A Chicagoan, listening to a adcast in a closed garage, was ome by gas. Rescuers arrivthe nick of time and dialed the politicians.

uneral Is Held for

urthouse.

church,

G.H. Donaldson

ral services were held Sun

at the Nazarene

Eastland for George H.

44, painter who died

Rev. W. E. Moore,

rial was in Eastland ceme

Undertaking Company.

THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE

Eastland County's Own Progressive Publication For All The People

LUME 48

BER

and

A

PE

UF

EV

TH

(Established November, 1887)

Garner to Break Silence,

EASTLAND, TEXAS, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1936

Candle Is Blamed State Troopers Are For Small Blaze Called to Get Bear At Negro's Home

By United Press GROTON, Conn. - State Troop-Slight damage resulted from the ers Roy Goodale and George Sei re at the servant house in the dell are now the "big game hunt-

alive

at the end of a chain, reared and covered many weird superstitious been determined. dragged up the stake to which his practices by residents of the state

took to the woods. State Police In one Louisiana city the statue were notified. Godale and Seidell of a man holding his marriage

orest and with drawn guns pene- tery. Further research evidenced, trated the brush. A half hour later assumedly, that it was erected to cent grads-but in reality is 1 per

torn from the brush and branches

the troopers emerged, their clothes set wagging tongues at rest. Thousands of keys surrounding the statue of St. Peter were found in a small local chapter. These keys are votive offerings to the

NO. 49

The Chronicle is the only

weekly newspaper in East-

land having a paid subscrip-

tion list

In north Louisiana, Saxon reports graves of many children are surmounted with stone replicas of

the shoes and stockings these The bear tired of maneuvering "Fabulous New Orleans," has un-sons for this practice have not

PASADENA, Cal.-A. L. Ham ilton, former superintendent, has

replied to a critic of McGuffey's Reader. "Each generation,"

says, "goes trooping upward- at what seems to be at least a 25 per

8 years, formerly lived in Worth and Comanche counwas born in Etha, Ala., 1892. s are his father, J. C. Eastland; the widow, seven children, Delma Eastland; Mrs. Wilma eckenridge; Mrs. Murrel Eastland; Johnson Donald-

Eastland; Modene Donald-astland; I. C. Donaldson, d, and Alta Fay, Eastland; e sister, Mrs. H. M. Carle-

all bearers included Loss ds. H. A. Perry, Bob Taylor, Handlin and Mr. Collins, all

Mrs. J. M. Mathena Succumbs at Home

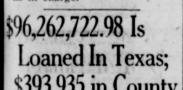
ral services were to be con from the family residence y afternoon in Hillcrest Ad-in Eastland for Mrs. J. M. a, who died suddenly Menrning of heart failure

Mathena would have been E. R. Stanford, pastor of irst Methodist church, was to charge of the services at the

Interment was to be in the stland cemetery. Mrs. Mathena had lived in Eastsince 1919. Previously she in Ranger. She was born in

By United Press been married to her husband dustries founded on citrus by-pro-ducts will start operations here tively controlling water and wind vears

olds of Dallas is a half sister.



of heart failure at the Groggins, pastor of the Christ minister, of Eastder the supervision of son, an Eastland resident John Nance Garner

VICE PRESIDENT GARNER



Vie With Rival for Votes

William Franklin Knox

"FRANK" KNOX has been ex VICE PRESIDENT GARNER "FRANK" KNOX has been ex-plans to enter the 1936 campaign tremely active in the present cam-nan active way soon with a series prime aven long before bic choice is choice by a more than sea- July to August to the highest plans to enter the 1936 campaign tremely active in the present campaign were followed by a more than sea-in an active way soon with a series paign, even long before his choice of speeches. Born in Red River at Cleveland as Landon's running County, Tex., in 1869, Garner mate. Born in Boston in 1874, he punched cattle, edited a country served with "Teddy" Roosevelt in punched cattle, edited a country the Rongh Riders during the Spannewspaper, practiced law and then the Rough Riders during the Spanserved 30 years in Congress from ish War, and then fought his way Uvalde, Tex., before becoming a up through the newspaper business rival of Roosevelt for the Demo- from cub reporter to publisher. He cratic presidential nomination in served in the World War as major 1932. He accepted second place on of field artillery, and after being the ticket, and has been an incon- for several years general manager

spicuous figure in Washington, of the Hearst newspapers, became though a very able and well-liked publisher on his own hook of sevpresiding officer of the Senate. eral newspapers in Chicago and Garner's genial manner and his New Hampshire. A'tireless and ef-

stock products decreased less than being due to a continued heavy tained prices.

