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STATE SCHOOL CHIEF TO ADDRESS TEACHERS OF COUNTY SATURDAY

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YOUTH HELD AS CAR YIELDS BODIES



The weird odyssey of an 18-year-old boy who for more than two days drove through five eastern states with the bodies of two 64-year-old murder victims—in their own car—was told by Paul Dwyer, left, of Paris Hill, Mo., after he was held as the slayer at North Arlington, N. J. Police said he confessed that he killed Dr. James G. Littlefield during a medical examination, then, after luring Mrs. Littlefield from home on a pretext, strangled her because she suspected him. With the woman's body in the car and her husband's corpse stuffed into the trunk, Dwyer said he drove aimlessly until he fell asleep and was arrested on a roadside.

Gorman Girls 4-H Club Is Perfected

Extension service officials announced Monday that a girls' 4-H club organization has been perfected at Gorman.

The decision to organize a club was reached at a meeting of prospective members in the Gorman Grammar school.

Officers named were: Mary Frances Stubblefield, president; Helen Marie Stephens, vice president; Frankie Jo Moore, secretary; Peggy Dixon, reporter; Mary Ruth Moorman, song leader; Marlene Parker and Sybil Laminack, garden demonstrators; and Agnes Grisson and Nell Woodall, clothing demonstrators.

Meeting time was set as second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 2:30 in the school house.

Attending the organization meeting were: Dorothy Short, Dorothy Mauney, Billie Gene Westmoreland, Tuella Robinett, Fay McCulley, Billie Gene Stephens, Sybil Laminack, Helen Marie Stephens, Frankie Jo Moore, Agnes Grisson, Frances Fae Jones, Peggy Dixon, Mary Frances Stubblefield, Elizabeth McCulley, Wanda Brown, Frances Woods, Louise Clouston, Marjorie Jo Jenkins, Marie Sadler, Mary Ruth Yarborough, Bonnie Louise Daniels, Bessie Green, Mary Moorman, Virginia Hamrick, Frances Ellison, Charlene Cook, Marlene Parker, Bobbie Lee O'Neal, Beta Mae Stephens, Velma Louise Maupin, Jimmie Paul, Imogene Buleson, Vera Grace Franklin, Earlene Moorland, Ola Mae Paulk, Dorothy Gene Maupin, Claude Marie Dennie, Irene Scott, Maxine McMullen, Nellie Seay, Irma Hunt, Dorothy Nell Woodall and Sammie Staggers.

Organization of a girls' 4-H club at Desdemona, to meet second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 2:25 p. m., in the grammar school, was announced Monday by Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, assistant home agent.

Lois Moore was named president, assisted by the following other officers: Velma Clarke, vice president; Iris June Reid, secretary; Marjorie Brown, reporter; Johnnie Mae Capers, song leader; Netta Katherine Putty, garden demonstrator, and Betty Jo Woodall, clothing demonstrator.

Members of the club are Florence Kemp, Laverne Ezell, Lillian Daniels, Lois Moore, Gay Nell Parks, Marjorie Brown, Jane Crockett, Geneva Anderson, Dorothy Worthcott, Robbie Lee Setzlen, Johnnie Mae Capers, Velma Clark, Helen Harless, Jackie Duke, Netta Katherine Putty, Joy Houser, Betty Jo Houser, Beatrice Anderson, Alma Ellen Clay, Yvonne Dabney and Iris June Reid.

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UNDERREAMING CONTINUES ON DEEP OIL TEST

Operators Saturday continued underreaming eight-inch on the Gallagher-Lawson at 5,500-foot test south of Desdemona, slightly over in Comanche county, at a depth of 4,264 feet. The well is 860 feet in the Ellenburger limestone, and 700 feet in the St. Louis shale. Hoffmann and Page No. 1 W. C. Clayton, D. J. Millard survey, west of offset to the recently completed Hickey at No. 1 W. M. Martin, was slower in progress this week because of some water in the hole. The drill was 2,535 feet at last report. It is in Erath county, also in the vicinity of Desdemona.

Fifteen and a half-inch casing was being underreamed at 800 feet in the Phillips Petroleum company No. 1 B. P. Cozart, one of four Ordovician tests in Callahan county. It is in the M. Cherry survey.

Hickok Producing and Development company No. 1 Van Parmey, S. P. R. R. company survey, north of Cisco, had progressed to 2,800 feet.

James D. Kittrell No. 1 L. B. Reynolds heirs, 8½ miles southeast of Eastland, was drilling at 650 feet after a shutdown.

Reports from Stephens county stated Cox and Caputo No. 1 H. Donnell, four miles west of Eliasville, was completed for 200,000 cubic feet of gas and 65 barrels of oil at a total depth of 3,194 feet.

J. D. Sandefer, Jr., No. 1 J. W. Shore, James C. Ryan survey, 18 miles west of Brownwood, section 635, was being rigged up in Brown county.

Earnest Loyd No. 1 J. T. McClure, section 2004, T. E. and L. company survey, five miles northeast of Garford, Palo Pinto county, is drilling at 800 feet.

Plugging records in the Railroad Commission office at Eastland for the week ending Saturday included the following:

Eastland County
Hoffmann and Page company, No. 1 A. C. Justice, section 28, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, block 2. Total depth 1,450 feet.

Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil company No. 5 B. L. Danley, Ahrenbeck survey. Total depth 3,540 feet.

Coleman County
Hoffmann and Page company et al No. 1 Sealy heirs, section 1, H. & T. C. Ry. company survey. Total depth 1,894 feet.

Election Notices Posted by Official

Notices were posted Tuesday by County Clerk R. V. Galloway for the Oct. 30 Justice Precinct 7 election for or against sale of all alcoholic beverages.

Voting boxes in the precinct are at Pioneer, Okra and Rising Star.

Program Prepared For Townsend Meet

Program for Friday night's meeting of the Townsend club at the courthouse beginning at 7:30 will include numbers by a negro quartet—S. C. Hunt, publicity chairman stated Tuesday.

"We urge all members and the public to attend," Hunt added.

Officials Invited To Carrier Meeting

County judges and commissioners in counties of the 17th congressional district were invited Saturday to attend the district Rural Letter Carriers' association annual convention Saturday night, Oct. 23, at Cisco.

The invitations were sent by mail by W. S. Adamson, county judge, who will deliver the welcoming address at the meeting. The meeting, of which a banquet will be a feature, starting at 7:30, will be at the Laguna hotel.

Congressman Clyde L. Garrett will be a speaker.

Minister, Pastor Meeting Is Called

Ministers and pastors of churches in the county were urged today to attend a meeting Friday morning at 9:30 in the First Methodist church at Eastland for discussion of organization of a pastor's association and the bill in the Texas legislature proposing sale of liquor by the drink.

"All ministers of the county, regardless of denomination," were urged to attend in an announcement from Rev. Robert E. Bowden, pastor of the Church of God at Eastland and secretary-treasurer of the county united dry forces.

