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Girls Enter A Home In Ranger Monday

Girls from all over county reported at the making project in Ranger Monday afternoon and began a two-week term in the

Star had the most girls with a total of nine, Ranger had only one, Olden three, Carbon two, Cisco.

Girls will stay at the home weeks, getting training in addition to working in public offices. Two weeks training will return home for while another group is for a similar training school is scheduled to for at least six months, year.

Girls are to be registered or tomorrow, it was Montgomery from the Min-homemaking project, Mrs. Hattie Bragg of the home started Monday

Star—Neddy E. Crisp, Mable Swindell, Marsh, Mary E. Mar-netta R. Smith, Alice Beatrice N. Hines and Walker.

Ressie V. McDonald, Love and Treasure Dorothy J. Bisbee and

Mary E. Marshall, Nana Geneva McFadden, Ruth G. Gregg, Mary Frances Moore.

nd Citizens New Chance Copper 'Dope'

offer for Eastland to obtain a grasshopper extended Tuesday by Elmo V. Cook.

ook stated that persons in the city limits of may obtain the poison, by telephoning or his office prior to 5 p.

son will be distributed to office from 3 to 5 p. ay. When persons call they should, said Cook, the acreage on which it and so workers may pre-prepare amount. Adults person for the poison, son is to be furnished with the city of

distributed according to said Cook, the poison from livestock and pets. It be broadcast directly

commended that those the poison should dis-turbance night. It was at this may be the last for Eastland residents the poison already mixed cost, as later the mix-ture Cisco may be closed.

Seeking Who Stole Ring Recently

county officers are who recently apparel from a resi-dent one-half miles west stolen was as fol-

shirt, shirt, coat, blouse, checked blouse, under dress, coat valued at \$49.50.

Radio Kissing Not Much Fun



Those luscious-sounding snacks you hear over the radio in the romantic dramas are no kisses at all. Miss Torrance Chalmers of Atlanta, Ga., demonstrates above how the sound man manufactures those osculatory effects by rubbing the surface of a toy balloon.

Health Department Work Is Explained At Lions' Meeting

M. W. Barrett of Mineral Wells explained work of the State Department of Health, of which he is a representative, at the Tuesday luncheon of the Lions club at the Connellee hotel.

Cecil Barham, theatre manager, was unanimously voted in as a member of the club.

George Harper, second vice president, presided at the meeting. Rev. J. I. Cartledge, president, is attending the International Convention of Lions club at Oakland Calif.

L. R. Burnside, first vice president, also was not present.

Waterworks Men In Meeting at Ranger

Waterworks employes from over a district extending west to Abilene and north to Wichita Falls, met in the Paramount Cafe in Ranger Tuesday night to hear discussions of the latest methods of treating and handling water for city consumption.

This was one of a series of meetings held monthly in towns over the district, attended by water department employes from cities in the district. A total of 36 registered for the meeting in Ranger.

In addition to the principal speaker of the evening W. C. Blackmond of Ranger talked briefly on chlorination of water, using a model chlorinator in his demonstrations.

No Beer Selling During Vote Hours

Texas Liquor Control board officials have announced that beer retailers will not be permitted to sell beer in Eastland county from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., hours of the primary election.

From Austin, however, it was stated that deliveries by distributors and wholesalers to retailers would be permitted during those hours. The announcement from Austin was by Bert Ford, administrator for the liquor board.

Water Discussions Slated Next Week

Three meetings at which discussion of "Water in and out of the Home and Sanitary Garden Disposal" will be discussed are slated next week by Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent.

The meetings are to be at Romney, on Tuesday at Bass Lake on Thursday and at Reich on Friday.

Davisson Cites Record in Speech Before Oldsters

DALLAS, July 16.—"My opponents are making many promises, but they could not produce even if elected," said George A. Davisson, Jr., candidate for Lieutenant Governor, as he declared that the other candidates were attempting to appropriate his platform and his program in their race against him.

Saturday afternoon Davisson addressed a statewide meeting of age pensioners in Dallas. He said he would rest over Sunday in Dallas before starting out again for five days of campaigning throughout East Texas.

"A man's record is the only index to his future actions. Consequently, I question the ability of my opponents to carry out their programs even if elected," the candidate declared.

Although 20 pounds lighter in weight than when he entered the race, Davisson was pushing on steadily but rapidly bringing his program before the voters of East Texas. He planned to bring his speedy campaign to a smashing close during the next five days.

"Politics is like prize fighting. You would believe in a fighter who had fought and won. I have fought the battles of the public and won unemployment compensation, old age assistance, oil proration, and other legislation just as sound," Davisson declared.

Extend Date For Maturity Deadline On Cotton Loans

Maturity date on cotton placed under 1937 government loan has been extended to July 31, 1939 according to information received by Harry K. Westerman, assistant in agricultural conservation, from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Westerman gives excerpts from a letter received from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, as follows: "The Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 automatically extended the maturity date of these notes to July 31, 1939, and accordingly no producer need pay his note prior to that time unless he so desires."

"Paragraph eight of these notes requires compliance with the crop reduction program of the federal government and any producer who does not comply is personally liable for the note. Otherwise, there is no personal liability, provided, of course, there are no misrepresentations made by the producer in the note and loan agreement."

All producers who sold cotton in 1937 are urged to file cotton sales certificates or buyers' receipts at once if they have not already done so. All producers who placed cotton under the loan should also file their copy of the note at the county agent's office. This is necessary in order that they may receive the cotton price adjustment payment.

This payment in most cases will be three cents per pound on 65 per cent of their 1937 base production.

Attend Funeral For T. W. Harrison In Eastland On Friday

Out-of-town friends and relatives who attended the funeral for T. W. Harrison in Eastland Friday included L. E. Harrison of Dallas, Garland Harrison of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blackstock, Mrs. Howard Franks and C. E. Shook of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Davenport of Fort Worth, Jim Davenport of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Oates of Amarillo.

Trio of Couples Wed at Eastland

E. E. Wood, justice of peace at Eastland, officiated for three marriages Monday and Tuesday. The couples were: Woodrow W. Nix and Miss Lola Mae Hooker, Cisco; Arlie Wright and Edith Montgomery, Gorman; and J. E. Watson and Flora Mae Harker, Cisco.

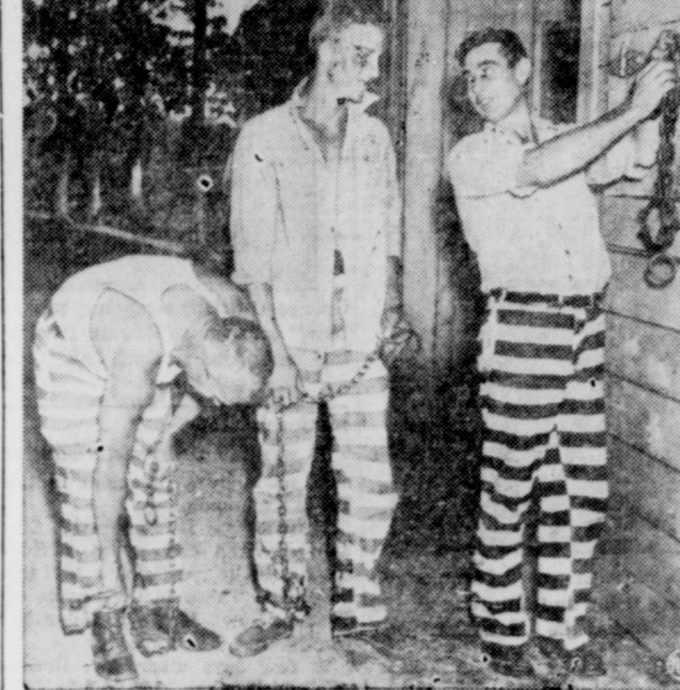
Assistant Agent Returns to Home

Hugh F. Barnhart, assistant county agent, returned Saturday from the adult and 4-H short course at College Station.

DIVORCE GIVEN

Divorce has been granted by 91st district court to G. A. McCleskey against Agnes N. McCleskey. The defendant's maiden name, Agnes McKenna, was restored.

No More Chains for Chain Gang



Georgian convicts take shackles from their ankles for the last time, to mark the end of the "chain gang." Ankle chains have been banned in the state—and these prisoners apparently like the prospect of no more raw ankles.

OIL ACTIVITY OF AREA ACCELERATED AS SITES PICKED FOR LOCATIONS

Oil activity in this portion of West Central Texas took a spurt this week as new locations and completions were reported.

In the Ellenburger lime area eight and one-half miles northwest of Cisco, Eastland county, Hickok Producing and Development company completed No. 3 Grover Cleveland, section 476, SP1TR survey, for 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas at pressure of 1,455 pounds.

With total depth of 3,604 feet, the well had its gas sand pay from 3,574-83 feet.

Following over a year's period in which the Downtown pool west of Cisco and one-half miles southeast of Eastland has not received exploitation, John L. Reeves, youthful Fort Worth oil man, announced location for No. 1 L. C. Downtown "A".

Projected for 1,500 feet, the test is in section 2, ETERR survey, block 6, 1,054 feet from the east line and 1,828 feet from the south line of the Downtown lease.

Hayner, Reaves and Hose No. 1 P. C. Larkin, three and one-half miles northwest of Rising Star, in Eastland county, section 40, block 2, ETERR survey, was testing what was reported to be 75 feet of lime in which a showing had been registered at approximately 2,550 feet.

Also in the Rising Star area, five miles north of the town, J. F. Baker No. 2 N. T. Mullory, section 1, William Ahrenbeck survey, in Eastland county, was drilling at 2,700 feet.

Salt water at 1,488 feet, total depth, resulted in plans to plug Dorothy Oil company No. 1 Mrs. J. L. Johnson, section 29, block 4, H&TC survey, one and one-half miles west from Eastland. Previously the test logged 2,000,000 feet of gas.

Comanche County Being watched more intently is the Gallagher-Lawson et al No. 1 Mrs. Bobbie I. Terry, N. H. Kuykendall survey, near Desdemona, in Comanche county, as it approaches the expected pay area. Total depth this week-end was beyond 5,140 feet.

R. D. Compton was shutdown at 1,400 feet on his No. 1 Griffin, block 2, Comanche county school land, nine miles south of Comanche.

Stevens County Lone Star Gas company No. 1 E. H. Brooks, section 54, block 7, T&P survey, a gas test, was drilling below 2,500 feet.

Palo Pinto County Palo Pinto Oil and Gas corporation No. 21 Strawn Coal company, two and one-half miles north of Strawn, was drilling below 2,100 feet.

Picking a location one mile west from Novice were Cooper brothers who planned to drill No. 1 W. R. Stockard, section 23, T&NORR survey, to depth of 3,650 feet.

Another new location for the county was Coleman Gas and Oil company No. 1 Sara Blanton, in block 4, Martinez survey, four and one-half miles southeast of Santa Anna, 1,000 feet from the west line and 800 feet from the north line, which will be drilled, according to present plans, to 2,250 feet.

Brown County Ed Selvidge completed his No. 2 J. N. Perry, section 36, J. G. Rhea survey, for 65 barrels of oil from a sand 1,231-49 feet. Total depth was 1,250 feet.

Marked up for Ralph Herring

Absentee Voting Ends With Total 313 On Tuesday

County Clerk R. V. Galloway announced Wednesday that total number of absentee votes in the Saturday primary reached 313 when the deadline for the casting of these ballots was reached midnight Tuesday.

The absentee votes were divided among the various precincts as follows: No. 1, 73; No. 2, 48; No. 3, 37; No. 4, 16; No. 5, 15; No. 6, 30; No. 7, 16; No. 8, 2; No. 9, 3; No. 10, 1; No. 12, 12; No. 13, 39; No. 15, 6; No. 17, 1; No. 18, 9; No. 20, 1; No. 23, 1; and No. 25, 2.

Those who voted absentee late included: Mrs. H. H. Pullig, Ralph Barton, M. L. Mitchell, A. H. Burkhalter, F. M. Hicklin, J. W. Turner, A. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Dixon, W. Williams, Gracetta Williams, Hallie Beth Williams, Mrs. Edna Cartwright, G. C. Powers, Mrs. Powers, Joe Jackson, John Honea, Mrs. Honea, J. F. Jeffries, Mrs. Hugh Barnhart, Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, L. E. Boyd and Mrs. Boyd, Doc Anderson, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. T. L. Overbey, J. A. Smith, George S. Lane and Mrs. J. F. Warren.

Friends Celebrate Birthday of Aged Woman on Sunday

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Mary Jane Harbin gathered Sunday at her Eastland residence to note her 84th birthday. Her birthday party was held Sunday because many could not have attended the other date.

Talks at the reunion were made by E. E. Wood and Cyrus Frost, Mayor C. W. Hoffmann of Eastland also was present.

There are four children of Mrs. Harbin. They are D. H. J. F. and Wiley, all of near Eastland, and R. A. Harbin, who lives with his mother.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Senter of Byers, Ralph Harbin of Oklahoma City, D. D. Harbin of Byers, David H. Harbin of Oklahoma City, Mrs. N. M. Daniels of Eastland, H. L. Spann of Wichita Falls, Julia Spann of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ragland of Wichita, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harbin, Elzo Harbin of Eastland, Vernie Spann of Wichita Falls, Charles Harbin of Byers, Dora Harbin of Byers, Dick Thomas of Cisco, Miss Doris Thomas of Cisco, Carl L. Harbin of Oklahoma City, Billy Harbin of Oklahoma City.