many congressional friendships fective speaker, Knox has been have made him an invaluable link one of the oratorical mainstays of between Roosevelt and Congress. the Republican campaign to date.



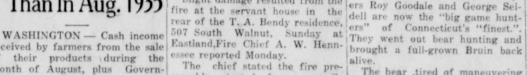
Several sets of terraces in Eastmember of the Meth- McALLEN, Tex. - Two new in- land County have been constructed within the next few weeks to give erosion, it has been discovered,

Survivors are her husband; six Survivors are her husband; six lidren, R. V. Mathena, Ranger; Il Mathena, Eastland; Mrs. Viola ashburn, Eastland; Mrs. Anita opening of the 1936-37 season ago.

Roach, Gladewater; Miss Anna and furnish another outlet for cull Jim Horn of Union Community, Jae Mathena, San Antonio; Mrs. fruit. Vancy Scott, San Antonio; and Lee Akin, owner-manager of ed 5 terraces on 10 acres of his ne brother, R. W. Copeland, of Riona Products Co., pioneer Me-ineral Wells. Mrs. Florie Rey-Allen fruit and vegetable process- a team, a home-made drag, and a The terraces are ing firm, announced the purchase turning plow. Hamner undertaking company of new machinery costing about more than 20 feet wide and 15 st0,000 to handle the two new de- inches high. There are no washes

partments of the Riona plant. He in the field, no breaks in the teris completing a \$75,00 plant for races, and no ditches at the ter-canning all types of regular Val-ley fruits and vegetables, but the Mr. Horn says the terraces have

huge plant buldings were originally increased his yield at least one designed to handle the new citrus tenth. He has never had a crop full-\$393,935 in County peel dehydration and grapefruit tre on the terraced land but has in the flat below the terracese, Akin explained the concentrate where his transet land is loss or reduced the cubic content of ed.



of their products during the month of August, plus Governsumably started from a candle payments, amounted to carried by a negro child of the fa-\$649,000,000, the Bureau of Agnily occupying the house. Clothing ricultural Economics announced which caught fire from the candle was the heaviest damage, he said. This compares with \$734,000,000

eceived in July this year \$610,000,000 in August, 1935. The Dan Horn Meeting August, 1936, income figure in-cludes \$12,000,000 estimated Government benefit payments, compared with \$44,000,000 representing Government payments in August. 1935.

The decline in receipts from July to August, which is not unusual, was caused largely by

Farm Income Was

Higher In August

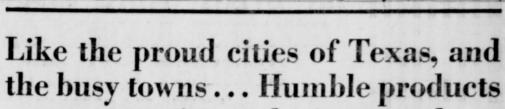
Than In Aug. 1935

WASHINGTON - Cash income

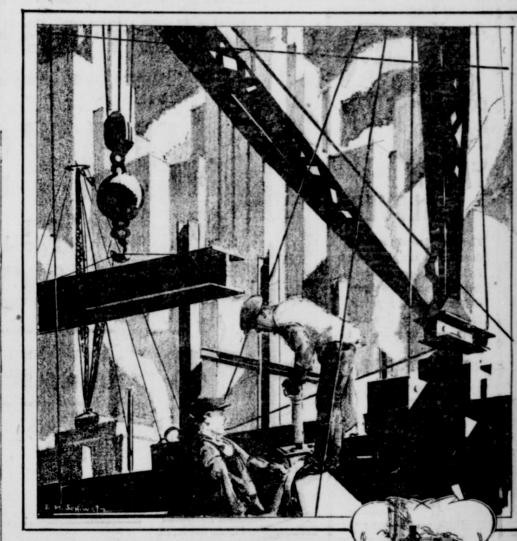
exceptionally heavy and early movement of the wheat crop to

