Electra at Cisco.
- Saturday, Sept. 21
Abilene at Big Spring.
Eastland at Sweetwater.
- Friday, Sept. 27
Ranger at Amarillo.
Vernon at Breckenridge.
Cisco at San Angelo.
Eastland at Olney.
- Saturday, Sept. 28
Sweetwater at Abilene.
- Friday, Oct. 4
*Eastland at Brownwood.
Breckenridge at San Angelo.
Cisco at Sweetwater.
- Saturday, Oct. 5
Lubbock at Abilene.
Ranger at Polytechnic (Fort Worth).
- Friday, Oct. 11
Abilene at San Angelo.
*Cisco at Brownwood.
- Saturday, Oct. 12
*Breckenridge at Eastland.
Cleburne at Ranger.
- Friday, Oct. 18
*Ranger at Eastland.
Cisco at Big Spring.
- Saturday, Oct. 19
*Breckenridge at Brownwood.
- Friday, Oct. 25
*Ranger at Abilene.
*Breckenridge at Cisco.
- Friday, Nov. 1
*Brownwood at Abilene.
*Eastland at Cisco.
Breckenridge at Wichita Falls.

Saturday, Nov. 2
Ranger at Sweetwater.

Friday, Nov. 8
Quanah at Eastland.

Monday, Nov. 11
*Abilene at Breckenridge.
*Ranger at Cisco.

Saturday, Nov. 16
Breckenridge at Sweetwater.

Monday, Nov. 18
Childers at Cisco.

Friday, Nov. 22
*Abilene at Eastland.
*Ranger at Brownwood.

Thursday, Nov. 28
*Cisco at Abilene.
*Ranger at Breckenridge.
Eastland at San Angelo.
*Conference game.

BOARD TO MEET

The county school board will have a regular meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30, C. S. Eldridge, county superintendent, announced Saturday.

Rains Continue Over Entire State

Continued heavy rains soaked scattered parts of Texas today as cool and unsettled weather spread over the entire state.

The heaviest rainfall reported was at Dilley, Southwest Texas, where 5.1 inches fell last night. Additional rainfall today was expected to swell the total.

Ballister reported 2 inches and Waco 1.64.

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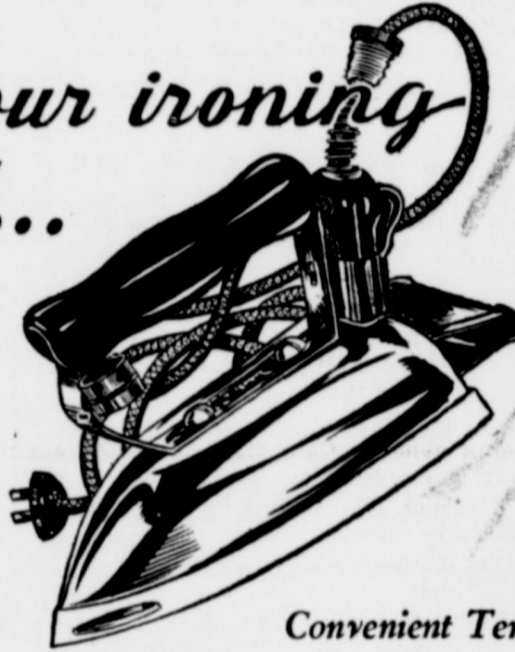


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WPA FORWARD ANTONIO

Abilene district office approval, were among 75 from this district which kept a staff busy until past midnight in order that they be received by the deadline of 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in San Antonio.

If the projects are approved at state WPA headquarters they will be forwarded to Washington where final approval or rejection is made.

The Abilene office application sendoff brings to a total of 24 that have recently been approved. The application for projects in this county brings the aggregate asked in funds to \$374,311.60.

Application for nine projects in this county announced earlier this

week asked for funds aggregating \$110,262.39.

Applications from the county mailed to San Antonio Wednesday night, type, federal cost, total cost and number of man months are as follows:

Eastland county: Road construction, \$28,248 federal fund; \$31,704.75 total project, 690 man months.

Eastland: Cemetery improvements, \$7,731 federal fund; \$9,178 total project; 167 man months.

Eastland: Street paving, \$10,100.90 federal fund; \$11,111 total project; 252 man months.

Eastland county: Road construction, \$34,097.43 federal fund; \$36,805.45 total project; 832 man months.

Gorman: School buildings, \$10,574 federal fund; \$23,306 total project; 244 man months.

Eastland: Street paving, \$22,380 federal fund; \$25,117.50 total project; 564 man months.

Cisco: Recreational building, \$9,786.74 federal fund; \$13,737.91 total project; 198 man months.

Eastland: Street paving, \$3,944 federal fund; \$4,697.60 total project; 142 man months.

Carbon: School improvements, \$2,004 federal fund; \$2,204 total project; 49 man months.

Eastland: School improvements, \$23,880 federal fund; \$25,080 total project; 492 man months.

Ranger: Remodel school building, \$775 federal fund; \$1,450 total project; 36 man months.