Minnie Harbin of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Wiley Harbin of Eastland, Mrs. H. G. Ellison of Olden, W. T. Webb of Eastland, Blanton Webb of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice of Eastland, Wayne Jackson and Ruby Lee Jackson of Eastland, B. J. Jackson of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kimbrell of Eastland, H. P. Pentecost of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Spann of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spann of Wichita Falls, Jerry Spann of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Killough of Eastland, Olivette Killough of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Yeager of Eastland, E. D. Hair, Lucy Hair and Dean Hair, all of Eastland, E. R. Chandler and Mrs. Chandler of Eastland, Mrs. D. G. Mitchell of Eastland, Cyrus B. Frost of Eastland, C. W. Hoffmann of Eastland, H. P. Pentecost of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cox of Eastland, J. T. Daniels of Eastland, H. A. Collins and Maud Collins of Eastland, Rosa May Harbin of Eastland, Lee Alton Harbin, D. H. Harbin, J. V. Harbin, Mrs. J. V. Harbin, Mary Lou Harbin, Wendell Sienert, Audrey Maxine Harbin, Hilton Harbin, Wiley Harbin, all of Eastland, Mrs. Hugh Kunkle of McClain, Ella Webb, Mrs. T. E. Payne, Miss L. Williams, R. A. Harbin, Mrs. M. J. Harbin.

Large Crowd Hears Candidates Saturday

One of the largest political crowds of the season in Eastland county Saturday night at the Carbon softball field heard county, precinct and representative candidates in their pleas for election to office Saturday.

Gorman Voters to Hear Group Friday

Officials Wednesday announced that speeches by county, precinct and representative candidates at Gorman, originally scheduled Monday, had been postponed to Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The addresses were cancelled Monday because of rain.

MARRY TUESDAY Ben Rodney Groce and Miss Pauline M. Jones of Baird were married Tuesday by Justice of Peace E. E. Wood at Eastland.

'I'll Wait,' Says His True Love



He did it all for her, and that's why Marie Paskal is standing in the cell door at Los Angeles county jail promising to wait for her fiancé, Marvin L. LeMarcho. Forging \$650 worth of checks to finance their honeymoon brought LeMarcho a six-month jail sentence. Miss Paskal, having sold their engagement ring to make restitution for the checks, is saying her last goodbye before the cell door closes.

Desdemona Terry Test Drills Ahead Below 5,217 Feet

Reports from Desdemona Wednesday stated that the Gallagher-Lawson et al No. 1 Bobby I. Terry, N. H. Kuykendall survey, Comanche county, was drilling with a hole full of water at total depth of 5,217 feet.

The drill was in lime and 12 to 15 feet of hole was being made every 24 hours.

Depth planned is 5,500 feet.

Davisson Address In Home Town to Be Friday Night

Winding up his first primary campaign, George A. Davisson, Jr., will speak at Eastland Friday night at 8 o'clock in the interest of his candidacy for lieutenant governor.

Davisson in an advance notice stated: "I will be glad to return home from an arduous campaign and speak to the people who sent me to the legislature."

The candidate is the author of many welfare laws and is regarded as one of the outstanding legislators in the lower house.

Jurors to Serve In 88th Tribunal Are Sent Notices

Names of persons to whom notices have been sent requesting that they report Monday morning for petit jury service in 88th district court next week were made public Thursday.

Notices were sent by Deputy Sheriff Tug Underwood to the following:

O. J. Tarver, Eastland, rt. 2; R. A. Steele, Ranger; E. E. Layton, Eastland; Edgar McCollum, Okra; Roy Pierce, Carbon, rt. 1; W. B. Pickens, Eastland; Jess McCandless, Cisco; H. L. Basham, Ranger; W. G. Womack, Eastland; A. A. Craghead, Gorman, rt. 2; Harry Schaefer, Cisco; H. G. Hines, Carbon, rt. 2; J. L. Turner, Ranger; J. A. Copien, Eastland; J. U. Thompson, Carbon; Herman Harrelson, Nimrod; Frank Stubblefield, Carbon; R. D. Maxwell, Sr., Okra; R. E. Payne, Ranger; C. J. Williams, Carbon.

Harvey Thurman, Cisco; O. E. Wisdom, Ranger, rt. 1; J. Seibert, Eastland; Clayton Cook, Gorman; C. C. Gilbert, Carbon; T. J. Anderson, Ranger; W. B. Statham, Cisco; P. O. Burns, Okra.

L. J. Lambert, Eastland; H. A. Lovell, Carbon; Bruce Butler, Eastland; W. B. Richardson, Desdemona; W. L. Creager, Ranger; Leo Healer, Ranger; W. Couch, Eastland; Dave Fiensy, Eastland; Frank J. Kribbs, Ranger, rt. 2; and W. E. Ellis, Rising Star.

'Hoppers Now Are Active on 60,000 Acres Says Cook

Eastland county's grasshopper infestation now covers 60,000 acres of land, it was announced Wednesday by County Agent Elmo V. Cook, who this week assisted Charles H. Gable of Abilene, representative of the federal government in Texas 'hopper control. The infestation is regarded as severe as it has been recently.

Only a small portion of the infested areas have received poison. In one part of the county, on the Jack Phippen farm near Dothan, it was found that fungus and parasites, natural causes, have reduced the number of grasshoppers.

The number of 'hoppers next year, it was said, depends largely on whether many of the 'hoppers will be destroyed by fungus and parasites.

Ten thousand of the 60,000 acres infested is in crop land and the remainder in pasture.

Name Committees For Rotary Club Work at Eastland

Members of standing committees for the Eastland Rotary club the coming year were announced Monday by A. H. Henderson of Olden, president, at the weekly luncheon at the Connellee hotel.

Another program feature was a talk by J. W. Cockrill of Gorman, secretary to Congressman Clyde L. Garrett, on "My Stay in Washington." J. E. Lewis, Sr., was program chairman.

The club voted to pay \$25 on transportation expenses of Eastland scouts who will attend the annual outing for the area youths at Camp Billy Gibbons near Richardson Springs.

Members of the committees named by Henderson: Aims and objects—Henderson, C. A. Hertig and members of the board of directors.

Cub service—Sam Gamble, Carl Johnson and James Horton. Fellowship—Ben Hanner, Jack Frost and J. B. Johnson.

Attendance—T. E. Richardson. Program—Earl Bender. Rotary information—Grady Pipkin, L. R. Gray.

Music—Julius Krause, Leo Stambaugh. Vocational service—W. E. Chaney, Carl Springer and R. N. Wilson.

Community service—W. E. Chaney, W. P. Leslie and J. H. Canon.

Rural-urban acquaintance—Hal Jackson, H. Pullman and Sam Gamble.

International service—W. P. Leslie.

Eastlandites Okeh LeMay's Candidacy

From Austin state headquarters of S. R. Lemay of Athens, candidate for state superintendent, Tuesday came word that George Progdon and Miss Ina Mae Vaughn of Eastland have endorsed LeMay's candidacy.

LeMay for the past 16 years has been superintendent of Athens city schools and for 25 years has been a teacher in rural, county and city schools and colleges of Texas.

Miss Carolyn Cox of Eastland, having completed the first six week's term at Texas State College for Women summer school at Denton, is now a senior student, a notice received Tuesday stated.

Miss Cox, who is remaining for the second term, is doing her major work in bacteriology and clinical pathology. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed T. Cox, Sr.

Thirty Register At Beginning of Women's Meeting

The course is to serve as a substitute to home demonstration club members of the county who did not attend the statewide short course last week at College Station.

Reports are to be heard on activities at the state meeting. The women will encamp at the park Thursday night.

Fashion's Sale Is Drawing Crowds

Crowds attending the annual Clearance Sale of the Fashion Shop which opened Thursday, were inspired into a buying mood through the many unusual values that the store offered to the women of this entire community.

Mrs. Dave Wolf, states that they were grateful for the response of women who came and selected their needs on the opening day and expresses sincere thanks.

Mrs. Wolf adds, "Our stocks are still complete in most every detail and there are lots of wonderful values for all women to select from. The sale will continue in full swing until all summer merchandise has been disposed of."

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CHEESE Full Cream Lb. 19c
Loaf, All Flavors Lb. 29c

DRESSED FRYERS, Pen-Fed Lb. 22c

HOT BARBECUE, Gravy Added Lb. 25c

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WOMAN FIGHTS BULL!



Martha Raye takes the bull by the horns and makes arena history in the hilarious climax of Paramount's new Mexican fiesta, "Tropic Holiday," which will have its first local showing today and Saturday at the Lyric Theatre. The man who has taken refuge under his sombrero is Bob Burns, the Arkansas sage turned caballero for the day. Dorothy Lamour and Ray Milland are also cast.

Texas Is Missing Chance to Secure A Pulp Industry

DALLAS, Tex.—Texas has potentialities for leadership in the southward trend of paper and pulp manufacture which are being largely overlooked for lack of aggressive courtship of this and other industries for which the state is naturally qualified, says a report of the All-South Development Council.

An exhaustive five-year survey just completed by the United States Forestry Service shows that 35 pine-growing counties in East Texas have the greatest potential supply of pulp in the country, the report quotes E. L. Demmon of New Orleans, director of the Southern Forest Experiment station, as saying.

Pointing out that in the rich cellulose-growing region of East Texas some 87,000,000 cords of pulpwood are available for production of kraft paper and newsprint Demmon said, "Texas must wake up and induce the new pulp mills moving south to locate in this state whose natural resources place it at the top as a logical location. In the last 18 months \$100,000,000 has been invested in the south in new mills, but most of them are located in Louisiana, Georgia, Mississippi and Florida where aggressive industrial programs are under way to increase income and employment."

The East Texas timber belt, according to a Texas Forest Service survey, has an area of 12,624,000 acres, of which 10,615,000 are of the pine type, the remainder in hardwoods. Average non-depleting yields, per year, of 6.89 cords of pine and 2.02 cords of pulp-type hardwoods, form the basis of the estimate of ready timber. Total pulpwood requirements of the United States average only around 12,000,000 cords a year, whereas about 30,000,000 cords in trees of proper pulp size are available in Texas right now, and it is a self-producing crop when properly conserved.

Stating that a Texas pine grows half a cord per acre per year, three times as fast as spruce in Canada, Demmon said "You have everything for this industry in Texas; besides the fast-growing wood crop, you have sulphur, limestone, water, ample labor and cheap fuel. But the Old South, more limited in physical resources than Texas, is getting the jump. On January 1 there were in operation or under construction 38 pulp

mills. Only two are in Texas, compared with seven for Virginia, seven for Louisiana, five for Florida and three for Mississippi. Production of pine for pulp is a new industry which might well offset the loss of income to Southern farmers through the cotton restriction program.

Imports of pulp and paper for the United States normally account for more than 50 per cent of the nation's consumption, which indicates an expansion of the industry in this country is desirable and feasible without any danger of over-production domestically, the report said.

John Barrymore has offered for sale his old home, together with its wild animal heads, South American Indian skeletons, and totem pole. He wants to be alone.

Dust Bowl to Have A Memorial For Pres. Roosevelt

By United Press
AMARILLO, Texas.—A memorial to Franklin D. Roosevelt, the president who was rain-soaked on a visit to America's "dust bowl," was planned today to be placed in the park where he spoke here.

Planners hoped to put on the memorial shaft the words: "A mighty good omen," which Mr. Roosevelt used to express his reaction to the rain. Nearly 100,000 persons saw and heard the chief executive on his recent two-hour stop here during his trans-

Marshal O'Brien Obeys "Gun Law!"



George O'Brien, strapping star of RKO Radio's action drama, "Gun Law," consents to Edward Pawley's heinous plans, coaxed by a menacing six-shooter. "Gun Law" comes to the Connellee Sunday and Monday.

continental tour.

It was the first public address ever made by a president in the Texas Panhandle.

Mayor Ross D. Rogers of Amarillo invited citizens of a five-state area to participate in the memorial. These include parts of Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma.

A few days after Mr. Roosevelt's visit, over \$500,000 in federal funds was allotted to this area for conservation of water resources, the topic upon which the President spoke.

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MR. BUSINESS MAN AND LABORER!

Mr. Laborer, Mr. Business Man, Mr. Property Owner, and Mr. Citizen of Eastland County Precinct No. 1, we believe you are interested in knowing the facts concerning Mr. Henry Davenport's, Commissioner of Eastland County, records since he has been in office. The Commissioners' Court books are open to the public. We have, therefore, taken the time to secure from the records at Eastland the following data:

During the Government's program through WPA projects to say nothing of the CWA, Mr. Davenport has secured projects to the expenditure of \$310,056.00 under his supervision and the expenditures have accomplished

Total Number of Man Hours Created	528,729
Total Number of Miles Road Built	65.05
Total Number of Posts Cut for Fence	39,435
Total Number Miles Fence Built	111.04
Number of Acres Land Grubbed for Right-of-Way	164
Cubic Yards of Road Gravel Spread	89,040
Cubic Yards of Borrow and Road Way Excavation	99,066
Structural and Channel Excavation cy	6,070
Stone, Concrete bridges, and culverts built	143
Cy Stone Masonry	3,085
Reinforcing Steel Used	65,628
Sacks of Cement Used	12,285
Stone Ditch Baffels Built	2,035
Rock Excavation cy	36,034

Mr. Laborer, Mr. Business Man, Mr. Property Owner, and Mr. Citizen, you know this has been a tremendous aid to Eastland County Precinct No. 1 due to the fact that the laboring man received the money and spent it with the business man, which has helped business generally.

At every meeting, Mr. Davenport has always fought for the laboring man in order to get better wages, more opportunities for them to work by keeping the projects planned ahead. Everywhere you go in his Precinct you see his accomplishments. Mr. Davenport stands high with the WPA officials. His records and accomplishments in the past prove this. We believe he is in a position to continue this prog-

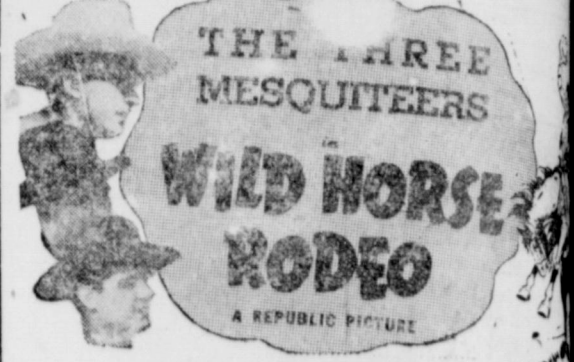
ress in the future which he has made in the past, in fact, we believe he is now in a better position to accomplish more for Precinct No. 1 than ever before due to the experience he has had in the past.