For the first eight months of 1936, the total farm cash income, including Government payments, was \$4,677,000,000, of which Income from the sale of liveusual from July to August, this \$205,000,000 were Government payments. In the corresponding movement to market of cattle, eight months of 1935 total farm calves and hogs, and to well sus- cash income was \$4,125,000,000, of which \$350,000,000 represented

ESSO



are continuously improved



In 1836, Texas villages were scattered, homes were crude, population was scarce-in all not much to build. These days, Texans are proud of their towns

August, 1929.

the

The general level of prices of Government payments.

bonds were attached. Leaving the in a research by his federal writ-Buddington game farm, the bear ers' project.

motorcycled to the edge of the license was discoverey in a ceme-

leading the bear, who was fairly docile when approached. saint as keeper of the gates of **Old Superstitions** Heaven, according to Saxon. Defy Solutions NEW ORLEANS-Lyle Saxon,

Of Singers Is Due **On Saturday Night** Members of the Eastland County Singing Convention will convent Saturday night at Dan Horn, it has been anounced here. The meeting will continue through Sunday.

point reached for the month since

AN ANTONIO-Disbursements citrus juice by an evaporation pro-The same yea: that Ed T. Cox, the Reconstruction Finance cess and handles about 500 gal- Ex-County Agent of Eastland poration in Texas during the lons of juice hourly. The citrus County rar the terrace lines for od February 2, 1932, to June, peel dehydrator can handle 75 tons J.m Horn he ran lines on 3 farms 1936, aggregated \$96,262,772.- of citrus peel every ten hours. it was announced today by H. Purchase contracts for his en-miles Southeast of Cisco for B. F. Drought, state director for the tire output of dehydrated citrus Trott, R. L. Poe, and W. J. Poe. tional Emergency Council for peel have been signed, Akin stat. The Trott farm is now owned by xas. The figure did not include ed. His own by-products plant will R. C. Hagan, who was told last ounts that went to various not supply enough peel to warrant year by a peanut buyer that the vernment agencies, or relief operation of the plant and he is nuts raised on the terraced land ants to the State of Texas as au- now planning to handle the waste were the best ones that / buyer orized under the Federal Emer-peel from other juice plants in the mcy Relief Act of 1933. In Eastland County during this been troubled by lack of disposal and kept in good repair.

riod, the Reconstruction Finance faclities for peel after juicing the Edgar Altom, who now owns the moration distributed \$393,- fruit. poration distributed \$393,- fruit. Decision to establish the new lar land in the Community .42, Drought said. The principal purposes for which units in what is already recognized not terraced was now practically money was distributed in Tex- by canners and packers as the worthless in many cases. He thinks were as follows: loans to banks biggest plant of its kind in the his terraced land almost as good d trust companies, including re-

vers, liquidating agents and ences between Riona officials and tivation. nservators, \$25,993,602.58; sub-riptions to preferred stock of president of the Mission Dry Cor-Pleasant Hill Community, the R. aks and trust companies, \$22,- poration, which has recently been L. Poe farm have served a good 2,375; loans to building and specializing in distribution of a purpose in spite of trouble from associations, -\$1,612,733.96; concentrated orange juice. Aitken water running into the field from an additional amount of \$18,-17,090.23 to mortgage loan com-of the McAllen Chamber of Com-

strial and commercial businesses plant here.

Texas totaling \$455,274.33. elf-liquidating projects were aidl in the sum of \$1,093,012.85. further amount of \$199,551 was furnished to finance agricultural amodities and livestock, while state received a disbursement

Total disbursements made in the the worst of the match. eriod not including amounts dis- somewhat inebriated condition. He son.

hewing witnesses may be cited landed true to its mark-the bed- daughter, the petition read, was for contempt of court. He permits room mirror. He was taken to a murdered Feb. 28, 1924, in New witnesses, however, the opportun-ity of removing the gum before er his eye and on his right arm Study music, and the murderer has resorting to the contempt penalty. and hand.