Cisco: Road and water plant at lake, \$24,875 federal funds; total project, \$29,356; 456 man months.

Rising Star: City street improvement, \$14,490 federal funds; \$16,096 total project; 466 man months.

Eastland county: Precinct 1 road improvement, \$28,249 federal funds; total project, \$31,705; 690 man months.

Pioneer: Pioneer independent school improvement, \$1,750 federal funds; \$2,500 total; 25 man months.

Short Court Session Held In Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH.—The shortest court session ever held here took place in federal court here last week.

"Oyez, oyez, this honorable court is now in session," Douglas Campbell intoned to row after row of vacant seats. Then Mrs. Anna Powers, deputy court clerk, read a brief announcement by District Judge T. M. Kennerly of Houston, that the session was postponed.

Judge Kennerly had order that the court be convened and the notice of postponement read. Mrs. Powers and Campbell were the only two present.

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Eastland Commissioners Ordered Taylor County Organization Vote, Held on Wednesday, July 3, 1878

(Editor's Note: Contrary to general belief, Taylor county was not attached to Palo Pinto county for judicial purposes until the organization in 1878 was discovered by a West Texas newspaperman who took the trouble to examine the Eastland county records.)

By WENDELL BEDICHEK
An order was entered on June 4, 1878 by the Eastland county commissioners court, setting Wednesday, July 3, 1878 as the day for an election in Taylor county to choose county officials and organize the county. A petition signed by 154 qualified voters of Taylor county was presented.

Members of the Eastland commissioners court included Ad Lawrence, county judge; L. W. Trader, G. W. Allen and H. F. Brashers, commissioners, H. S. Schmick was sheriff, A. J. Stewart clerk, J. A. Corley was deputy sheriff.

The first action after receiving the Taylor county petition was to prescribe boundaries of the justice, commissioners and election precincts in Taylor county. The three types of precincts had corresponding boundaries.

The men designated as election officials for the Taylor county organization voting were Precinct 1, Buffalo Gap, C. P. Gamble; precinct 2, O. Lees shop, J. A. Martin; precinct 3, Jim Ned school house, P. M. Walling; precinct 4, John Griffith's residence, E. H. Hitson; precinct 5, A. S. Koen's residence, A. S. Koen.

On August 17, 1878, about six weeks later Taylor county was organized, J. W. Drury and J. S. Porter, representing Taylor, appeared before the commissioners at Eastland and made an agreement governing division of taxes to be collected through the remainder of the year. The two groups agreed that after the Eastland

county assessor had been paid his fee as allowed by law that further receipts of taxes on property in Taylor county would be divided equally between the two counties.

The Eastland county records of all kinds have been splendidly preserved. They are arranged by County Clerk Collie in his spacious offices in Eastland's magnificent court house in such manner as to be easily accessible at all times, whether a caller wishes to see the newest or the very oldest records on file.

FLORIDA STORM DEATH TOLL IS UNCERTAIN

MIAMI, Sept. 5.—Fear that the death toll from the hurricane that raged over the Florida Keys Monday night may mount to 1,000 was expressed today by one of the first men thoroughly to survey the storm damage.

The Red Cross, however, was not willing to alter its prediction the loss of life was about 300, pending more complete reports.

W. P. Mooty, Dade county criminal clerk, who surveyed the storm ravaged keys by boat, said the death list—when those blown into the water and those buried in tangled tropic underbrush are counted—would number at least 1,000.

Gov. Dave Sholtz announced that he was leaving by automobile for Miami to take personal charge

Slated to Head Federal Housing



Following acceptance of James A. Moffet's resignation as Federal Housing Administrator, the President is expected to appoint Stuart MacDonald (above), of Missouri, as his successor. MacDonald has been serving as acting administrator.

of relief work. He will be accompanied by several assistants.

Work of bringing bodies from the keys moved ahead and the emergency machinery, established in the wake of the storm began to function more efficiently.

Evacuation of the desolated area by airplane, boat and afloat progressed to such a stage relief authorities were considering a thorough survey of Cape Sable, on the mainland, immediately in the path of the hurricane. Survivors are being taken to hospitals and continued to tell of stark terrors of the storm.

SIR MALCOLM BARELY MISSES SPEED GOAL

BONNAVILLE, SALT FLATS, Utah, Sept. 3.—Sir Malcolm Campbell, British speed king, barely failed to attain his goal of driving 300 miles an hour here today.

He drove the first measured mile at 304 miles per hour, but dropped below that mark in the return, which under A. A. rules, must be made within an hour.

His average for the two runs was 299.874 miles per hour. Campbell said he would not run again today but probably would try tomorrow.

TWO POWERS WILL RENEW PEACE OFFERS

GENEVA, Sept. 5.—Great Britain and France prepared today to renew their offer for a compromise on the Ethiopian dispute which Mussolini rejected.

The Franco-British offer, it was understood, would be made the basis for efforts of an Italian-Ethiopian conciliation commission, which it was decided today to establish.