We believe every laboring man, every business man, every property owner should give the above facts serious consideration before casting your vote and we believe the above accomplishments warrants a vote for Mr. Davenport.

(This ad has been paid for by people who are interested in seeing Mr. Davenport reelected due to the fact we believe it is for the laboring man's best interest, business man's best interest, and for everyone living in Precinct No. 1).

This advertisement paid for by interested Tax Payers of Precinct No. 1.

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TOMATOES 2 Pounds 7c

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BOLOGNA PER POUND 10c

BABY BEEF STEAK Loin or T-Bone— Per Pound 25c

ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT Per Lb. 25c

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Jowls— Per Pound 12½c

Texas King
FLOUR
12 Lb. Bag 37c
24 Lb. Bag 63c

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TEA
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BEANS
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Longhorn— Per Pound 19c
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5-Lb. Loaf— Per Pound 25c

SALT
3 1½-lb. Boxes 10c

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Ex-Industrialist With a Social Conscience

A Brand-New American diplomat is launching his international career amid difficulties, but in a cause that is so broadly humanitarian that many eyes are fixed on him.

To solve jointly this heart-breaking problem, President Roosevelt has called a conference in Switzerland of representatives of 32 democratic nations, to canvass and pool their respective facilities for taking in these 20th Century Ishmaels.

Heading the American delegation, and the general meeting, is a diplomat new to diplomacy, and yet not new to great affairs. He is Myron C. Taylor, sometime chairman of the U. S. Steel Corporation.

Taylor, who rounded out a long business career by reorganizing financially the huge U. S. Steel Corporation, and by signing the first general labor contract ever granted in the United States by a great steel company, appears now in a new role. His business career behind him, he announced that he intended to devote much of his remaining span to public service.

The assignment to the refugee conference followed. Taylor is hard at work there to get definite results that will to some extent alleviate this mass of misery.

This may seem a strange occupation for the one-time head of the great steel combine. Yet it is not so strange when it is first remembered that Taylor is a Quaker. As such he is a member of the sect which is making so gallant a fight throughout the world to see that pity shall not perish, nor mercy be forgotten.

People were astonished when Taylor took his revolutionary step in signing a labor contract with the C. I. O. on behalf of U. S. steel. They would have been less so if Taylor's Quaker modesty had not obscured a social conscience which guided a long career devoted to New York's Family Welfare, United Hospital and Mobilization for Human Needs relief campaigns. He had also quietly served his government on committees under both Presidents Hoover and Roosevelt.

COMMITTEEMEN NAMED TO GUIDE EASTLAND COUNTY FAIR SUCCESS

Committees for the twelfth annual Eastland county fair, Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1, were appointed Wednesday afternoon by T. E. Richardson, president of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, at the organization's office.

Ed T. Cox, Sr., of Eastland was named as general chairman, marking the second successive year he has held that position. The exhibits will be at the old Pickering Lumber company in Eastland, which was used for that purpose last year.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Lamar Apartments.

WANTED—50 pairs of men's second hand shoes suitable for repair and resale. Mrs. R. L. Rowe, 112 No. Seaman.

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FOR SALE: 1906 Model Maxwell Roadster; good running condition, owned by J. N. Wright of Beatty Texas. Will be in Eastland Saturday. Car is at 408 South Walnut Street.

At the meeting Wednesday it was announced a feature of the fair will be the Texas Kid Shows which will provide a free rodeo.

A meeting of fair committeemen and others will be held next week at 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Committee members appointed were as follows: General chairman, Ed T. Cox. Secretary, H. J. Tanner. Treasurer, C. J. Rhodes. Asst. chairman, Frank Castiberry.

Athletics, Ed T. Cox, Jr. Midway, F. S. Nelson, chairman. Finance, C. W. Hoffmann, Albert Taylor, E. Hinrichs. C. J. Rhodes, Carl Johnson, Mrs. Will Martin, Mrs. Dixie Williamson, Mrs. Curtis Hertig, Mrs. Frank Castleberry, Mrs. Bert McGlamery, Mrs. A. H. Johnson.

Publicity, Stewart Doss, chairman; Earl T. Williams, Cecil Barham, A. H. Henderson, Olden, W. E. Sellers, Rising Star, W. H. LaRoque, Cisco, B. A. Butler, Cisco W. H. Mayes, Jr., Ranger, Merrett Dunn, Carbon, T. C. Wylie, Gorman.

Program and community entertainment, H. J. Tanner, Oscar Lyrel, George Harper.

Community Agricultural Booth John W. McKenney, Cisco Rt. 2, Elmo Cook, Miss Ruth Ramey.

Agricultural department, Wayne Thurman, Cisco rt. 2, Elmo Cook.

Advertisement for Gebhardt's Sandwich Spread featuring a woman and the product.

Miss Ruth Ramey, Chas. Wende, Cisco rt. 2. Livestock, T. E. Richardson, P. E. Walker, W. C. Connell, A. W. Armstrong, Rising Star; Rufus Cox, Rising Star.

Home Demonstration, Mrs. Owen Hinman, Ranger rt. 1; Mrs. Felly Barron, Gorman rt. 2; Mrs. Calvin Swan, Gorman; Mrs. Ted May, Ranger rt. 2, Miss Ruth Ramey.

4-H Club Boys, Hugh Barnhart chairman; L. R. Higginbotham, Gorman rt. 3.

4-H Club Girls, Mrs. M. W. Creiger, chairman; Mrs. L. R. Higginbotham, Gorman rt. 3; Lorraine Byrd, Eastland rt. 1, Miss Mabel Caldwell. Woman's Department, Mrs. Ed Layton, chairman; Mrs. Jim Horton, Mrs. Len Hightower, Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell.

ITAC Claims One Student of India In Roll Lookover

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, July 21.—One foreign country, four states and eighty-one Texas counties are represented by students at John Tarleton college during the summer session.

L. H. Wadhvani of Bombay, India, is the first student from his country ever to attend Tarleton. Nels A. Anderson has come to Texas from Jamestown, N. Y., and New Mexico is represented by Doris Isbell of Portales. B. W. Matthews is from Emerson, Arkansas.

Erath leads all Texas counties with 101 students at Tarleton. Eastland county is second with 11 representatives, and Comanche is third with nine.

From Eastland county have come the following students: Rosalie Boler East, Robert A. Hen-

STATEMENT TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 1:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you people of this precinct for the vote given me two years ago, when you elected me Constable. I am now asking you for a second term on the record that I have made, I feel that with these two years of experience, I can render you a better service in this office for the next two years.

HUGH CARLETON Candidate for Constable Second Term

erson, H. J. Kelly and Olivette Killough, Eastland; Elsie Hummel, Jack C. Palmer and James W. Ralston, Ranger; B. J. Joyce, Rising Star; Clifton Miller, Cisco; and Evelyn Whitehorn, Gorman. Long a place of assembly for students from all over the state.

Advertisement for Ford, Chevrolet, and Plymouth owners, featuring a 'SAVE \$10 TO \$12' graphic.

JUST RECEIVED—BRAND NEW SHIPMENT MARATHON TIRES

Advertisement for Marathon tires with a price list: 28-29 CARS \$7.90, 30-31 CARS 8.15, 32-33 CARS 9.25.

Advertisement for Lucas Service Station offering 'FREE BATTERY INSPECTION' and 'TIRE REPAIRING'.

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ern nation. Wadhvani, who is studying agriculture, transferred from Texas to Cambridge, England.

Advertisement for Goodyear tires with a 'YOU'LL GO FARTHER' graphic.

... and you'll have a thrilling pride of ownership on the tire that gives you greater safety, beauty—with the Goodyear Good Weather.

GOODYEAR Massive construction safety and long mileage to fit your power! Price 53c

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50c

Advertisement for Lucas Service Station listing 'SPECIAL' services like Quality Sponges, Top Grade Chemicals, Polishing Cloth, etc.

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ELECT HENRY V. DAVENPORT COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Sometimes in elections there is so much confusion that local candidates for most important offices are neglected, particularly as to the men who are elected to the office.

In Eastland County the office of Commissioner is above all one of the most important, if not the most.

The duties of the Commissioners are to handle all the finances of the county and act as overseers for the proper distribution of the funds from taxation and all other sources.

We are particularly interested in the election of the most efficient person for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

In looking over the record that has been made by Henry V. Davenport one can readily see the value of his services to the people of his precinct, as well as to the advantage of the entire county.

Davenport has proven himself thoroughly capable of conducting the affairs of his precinct as well as getting the most results out of the taxpayers' money for all work that comes under his jurisdiction.

His economical methods of handling the funds allotted to him has been outstanding throughout his past administrations. He has been fearless in assuming the position of seeing that no money is paid out for any purpose other than which is proper and worthy, whether for charity or for returns in labor.

He has been fair to all communities in the distribution of lateral roads that have been built and graded, and as fast as possible has been taking care of those communities that demand attention for better roads.

To defeat Henry V. Davenport in the coming election would be a calamity to the taxpayers of his precinct and would set back and create a serious menace to the road and work projects that his program calls for. It would be costly to every property owner in Precinct No. 1, and would cause irreparable losses.

The careful and devoted attention that Henry V. Davenport has paid to the needs of not only his precinct but of the entire county has placed him among the greatest assets the county could have. His judgment in matters of importance to the taxpayers' interest is not denied by his colleagues and his service is entirely free from discrimination or selfish motives.

Every voter and taxpayer in this entire precinct should make it a special business to cast their vote for Henry Davenport for their best interests. A careful analysis and study of his record will make an impression that will justify his retention in the office as your County Commissioner.

During this period of government spending, in which Eastland County has and will receive much benefit, if properly handled, it is the duty of every citizen to have a man who is thoroughly familiar with the Federal Government process for allotting funds for all county projects. The several years' experience that Henry V. Davenport has had in this particular work with government officials qualifies him above all others as the man to retain.

(THIS LETTER PAID FOR BY INTERESTED TAXPAYERS OF THIS PRECINCT.)

(Pol. Adv.)

Large advertisement for Eastland National Bank, stating 'AS IS THE USUAL CUSTOM--- THIS BANK WILL BE CLOSED SATURDAY, JULY 23 ELECTION DAY' and 'PLEASE ATTEND YOUR BANKING NEEDS FRIDAY!'.

(Pol. Adv.)

Home Is Goodbye to Hired Girl

LABOR-SAVING devices have displaced the typical American woman in a nation-wide survey by the Department of Agriculture.

Statistics show that Whitecomb Riley's classic, "our hired girl," portrays the typical in "lone life," the department's family factotum in the household, cooked things to eat that the

children loitered about her kitchen table until she chased them away with some such refrain as: "Clear out of my way; there's time for work and time for play! Take your dough and run, child, run, or I can't get no baking done!"

In reaching its conclusion the department studied "household help" tables of 8,434 white non-relief families in 140 typical villages in all sections of the country.

"The importance of 'our hired girl' has decreased as services of commercial bakeries and laundries have increased, as canneries and garment factories have grown, and as labor-saving devices have come into the home," Dr. Louise Stanley, home economics director who supervised the survey, said.

"Then, too," she added, "many

a homemaker would rather spend for a car and widen her social contacts than to spend for a maid if this means only leisure to sit on the front porch and watch the neighbors ride by."

The New England and Pacific regions were lowest in percentage of families having hired help and in average amount spent. In the former only one in twenty-five families employed help. The average of all families was \$54 a year.

On the Pacific coast the percentage of such families ranged from four in the low income bracket to 45 in the highest. Hired help for the housewife was slightly more prevalent in North Central, Middle Atlantic, Plains and Mountain states.

The Southeastern village housewife, in contrast to her Northern and Western sisters, stood a very good chance of having help. Among 2,092 families interviewed household help ranged from 16 per cent in the low income bracket (\$250-\$499 a year) to 100 per cent in the highest (\$5,000-\$9,999 a year).

maintain a road construction program, pending the outcome of the state highway planning survey now nearing completion."

Britton took exception to a recent state highway department report — endorsed by the Citizen's Road Association — estimating receipts and disbursements for this year. The report indicated that

only \$3,579,000 of state funds will be available for construction to match federal aid this year.

In the highway department's estimates, he charged, receipts for this year were reduced to less than actual experience in 1937, and disbursements increased in certain accounts more than 1937 experience.

"In addition, a new \$1,000,000 disbursement account is included that never before has appeared in any of the department's statements of either actual or estimated receipts and disbursements. This new-found account is entitled 'cost of survey and plans, right of way, etc.' It's strange why an item of such major proportions should now appear for the first time after all these years when the state has built 15,000 miles of roads."

Britton cited automobile club figures which rationalized "the state highway estimates, an estimate authorized by Chairman C. C. Earp of the highway commission, and 1937 actual receipts from gasoline taxes and drivers' licenses."

"Actual gasoline tax collections in the first five months of this year exceed collections in the cor-

responding period last year by nearly \$500,000. Receipts from registration fees in the same period show an excess this year of \$1,260,000. Therefore, in estimating receipts for the full year, it is conservative to say that gasoline tax collections will increase at least \$500,000 over last year and that registration fees will gain approximately \$400,000.

"Consequently, estimated receipts total \$2,285,000 and disbursements \$16,812,100.

Police Station Is Robbed by Thieves

CLEVELAND, Ohio. — When thieves took the coat and uniform cap of Capt. Harry Weis from the office of central police station

here, police thought that they would be enough of that. They hung a mirror so they could trap intruders.

Recently thieves entered again, look Patrolman Harry Smith's overcoat and blouse from his locked locker in the basement, escaped unobserved.

GORMAN VISITORS
Deputy Sheriff Fug Underwood was a business visitor Saturday at Gorman.

AGENT RETURNS
County Agent Elmo V. Cook returned Friday from the annual adult short course at College Station.

Miss Vivian Tice and Frank Reeder of Cisco were married at Eastland Friday in the office of Justice of Peace E. E. Wood.

WHEN YOU GO TO THE BEACH . . .