The Reconstruction Finance Bentsen Bros., Mission, concern-ing the possibilities for such a Transfer of Libel Suit Is Requested Man Boxes Shadow

And Gets Whipped

Pleas of privilege asking trans-fer to the 74th or 19th district PORT ARTHUR - A Port Ar- courts in McLennan county have of \$7,952,291 for relief and work thur man has devised something been filed in 91st district court new in shadow boxing-and he got by D. R. Gayle and Mrs. Anna R.

Bowen, defendants in a \$50,000 United States during the same The man entered his home in a libel suit instigated by A. R. Law-

oursed in the form of relief grants saw a pugnacious individual fac-to states amounted to\$6,012,771,- ing him. Both men scowled and that drug stores operated by the

JUDGE BARS GUM CHEWING BERKELEY Cal LINE OF AUGUST AND A CHEWING CONTRACT AND A CHEWING CON BERKELEY, Cal.-Judge Oliver fight with one glorious haymaker. maintained is a libelous story of oung has decided that gum He swung from his heels. The glow his daughter, Louise Lawson. His-

not been apprehended.



Here's the motor fuel that delivers all the performance automotive engineers have built into that car of yours. Try it. Stop today at a Humble Service Station or at a Humble dealer's, tell the man at the pump to fill it up with Esso andwatch the difference. Test it in traffic and on the road; compare it with gasolines you've used. When you've tested a tankful, you'll be so pleased -you'll come back for more!

Esso is a premium motor fuel*, but if you're an average motorist, it will cost you only 5c a day more to get the benefit of Esso's superlatively fine performance. It's more powerful than any gasoline, accelerates faster, starts easier, has a higher anti-knock rating. Like all Humble products, it's continuously improved.

* In computing gasoline prices, don't forget that what you pay includes a State tax of 4c per gallon and a Federal tax of 1c per gallon. Gasoline is cheap, only the tax is high.



with things-as-they-are! New resources are being developed, new people are coming to town. The rat-tat-tat of a rivet gun signals new structures; the whine of a carpenter's saw indicates new homes a-building; industrial areas echo the clang and clamor of construction. Improvement is in the air!

and cities. In neither will you find a placid contentment

UMBLE KEEPS STEP with the continuous improvement of the towns and cities of Texas. It is a fundamental Humble policy to find new products for new needs, to conduct a never ceasing search for ways and means of giving the Texas motorist a better motor fuel, a more dependable motor oil. Humble technicians are ever alert to give you everything the automotive engineer asks of the petroleum industry. Continuous improvement is their slogan - and continuous improvement keeps Humble ahead.

When you drive through the proud cities of Texas and the busy towns, look for the Humble sign. Fill your tank with a Humble motor fuel, drain and refill with a Humble motor oil. Test both of them thoroughly, in your car. . . . You'll come back for more.



Hall of Texas History You are cordially invited to visit the Humble Exhibit at the Central Centennial Exposition in Dallas. Striking dioramas recreate dramatic moments and vivid episodes from Texas History. See the battle of the Alamo, the capture of Santa Anna, the prisoners of the Mier Expedition drawing the black beans, the battle of Sabine Pass, Colonel Goodnight treating with Comanche Quanah Parker. Then see and listen to the story told by the rocks of Texas, and how Texas oil is drawn from many thousands of feet under the ground. On your way to and from Dallas-stop for service where you see the Humble sign.

C 1936, HUMBLE O. S.R. CO

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO. A TEXAS INSTITUTION MANNED BY TEXANS





PAGE FOUR

THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE

Established Nov. 1, 1887

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Eastland, Texas, under Act of March, 1879

Published Every Friday Office of Publication: 106 East Plummer Street. Phone 601

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the at-tention of the publisher.

Obituaries, cards of thanks, notices of lodge meetings, etc., are charged for at the regular advertising rates, which will be furnished upon ap-plication.

War Debts Help Keep America Out of War

The famous war debts may be as dead as a salted herring, but it is beginning to look as if they have left some very lively ghosts to stalk about the chancelleries of Europe.