Final Service Held For Pioneer Texan

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Ann Whitehead, 75, one of the county's longtime residents, was conducted Saturday afternoon in the Christian church in Rising Star.

Mrs. Whitehead died in Abilene at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Powell Roberts, where she had made her residence four years since the death of her husband, Dr. J. B. Whitehead at Rising Star.

She was born in Florence, Ala., February 22, 1862, coming to Texas with her parents when she was six years old, settling near Rising Star.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Laura Elmore of Amarillo; two sons, J. A. Whitehead of San Angelo and L. W. Whitehead of San Angelo and two brothers, J. S. Smith of Rising Star and Ben Smith of Florence. Fifteen grand-children also survive.

Birthday of Olden Woman Observed

The seventy-ninth birthday of Mrs. J. R. Edwards, a resident of Olden 15 years, was observed last week with a party in the home of a son, W. P. Edwards.

Children attending were Mrs. James Caryllie of Strawn, Mrs. C. L. McCoy of Eastland and W. P. Edwards. Mrs. Dick Edwards, a daughter-in-law, also of Olden, was also at the affair. Mr. Caryllie and Mr. McCoy accompanied their wives.

Dick Edwards, another son, working at Mingo, was unable to attend. Other children of Mrs. Edwards are Louis Edwards and Jack Edwards, also of Olden.

NOV. 15 SET FOR HEARING ON CC'S MOVE

Milburn McCarty, of Eastland, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, said today that Nov. 15 has been set by Judge Dennis Ratliff of Haskell upon a temporary restraining order enjoining the general manager of the WTCC from moving its offices from Stamford to Abilene. D. A. Bandeen is general manager.

"We are not moving, nor are we occupying the Stamford office until we get legal advice to ascertain our rights, Bandeen was quoted in an Abilene newspaper. The Abilene office was to be opened Monday.

Mayor W. W. Hair of Abilene said that "Abilene stands ready to fulfill its offer made Friday x x x of course we would like to have the office. We made our offer and it was accepted. We are sorry, however, that any court proceedings have resulted."

The Stamford Chamber of Commerce brought the legal action resulting in the temporary restraining order to occupy the Abilene office pending a final hearing.

C. M. Francis, treasurer of the WTCC and resident of Stamford, was quoted as saying, "Our only object is to defeat a secret, inside decision of a few of the officials who were afraid to let it come before a general meeting of all directors, which is in accordance with the by-laws and constitution of the organization. The city of Stamford will not object to the headquarters of this organization being removed to any other city when it is done in accordance with the by-laws and constitution."

Olden Ladies Meet And Do Quilting

The Olden Baptist Ladies met at the church Thursday, Oct. 14, for quilting and making scrap books for Buckner's Orphans home. Each lady brought a covered dish. Those attending were: Mrs. J. W. Lee, Mrs. V. M. Hamilton, Mrs. J. L. Kuhn, Mrs. E. R. Buckley, Mrs. R. S. Lester, Mrs. A. B. Baker, Mrs. J. A. Supulver, Mrs. K. C. Edmonds, Mrs. F. V. Fidler, Miss Mildred Wynne, Mrs. M. M. Watson, Miss Jewel Reynolds, Mrs. H. G. White, Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs. S. A. Reynolds, Mrs. C. B. Craft, Mrs. R. C. Howell, Mrs. James Ward, Mrs. J. H. Munn, Mrs. Baldrige Crawford, Mrs. S. M. Fowler, Mrs. I. M. Maxwell, Mrs. D. H. Godwin, Mrs. Jack Stephens.

4-H Team Returns from National Show

James Dean and L. C. Love of Alameda, members of the county 4-H demonstration team, who were accompanied by Assistant Agent Hugh F. Barnhart, were back at home Monday after the team's participation in competition at the National Dairy Show in Columbus, Ohio.

The boys and the agent's expenses were paid by a national cheese concern after winning first prize in a state contest at College Station.

The youths visited enroute at St. Louis, Mo., and other points. A Massachusetts team was first in dairy demonstration competition in the 4-H division.

Prohibition Vote Called In Precinct

Commissioners court Saturday had ordered an election October 30 in Justice Precinct 7 to determine whether sale of all alcoholic beverages shall be prohibited.

The election was called in response to a petition signed by H. S. Childress and 115 other qualified voters of the precinct.

Voting boxes in the precinct are at Rising Star, Pioneer and Okra.

The court stated in the order calling the election the following will be the ballot reading: "For prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages."

"Against prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages."

IN FORT WORTH
Sheriff Loss Woods and Deputy Tug Underwood were business visitors Saturday in Fort Worth.

Ministers Plan a Fight On Sale of Liquor by Drink

The Ranger Ministerial Alliance announced today that it was planning a county-wide meeting of all pastors in the county, at which a fight would be started on the bill, now before the special session of the legislature, legalizing the sale of liquor by the drink.

Tentative plans call for a meeting to be held Friday afternoon at Eastland, it was stated today by members of the alliance.

Car Is Stolen In Ranger Monday

A 1937 model Deluxe Ford was stolen from W. L. McGregor in Ranger Monday night, it was stated today by members of the Ranger police department.

The car was parked in front of the McGregor home, 461 Pine street, at the time it was stolen. It bore license number 856,209, and the engine number is 4,012-220.

McGregor is an employee of the Texas company, working in Breckenridge, but lives in Ranger.

Alameda Four-H Club Names Heads

Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, assistant county home agent, announced Monday the election of Marjorie Calvert as president of the Alameda Girls 4-H club.

Other officers chosen by members, she stated, were as follows: Betty Jo Walker, vice president; La Fray Reid, secretary; Jacqueline Perrin, reporter; Otha Thomason, song leader; Martha James Armstrong, garden demonstrator; Marjorie Calvert, clothing demonstrator, and Mrs. W. E. Calvert, sponsor.

The club meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 1 p. m.

Present at the election were Maxine Perrin, Otha Thomason, Jacqueline Perrin, Marjorie Calvert, La Fray Reid, Blackie Munsell, Helen Joyce Wisdom and Betty Jo Walker.

Plugging Records Filed In RC Office

Plugging records or applications to plug on file Tuesday at the Railroad Commission office in Eastland included:

Keweenaw Oil company No. 32 Hickman, section 801, J. McGloin survey, Brown county. Total depth 1,352 feet.

Jamison, Pollard and Forster No. 4 Roy Hickman, section 150, N. M. Mitchell survey, five miles east of Cross Cut, Brown county. Total depth 1,353 feet.

W. J. Rhodes No. 7 J. P. Morris, section 483, J. H. Woods survey, seven miles northeast of Coleman, Coleman county. Total depth 2,032 feet.

Palo Pinto Oil and Gas corporation No. 13 Strawn Coal company, H. Bird survey, Palo Pinto county. Total depth 3,288 feet.