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Road Fund Row Stirs Missouri

By United Press
ST. LOUIS, Mo.—An increase in the Missouri state gasoline tax is not necessary to produce sufficient funds for road construction this year, believes Roy F. Britton, president of the Automobile Club of Missouri.

Britton and the club's board of governors have gone on record as opposed to the proposal of the Citizen's Road Association for a constitutional amendment to increase state gasoline taxes from 2 to 3 cents a gallon. The amendment petitions are now being circulated to place it on the ballot in the November general election — also would freeze registration fees on passenger cars at the present rates for the next 10 years, and would apportion highway construction funds between trunk line roads, city streets and supplementary roads.

Britton declared that figures show Missouri has more than \$6,000,000 in the state road fund with which to match \$4,500,000 federal aid in 1938. The figures were compiled, he said, from the state highway commission estimates, coordinated with 1937 actual receipts from gasoline taxes, registration fees, drivers' licenses and miscellaneous fees.

"The purpose of the club's estimate," Britton said, "is to dispel the impression that state road revenues are dwindling to a point where federal aid will be reduced and to refute the argument that an increase in tax is necessary to

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ORANGES Doz. 19c	Short
BANANAS Doz. 15c	RIBS 2 Lbs. 25c
GREEN BEANS 2 Lbs. 15c	Seven
ENGLISH PEAS Lb. 10c	STEAK Per Lb. 19c
LETTUCE, 2 Large Hard Heads 11c	Seven
CELERY Large Bunch 12c	ROAST Per Lb. 15c
CARROTS Bunch 4c	Pork
TURNIP GREENS Bunch 4c	CHOPS Per Lb. 22c
TOMATOES Lb. 5c	Red Cup
CREAM PEAS 3 Lbs. 10c	COFFEE 2 Lbs. 29c
CANTALOUPE 2 for 5c	Clover Farm 8-oz.
CALAVOS Each 10c	SALAD DRESSING Glass 10c
KNEEDIT FLOUR 48 Pounds 99c	
PORK & BEANS, C-F Can 5c	PINEAPPLE JUICE, 2 No. 2 Cans 25c
PEANUT BUTTER Qt. 25c	APRICOT NECTAR Can 9c
WHEAT PUFFS, C-F Pkg. 9c	GRAPE JUICE No. 2 Can 9c
RICE PUFFS, C-F Pkg. 9c	TOMATO JUICE, C-H-B, 2 Cans 15c
CORN FLAKES, C-F Pkg. 9c	PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3-oz. Can 32c
WAX PAPER 2 Rolls 15c	
PRUNES, Del Monte, 2-Lb. Box 23c	MEAL 20 Lb. Bag 45c
HONEY 5 Lb. Can 49c	PORK AND BEANS No. 2 1/2 Cans 10c
TOMATOES 4 No. 2 cans 25c	

FOODS CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS
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PHOTO-FLASHES



RAPID TRANSPORTATION — Dumfriesshire, England — Andrew and Sadie McGinley once had to walk five miles to school if they went around by the road. Now they sit in a chain loop and are pulled across the river, with only 500 yards to go.



FASHION HIGHLIGHTS—(1) A flowery printed dress with an afternoon coat of fine back wool crepe. (2) A gaily printed cotton pique in red and blue on a background of white gives a summery effect. (3) A beautiful ensemble in grege imported woolen with the bodice of the dress in matching silk crepe.



CHINESE PARADE IN NEW YORK—One of the many floats which appeared in the parade marking the observance of China's National Solidarity Day. These fair oriental misses depict a Chinese heroine story of over 700 years ago.



IN THE SPORTS WORLD—(Above) Alice Marble, tennis queen, shown in a practice session at Germantown, Pa. (Below) John Montague, miracle man of golf, obligingly entertains the gallery at Santa Catalina Island with an exhibition of remarkable driving.



PREVIEW OF OCEAN QUEEN—London—This is how the new 85,000-ton White Star liner "Queen Elizabeth," now under construction at Clydebank, Scotland, will appear when completed.



"THE RECESSION HAS REACHED BOTTOM," says William F. Humphrey, president, Tide Water Associated Oil Company. "No American has the right to be pessimistic about the long time picture of this country. America has been built through the vision, energy and ability of the American business man. Fair wages and proper working conditions for employees, good-will from customers, cooperation with stockholders and greater concern for the welfare of the masses are all parts of industry's responsibilities. Let's stop calling names and look to the future which is full of promise."



GOLDYLOCKS—Pretty Joan Weber wisely selects a field of golden poppies for her lovely hair.



FRED PERRY, tennis star, constantly wires and cables flowers to Helen Vinson, his movie star wife, while on tour, and here he's ordering a specially big bunch. Consumers Information, which sends us this photo, points out that American industry, in developing services for the consumer, even helps to foster romance.



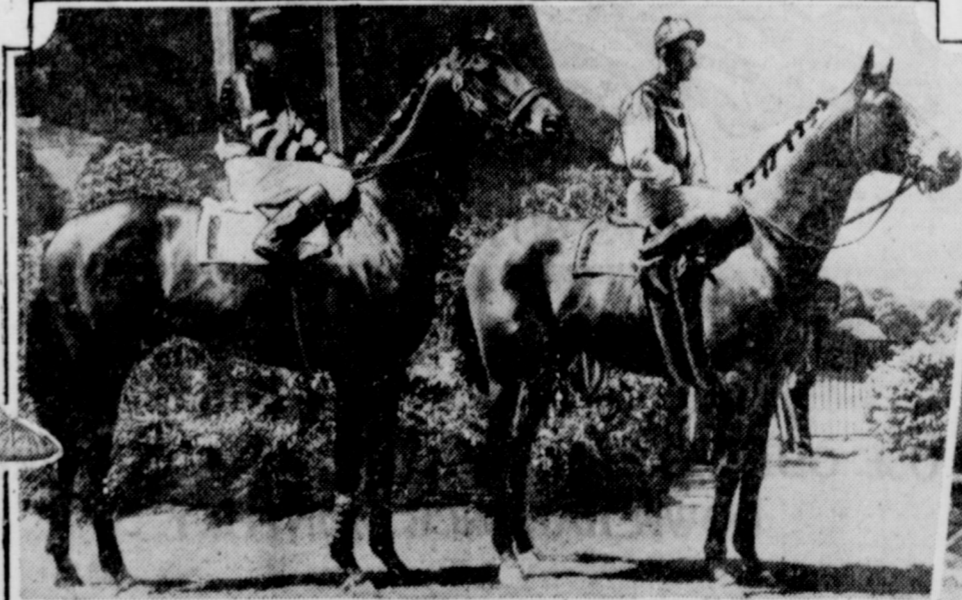
IRISH WIT MEETS U. S. ENVOY—London, England—George Bernard Shaw (left), smilingly chats with Joseph P. Kennedy, American Ambassador to London, following a recent ceremony.



WPA WORKER BIDS FOR CONGRESS — St. Louis, Mo. — Lawrence Edward Smith, employed on a St. Louis park project, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congressman. Smith's hopes for election are based on the promised support of 26,000 fellow WPA workers in this city.



NOT BAD, EH?—Perhaps Harriet Haddon, lovely screen starlet, is one of the reasons that gentlemen prefer blondes.



LEGS DID IT!—Seabiscuit (right) and War Admiral (left) were supposed to run for a stake of \$100,000 on Memorial Day—but Seabiscuit's bad knees caused the cancellation of the race.



NEW ANESTHETICS DISCOVERED — Cleveland, Ohio—Dr. F. W. Whitaker, assistant professor of chemistry at Case School of Applied Science (right) and Herbert Wiese, a senior, demonstrate three new anesthetics which were discovered after experimentation with 400 varied compounds.

Brooks Is er Thursday

Brooks, candidate for Governor spoke here yesterday. He expressed interest in his campaign and the streets were lined with people to see him. The candidate for Governor spoke here yesterday. He expressed interest in his campaign and the streets were lined with people to see him.

has simmered down to Stevenson or Brooks. The selection of an old line politician who has been feeding out of the public trough at Austin for 12 years, or the election of a plain business man Lieutenant Governor. Brooks told his audience of his efforts for the past several years to effect a reduction in the automobile license tax. "I believe that the automobile license tax should be abolished," Brooks said, "and that we should have in its stead a nominal registration fee." He charged that whenever this question was brought up the politicians cried out that it would curtail our present highway program. "This is

not true," said Brooks. "Texas is well ahead in its road-building program and its bonds have been substantially reduced and there is now a cash surplus on hand. Gasoline taxes from the increased sale of this product will very easily offset any loss of revenue." He charged waste and extravagance in all State Departments and pledged himself to work for an immediate reduction in the tremendous overhead at Austin. He said that the administration of the old age pension law is a disgrace to Texas, and stated that he was in favor of placing its operation in the hands of local officials who know the needs of their own home people.

Plans Finishing For Production Of Albany Show

Robert Nail, dramatic director, assisted by an able corps of assistants, is rapidly whipping the cast of the great cavalcade of West Texas entitled "The Fort Griffin Fangdangle" into shape, and will be ready to present on the evening of July 29, what is confidently expected to be the most entertaining production ever presented here. The script, written by Mr. Nail, has embodied historical facts and amusing events into a show that will keep the audience on their toes from start to finish. The cast is composed of the best talent to be obtained, while costumes will range from the early Fort Griffin days to the modern dance frocks, including those of the gay '90's. A preview, or final rehearsal, is being arranged for the evening of July 26, at which the audience will consist of members of the press and officials of the various service clubs in the Fort Griffin area, all of whom will be the guests of the local chamber of commerce, sponsors of the show.

As an additional feature planned by Mr. Nail and the members of the committee there will be an open-air dance to be given on a spacious platform erected on the football field. This dance will immediately follow the show. All reserved seat tickets will contain a coupon ticket of admission to the dance. This is expected to be a dance for both young and old, as the old-time ranch dances will be intermingled with modern swing. The management has already received notice of many people who are coming from a distance, even as far away as Dallas and Fort Worth.

Texas' Wildlife Reports Are Made by the Game Dept.

AUSTIN, Tex.—A game preserve established in Limestone county in 1926 produced some tangible results, according to a survey conducted recently by J. G. Burr, one of the field men of the game department. The county had few quail when the preserve was established, but now they are found virtually in all sections, Burr reported. The birds came from a foundation stock of 200 quail placed in the preserve by the department. The preserve also was stocked with about 30 deer, a few wild turkeys and 200 pheasants, the latter brought from Oregon. A few deer survive along the Navasota. The wild turkeys have disappeared. So also have the pheasants. Through experiments in various parts of the state the department has learned that pheasants, while they do well in captivity, seldom survive in the wild over most of Texas because of adverse environmental conditions. Although Texas is not listed in the breeding range of the woodcock, a school teacher, C. M. Ferguson, of LaSalle, reported to the game department that the birds had been seen in the vicinity of both LaSalle and Kosse in Limestone county. Ferguson said a few woodcocks nested near LaSalle. The game department will investigate the report. If you plan a vacation trip to the Guadalupe Mountains in extreme western Texas, watch out for porcupines. Few people have seen porcupines in Texas, for they are very rare in this state. The other day, however, Bob Snow, field naturalist of the game department, killed one in the Guadalupe north of Van Horn. They are not protected by law.

The needle-skinned animal and his companions, if any, were believed to have migrated south from Arizona and northern Mexico, where they are common. Snow also reported seeing several black bears. The problem of keeping deer out of gardens and fields is being tackled by some Hill country ranchers with an electric deer-proof fence, according to reports to the game department. The electric fence is yet an experiment and will not be recommended until additional tests are made, officials said. One in Kerr county, near Kerrville, is said to work to perfection. An electric wire was strung inside

the regular fence on three sides of a large grain and truck field. During a period of one week, no deer molested crops from the three sides. Deer entered from the fourth and unprotected side, however, and had their fill. The experiments are being watched with interest by many ranchers who have suffered heavy crop losses while conserving their deer.

IS DISMISSED

Case of Jules Videau against First Baptist church of Cisco was dismissed Tuesday by 91st district court at the cost of the plaintiff.

SERVICE and PROMOTION

ing served the of this county our County er to the best ability, I am asking you to e me to the of DISTRICT that the ex- e I have gain- ed by qualifie me er you a great- ce if you will eld e.



JOHN WHITE
Candidate for District Clerk
Eastland County
(Pol. Adv.)

Official Departs For Her Vacation

Miss Mabel Caldwell, assistant home demonstration agent, left Saturday for a two weeks' vacation at Garland and cities in East Texas.

Jurors to Meet Monday Morning

Members of the district court grand jury are to meet Monday, July 25, and investigate reports of alleged lawlessness.

WATKINS MAN WANTED

Local Watkins Route now open for reliable man with car. No capital or experience required but you must be able and willing to put in full time. Good income and permanent connection to right man. Write to C. R. Lewis, care The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tennessee.

Political Announcements

The Weekly Chronicle is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

- For District Clerk: Claude (Curley) Maynard.
- For County Treasurer: Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper. W. O. (Dick) Weekes.
- For County Judge: W. S. Adamson. (Re-Election)
- For Sheriff: Virge Foster.
- For Floritorial Representative: 107th District Eastland, Callahan Counties. T. S. (Tip) Ross. (Re-election). Wayne Sellers. Omar Burkett.
- For Assessor-Collector: C. H. O'Brien. (2nd term).
- For Constable, Prec. No. 1: Ben Pryor.

CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE

Earnestly Solicits Your Support For

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

For Second Term

A vote for him is a vote for the advancement and welfare, and financial stability of our schools.

EVERY CHILD MUST HAVE THE BEST!

Thoroughly qualified and experienced. All favors greatly appreciated.

Yours for better schools,

CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE

(Pol. Adv.)

July CLEARANCE SALE!

Pool and Sweet Orr Work
PANTS & SHIRTS
\$3.25 and \$3.45 Values a Suit!
SPECIAL... Per Suit \$2
SINGLE GARMENT \$1

Extra Special! Odds and Ends!
MEN'S SHOES
One Table
From Our Regular Stock—
Values to \$4 — Per Pair \$1.95

STARTING THURSDAY,
JULY 21st THRU
AUGUST 1st
FOR ONLY 10 DAYS!