The offer provides for "collaboration" of the three powers, with the consent of Ethiopia, to guide that country's national life in almost every field, including the economic. Special interests of Italy in Ethiopia would be taken into account.

Lindy Baby Clue Is Proved False



This child is not Charles Lindbergh, Jr., although legal counsel for Bruno Richard Hauptmann had hinted that he might be, and planned to seek a new trial on the assertion that the baby still lives. The 6-year-old boy shown above was revealed by investigation to be an Irish youngster taken from an orphanage and reared by a family living in Flushing, N. Y.

FEDERAL FUND FOR TEXAS IS NOW INCREASED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—President Roosevelt has approved an allotment of federal funds totaling \$1,500,000 to be used by the WPA in Texas, it was announced today.

The federal funds will be added to the sum of \$434,333 pledged by the various sponsors of the projects submitted in the program.

Included were Eastland county, Cisco: Construction of park of 5.6 acres, \$4,310, sponsors' contribution \$467.

Italy Assumes the Offensive Before League of Nations

ROME, Sept. 5.—Italy by assuming the offensive before the league of nations council, it trying to prepare the way for "legal" military action in Ethiopia, it was

believed today. If Italy succeeded in depriving Ethiopia of its rights under the league covenant, Italy would obtain free hand to open operations. The argument that "no member of the league can claim rights under the covenant when it failed to keep its obligation" is the keynote of the entire Italian memorandum of attack. Even if other league members failed to accept the Italian argument the memorandum and the pronouncement of Italy would continue to guide Italy's policy.

Confederates Tired But Determined at Amarillo Reunion

AMARILLO, Sept. 5.—The aged gentlemen of the "Old South" although somewhat tired after the first two days of the 45th reunion, went through the routine of reports with surprising endurance today.

Gen. Rice Pierce, commander-in-chief of the veterans of the United Confederate army, addressed the delegates, praising the Texans of Forrest's Cavalry.

"Are there any living of that gallant regiment that served under Forrest?" Pierce asked. "God knows what a pleasure it would

be to cross them."

The aged looked through ed faces about no answer.

Bridegroom He Was From H

BOSTON, S groom who chased by his the installment and 10 payments to annul his marriage. Meyer Zola has refused to vouch because to give her 100 cents on him. Zola claimed from a girl to gaged.

DIVORCE Divorce was in 91st district court from plaintiff's mother, Mrs. Mabel Reeves, was

Try a V

Proof Exists of Ethiopian Raids To Obtain Slaves

By FREDERICK KUH
United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON.—Even those sympathetic to Ethiopia in the Italo-Ethiopian conflict have been startled by revelations of slave raids in that country.

Critics admit that Emperor Haile Selassie, an enlightened monarch, has earnestly set out to suppress slavery and has made some progress. And yet it is said that the province of Maji has been reduced in population from 30,000 to 4,000 within a generation, while raiding across the frontier into British territory has become common.

Experts have computed that only 10 per cent of the victims in a raided village ever reach the slave market. Old people are left behind in the ruins. Many of the rest succumb to hunger and thirst.

Raids into British territory have recalled the Aniak tribe's assault on the Beir settlement in British Sudan in March, 1932. This incident resulted in a settlement, after long diplomatic negotiations, obliging the governor of Ulu Baboor to pay 15 head of cattle (full-grown) for every man killed and for every woman and child not returned to the Sudan.

It was stipulated that this was a bargain price, however, and that "blood money" henceforth would be 20 head of cattle for every dead tribesman or kidnaped woman, victimized in Ethiopian slave raiding.

Previous to this episode it had been customary to assess the loss of a human life at 1,000 Maria Theresa thalers. But on this occasion, despite British insistence, the Ethiopian delegation refused to pay cash for killed tribesmen or abducted women.

How the settlement of this conflict entailed Oriental bargaining was revealed in a report from E. N. Erskine, British consul for western Ethiopia, who informed his superiors, "The governor of Wallega province accepts full responsibility for the killing of 12 Barun Sudan subjects, and the governor of the Upper Nile province accepts full responsibility for the killing of two Aniak Ethiopian subjects, so that these two being subtracted from the 12 former, there remains a balance of responsibility for the governor of Wallega province for 10 Sudan lives."

It was finally agreed that the Wallega governor should pay the Upper Nile governor 2,000 Maria Theresa thalers in compensation for the deaths, but that 540 thalers would be deducted on account of the participation of certain Pokumu Anuaks, so that a balance of 1,460 was finally fixed as the indemnity.

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Hill County Wins War on Slot Machines

HILLSBORO, Texas.—The war against slot machines in Hill county apparently was won, county officials said this week, when they were advised that every such machine had been moved out of the county.

The sheriff recently seized a large number of the machines but returned them to their owners when they promised to take them out of the county.

VIOLIN FIGURES IN DIVORCE TOLEDO.—Joseph Jurdick charged in a cross-petition to his wife's divorce action that she had ejected him from his home and kept a 300-year-old violin valued at \$15,000. She told deputy sheriffs where it was hidden after an hour in custody.

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