Winners Named In Amateur Contests

Miss Ima Ruth Hale and Miss Catherine Cornelius were adjudged winners in the amateur contest sponsored by the West Ward Parent-Teacher association at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

Miss Hale was the final selection of the three chosen from the contestants of the beauty pageant and Miss Cornelius the selection from the talent contest.

Little Miss Sarah Garrett was given the award in the Shirley Temple parade, a Shirley Temple dress.

The winners of the beauty pageant and talent contest are to receive trips to the state contest to be held in San Antonio Nov. 16, 17 and 18.

Merchants of Eastland co-operated in the affair.

FARMERS IN DEBT URGED TO GET AID

Debt distressed farmers should avail themselves of the service of the farm adjustment section of the rehabilitation division of the Farm Security Administration, Guion Gregg of Dallas, state director of the debt adjustment work, urged Wednesday at Eastland.

Gregg, accompanied by Guy H. Tomlinson of San Angelo, supervisor in district 7, 10, 11—which is this area—and 12, had arrived to be with FSA District Director Robert Fisher of Eastland on a tour of his area to arrange closer cooperation of county FSA supervisors and farmers in the debt adjustment work.

Gregg explained that the farm debt adjustment is a free government service which acts as a mediator between debtor and creditor. He added that under the new set-up of his work with the FSA, formerly known as Resettlement Administration, aims to more localize the work of the debt adjustment. Records of farmers whose debts are being adjusted are to be kept in the office of the county FSA rural supervisors.

Farmers desiring debt adjustment were invited, whether clients of the FSA or not, to contact the rural supervisor who in Eastland county is George I. Lane.

In addition in each county there is a voluntary committee which aids the FSA and debt adjustment section in helping the farmers. Members of the Eastland county committee are Felix S. Boland of Scranton, W. R. Ussery of Carbone and Dick Weekes of Alameda.

Dates which the committee will meet with Lane are to be announced.

One of the outstanding activities of the farm adjustment work, Gregg stated, is to "keep worthy farmers on their home place and self sustaining." He explained by scientific farm plans practices are shown by which reduction of debt is aided materially.

Visit of Gregg, Tomlinson with Fisher in the latter's district which includes 16 counties was estimated as for the remainder of this week.

165 of 224 Are Initial Joiners In Peanut Co-op

Eleven of 20 chairman of committees named to assemble the membership roll of the Southwestern Peanut Growers association in the county have reported 165 "joiners" out of 224 growers contacted.

The peanut growers have a total of 4,332 acres in the crop. There are 1,000 peanut growers in the county, it is estimated by County Agent Elmo V. Cook, to whom the membership committee report.

The committees were named last week at a meeting which inaugurated the association's county membership drive.

Members are assessed a fee of seven and a half cents per acre on their peanut crop which enables them to sell through the association if desired.

Committee chairmen who had reported to Cook on their progress were: O. D. Carver, Crocker; F. C. Eaves, Kokomo; J. D. Guy, Carbone; A. N. McBeth, Nimrod; Oscar Schaefer, Pioneer; Tom Poe, Long Branch; Robert Tucker, Pleasant Hill; George Nunnally, New Hope; Oscar Lysteria, Flatwood; Charlie Hathcock, Colony; J. E. Smith, Gorman. The Committee had not contacted all growers in the territories to which they were assigned. Other committees are to report.

Wilson Is Speaker At Rotary Parley

R. N. Wilson, gas company manager, delivered a classification talk as the feature of Monday's Rotary club program at the Connelie hotel.

T. E. Richardson and Wilson were members of the program committee.

Ranger Rotarians "making up" attendance at the session were C. B. Pruet, B. C. Johnson, C. H. Suits, Lee Russell Other visitors were J. C. McAfee of Cisco and J. C. Muse, Sr., of Dallas. Muse was the guest of Carl Springer.

GROUNDS CLEANED

The student body of Douglas School for Colored at Eastland, recently completed cleaning of the school grounds.

Advance Rangerite In Pythian Ranking

The second rank was conferred upon Gerald H. Calvert of Ranger at the Eastland Knights of Pythias meeting Tuesday night. The session was in Castle hall.

Plan Shallow Well In Coleman County

A 540-foot well, the fourth on the 40-acre Susan E. McDermott tract, Coleman county, is planned by Grassroots Oil company, according to an application filed with the Railroad Commission office at Eastland.

Location is in section 783, A. Bates survey, 10 miles southwest of Cross Plains, 260 feet from the north and 150 feet from the east line in the north half of the tract.

EASTLAND HAS CHANCE FRIDAY AGAINST BUCKS

Eastland Mavericks have an opportunity to step into the Oil Belt exclusive 500 class Friday night when they go against the Breckenridge Buckaroos in the Breckenridge stadium at 8 o'clock. Mavericks' percentage is now .400.

Fans agree that the Breckenridge team look more potent of a paper than the Mavericks. A spirited Maverick team with work in unison and an even break could upset the Breckenridge team, it is believed by many. Breckenridge team is sixth in the Oil Belt standing with .500.

The Mavericks have sparkled in four of the five games this season. Against Abilene the visiting team had to put on the power before it finally won 21 to 6. Mavericks were again playing "heads-up" ball when they defeated Big Spring 18 to 13 and Ranger 47 to 43. Against Brownwood the Eastland team lost in the initial conference game of the season. San Angelo, however, won over Eastland 81 to 0.

The tentative starting lineup for Eastland will be: Cook and Pryor as pitchers; Perine and O'Neil, tackles; Barham and J. Taylor, guards; H. Taylor, center; Daniels, Awaft, Sikes and Samuels, backs.

Bill Garrard and Ralph Hamel of the Buckaroos will be ineligible scholastically for the game. Garrard is first string guard and Hamel's third string fullback, backing Ramsey and Kimble. Garrard's place in the starting lineup will be handled by Spot Collins, sophomore.

Divorce has been granted by 41st district court to Florine and Grafton S. Peak. The plaintiff's former name, Florine Reaves, was restored.

Prompt Payers of School Tax Listed

C. A. Hertig, assessor-collector of the Eastland Independent School District, Thursday listed the names of 4 individuals and organizations on an "honor roll" for prompt payment of taxes.

The tax payments were by: J. C. Penney Co., Mrs. Rita Foote, J. R. Thomas, John L. Ernst, Miss Sallie Morris, Ed I. Cox, Jr., Roy L. Allen, K. F. Page Harvey Chevrolet Co., W. H. Taylor, Eastland Building and Loan Assn., Jack W. Frost, Mrs. M. Dulin, Andrews Cafe, Mrs. Ida Jones Sinclair Refining Co., American National Life Insurance Co., Jarneck Mfg. Co.