Men's
DRESS SHIRTS
\$1.29 and \$1.50 Values—
On Sale at 59c
OR 2 FOR \$1.00

One Rack
MEN'S SUITS
Consisting of seersucker, white linen & cotton. Values to \$12.75!
(No Alterations) SPECIAL \$5

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE BIG SAVINGS

One Table Men's Summer
PANTS
Odds and ends left over!
Values up to \$2.95!
SPECIAL—
YOUR CHOICE ... \$1
(No Alterations)

MEN'S
SUITS
It's the Men's Shop for the last word in smart suits! And now you can fill your suit wardrobe at a big savings! ... Every suit plainly marked on the sales tag!

1/4 OFF

\$21.00 VALUES	\$15.75
\$22.50 VALUES	\$16.95
\$25.00 VALUES	\$18.75
\$30.00 VALUES	\$22.50
\$35.00 VALUES	\$26.25

One Lot Students' and Men's **SUITS**
2 and 3-piece models!
Values to \$25.00!
\$11.95

Men's Wool **PANTS**
California varsity slacks, tropical worsteds, gaberdine & Nu-Cool Cloth!
Values to \$10.00
20% DISCOUNT



MEN IN ALL WALKS OF LIFE CAN SAVE ON THIS CLEARANCE

A SWEEPING CLOSE OUT OF ALL
Mens Straw Hats
PANAMAS and STRAWS
Now is the time to get your straw hat ... Buy one now and save it for next season!

\$7.50 VALUES NOW	\$4.95
\$5.00 VALUES NOW	\$3.85
\$3.95 VALUES NOW	\$2.78

All Straw **SAILORS**
1-2 PRICE

One Table Essman Waterproof **HATS**
Values to \$2.45!
59c
2 for \$1.00

ONE LOT PANAMAS & LEGHORNS
ODDS AND ENDS
SPECIAL — CHOICE \$1.19

Ladies'
SWIM SUITS
1/2 OFF
\$3.95 VALUES— \$2.65
NOW
\$4.95 VALUES— \$3.30
NOW
\$5.95 VALUES— \$3.97
NOW
One group Odds & Ends! All wool ... \$1

Men's
SWIM SHORTS
20% OFF
One Lot Choice
50c
Boys' and Men's

SHOES JARMON
Whites and Two-Tones!
REGULAR \$5.00 SHOES \$3.85
FLORSHEIM
REGULAR— \$7.95
\$9.50 VALUES
REGULAR— \$8.95
\$10 and \$11 VAL.

ALL LUGGAGE
20% DISCOUNT

THE MEN'S SHOP

EASTLAND TEXAS

EXCLUSIVE FOR MEN

EAST SIDE SQUARE

Official Distributors
BOY SCOUT
Apparel and Supplies!

SAVE
in this

GREAT MID-SUMMER

Event!

Our GREATEST CLEARANCE

ATTEND THIS
REMARKABLE
REDUCTION SALE

GANTNER
BATHING
SUITS

Values
From
\$2.98
to
\$6.95



BLOUSES

Your Choice

50c & \$1

Values from
\$1.19 to \$1.98

Other Values to \$2.98

Choice \$1.49



THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS OF
MERCHANDISE SACRIFICED
DURING THIS SALE!

It's Colossal!

The most impressive fact of this ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE is that we don't purchase odds and ends especially these sales. You will find only our regular quality merchandise slashed to the limit for quick sell-out. Every garment summer merchandise must go now. These values quoted on this page are ROCK BOTTOM PRICES and you will miss the opportunity of a lifetime if you fail to take advantage of some REAL BARGAINS!

Out they go!

Another Amazing Scoop!

FOR THE WOMEN OF THIS COMMUNITY FROM THE FASHION SHOP

Out they go!



ONE GROUP
39 DRESSES

VALUES TO \$14.95

- Pastel crepes
- Bemberg sheers
- Printed crepes and
- Linens

\$3.00

Printed crepes, printed chiffons, solid color sheers and chiffons, printed linens and laces in sizes from 11 to 44.

ONE GROUP
57 DRESSES

VALUES TO \$18.50

\$5.00

- Chiffon sheers in solids and prints
- Laces & hand block-ed linens

ONE GROUP
52 DRESSES

VALUES TO \$22.50

\$7.50



Choice of All Better
DRESSES

- Dark Sheers
- Chiffon and Marquisette

\$10

SHOP and SAVE!

WASH FROCKS

VALUES TO \$2.98 . . .

THIS SEASON'S STYLES . . .

Your Choice

Other Values to \$6.95 Now \$2.00 and \$3.69!

\$1.00

10 KNIT SUITS

Values to \$18.50! . . . Included in these are Snyder-Knit . . .

Lample . . . and Bradley!

\$5.00

34 WHITE LINEN SUITS

Pilot Brand Pure Imported Linen

Swagger and mannish type. Sizes from 12 to 42.

\$1.98

SHOP and SAVE!

FINAL CLEARANCE!
SUMMER HATS



Cartwheels!
Brims! Sailors!

Every Hat in stock MUST GO! Buy those "extra" hats you need to finish summer smartly!

\$1.95 to \$4.95 Values!

48c - 98c

and **\$1.98**

ALL BETTER HATS
DOBBS INCLUDED

1/2 OFF!

67 BAGS

(Values to \$3.95)

In Patent and Kid . . . Pigskin, Gaberdine! . . . Navy, Black, White, Copper, Red, Green, Multicolor!

\$1.79

ONE GROUP PURSES 79c

NOW
ON SALE!



Sensational Summer SHOE SALE!

565 PAIRS SUMMER SHOES

This is not a conglomeration of odds and ends but every conceivable style for summer wear from our regular stock. Complete range of sizes. They must be sold.



GOING AT

Patent leather, British tan calf, white kid, gaberdines, in dress and sport heels.

1/2

ONE RACK

Shoes

BROKEN SIZES

From our regular stock regardless of former price!

97c

\$4.95 Values \$2.47

\$3.95 Values \$1.97

FOR THE FIRST TIME
IN EASTLAND . . .

RED CROSS and AIRTRED SHOES

\$6.50 Values—
NOW \$4.97

ONE GROUP LINGERIE

Broken sizes Vanity Fair Gowns, Lockseam Slips, Kayser Pajamas, and stepins!

Values to \$2.95. A Real Bargain. YOUR CHOICE:

\$1



HOSIER

Values to \$1.00!

Not All Sizes In Every Shade—NOW **49c**

Two and Three Thread Clariphane—NOW **89c**

Genuine Crepe Hose—NOW **98c**

CLOSING OUT
SUMMER
MERCHANDISE TO
THE BARE WALLS!

THE FASHION

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

EASTLAND

NEVER BEFORE
SUCH VALUES OF
THIS DESIRABLE
QUALITY
MERCHANDISE

The Legislature For Another Term

Cecil A. Lotief, candidate for Representative from the 106th district, quotes the record which he made during his service in the 43rd and 44th legislatures. He offered many bills and amendments to bills to save large amounts of money to the taxpayers of the state.

Mr. Lotief offered the following amendments:

As recorded in the House Journal of the 43rd Legislature on page 956, to amend the committee of HB 167, page 65, line 6, by striking out the amount and figures of \$10,000. The amendment was adopted, thus saving \$10,000.

As recorded on page 957 of the same Journal, an amendment to this section, "Amend the committee amendment to HB 167, page 5, line 22, by striking out the figures of \$20,000 and inserting in lieu thereof, \$10,000." The amendment was adopted, saving \$10,000.

An amendment to the committee amendment of HB 167, page 68, lines 20 and 21, by striking out the figures of \$50,000 and inserting in lieu thereof \$40,000. As recorded in the Journal on page 1120, the amendment was adopted, saving again \$10,000.

An amendment to HB 166 as recorded on pages 1641 and 1642 of the Journal was adopted, saving \$3,000.

On page 2445 of Vol. II of the Journal is recorded an amendment by Mr. Glass and Mr. Lotief, dealing with the appropriations, being SB 472. The amendment was adopted, saving the taxpayers \$187,375.

During the 44th Legislature, Cecil A. Lotief offered, as recorded on page 928, an amendment to the committee amendment of HB 674, by striking out the figures and \$100,000 and inserting in lieu

Judge J. N. McFatter, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 2, Ranger, issues the following statement:

"I wish it were possible for me to see all the voters in my precinct before election because I want to thank them for the good things that have come to me and mine because of their confidence over the years. As you know I am making one more race for Justice of Peace of this precinct and have only one promise to make and that is this: 'If you elect me your Justice one more time I will never again ask the people for this office. This will give me 20 years service, the longest service of any justice ever held in the county.'"

"The voters do not owe me one thing. I am asking for this place the last time, and again let me thank each of you for the many times you have voted for me over all the years that I have been your Justice of the Peace."

"J. N. McFatter."

thereof the amount and figure of \$50,000. The amendment was adopted, saving \$50,000.

An amendment to the committee amendment of HB 777, as recorded on page 2352, was offered by Mr. Palmer and Mr. Lotief, striking out the following, "To pay J. C. Penney Co., \$3,960," in the refund of taxes. The amendment was adopted, saving \$3,690.

An amendment to the Burns amendment as recorded in the Journal, page 28 of the First called session of the 43rd Legislature, was offered by Mr. Lotief "by striking out the amount and figures of \$15,000 and inserting in lieu thereof the amount and figures \$77,500. The amendment was adopted, saving \$7,500.

Another amendment as recorded on page 1688 of the Journal of the 44th Legislature was offered by Mr. Lotief. It was a new section reading "Providing no person who may be employed by the State of Texas shall ever use any of the State's own cars for their own use, or any of their families to use such cars for their own pleasure." The amendment was adopted. This saving amendment dealing with State owned cars is worth to the taxpayers in gasoline and oil alone, at least, a year, \$150,000.

The total saving mentioned herein, including the saving of gasoline and oil of state-owned cars is \$422,565.00.

Mr. Lotief mentions only a few of his economy measures. Other amendments dealing with economy in State Government are listed in H. J. of the 43rd and 44th Legislature.

Re-Election Race

Earl Conner, Jr., present District Attorney is today thanking the citizens of the county for the splendid cooperation they have given him during his first administration and is also urging everyone to vote Friday in the primary.

Young Conner has made a wonderful record during the first elective term as District Attorney and although he has no opponent for the second term has been quite active in community affairs.

Conner is well known in Eastland county and is a native son.

C. H. O'Brien Has No Opponent In His Second Race

C. H. O'Brien, present Assessor and Collector is using the newspapers again today to thank the voters for the confidence they have reposed in him. Even though I have no opponent for the second term, says O'Brien, I want the people to know that I appreciate what they have done for me and I expect to give them the best that I have at all times.

O'Brien is another of Eastland County's sons and his parents were among the first settlers of the county.

Big Rio Grande Project Is Near Its Completion

By United Press

EL PASO—The \$6,000,000 Rio Grande rectification project started in 1934 has been practically completed and the river is flowing once again in the San Elizario channel which it abandoned in 1858.

The earth work is finished. There remains some floodway leveling and, possibly, additional structures. Even exchange of lands between the United States and Mexico, which were involved in the project, has been accomplished, with the exception of two small tracts in Hudspeth county, Texas, which will go to Mexico.

The channel which the river left 80 years ago for a new one six miles away is today an entirely different affair. In former years the channel was 24 miles long. Now, it is 12 miles, in practically a straight line.

The present channel was the last link to be completed in the rectification. It reduced the 155 miles which the river traveled between El Paso and Box Canyon, below Fort Quitman, to 88 miles.

Building the San Elizario Island channel included construction of levees along each side of the 12-mile stretch of water. This work was pushed as a flood protective measure, as considerable damage has been done in the past by the river overflowing its bankless channel.

San Elizario Island came into existence when the river abandoned its original course near the Mexican foothills and took up a new line along the foothills on the United States side of the valley.

The widest distance between the old channel to which the river has been returned and the new channel which it has occupied for 80 years is six miles. The island between the two channels covers about 13,000 acres.

A total of 14,600,000 cubic yards of earth have been moved in building the 88 miles of rectified channel. The work also necessitated the construction of 176 miles of levees.

The program was carried on under the direction of the International Boundary Commission. L. M. Lawson represented the United States on the commission. The Mexican commissioner was J. Pedrero Cordova.



Henry V. Davenport, commissioner from Precinct No. 1, who is a candidate for re-election to the position he is now holding

TO THE VOTERS OF JUSTICE PRECINCT No. 1:

I am indeed thankful to you for your support given me in the last election. I have endeavored to make you a good officer and discharge the duties of the Justice of the Peace.

I will appreciate your further favor in the primary election on July 23.

Sincerely,
E. E. WOOD.
(Pol. Adv.)



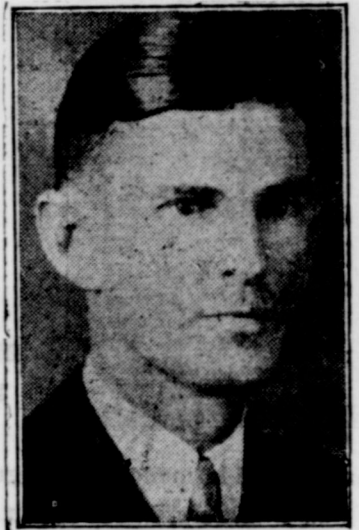
CECIL LOTIEF
AS YOUR
REPRESENTATIVE
FROM EASTLAND COUNTY

(Pol. Adv.)

I Will
Appreciate
Your Vote
and Influence

TO THE VOTERS

In grateful appreciation to the citizens of Eastland County for all your kind cooperation, I extend greetings as your



ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

C. H. (HARL) O'BRIEN

(Pol. Adv.)

THANKS A LOT---



I have been most happy and grateful in my work with the people of Eastland County as your Criminal District Attorney, due to your wonderful cooperation in making my service more efficient to preserve law and order in this section.