It has been several years since all the European nations except Finland agreed that there was no sense in paying Uncle Sam what was due him. Since armies and navios are the only international collecting agencies that any unt to anything, and since Uncle Sam obviously was not going to get that tough about it, welshing seemed perfectly safe.

Uncle Sam would just have to take it-rather, not take it-and like it.

There was one little thing the American Congress could do, and it proceeded to do it with all speed. It passed the Johnson act, prohibiting American loans to any foreign governments which were in default on their war debts.

But that looked very much like an empty gesture, at the time, because nobody was trying to borrow anything, anyway.

With the passing of the years, however, the picture has changed a little. The world depression isn't quite as bad as it was. Governments are getting into a spending mood once more.

Furthermore, a new war seems to be in the cards, and all hands would like to be able to do a little more business with the American banks, munitions makers, and raws material brokers.

Both France and Italy, for instance, recently found it advisable to seek funds from abroad; and both nations found the American banks closed to them.

Now it is reported that Great Britain is likewise interested in getting funds in this country for its vast rearmament campaign; but the Johnson act stands in Great Britain's way also.

As a result of all this, rumors are afloat to the effect that one or another of the foreign powers will presently be taking steps to reopen the war debt question.

One report - quoted recently by the Business Conditions Weekly of the Alexander Hamilton Institute---suggests that England may devaluate the 246,000,000 pounds sterling of gold now held by the Bank of England and offer the resulting profit, some \$700,000,000, to America as a lump sum settlement of the British debt.

It would seem odd to find the war debts on the front pages again, after we had kissed them goodby forever. But it is quite possible that is just what will happen.

If it does happen, there must be at least a few Americans who will suspect that the war debts are worth more dead than alive.

Defaulted, the debts stand as a barrier against our getting financially and industrially entangled with a Europe which is on the verge of indulging in another worldshaking row.

Paid up-at a dime on the dollar, or some such rate-



and Loan Assn. of Missouri to L. B. Norvell et al-Lot 10 and E 40 Insurance Co. to L. F. Pittman et ux -Lot 7, subdiv. of S 4-9 part ft. of lot 9, blk. 43, Cisco.

GREATEST FINISH UNDER FIRE IN GOLFING HISTORY: Tony Manero came through with

a spectacular 282 to win the 1936 National Open Golf Tournament. His digestion stands the strain. As Tony says: "I'll go on record as one who thanks Camels for stimulating digestion. I enjoy food more-and have a feeling of ease afterward when I enjoy Camels

fire has burned over an area of lay introducing it in the C **Coal Mine Fire** six square miles and destroyed coal estimated at \$40,000,000. For May Be Bridled After Half Century homes.

By United Press NEW STRAITSVILLE, O. - A has burned for 52 years and destroyed millions of tons of "black trator. gold" in, this southeastern Ohio community soon may be extin-

guished. For the firs t time since 1884 there is promise that the malig-ment blaze will be blotted out by fire-fighters enlisted by the gov-ernment. WPA engineers have surveyed the area and found the fire-fighting project to be feasible from the standpoint of cost and from the standpoint of cost and has been postponed for another available labor supply.

Action on the undertaking destrike in the Hocking Valley coal fields in 1884. Legend has it, infuriated miners loaded a barge but sponsors have decided to dewith coal, poured kerosene over it, and sent the blazing mass hurtling into a mine shaft. The

to JJ. D. Howard-25x115 ft. out of the lots 1, 2, 3, blk. 20, Car-

Right of Way-F. L. Timmons to Empire Southern Gas Co.-112 acres out of the Wm. DeMoss surv., \$93.00.

Quit Claim-J. E. Manney and wife to Claud C. Crow-96.4 acres out of the Thos. A. Howell. Assign. of Contract of Sale-Harry F. Lewis to J. E. Manney-Sale contract, Feb. 12, 1927, \$2,000.00.