C. L. Bigby, Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co., Standard Savings and Loan Assn., R. S. Bailey, C. W. Hoffmann, Home Owners Loan Corp., Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Co., McDaniel-Jay Co., Mrs. W. B. White, Mattie B. Lee, Earl Bendet & Co., C. M. Klaskan, Ed T. Cox Sr., H. S. Howard, Joseph M. Weaver, Mrs. Virginia B. Weaver, John S. Van Geem, W. K. Hyer, M. V. Brawer estate, Jim Horton and Mrs. Parilee Jordan.

Rev. E. H. Surface to Lead Presby Worship

Morning worship services at the First Presbyterian church will begin at 11 o'clock Sunday, with Rev. Eugene H. Surface in charge. Officials announced Thursday. Sunday school will begin at 9:50.

Nominate Students For Book Listings

Jack Hinrichs, son of E. Hinrichs of Eastland, has been nominated by students of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, for inclusion in the annual "Who's Who Among College Students of America." Hinrichs was one of ten students recommended by H-S.U.

Dalhover Taken Back for Trial



Manacles on his ankles and hands, his hat pulled low over his eyes, James Dalhover, bandit and killer, was led between two officers from the airport at Indianapolis, as the above picture was taken. There the surviving member of the Brady gang which was ambushed in Bangor, Me., with two members being killed, will be tried for one of three murders to which he has

FOREIGN WAR VETS CHOOSE CHIEF STAFF

J. H. Mitchell of Cisco was elected president of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, post 3359, at a meeting Wednesday night in the I. O. O. F. hall at Cisco.

Other officers chosen by the organization, which has a membership in Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, Rising Star, Moran, Putnam, De Leon and Scranton are: D. C. Norton, Gorman, senior vice commander; E. T. Personett, Cisco, junior vice commander; A. L. Clark, Cisco, quartermaster-adjutant; E. R. Grantham, Cisco, judge advocate; Luther Pryor Cisco, chaplain, and surgeon, Dr. E. R. Townsend, Eastland.

Major Joseph W. Timmons, of Eastland, retired, was commissioned to deliver a news commentary at each of the meetings which are held the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

J. S. Lowry, Eastland, World War veteran and former member of the U. S. Diplomatic Corp in Europe, was a speaker. Another speaker of the evening was Major Mackey, a visitor, former member of the "Old Hickory" division of the World War.

Those attending from Eastland were Captain K. K. White, Major Timmons, Carl Timmons and Dr. Townsend.

Eliasville Well Is Stimulated by Acid

BRECKENRIDGE, Oct. 21.— Acidization of the M. G. Cheney et al Well on the Martin land about three and a half miles north of Eliasville, Tuesday started the well to flowing at a rate that was of interest to oil men here and that immediate community.

Five thousand gallons were used in treating the well by Pitzer & West's Chemical Process company, and the well started flowing at a rate estimated at 92 barrels per hour.

The pay was struck at 3,400, and at 3,440 it blew itself in flowing natural by heads every ten minutes, some few days ago.

This well is near a test which came in several months ago from a freak sand at 2,100 feet but is not from the same formation. People around Eliasville were greatly encouraged today as the discovery of the deep test promises to revive production efforts in that section.

'Ring' Gets Blame For Auto Thefts

Recent automobile thefts in West Texas have prompted officers in this vicinity to believe the work was that of a "ring."

Most immediate loss of an automobile recently in the county was reported Monday at Ranger from a Breckenridge resident. Last week an abandoned car was found by officers of the county near Mangum but the owner has not been located.

Owners have been advised to lock their automobiles to prevent further thefts in the vicinity. Recent thefts reported by officers of West Texas include: Rotan, two; Baird, one; Odessa, two; Sweetwater, three; Tahoka, one; Roscoe, one; Big Spring, two; Coleman, one.

Estate Checking Is Approved by Court

Community property of J. H. Smith, deceased, and Mrs. Laura Smith were shown Thursday valued at 1,565 in the inventory and appraisal of the estate approved by County Judge W. S. Adamson.

Debts were shown as \$174.36. Mrs. Smith is administratrix of the estate. Appraisers were listed as John White, C. S. Eldridge and P. L. Crossley, all of Eastland.

Windsor Sees Germany First—U.S. Next



A good time was had by all, apparently, when the Duke of Windsor inspected a model factory near Berlin. The Duke laughs, and the working girl (wages, 10 cents an hour) in the background smiles merrily. Even dour Dr. Robert Ley, Labor Front leader in charge of the inspection tour, wears a satisfied expression.

Watershed Confab Scheduled in Austin

The State Planning Board was to begin Thursday, a two-day hearing at Austin on watersheds in Texas of which the Leon in this district is one, according to J. Frank Sparks, Eastland, chairman of the Leon River Flood Control Board.

Sparks understood that the hearing was for the revisionment of the board's recommended projects to the Federal Natural Resources commission which acts as a "go between" the board and the president in recommending to congress work for approval.

Watershed of the Leon River is in Eastland, Erath, Comanche, Hamilton, Callahan, Bell and Coryell counties.

Singers Will Meet At Cook Jan. 8th

A. E. LeClaire, Eastland, president of the Eastland County Singing Convention, announced Wednesday the organization will meet Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 8 and 9, in the Cook community.

Cook offered to host the meeting at the last convention at Hodnett Grove, near Rising Star, LeClaire stated. Cook is five miles south of Romney.

The January session will mark the convention's first quarterly meeting in 1938. Election of officers is at the April, 1938, meeting.

'Grassroots' Area Gets Big Producer

CROSS PLAINS, Oct. 21.— This area, center of one of the largest "grassroots" oil fields in Texas, was excited today over a new discovery seven miles west of Cross Plains.

The Roy Arrowwood No. 1 J. A. Miller topped oil sand at 630 feet and filled with 40 gravity crude. The new strike was estimated at 10 to 15 barrels per day on the pump.

Fine Is Assessed As Goats Eat Washing

EL PASO.—Nick Chertoss and Nick Russos paid \$50 and court costs after P. E. Hardcastle testified goats ate the family wash off his clothesline.

Peace Justice C. M. Wilchar fined them on a charge of permitting goats to run at large.

Eastland Cadet to View Presentation Of Lone Star Flag

The eyes of eighty-one future Texas naval officers, including R. T. Dwyer of Eastland, will be upon Miss Marion Mullins, state regent of the Texas Daughters of the American Revolution, when she presents a Lone Star flag to the United States Naval Academy on Navy Day, Oct. 27.

The presentation ceremonies of the flags of all states and territories will be held in the afternoon, with full dress regimental parade, preceded by a luncheon at the Academy for the National Board of the D. A. R., with Admiral Sellers as host.

Carriers Planning To Attend Parley

C. M. Murphy and W. F. Daventport, rural carriers of the Eastland postoffice, were planning on Thursday to attend the Seventeenth District Rural Carriers association convention Saturday evening at the Laguna hotel in Cisco.