EARL CONNER, JR.

(Pol. Adv.)

THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE

FRIDAY, JULY 22nd, 1938

This edition is presented to the citizenship of Eastland County in the interest of the candidates offering themselves for public office. We commend them to our readers as all men and women of high standing and qualifications essential to the conduct of good government.

WE INVITE YOU TO READ THE STATEMENT OF EACH CANDIDATE IN THIS ISSUE OF THIS PAPER!

How to Vote and Who Can Vote Is Explained For Benefit of Voters

Because of the large number of lost votes in previous elections, information for guidance of voters next Saturday is given:

1. No exemptions are required in this county for the purpose of voting.

2. A voter must have a poll tax receipt or be entitled to an exemption and must have resided in the state one year and in the county six months and no restrictions as to time limit on the precinct.

3. A man votes in the precinct where he resides even though he moves the day before and must vote in the precinct where he resides, it being a penalty to vote in another precinct other than the precinct in which he resides.

4. Do not put an (x) before the party you desire to vote for.

5. Do not write anything on the ballot excepting the name of the person you desire to vote for precinct chairman, in other words, do not sign your name to the ballot on the back, front, or anywhere and the proper way and only way to vote is to draw a line through the names of the parties you do not desire to vote for.

6. If you do not scratch the name of any one where there are two or more candidates you do not vote for anyone except those who do not have an opponent.

7. If you make a mistake in your ballot, do not attempt to erase it but take it to the election judge and he will mutilate the ballot and give you another. This cannot be done after the vote is put in the ballot box.

8. When in doubt, consult the election judge of your precinct.

Dream Leads Search To Body In River

By United Press

MARATHON, N. Y.—A man's dream, authorities of this little village say, enabled them to locate the body of a woman who was drowned in Tioughnioga river.

The woman perished when her automobile skidded off the road and plunged into the creek.

For seven days boatloads of volunteers dragged the river for the body without success.

On the eighth day, William Knapp, a truck driver, reported that he had a dream during the night that the body had been found off a cove in the river.

Playing a hunch, the searchers quickly found the body.

Candidates Who Made Political Edition Possible

The following is the list of candidates who sponsored this edition and whose advertisements appear on the following pages:

Loss Woods, candidate for sheriff.

Ed Curry, candidate for representative, 107th district.

Jerry Sadler, candidate for railroad commissioner.

Wayne Sellers, candidate for representative, 107th district.

Col. Ernest O. Thompson, candidate for governor.

P. L. Crossley, candidate for representative, 106th district.

W. S. Adamson, candidate for county judge.

C. S. Eldridge, candidate for county superintendent.

Judge Critz, candidate for state supreme court.

Garland Branton, candidate for county treasurer.

H. V. Davenport, candidate for county commissioner, precinct 1.

A. L. Stiles, candidate for county commissioner, precinct 1.

Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper, candidate for county treasurer.

Omar Burkett, candidate for representative, 107th district.

Dick Weekes, candidate for county treasurer.

John Barnes, candidate for constable, precinct 2.

Cecil Lotief, candidate for representative, 106th district.

Tip Ross, candidate for representative, 107th district.

Claude (Curley) Maynard, candidate for district clerk.

E. E. Wood, candidate for justice peace, precinct 1.

C. H. O'Brien, candidate for tax assessor-collector.

Earl Conner, Jr., candidate for criminal district attorney.

T. C. Williams, candidate for county superintendent.

Dog days are getting closer, and so is the atmosphere.

Poll Tax Payments In County Boxes

	Polls	Ex
1 Eastland, CH	860	25
2 Eastland, C Hall	591	22
3 Ranger, C. Hall	537	17
4 Ranger, Young	474	10
5 Cisco, E.	372	9
6 Cisco, W.	1006	20
7 Rising Star, W	316	16
8 Rising Star, E.	165	5
9 Pioneer	108	5
10 Alameda	45	3
11 Kokomo	51	9
12 Carbon	254	4
13 Gorman	492	13
14 Long Branch	21	0
15 Okra	84	3
16 Scranton	58	3
17 Nimrod	41	1
18 Olden	155	10
19 Dothan	39	4
20 Romney	52	2
21 Mangum	20	0
22 Pleasant Hill	26	0
23 Staff	49	0
24 Cook	38	4
25 Tudor	16	1
26 Desdemona	172	4
27 Sabanna	22	0
Totals	6,064	138

Negroes Like Names Known to History

By United Press

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Many names from the pages of world history are possessed by Negro servants of Miami Beach. During the registration and finger-printing of servants, which is required by a city ordinance, names of Negro domestics included:

Benjamin Franklin, Christopher Columbus, Jesse James, General Washington, Queene Anne, King Solomon, Mary Magdalene and Stonewall Jackson.

FISH DUCKS DOG

By United Press

WOODSTOCK, Ont.—Ontario carp can compete with the muskellunge, northern pike, tuna and tarpon for fight and drive. At least two Woodstock boys believe so. They caught a carp, struck it on the head, and then tied the fish to their dog's leash. The carp revived, struggled back into the water, and pulled the dog with it.

Larger Vote Is Expected In County Because of Interest In Some Races

Oil Fleet Idle In Tokyo Trade

By United Press

SAN FRANCISCO.—Sixteen oil tankers which ordinarily ply regularly in the Pacific Coast-Japanese trade routes are lying idle at California ports as a result of the financial restrictions which Japan's invasion of China have imposed, according to the local oil authorities.

Of the 16 tankers, 4 are tied up at San Francisco and 12 at various Southern California ports. All of the 16 are either Japanese owned or operated under charter to them.

The two most direct results of this situation, it is said, is first a serious loss to California oil companies who are refusing to supply the tankers with oil unless the proper credits are forthcoming, and the second is a serious loss to Japanese industry which is dependent on the oil for fuel.

The inability of Japanese industries, outside of those engaged in the manufacture of war materials, to obtain credits for foreign purchases is due it is said, to the stringent measures which Japan has taken for the conservation of all national wealth for prosecution of the war.

Japanese naval tankers are liberally supplied with credits, local oil officials say, and load the moment they reach California ports. It is the tankers that are engaged neither lines of industry, however, that are unable to obtain these credits.

The latest tanker, plying in the Japanese trade, to be tied up here, is the Norwegian-owned vessel, Thorshoshaven.

The Shoyo Maru has been idle here since June 30. The chartered Norwegian tanker Vilja has been here since June 24 and the tanker Vivi, also chartered by the Japanese from Norway, since June 4.

The remaining 12 idle tankers, immobilized by the credit situation, are anchored at San Pedro, Port San Luis, Estero Bay and San Diego.

With poll tax payments of 6,064 made in the county this year and an estimated 188 exemptions, a large vote in the first democratic primary is being anticipated by political observers of the county.

The three major cities of the county, Eastland, Cisco and Ranger, have a total of 3,840 of the county's 6,064 poll tax payments, while the remainder are in the smaller towns and voting boxes.

Much interest is being thrown into the race this year because of the heated campaign for governor by the three leading candidates, and the fact that there are 12 candidates for this office after one, Clarence Miller of Ft. Worth, withdrew from the race. It is not considered likely that any candidate for governor will secure a majority in the first primary, making a second or runoff primary necessary in August.

Eastland, the most politically-minded city in the county, has always cast the largest number of votes and this year again has the most poll tax payments. Not in eight years, since records have been kept in this office, have other towns in the county cast a larger number of votes than has Eastland.

Although interest in the state races remained at a low ebb for many weeks, in the past few weeks much interest has been injected into many of the races, particularly that of governor, and this fact is expected to bring out a larger vote than was anticipated early in the campaign.

County and district candidates have been speaking regularly over the county, and have been stirring up revived interest in these races, too, which party accounts for the prediction of large numbers of votes.

Because of the long ballot, the longest in many years, returns are expected to come in very slowly this year, and many of the races will probably not be decided definitely until several days after the election, when returns come in from the rural boxes.

In 1936, with a shorter state ballot, the daily papers in Eastland and Ranger did not go to press until after daylight Sunday morning, and even then returns were scattered and incomplete. This year it is expected that the returns will be even more incomplete.

BE SURE TO CAST YOUR VOTE SATURDAY, JULY 23

**Is a Candidate
For County Place**

Garland Branton, 35, father of three children, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Eastland county, in the primaries next Saturday. Young Branton has never asked the people of the county for an office before and says that the people do not owe him one dime and that he is not running on the mistakes or faults of his opponents but that he stands on his own and it is on this basis that he is running for this responsible place.

Branton lost both arms in a gin accident nearly 20 years ago and has since that time earned his own

There was a rumor spread sometime back, stated Branton, that said he could not use a pencil and therefore was not qualified for the place because he could not keep a set of books. This is a mistake because the writer of this article has seen Branton write, make change, drive a car, weigh ice and other things and knows that he can look after any set of records necessary to look after in the office of county treasurer.

Mrs. Branton has aided her husband in the campaign and says she has enjoyed every day of the work because she has met so many of the fine people in the county.

In closing Branton says that if the people will give him a chance

**Seeking Election to
Co. Commission**

A. L. (Aaron) Stiles today issued the following statement concerning his candidacy for the position of county commissioner from Precinct No. 1:

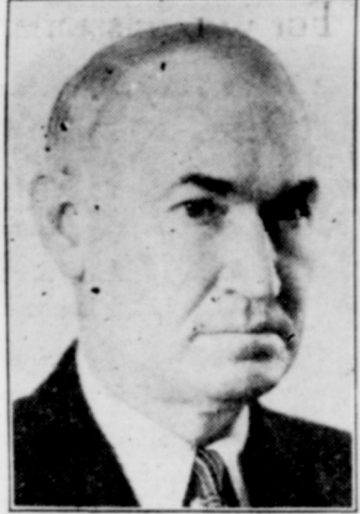
To the Voters of Commissioner Precinct No. 1:

I take this opportunity of making final appeal to you in behalf of my candidacy for County Commissioner of this precinct. It has been my purpose and endeavor to see each one of you personally, but if I have not seen every one, I trust you will consider this as a personal solicitation for your support on July 23rd.

I want to express my sincere appreciation to all of you for your cooperation and support in this campaign, and promise you if elected your Commissioner to endeavor at all times to cooperate with the other members of the court in conducting the affairs of Eastland County on a businesslike and economic basis, and to earnestly endeavor to carry out the specific things mentioned in my platform which has been distributed over this precinct and which I am sure every one of you has read. I have been engaged in business in this Precinct for the past

he will make them a good county treasurer and will appreciate anything that his friends and neighbors will do for him.

... seeking and sincerely invite your
... A. L. (Aaron) Stiles.



**I
THANK
YOU**

As you know, I have no opponent for re-nomination as county judge of Eastland County, but will appreciate your vote just the same. I have tried my best to give you an honest and efficient administration and wish to take advantage of this opportunity to thank you for selecting me as your County Judge.

W. S. ADAMSON
COUNTY JUDGE
(Pol. Adv.)

T. C. WILLIAMS

Earnestly solicits your support for
COUNTY SCHOOL SUPT.

This office is the only county office
that has a four-year term.

Running on his own merits and not finding fault with anyone.
(Pol. Adv.)



**I
Will
Appreciate
Your
Vote**

GARLAND BRANTON

Candidate for

COUNTY TREASURER

This is my first time to ask for county office.
(Pol. Adv.)



**VOTE
FOR
TIP
ROSS**

Candidate for 2nd Term as
Member of

LEGISLATURE

107th Flatorial District
Callahan and Eastland Counties

(Pol. Adv.)

WE WHO KNOW HIM BEST---

His Neighbors and Friends

ENDORSE

Lewis Crossley

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

106th DISTRICT

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We, business men, salaried men and men from the daily walks of life in Eastland County, most heartily endorse **Lewis Crossley** for the place he seeks in the Legislature of Texas.

Lewis has resided in Eastland County practically all of his life. He has taught school, worked in a bank, was with Carbon Trading Company, a general merchandising firm, for some years, in the local agency insurance business in Eastland before being elected to the responsible position of District Clerk of our county, which position he has held for three terms. He has made an enviable record as District Clerk, remaining true and faithful to the duties of this office at all times, granting special privileges to none but dealing with everyone who had business with this office on the same fair and equal basis.

Lewis is able and qualified to serve the people of Eastland County and Texas in this most important place in our government. Those who know him best know that he has practiced economy both in his personal affairs and in the District Clerk's office. He is in sympathy with the type legislation needed at this time, and will stand true to those principles of government upon which we have relied for these many years.

We most heartily endorse **Lewis Crossley** and especially request that the voters weigh all the facts before going to the polls on the 23rd, and that when this is done you will cast your vote for him.

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(This advertisement paid for by friends of Lewis Crossley, business men, salaried men and men from the daily walks of life in Eastland County.)

**Seeks Re-Election
As Commissioner**

Henry Lavenport, county commissioner from Precinct No. 1, today issued the following statement concerning his candidacy for reelection:

To the Voters:

The time is near at hand when it becomes your duty to select one from the three of us who aspire to represent you as County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Throughout the next two years. My two opponents are each good men, and I am sure each have a sincere desire to serve you the same as myself. But do you know this desire is remindful of a football game. My opponents are as players on the bench, ever eager to be called into the game. While I with your perfect cooperation and teamwork have acted as your ball carrier throughout three quarters of the game. I have taken your financial football from behind the goal line and have advanced it well down the field to a position that is well in scoring range. So in politics as in football it is not good policy to change a player so long as the player is gaining ground.

Now in this game you voters are acting in the capacity of coach of the team with power to replace, but it is my earnest plea that you

**Promotion to Post
As Representative**

P. L. Crossley, candidate for Representative of the 106th district was reared near Carbon, and for many years after becoming of age was in the banking, mercantile business, taught school and sold insurance.

Crossley has the distinction of serving three terms as District Clerk of Eastland county and the last two times had no opposition in the campaigns for reelection. This speaks highly for the efficiency and pleasing manner in which the office was run.