New Cars Registered O. W. Hampton, Cisco. 1936 Ford Tudor. Nance Motor Co. C. B. Powell, Cisco. 1936 Chevrolet sedan. A. G. Motor Co. John M. Roach, Rising Star. 1936 Pontiac sedan. Muirhead Motor Co. L. Y. Morris, Eastland. 1936

Ford tudor. Guy Patterson. Mark O. Roberts, Littlefield. 1936 International truck. Frank

ECZEMA ITCHING Quickly soothe burning of irritated skin with -



ICKS VA-TRO-NOL REGULAR SIZE 30c. DOUBLE QUANTITY 50c

F you're like the vast majority of drivers, you travel faster on concrete without knowing it! Check up on your next trip and see if it isn't so.

Concrete makes your car run better; lets the motor settle into a sweet, steady hum that literally eats up the miles. It relieves you of tension and fatigue. There are no ruts to fight; no bumps and jolts to tear at the steering wheel; no tendency to, surfaces?

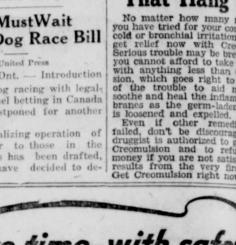
scious thought, you go fast because you know you're safe on concrete! Of course you know that co

skid or slip. Without a co

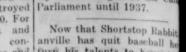
crete roads are onomical fro the standpoint of upkeep. I do you know that they actual cost less to build than oth roads of equal load-bearing capacity? And that they co less to drive on than inferi

"An Open Letter to Henry Ford" gives the facts about concrete. Free for the asking.









long periods it is dormant and then suddenly bursts into a conflagration that threatens lives and turn his talents to house-

pends on the response to the U. S. Bureau of Mines to a request for co-operation in supervi-sion of the work by experienced buldering coal mine fire that mine engineers, according to Dr. burned for 52 years and des- Carl Watson, Ohio WPA adminis-

The fire started during a mine

Canada MustWait For Dog Race Bill

Beware Coug from common cold

By United Press OTTAWA, Ont. - Introduction

year at least.

A bill legalizing operation of

That Hang O

peddlers, putting them out

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 10

they would cease to be a barrier, and the way would be open once more for us to be a Good Time Charley for the world at large.

News of the rebels' "Big push" should irk Hitler and Mussolini, each of whom thinks he is the big push.





WHETHER YOU ARE CATCHING A QUICK BITE OR DINING IN STATE -

WHAT A PLEASANT AID to digestion Camels are!" says this busy homemaker, Mrs. Charles Sickles. "They add zest to any meal. No matter how jumpy I may feel, Camels set me right. So many women I know smoke Camels. Camels are so mild!"



Camels increase digestive activity encourage a sense of well-being!

STION'S SAKE

WITH healthy nerves and good digestion, you feel on top of the world. When you smoke Camels with your meals and after, Camels help in two special ways: Tension is lessened and Camels promote digestive well-being.

So enjoy Camels between courses and after eating. Strain eases. The flow of digestive fluids, so vital to proper nutrition, is speeded up. Alkalinity is increased. Food tastes more delicious and you get more good from what you eat.

For good cheer - for invigorating "lift" - for matchless taste-and "for digestion's sake"-the answer is Camels. Camels set you right! And they don't get on your nerves.

HOLLYWOOD RADIO TREAT! Camel Cigarettes bring you a FULL HOUR'S ENTERTAINMENT! Benny Goodman's "Swing" Band ... George Stoll's Concert Orchestra...Hollywood Guest Stars... and Rupert Hughes presides! Tuesday -9:30 pm E. S. T., 8:30 pm C. S. T., 7:30 pm M. S. T., 6:30 pm P. S. T., over WABC-Columbia Network





CHAMPION BOWLER. Johnny Murphy says: "Smoking Camels at meals and after works out swell in my case. Camels help my digestion. After a meal and Camels. I really enjoy life."

ALL-AROUND ATHLETE from Texas. Miss Mary Carter says: "Since I've learned how pleasant Camels make my mealtime, I wouldn't be without them. They never get on my nerves."

Camels are made from finer, MORE EXPENSIVE TOBACCOS -Turkish and Domestic -than any other popular brand

ostlier