Congressman Clyde L. Garrett of Eastland will be the principal speaker, and County Judge W. S. Adamson is to deliver the welcoming address. Another representative from Eastland will be Postmaster Frank A. Jones.

Eastland county will be further represented in the attendance of county commissioners Henry Daventport of Ranger, Newt Crawley of Gorman, Arch Bint of Cisco and A. N. Sweeney of Rising Star.

Other speakers of the evening will include Burreis C. Jackson of Hillsboro, William L. Fletcher of Hamilton, treasurer of the National Rural Letter Carriers Association, and Cisco Postmaster L. H. McCrea, who will preside. The dinner will begin at 7:30.

Curse Seems Lifted On Totem Pole Theft

By United Press SEATTLE.—In days gone by, the theft of a totem pole from an Indian burial ground placed a curse on the heads of the persons taking the pole.

H. H. Hinds of Falls City can't see why the same curse doesn't apply to his freshly-manufactured poles turned out in his roadside factory.

Hinds offered a \$25 reward for the apprehension of the culprits who stole a number of his shiny totem poles.

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- Vegall** Mixed Vegetables NO. 300 CANS 12c
- Pimentos** 4 OZ. CANS 9c
- Navy Beans** SMALL WHITE 2 LBS. 15c
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Auto Industry Shows Way to Revival

When famine comes and food is not to be had, an animal has to live on the fat which he stored up in the good days of plenty. Likewise with an industrial corporation; in hard times it must draw on the surplus laid up in good times.

Nowhere was this done to a much greater extent than in the American automobile industry. The giants of that trade entered the depression with full war chests; as a result, they were able to carry on in very fair shape, and although they did cut production and production costs they provided a pretty substantial amount of employment in the lean years.

Now, of course, the swing is the other way again, and it is worth while to look at a few figures.

At the end of 1928, before the depression struck, the five principal automobile companies (exclusive of Ford) had current assets of 464,557,000. By the end of 1932, these assets had dwindled to \$392,773,000. Today, according to the Wall Street Journal, \$545,645,000.

These figures will stand a little consideration.

In the first place, the auto industry has been the bellwether for that section of industry which believes in gaining profits through a wide volume of business carried on at a comparatively low profit margin. It has never relied on a protective tariff or on mutual agreements to keep prices up. It has pioneered in passing on to the consumer the production savings made possible by technological improvements.

Furthermore, since the end of the depression (assuming, for the sake of argument, that the depression actually is over) the auto industry has been the scene of a great unionization drive. The great producers have been signed to union contracts. Pay scales have been raised. Along with this, the prices of raw materials have gone up.

Yet the price the consumer pays for a new auto has gone up only a little. It seems fair to say that the auto people have boosted prices reluctantly and moderately. They have not, in other words, been in a great rush to pass increased costs along to the public.

All of this must be immensely encouraging to us old-fashioned people who believe that capitalism is still a lusty and vigorous force. Here is one industry, at least, which displays most excellent health—and proves once more that high wages, low prices and big profits can go along together.

Oldsmobile Sales At All-Time Record

Information from C. L. Hyatt, local dealer, states:

Oldsmobile production of 1938 model Six and Eight cars which started September 9 has now reached a daily total of 825 units, a higher pace for this time of year than ever before in the history of the company. Before the end of the month, McCuen expects that daily production will reach 925 units.

Total production of the 1938 cars through Monday, October 11, was 13,845, he stated, a fact which has permitted every Oldsmobile dealer in the United States to obtain an initial stock of display and demonstration cars. The manufacturing projection calls for production of 17,500 new cars by October 15.

"Oldsmobile is in better shape this year in the matter of new model production than it ever has been before," Mr. Hyatt said. "As the factory personnel settles into the manufacturing routine on the new cars our rate of production should continue to show a steady increase. The enthusiastic reception of the new 1938 Oldsmobiles by the public and the mounting volume of orders reported by dealers have forced us to make every effort to step-up production to assure prompt retail deliveries."

"The Oldsmobile production total for the first nine months of 1937 (including both 1937 and 1938 models) reached a new record high of 163,035," Hyatt added. "This compares with a previous high of 141,373 units in the corresponding period of 1936 and 127,177 units in the first nine months of 1935."

Retail sales for the first nine month period of 1937 rose to a new peak of 156,000, the highest total recorded during any similar period in the company's 40 years of manufacturing.

New Buick Seen By Local Citizens

Four engineering developments described as outstanding were pointed out to Eastland residents who saw the 1938 Buick for the first time Saturday at the Muirhead Motor company.

The new Buick is featured by improvements in style and mechanical improvements, said Muirhead, include a substantial increase in power and gasoline consumption economy without increasing the bore and stroke or otherwise changing the size of

Activities of Mrs. Jackson, Society Editor, Club Woman, Are Commended

By Staff Writer

Appreciation of her interest in activities and regret in her departure has been expressed by members of clubs following the moving of Mrs. W. K. Jackson, society editor and club woman, to San Antonio.

Closely allied with all organizations in Eastland, either as a member, club officials or official reporter, Mrs. Jackson in her residence in this city 20 years became one of its best-known citizens.

The pulse of Eastland's society, civic and womens activities were literally at her finger tips. From her typewriter and pen in 18 years of reporting in Eastland came the articles which invariably women and many men sought first in reading local newspapers.

Her business associates describe as indefatigable her capacity for work. Possessed of a newspaper writer's sixth sense—a nose for news—Mrs. Jackson's observation and research escaped little if any of the activities in her line.

A musician herself—piano and organ—she capably filled the assignment of music critic in her versatile work, associates stated. Thoroughly as in music concert reporting, Mrs. Jackson, it is stated, wrote equally as well of other activities.

For some time during her Eastland daily work poems appeared. Another division of her work were daily columns, entitled "Here and There."

Pontiac Adopting Even Price Policy

PONTIAC, Mich., Oct. 18.—Conforming with a uniform policy adopted by General Motors, prices for 1938 model Pontiacs now include everything in the car's cost to the retail purchaser, except local taxes, if any, and transportation costs from Pontiac, Mich.

This announcement was made today by H. J. Klingler, general manager of Pontiac Motors.

On a comparable basis with the 1937 prices in effect since August the new range reveals an average increase from 3.2 per cent to less than nine per cent.

The new engine, new rear suspension, new method of body mounting and self-shifting transmission are among other improvements.

Muirhead invited the public to view the automobile and note the many other numerous improvements.

and state-wide, were numerous. As a public speaker, she often addressed Eastland organizations on varied subjects. Of her writings several years ago, Mrs. Jackson stated: "I have believed in giving every person full credit for everything they do of a constructive or pleasing nature. I have used publicity as a powerful weapon in helping women to that recognition which was justly theirs."

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ing nature. I have used publicity as a powerful weapon in helping women to that recognition which was justly theirs." Dependability, state former business associates, was a marking of her work as a newspaper woman. Through illness and inconveniences her work was regular as clockwork, they added.