"I favor old age assistance and think the amount given should be as liberal as that given by the Federal government and in order to make the amount as much as possible up to the maximum, believe the Commissioners Court should administer the old age money," Crossley stated.

leave me in the game to the finish, with my assurance that I will in the future as I have in the past use my every effort to bring you victory in the game.

Again thinking you for the cooperation you have given me in the past and sincerely asking you for your vote on next Saturday,

I am respectfully yours,
H. V. (Henry) Davenport.

**Is Unopposed As
Judge of County**

W. S. Adamson, county judge of Eastland county is asking for the office for a second time and is asking for it strictly on the record that he has made in this, his first administration.

The fact that Judge Adamson has no opponent is as the lawyers say prima facie evidence that his administration is appreciated by the people of the county.

During the past two years many problems have come before the Commissioners Court over which Judge Adamson presides and in

"I favor a law that will enable the Commissioners Court to adjust and settle taxes.

"I favor a law that will curb assessments on Mutual Insurance companies.

All problems like the unicameral legislation program, poll tax abolition, etc., should be submitted to the people and what they decide should be carried out by the representatives.

"I shall do my best to give the people of Eastland county an economical administration, shall at all times be open to suggestions and you can find me when you need me at my desk looking after the interests of my people the same as I have done in the six years that I have served you as district clerk."

...and the people are making no mistake in keeping men of his in his office at Eastland.

VOTE FOR

MRS. FRANCES HOLBROOK

COOPER

Candidate for

COUNTY TREASURER

EASTLAND COUNTY

With several years' experience in public and clerical work, I believe I am fully qualified to serve you.

I have never held any public elective office before.

(Pol. Adv.)



VOTE
FOR THE
FRIENDLY
EASTLAND
COUNTY
BOY
WHO
HAS NEVER
BEFORE ASKED
FOR OFFICE!

Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated and I will try to make you a real hand.

CLAUDE "CURLY" MAYNARD

Candidate for
DISTRICT CLERK

(Pol. Adv.)

Ed Curry

Candidate for

**FLOTORIAL
REPRESENTATIVE
107TH DISTRICT**

Eastland and Callahan Counties.

Will do my best to serve all the people all the time.

THANK YOU!

(Pol. Adv.)

**RANGER and EASTLAND
FRIENDS OF COL. ERNEST O. THOMPSON**



Urge You to Cast Your Vote for a
Man Who Will MAKE TEXAS a

REAL LEADER!

**HE IS TRAINED!
HE IS TALENTED!
HE IS TESTED!**

**A Sound
Record of
Public
Service**

WHAT HE HAS DONE!

As Mayor of Amarillo he saved citizens nearly a million dollars a year by cutting every utility rate in the city and lowering the tax levy.

As Texas Railroad Commissioner, he assisted the farmer through lower freight rates and the livestock industry with emergency drouth rates; brought many millions of dollars to the school fund by sensible supervision of the Texas oil industry; helped lower the gas rates in scores of Texas towns.

As a man, whose boyhood was spent at hard work, he has achieved a brilliant record of private and public service, fought for his country with high honors during the World War, is chairman of the Oil States Compact Commission, has earned the respect and admiration of straight-thinking people all over the nation.

WHAT HE WILL DO!

Tackle the farm problem with both fists and help the farmer and rancher work out a solution that will take the penalty off owning or working a farm or ranch—his belief being that the farmer is entitled to a fair profit, the same as any other man. Urge the legislature to change the old age pension law so that no needy old person will be denied a pension merely because a son or daughter happens to have a job. Actively encourage industrial expansion to relieve unemployment; wage war on governmental waste, and fight new taxes; and advocate state control and regulation of all utilities.

**ERNEST THOMPSON
For GOVERNOR**

This advertisement paid for by Ranger & Eastland friends of Ernest Thompson

Active Campaign For Representative

Ed Curry is too well known in Eastland and Callahan counties for this scribe to attempt to introduce to the voters, however, we will state that he is a candidate for the office of Floterial Representative which comprises Eastland and Callahan counties. Curry has lived in the Pioneer and Cross Plains communities for a long time, 54 years to be exact, and has been in several different kinds of businesses for 40 years. The only office Curry has ever held has been that of school trustee, which he is now a member of his home board, being chairman for the past ten or 12 years. The fact that Mr. Curry has been active over so long a period is bound to attract the voters to his platform. There are three or four things that I wish to get over to the voters, said Curry, as the short time allowed me to speak is insufficient:

1—I favor the abolition of the present poll tax law in so far as it allows one to vote. Would repeal the voting clause but allow the tax of \$1.75 to remain as it goes to the school children.

2—Would work up a substitute law for the now very unfair pro-ration oil law, as the one we now

the major companies.
3—Most certainly do favor the old age pension law, but am in favor of giving all eligible old people the same amount and would vote to have the affairs of the old age pension law administered by the Commissioners Court.

4—Am in favor of exempting all small homesteads from any kind of taxes.

5—Paramount issue, and one of the things that I believe will send me to Austin is the unfair and cruel practice of big monopolies going into small communities and cutting the price of commodities under what the small and independent merchant is selling same for, in order to put him out of business, and then raise the price back to an even higher level than before. I will do my best to work out an anti-monopolistic law that will make it a penalty for chains and big monopolies to practice this most unfair method of moving in on small and independent merchants and businesses with the one purpose in mind of destroying all independent establishments by the above named manner.

In 1931 I called the attention of the public to the above abuses of some monopolies and since that time our great President Roosevelt has made statements of a similar nature. These abuses have caused many bankruptcies and failures and should be stopped. I promise the people to serve them

Seeking His First Political Office

"Too many people slam the door of opportunity in a young man's face before they consider his ability," Wayne Sellers said here today in discussing his candidacy for representative from the 107th flatorial district composed of Eastland and Callahan counties.

Commenting further he said that he considered it grossly unfair that one young man be held responsible for the mistakes of all young men and that older men made just as many mistakes as young men, but nothing was ever said about them.

Termed a new and vital force in politics of this section, young Sellers has laid his candidacy before

all the time when I am in Austin and you will find me at my desk and interested in your problems when I am elected as your Flatorial Representative.

I entered the race at the insistence of my friends, just two days before the filing limit expired because they thought that I would serve them better and because of the things that I have been fighting for the last quarter century.

Mr. Curry is the father of eight children, six girls and two boys. All the girls are married. The boys are at home with their father and mother.

that he is at least five years older than his actual age in wisdom and experience.

ed the other day by a woman. It seems she caught him by appearing elaborately uninterested.

JUST ASKING FOR RE-ELECTION---

VOTE FOR

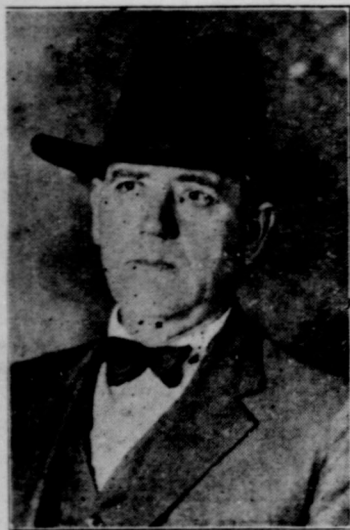
C. S. ELDRIDGE

Candidate for

COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

SECOND TERM

(Pol. Adv.)



VOTE FOR Loss Woods

Candidate for

SHERIFF

EASTLAND COUNTY

I am running on my own qualifications as Sheriff of Eastland County for the second term. Will appreciate your vote.

(Pol. Adv.)

VOTE FOR W. O. DICK WEEKES CANDIDATE FOR



COUNTY TREASURER

EASTLAND COUNTY

A country boy who is asking for promotion on his own qualifications.

(Pol. Adv.)

FRIENDS OF CECIL A. LOTIEF OF THE COUNTY URGE YOUR FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION OF HIS CANDIDACY FOR THE LEGISLATURE FROM THE 106th DISTRICT.

A GOOD RULE TO FOLLOW

IN PUBLIC AS WELL AS PRIVATE BUSINESS:

When a Man asks You for a Job . . . demand to Know His Qualifications!!!
THE CHOOSING OF A

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE LEGISLATURE

Is a BUSINESS MATTER . . . Because the election of any person is an investment of the public funds. If the choice is bad, the people lose in

DOLLARS AND CENTS AS WELL AS SERVICES

AN INDIVIDUAL IN NEED OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, SUCH AS THOSE OF A DOCTOR OR LAWYER, NATURALLY WANTS ONE CAPABLE OF DELIVERING EFFICIENT SERVICE!

- 1.—Lotief voted for the chain store tax and as a member of the Revenue and Taxation Committee of the House, made the motion to pass the same with a favorable recommendation.
- 2.—Lotief is for the Fair Trade Act, in order to help small business men exist and compete with foreign corporations.
- 3.—Lotief is tried and proven to be honest, capable and experienced, and well-qualified for the job he now seeks.
- 4.—Lotief never will place any extra tax burden on Eastland County industry and real estate.
- 5.—Lotief proved to be loyal to the people. He was the only representative we ever had to keep us informed through the papers and otherwise about what was going on at Austin.
- 6.—Lotief is the best friend of the aged people. He stands ready to help them get an honorable pension. He is for the teachers' retirement fund, and for adequate aid to the blind, as well as aid for neglected children.

REGARDLESS OF WHO IS ELECTED FROM THE 107th DISTRICT, A REPRESENTATIVE OF EXPERIENCE IS NEEDED TO WORK WITH HIM, AND MR. LOTIEF IS THE LOGICAL CANDIDATE FROM THE 106th DISTRICT TO DO SO AND COOPERATE WITH HIM!

Mr. and Mrs. Voter Think This Over and Vote for —

CECIL LOTIEF

(Pol. Adv.)

For Second Term As County Sheriff

One of the best known men in Eastland county is Loss Woods, sheriff, who is seeking the second term. In a conversation with Sheriff Woods a day or so ago he stated emphatically that he wanted the people of Eastland county to distinctly understand that he was not seeking the second term as sheriff on any issue except that he had performed his duty as sheriff and that he would continue to enforce the law as has been done under his first administration. "I am running on my own merits and not seeking the office on any other ground," he said.

Sheriff Woods has been in Eastland county for 50 years and needs no introduction to the voters. Woods states that he has been a Democrat all his life and that he is willing to abide by the majority of the voters in the county.

"I served as deputy for seven years and three months and have already served you as your sheriff for one term and am now asking that you let me serve you for the customary second term. This is my message," said Sheriff Woods. "I have tried to see every voter in the county, have probably missed some. So here is thanking you for what you have already done for me and trusting that you will vote for me for a second time as your sheriff of Eastland county."

John White Runs For Treasurer of County of Eastland

John White, candidate for district clerk of Eastland county is probably one of the best known young men in the county. He was reared on a farm near Staff and comes from one of Eastland counties oldest and pioneer families.

White attended schools of the county to complete his high school education and later attended college, where he prepared and equipped himself to take his place as a business man of the county.

He served two terms as County Treasurer, the second campaign he had no opposition and during the four years that he filled the County Treasurer's office he endeavored to give the people an economical and efficient administration.

In a statement issued yesterday White said: "I feel that I am merely asking for a promotion when I seek the office of District Clerk. I have familiarized myself with the duties of the office and with the training and experience already gained as your county treasurer I feel certain that I can give you a good administration."

"I am making the race solely on my own merits, and will appreciate any favor that you will grant me on election day."

"In closing I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors over the county who have helped in so many ways, for these I shall never forget."

Judge Endorsed For Another Term

Friends of Judge Richard Critz have the following to say in regard to his candidacy for his first full term to the Supreme Court:

"Judge Richard Critz served six years on the Supreme Court Commission of Appeals. He was promoted to the Supreme Court by the Governor to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge William Pierson. Judge Critz is now a candidate for his first elective term. He has made such a splendid record upon the Supreme Court that the judges and attorneys generally throughout the State have endorsed him for another term."

Active Campaign For Commissioner

In today's issue will be found a political advertisement of Jerry Sadler, seeking the office of Railroad Commissioner of Texas. The advertisement was bought and paid for by Harley Sadler, well known show man who has been in Eastland county many times and has lots of friends who will no doubt be glad to read of Harley's endorsement of his kinsman. Here is part of the message:

Age 30. Reared at Hickory Grove, Anderson county, Texas, on Sadler homestead, settled by his great grandfather, Capt. W. T. Sadler who fought with San Houston at San Jacinto. Both grandfather and great grandfather were Confederate soldiers. Attended rural schools. Worked his way through high school and college.

Back-breaking hours of toil on farm, chopping and picking cotton, plowing and other farm chores.

Worked on pipe lines and drilling rigs.

Worked as bell boy while going to high school. Ran cleaning and pressing shop in college. Drove trucks. Worked in refinery and was successful independent refiner. Studied law at night. Successful as an attorney—he has fought the battles of the under dog.

"I know that my candidacy does not meet favor with that oligarchy of favored interests who have had their feet under the banquet table

His Last Statement To County's Voters

Dick Weekes, candidate for County Treasurer issues the following statement:

"I am the youngest son of Cicero Weekes who has lived near Ranger for the past 50 years. I finished my high school work in the schools of the county. I am 30 years old, married and have for the past four years been engaged in clerical work which amply qualifies me for the place I am seeking."

According to Weekes he is the only one of the Weekes family who has ever asked for a political office in the county and Weekes further states that so far as he knows there is no relative of his asking for any state or county office at this time.

Weekes is making the campaign

gorging themselves and dropping only an occasional crumb to the under dog who is without benefit of funds and powerful friends.

"It is my firm belief that Texas is ready to elect a man to this high office who comes fresh from the people, one who knows what it is all about and has the courage to back his convictions.

"The people should demand that the candidate have the ability—both mental and physical—to carry on the work and spend lengthy hours of labor in solving the many problems of these great industries.

polls next Saturday. "If you do not know me," said Weekes, "ask some of your friends and neighbors, they will be glad to tell you

miles south of Ranger near Cheatey where he has lived all his life.