Mrs. Jackson's newspaper experience is traced to St. Joseph, Mo., where she was employed on a publication there. Later at Pauls Valley, Okla., she purchased a third interest in a daily paper and served as city editor.

Mr. Jackson, a co-worker with Mrs. Jackson in her newspaper work, died recently. Mrs. Jackson's departure to San Antonio followed his death.

subject, is living as a free man, but "a man without a country." He was granted a pardon two years ago on condition he be deported. His hopes were blasted, however, by Europe's changed geography which resulted from the World War.

Forster was aided in obtaining his freedom by William S. Ervin, now state attorney general and a member of the state pardon board, who, as Pine country attorney, prosecuted him on a charge of slaying his common-law wife.

Forster, unable to obtain permission to re-enter Germany or Poland, gained the sympathy of the pardon board, which decided to let the aging German spend his declining years in peace.

But the German wants to return to his native land and George Zable, state patrol agent, is communicating with the Polish consulate and immigration authorities to obtain authority for Forster to return to his birthplace.

WICHITA TRIP

Sheriff Loss Woods returned on Monday from Wichita Falls, where he placed a mentally ill patient in a state hospital. He was accompanied to and from Wichita Falls by Omar Burkett, a friend.

Man Without a Country After He Receives a Pardon

By United Press
STILLWATER, Minn.—On a ragged patch of ground near Stillwater prison where he served 19 years on a murder charge, Steven Forster, 73-year-old German

Have You Entered The Photo Contest?

We want to buy one hundred photos showing interior views of homes of this section. Each photo submitted must include a view of gas heating equipment. Note the sample below and read the five simple rules of the Contest conducted by your gas company.

A prize of \$10 will be awarded EACH of the TEN BEST PHOTOS submitted each week. At the close of the TEN WEEK PHOTO CONTEST four additional grand prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded the four best photos submitted.



This sample photo shows a vented circulating gas heater in the home of one of our customers.

5 Simple Rules of the "Heating Photo Contest"

- 1. All photos must include a view of the gas heating equipment used to heat the room or adjoining room in which the photo is taken. (See sample).
- 2. The house in which you reside must receive its gas service from one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and all photos submitted in the TEN WEEK CONTEST must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System. These companies are: Lone Star Gas Company; The Dallas Gas Company; County Gas Company; Community Natural Gas Company; Texas Cities Gas Company.
- 3. Employees of any company of Lone Star Gas System and their immediate families and professional photographers or persons engaged in the business of making photographs for commercial purposes are not eligible to enter this Heating Photo Contest.
- 4. All photos submitted must have your name and address (including the town) PRINTED PLAINLY ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER AND PASTED TO THE BACK OF EACH PHOTO ENTERED IN THE CONTEST.
- 5. All photos submitted should be delivered to your local gas company office or mailed to LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM, ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT, 305 S. HARWOOD ST., DALLAS, TEXAS.

The contest is for a TEN WEEK Period from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937 (inclusive). All photos submitted will become the property of Lone Star Gas System to be used as desired by the company. Photos entered in the contest will not be returned and weekly prize winners will be advised by letter. At the close of the ten week contest a complete list of prize winners will be available for your inspection at your nearest gas company office.

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Spurt In Latin-American Trade Is Boost for Texas

DALLAS. — Marked increases in shipments from the United States to Latin-America, indicating the growing concentration of American business interests in Central and South American markets, challenge Texas to capitalize its proximity to these developing trade areas in bidding for new industry, a report of the All-South Development Council, made public today, points out.

The council report cites a gain of 14 per cent in shipments to Latin-America for 1936, compared with 1935, more than twice the 6 per cent gain in exports to Asia, while no increase at all was

registered in European shipments during the same period.

Europe still ranks as America's No. 1 customer in volume of trade, with exports there last year totaling more than \$1,000,000,000, but the significant gains in Latin-American trade point to Central and South America as the fastest growing foreign market of the United States, the council's study declared.

It recalls that exports to Latin-America today are 40 per cent higher than the \$121,028,000 figure which was the average for the years 1910 to 1914. During the same period, shipments to Europe have declined 25 per cent from the 1910-1914 average of \$1,350,299,000.

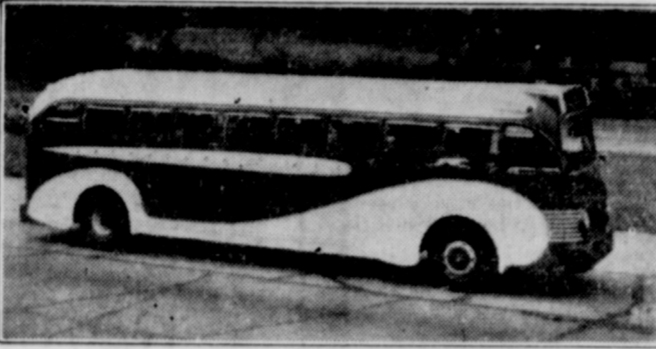
"The growing importance of Latin-American markets is indicated by the \$52,863,425 increase in exports over the 1935 figure of \$376,718,611, to bring last year's total to \$429,582,036," the re-

port states. "Imports likewise showed a gain of \$45,654,302 during the same period, to hit the \$528,722,136 figure."

The favorable position of the Lone Star State in the future development of foreign trade areas to the South, coupled with a 20 per cent increase in Texas purchasing power for 1936 compared to 1935, which insures an expanded domestic market, are powerful appeals to industrialists contemplating the establishment of new plants and factories, the council believes.

The major factor retarding the rapid settlement of new industry in Texas, it feels, is the uncertainty of business men over the state's tax policies. The demand in some quarters of Texas for higher taxes on natural resource industries, and the absence of any satisfactory guarantee of equitable tax treatment to new industry, are preventing the Lone

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Another noticeable feature is the new high, comfort level for passengers. It is above the vibration line and permits passengers to look over the tops of passing private cars.

Special consideration has been given to the baggage space. Two large compartments, water tight and dust proof, have been built under the floor of the coach for suitcases, trunks and large parcels. The baggage rack on the roof has been eliminated.

The interior is modernistic and luxurious. A new system of lighting consists of a continuous circle of frosted glass tubing running entirely around the ceiling.

Deeply-cushioned individual chairs have been entirely redesigned for use in the new Super-coach. They can be made to recline in four optional positions for sightseeing, reading, relaxation or sleep.

Greyhound's new Super-coaches are modern and different, but in every respect they adhere strictly to the high traditions of safety and reliability which Greyhound has established in its nation-wide system.

Tiny Baby Wins Over Long Odds

By United Press
NEW ORLEANS. — Tiny Jacquelyn Anne Clement sleeps out her days at Baptist hospital unaware of the history she is making for medical journals.

A corps of nurses and doctors hovers over her day and night, watching for any unusual development that may affect her growth. After more than eight weeks the "eye dropper" baby weighs only 3 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

Jacquelyn was born two and a half months prematurely. At birth she weighed only 2 pounds 3 1/2 ounces. Doctors were ready to announce a still birth but Jacquelyn gave a little gasp and deft hands of physicians brought regular breathing. An incubator was rushed to a special room. In that room constant vigil has been kept and Jacquelyn has shown continued improvement.

At first nurses fed her four drops of milk every two hours from an eyedropper. Several days later the "meal" was increased to three drams at two-hour intervals. Then water was added to the diet. Later came iron and copper and cod liver oil in small concentrated doses.

When she has reached 5 pounds doctors will permit Jacquelyn to be removed from the incubator, and perhaps she will be taken home. That will be several more weeks, though.

With the exceptional care that has been given her, doctors think that the tiny baby, whose head was no larger than a small apple at birth, has a good chance to develop normally. She may even be healthier than most children because of the careful watch kept on her diet, they believe. The normal development may be attained in six months or five years. It all depends on how the tiny body reacts to the care being given.

NEW "MEANEST THIEF" IS FOUND IN CANADA
THE PAS, Man.—A new candidate for the title of "meanest thief" has been nominated in this northern town. Boxes for the collection of funds to aid science in his fight against cancer were distributed about the various public buildings. An inspection a few days later revealed the theft of the box from the postoffice lobby.

FILMS TRAIN RAIL WORKERS LONDON.—The London Midland & Scottish railway is using films to train its widely scattered employes. A production program involving five new films, all of which are "talkies," is nearing completion.

Three Students Take Dormitory to School

By United Press
EL PASO, Texas.—Three students at the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy brought their own dormitory with them when they came to enroll in the college this fall.

The trio of high school graduates from Huntsville, Texas, combined their financial resources, bought an old car and trailer and manager to get to El Paso. They parked car and trailer on a vacant lot near the college campus and set up housekeeping.

The three students are Harry Miller, Harry Joe Bruce and Mark Duce. They obtained jobs, took in a "roomer," Carl Shepard, and are determined to "stick it out" until they get their college degrees.

KILLS 1,460 SNAKES IN DAY
By United Press
KNYSNA, South Africa.—Sam Roberts, a laborer, killed 1,460 snakes here in a day. Roberts was walking near his home when he saw a large puff adder disappear into a hole. He found not one snake, but 1,460.

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Youth Centers to Be Extended Soon

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA.—The American Junior Marines, revived after a depression of virtual inaction, has begun a drive for youth centers throughout Philadelphia and eventually in other parts of the country.

Designed to give young men and boys a chance to "find themselves" and an opportunity to participate in all forms of sport, the new centers will be located in districts where juvenile delinquencies are more prevalent.

The American Junior Marines has no tie with the United States Government, but originated as a boys' baseball team in 1927 under the leadership of Chas. E. Dreppard, now national commandant.

Realizing the need for a clubhouse where boys of the neighborhood could "blow off steam," Dreppard persuaded citizens of his section to form a committee and supply a meeting place for the youths.

Through the committee's efforts, the first youth center was

Band Leader



Above is Joe Buzze whose orchestra will furnish the dansapation for the Annual Policeman's Ball Saturday night at Connellee Hotel roof garden. The band was organized six years ago and has been in Texas for two and a half years, at the present headquarters in Waco. Ten musicians are in the orchestra, featuring "Alex and His Accordion" and Gene Phelps and his "original style of vocalizing." Some other features are Buzze's compositions, "Harmonica Rag" and a trombone solo, "Wanderlust Blues."

established. Immediately the number of delinquencies in that section decreased. Encouraged, Dreppard and his associates extended their efforts to other parts of the city and to Camden, N. J., just across the Delamare river from Philadelphia.

As the social and recreational centers grew, Junior Marines officials felt that a wider field lay open to it. They decided to make the organization educational as well as entertaining, and now are considering courses in Diesel engines, radio and photography, to be given in night trade schools conducted in the more centrally located quarters of the Marines.

Students must be members of the Marines, and must pass prescribed examinations before becoming enrolled in any course.

An aviation mechanics school already has been established and its work will continue on a more extensive scale with creation of the school of trades.

The organization, operated on a strictly non-profit basis, includes on its board of directors, W. S. Ottinger, chairman, prominent Philadelphia lawyer; R. G. Kitchen, official of the Jourdan Diesel Engine School; T. A. Sikorski and S. Diamond, both lawyers.

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Car Registrations In Slight Increase

AUSTIN, Texas.—Registrations of new automobiles in Texas during September increased moderately over the like month last year, but declined sharply from the preceding month, according to the Bureau of Business Research of The University of Texas. Sales in the intermediate price groups made the best relative showing.

Reports to the Bureau from fifteen representative counties give total sales of 4,698 cars, an increase of 4.5 per cent over September last year, but a decrease of 18.1 per cent from the preceding month.

Aggregate sales during the year to date for the fifteen counties were 51,088, a decline of 2.6 per cent from the corresponding period a year ago.

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Many Expected To Attend P.-T. A Carnival

A large attendance was forecast Thursday for the West Ward Parent-Teacher association's benefit carnival beginning Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the building east of the Texas Electric Service company.

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Receipts will be used for the school and underprivileged children.

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Court Action to Benefit County

The county will be approximately \$20,000 better off because of recent U. S. Supreme Court action which in effect held valid the state's collection of taxes on intangible values of pipe line companies, officials believed Saturday.

Litigation of several pipe line companies' attack on the validity of the law as it applies to them has been in progress since 1935. That year injunctions were secured against the State Tax Board enjoining it from certifying the values for the year 1935. Similar injunctions were allowed in 1935 pending final determination of the Texas Pipe Line case.

It is now expected that the board will be able to certify the values for 1935-36. New suits have been filed attacking the valuation for 1937 on the ground that fundamentally wrong systems were used by the board in making the valuations.

The state's share of taxes collected by the method, pending the collection is allowed, in the county for the period would amount to approximately \$9,000, it was estimated.

The Gulf company, apparently foreseeing the action that the case would receive in the U. S. Supreme court which denied petition for certiorari, has already paid Eastland and other counties the taxes.

DYNAMITE WORRIES TOWN

WINNIPEG, Man.—Uneasy lie the heads of residents of a suburb here at night, for twenty sticks of dynamite disappeared from a shack and police are unable to establish whether they were stolen by children or safe-crackers.

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FOR RENT—Five room modern house. See A. W. Williamson, 108 North Seaman St.

Triplets and Named 'Dion'



Too sleepy to pay any attention to the photographer, the Dion triplets, above, born to Mrs. J. Ellin Dion, wife of a Hollywood bond salesman, prove the name must mean something so far as babies in multiple lots are concerned. Combined weight of the triplets, reported in excellent condition, was 15 pounds five ounces, almost two pounds more than the weight at birth of the famous Dionne quintuplets, whose name is pronounced the same.