Members Eastland County Bar Support Judge Critz For Re-election to Supreme Court

We, the undersigned members of the Eastland County Bar, respectfully solicit your support for Judge Richard Critz for re-election as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, for his first full elective term.

Earl Conner, Sr.
L. R. Pearson
W. S. Adamson
Virgil T. Seaberry
Minnie Ramsey Robey
Carl P. Springer
Jno. W. Turner
Frank Sparks
T. M. Collie
Milburn McCarty
Allen D. Dabney
R. L. Rust

Cyrus B. Frost
W. D. R. Owen
Jack W. Frost
F. D. Wright
Eugene Lankford
R. E. Grantham
D. K. Scott
J. R. Burnett
Mrs. J. R. Burnett
J. L. Alford
L. H. Flewellen
Beverly S. Dudley

(Paid for by above parties and other friends. — Pol. Adv.)

To the Women Voters of Eastland County:

For the first time during any of the campaigns my husband, Cecil A. Lotief, has made for the office of Representative to the Texas Legislature, I am publicly bringing my side of the present campaign before the good women voters of Eastland County.

Heretofore I have left all the campaigning for political office to my husband, and have been content to stay in the background, attending to my duties as a wife and mother, as well as finding time to devote my time and attention to our business, while Mr. Lotief was working night and day, doing all he could to see and talk to every voter personally.

During the past two weeks it has been called to my attention by friends that a whispering campaign is being waged against my husband, referring to his birthright of nationality in slurring and vicious propoganda.

In the first place, I do not believe that there is a better husband, nor a kinder father than Cecil A. Lotief anywhere in the world. During the years of our married life he has devoted his major interest in bestowing affection and devotion to his family. He has struggled in a sincere honest effort to make us a comfortable living by hard and faithful work.

I, above everyone, should know the characteristic emotions that guide him through his daily contacts with men and home. I know that his every thought and deed is for the benefit of mankind. I know that he is good, a loyal citizen of his chosen country and a Christian whose faith in God and the Saviour cannot be shaken regardless of reverses or defeat. It is this faith that inspires him to carry on for what is right.

I am proud of the record that my husband made as a public servant in the 43rd and 44th Legislatures as a Representative for Eastland and Callahan Counties. I know that he went into the office with clean hands and a clear conscience and when he was retired after four years of service he came home with the same clean hands and with a greater heritage by having the confidence of men of high standing in state and national affairs bestowed upon him, for his open and courageous service for the masses as a public servant. His sincerity of purpose and his honesty have never been questioned, and he has been praised for his intelligent efforts to bring about legislation that will affect all people alike for a greater and more progressive state. He has been praised for his consistent acts in economy measures in which great savings to the taxpayers have been made, yet not affecting the efficiency of good government.

Of course, it is only natural for a wife to say good things about her husband, but I can say these things with much more enthusiasm than one can realize because I know him so well for what he is and it hurts deeply when whisperings are made that attempt to bring him below the dignity of his value as a citizen, a husband and a father.

I am a born citizen of this country, seeing the first light of day in the State of Louisiana. My people still live there. I appeal to the women of reason and tolerance to give my husband the same consideration that any man of ability and integrity is entitled to. I know that he has served you well before and will do so again if you help to elect him as your representative.

I only wish that I could see every woman in Eastland County personally and extend my best wishes as well as thank you for all you have done for us. I am grateful and deeply appreciative for the majority vote of confidence that the people of Eastland County have given my husband in previous elections and I am sure that you will go to the polls again on Saturday, July 23rd, and extend him the same vote of confidence by casting your ballot for Cecil A. Lotief.

Please consider this an appeal from a wife and mother whose only object is to resent any inference that may be made in whisperings or otherwise that would bring my husband, and children, into the atmosphere of an "alien foreigner," and not fit to render worthwhile service to a community, state and nation in which we have so much faith and devotion.

In grateful and humble appreciation for your valued support, influence and your vote on July 23rd, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Cecil A. Lotief.

(Pol. Adv.)

Omar Burkett Asks Support of Voters In Statement Today

Omar Burkett, candidate for flatorial representative from Eastland and Callahan counties, today made the following statement concerning his candidacy for the office he seeks:

To the citizens of Eastland and Callahan counties:

I am asking your vote and support for the office of state representative, District 107, comprised of Eastland and Callahan counties.

I am doing so on my own merits and qualification and not on the shortcomings of anyone.

My past official and private record is before you, therefore I feel that my best recommendation to you as to my fitness and qualifications can be vouched for by many of our citizens with whom I have had dealings.

I stand for "a day's work for a day's pay" and drastic economy in public affairs.

I favor taking care of our old people as provided for in the constitutional amendment as voted and at that without the sacrifice of their children or others upon whom they may otherwise depend.

I favor placing the matter of old age pension applications and necessary investigation work connected therewith in the hands of

the county judge and commissioners court.

I favor high school and rural school aid on an equal basis with that provided higher institutions of learning. Also the maintaining of the scholastic per capita of \$22 and paying same during the school term. I favor the full payment by state appropriation of rural and high school transportation, thus making it possible to fully pay our teachers and school bus drivers.

I am for a comprehensive soil conservation program, a three-member land board to look after state lands and drastic regulation of skin game and fly-by-night mutual life insurance companies. I favor a law to permit settlement of delinquent state as well as delinquent county taxes by our commissioners court.

The wishes of the district shall be my mandate which I shall attempt to carry out to the letter.

I fully believe I can carry out to a successful completion many of the things I advocate, doing so by organization, cooperation and personal contact.

I am opposed to additional taxes or new levies from any source as I am sure by rigid enforcement of economy we will have plenty of funds for all necessary state expense and to spare for emergencies.

Upon the statements above, I solicit your vote and active support on next Saturday, July 23. I guarantee you the kind of public service you expect and are en-

Mrs. Cooper Makes Last Appeal to Voters of County

In this issue will be found the advertisement of Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Eastland County. Mrs. Cooper is well acquainted with the voters of the county. Her statement follows:

"To the Voters of Eastland County:

I am taking this liberty to make my last appeal to you before election day for the office of County Treasurer. It has been a real pleasure to me in making the campaign—I have tried to see each voter personally. Of course it would be impossible to see each one. In making the race for an office like County Treasurer it requires quite a bit of time and not only that but one must be qualified to fill the office in case the people reward them for their efforts.

I feel that with the experience that I have had over the past several years, I can fill the office with credit to myself and give the people an efficient administration. I have been employed as deputy in the Tax Collector's office for the past four years, am making the race solely on my own merits and qualifications.

I was reared in Eastland county on a farm. After finishing high school I attended college. I am the mother of a ten year old son and make my home with my mother, who is 83 years old and I am the sole support of my mother and son. I lived for seven years three and one-half miles north of Ranger. I am making one promise to the voters and that is if they will give me this office I promise to give me this office I promise to County Treasurer.

Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper.

Eldridge Seeking His Second Term As Superintendent

Claiborne Eldridge, County School Superintendent of Eastland county is making the race for his second term and issues the following statement concerning his record and the part he played in carrying on the office that he now fills:

"Reared on farm in Eastland county near Gorman and have had 24 years experience in the schools of the county. Is a World War veteran.

As County School Superintendent aids in increase during term \$29,000 to more than \$60,000. Average school term increased from 7 1-2 to 8 1-2 months.

Rural graduates from affiliated high schools have increased more than 600 percent. Transportation system is unsurpassed in entire state.

2112 transported to and from school during last term. Have served and am now serving on more important committees than any other county superintendent in the entire state.

There were only four schools teaching vocations during 1934-35 and today 14 schools are teaching various vocations.

Was instrumental in the passage of house bill No. 600 granting \$1,080,000 additional high school tuition, also senate bill No. 238 granting rural districts right to consolidate by the vote of the people only. This bill takes from the board the right to consolidate certain districts.

There has been no appeal to the State Superintendent or the State Board during my term of office.

Eldridge is making the race on his own merits and is asking for a second term because it has been the custom among Democrats for a hundred years.

titled to—"a day's work for a day's pay."

Respectfully submitted,
Omar Burkett.

We want to thank the people for their support and we are all anxious to serve the school patrons and our children.

VOTE FOR A. L. (Aaron) STILES FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER



Precinct No. 1

HONEST AND EFFICIENT SERVICE!

(Pol. Adv.)

VOTE FOR OMAR BURKETT FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

DISTRICT 107

He is mature, honest and efficient . . .

. . . You won't regret being for him!

(Pol. Adv.)



VOTE FOR JOHN BARNES

FOR

Constable

Precinct No. 2

Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

(Pol. Adv.)



YOUR VOTE and INFLUENCE Will Be Appreciated

P. L. CROSSLEY

Candidate for REPRESENTATIVE

106th District

(Pol. Adv.)

PUT SADLER IN THE SADDLE!

To My Friends In This Section:

I will consider it a personal favor if you, your relatives and your friends will vote for and support my kinsman, Jerry Sadler, for the office of Railroad Commissioner of Texas.

Aside from our relationship I consider Jerry Sadler most eminently qualified for the office he seeks and it is my belief that you will be rendering a real service to yourself and to Texas in voting for him.

Those who know him best say that he never breaks his word. I have his solemn promise that if elected he will do all in his power for the development of this section. He can and will do the job with credit to himself and honor to Texas.

I will appreciate it. Help me "PUT SADLER IN THE SADDLE."

Sincerely,
HARLEY SADLER.
(Pol. Adv.)



JERRY SADLER

Tip Ross Seeking His Second Term As Representative

Tip Ross, candidate for Floterial Representative which comprises Eastland and Calahan Counties is seeking his second term to the office and has the following clipping taken from the Gorman Progress of last week. The clipping is an endorsement of his candidacy for reelection and it is hereby reprinted that the people of the county may know how Mr. Ross stands in his own home town.

The heading of the column in which the clipping appeared, is "Thoughts of This and That":

A large number of the business men of Gorman have signed and presented to our Representative, T. S. Ross, a petition thanking him for the work that he has done in the Texas Legislature during the past two years and they heartily endorse his candidacy for re-election to another term as representative of the 107th Floterial District. Besides it being the Democratic custom to give a faithful public servant a second term in office, the business men of Gorman endorse his candidacy because they feel that he has served the entire district honestly and conscientiously. He has been impartial in the things he has worked for in this district, serving the people wisely and judiciously.

His years of experience in the Legislature in previous years from another district, his knowledge of the laws of the state government and his ability to meet and mingle with the other legislators of the state has, during the past session, gained for him a number of important posts in the House and will enable him to serve the people of the 107th district more thoroughly than ever before.

His record in administering the affairs of his office cannot be questioned. He has labored diligently to carry out the things he pledged himself to, when he was given this office in the last election and he will continue to give the people of this district the kind of service they want when he is returned in the July Primary.

We know where and how he stands—is it wise now to make a change?

The Progress heartily endorses Mr. Ross' candidacy, because we find that he has served the people well and should be rewarded with a large majority in the July primary.

As July is here the question comes to mind if anybody ever ate any of these thousands of eggs that have been poached on sidewalks down through the years.



WAYNE SELLERS, OF RISING STAR, CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE, 107th DISTRICT

John Barnes Runs For Constable of Precinct in Ranger

John Barnes, candidate for Constable Precinct No. 2, Ranger, is asking the people to return him to office because he has served

Claude Maynard, Native of County, Seeks Clerk's Job

Claude (Curley) Maynard, candidate for district clerk of Eastland county, is a native of Eastland county.

He is 43 years of age and is well known in this section. Since August 1, 1931, he had been a salesman at the Harvey Chevrolet company in Eastland prior to his resignation to make the political campaign.

For three years he was employed with the old Bohning Motor company in Eastland.

Maynard for five years operated a service car and transfer business in Eastland. Married and the father of an 11-year-old daughter, Maynard has never before sought public office.

He has been active in Eastland and county interests, known always to serve when called.

them well and because he has at all times sought to enforce the law and be a friend of those who have made mistakes and tried to help rather than be too severe.

Barnes needs no introduction to the voters of Precinct 2, having served as constable and deputy sheriff.

Barnes says his opponents are all able men and that he has no criticism to offer on any of them. That he is running on his own merits and that the people are invited to examine his record at all times and see whether or not he is able to hold the office without fear or favor.

Barnes said he sure to thank all the voters for the support given me in my campaign two years ago for the office I now hold.

Soldier For 31 Years Becomes a Citizen

COVINGTON, Ky. — For 31 years Frank Frank has served in the United States Army, but only recently did he become an American citizen.

Frank, a warrant officer and band leader at Fort Thomas, appeared before Federal Judge John H. Druffel last month, renounced his allegiance to his native Ru-

mania and pledged it to the United States.

Frank, who served with the Army of Occupation in Germany, had failed to take advantage of a privilege accorded foreigners that enlisted in the army whereby he could have appeared before immigration authorities in company with a superior officer and won citizenship. With that channel closed, Frank went through the regularly prescribed routine.

LET'S REWARD AN EASTLAND COUNTY BOY— AND ALL PULL TOGETHER FOR

WAYNE SELLERS

OF RISING STAR FOR

REPRESENTATIVE 107th DIST.

● Let's vote for and ask others to vote for a young man who has never fallen down on any task he has ever undertaken.

WAYNE SELLERS DOESN'T KNOW WHAT THE WORD FAILURE MEANS!

● It stands to reason that he will work for us just as hard in the Legislature as he has on other important jobs that he has done so well. A keen and alert mind and a desire to be of service to the people of his district.

● A brilliant speaker—educated and cultured but used to hard work. Old enough to have sound judgment and young enough to be alive to the things that are going on around him and to have a zeal for hard work.

VOTE AND ASK YOUR FRIENDS TO VOTE FOR HIM ON JULY 23rd!

● Among other things Wayne Sellers stands pledged to oppose any additional tax on the oil industry. Too many small producers have already been almost put out of business by exorbitant taxes.

(This space provided by Ranger and Eastland friends of Wayne Sellers)

NOW SERVING---

VOTE FOR
(H. V.) HENRY

Davenport

FOR

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 1

Experienced . . . Trained . . . and Familiar
with the details of this important office!

(Pol. Adv.)