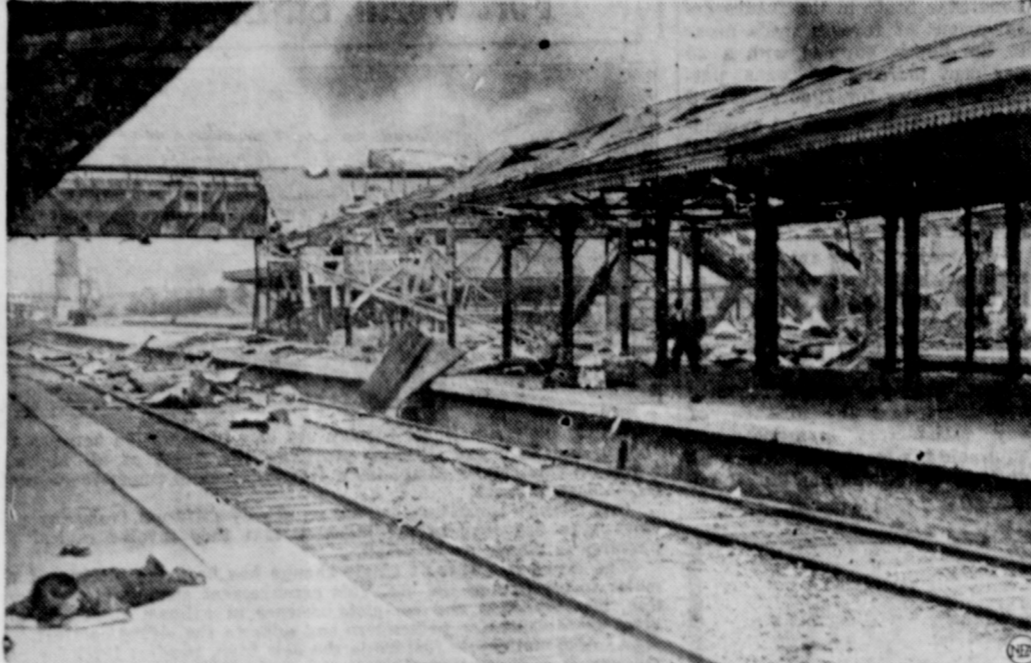
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A Bomber's Victim Pillows Her Head and Dies



Death came to many when the Japanese air raiders bombed this Kiangnan station and reduced it to splintered wreckage, and to the young Chinese girl in the left foreground death came strangely, leaving her with head pillowed on hands in a pitiable child-like gesture.

Carnegie Show of Art Drawn From Thirteen Countries

PITTSBURGH—The area of 13 nations is on exhibit at the 1937 Carnegie International Exhibition of Paintings.

Each of the 13 nations has a number of paintings in the exhibition, which is the world's only annual showing of current artistic output.

Three hundred of the exhibits are from the following European countries, with the most imposing names of the art world represented: France, England, Germany, Italy, Spain, Poland, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Sweden, Holland, Denmark and Norway. The United States section has 107 paintings.

Eighty-nine of the artists whose work has been chosen to hang on the walls at Carnegie Institute are making their debut in the International. Others have shown their paintings in previous Internationals and are in the top flight of artists.

The Jury of Award this year is composed of four painters, two from the United States and two from Europe. They are Henry Varnum Poor of New York City and Judson Smith of Woodstock, N. Y.; Raoul Dufy of Paris and Ferruccio Ferruzzi of Rome.

Awards will range from a \$1,000 first prize to \$100 for the fourth honorable mention.

NO LONGER MINOR
Disabilities of minority were removed Saturday in 88th district court for N. P. Barnes.

Party at Flatwood Honors Mrs. Barton

Mrs. J. H. Pittman was hostess at a recent party in Flatwood, honoring Mrs. Russell Barton with Mrs. Minnie Foster and D. E. Webb co-hostesses.

Halloween colors were used in the decoration of the house. At close of games a basket of gifts was presented to the honoree.

Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served the following: Mrs. W. A. Justice, W. T. Webb, S. W. Herring, F. L. Johnson, D. E. Webb, L. E. Horn, W. F. Arnold, P. F. Turner, Miss Madell Herring, Mmes. M. L. Drake, Ed Bennett, H. E. Wilson, D. M. Taylor, W. H. Wilson, T. E. Robertson, Cyrus Justice, C. A. Webb, M. L. Foster, J. H. Phelps, M. H. Byrd, C. J. Rancy, M. W. Grieger, O. G. Reece and the honoree, Mrs. Barton.

Geese Used to Carry Gospel to Indians

KINGSVILLE, Ont. — Jack Miner, world-famous authority on birds, is using geese to spread the Gospel among Indians and Eskimos.

Millions of birds visit Miner's famous bird sanctuary here. Miner catches many of them and tags and liberties them in an effort to study their migratory habits.

Huge flocks of geese stop twice a year at the sanctuary, and Miner puts a verse of scripture on the back of each tag placed on a bird. This, he asserted, spreads the gospel to Indians and Eskimos in the Far North who kill the geese for food.

New Trial Granted In Insurance Case

Because of misconduct of the jury, 88th district court has set aside a verdict in the case of Employers Casualty company against J. W. Cummins and granted a new trial.

The jury in the case answered all special issues for Cummins except the one which had the effect of nullifying the others, it was explained.

The case was filed in district court by the plaintiff to set aside an award of the Industrial Accident Board of Texas which found for Cummins in an order which amounted to approximately \$9000 judgment.

Cummins allegedly was injured July 15, 1934, by a fall from the turbine room to the basement at the Texas Electric Service company near Eastland. Employers Casualty was insurance carrier for the company.

Alice Raises Fund For New Library

ALICE, Texas—Approximately half a century after this city, then a pioneer cattle town, was christened, the woman who gave her name to it has presented the Alice Business and Professional Women's Club with a fund to be used in the construction of a library.

Mrs. Alice G. K. Kleberg, wife of the late Robert Kleberg, and mother of Richard Kleberg, made the gift to the club.

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Farmers Are Told To Paint Mailboxes Or Not As They Wish

WASHINGTON — Postmasters on rural delivery routes in Indiana, Illinois and Ohio have been telling mail box owners that the boxes must be painted, and that they should be painted with aluminum paint. It isn't so, says the second assistant postmaster general in Washington.

Certain rural postmasters have been circulating printed cards announcing the new "requirements" of the department.

Although the department "encourages" the painting of mail boxes, it makes no such requirement. And, besides, the department adds, if mail boxes are to be painted, it prefers that they be painted white.

IS IMPROVING
Further improvement was reported Wednesday in the condition of John Webb, Eastland resident injured Monday morning when struck by a hit-and-run driver.

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