

TRAFFIC PATROL OFFICERS DROPS EMPLOYEES

Patrolman in the state highway department at Eastland has been effective Sept. 1, because of the legislative action to the state department of public safety.

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BRITAIN HAS STRUCK BLOW BY NEW ORDER

By JOE ALEX MORRIS
United Press Foreign News Editor
Great Britain struck an old fashioned but tremendous blow in Europe's war of nerves today by ordering total mobilization of land, sea and air forces.

The decision was handed out officially on London's narrow bustling Downing Street, where Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain lives.

Perhaps today's order will prove as momentous in world history as any that has come down through the years of British Empire. Perhaps it is just another expensive maneuver which will prevent a war.

All over Europe, preparations for war surged ahead with such speed today that further diplomatic moves toward peace—one came today from the Vatican—were extremely difficult and some thought might soon become impossible.

Coincidentally with Britain's mobilization order, which included all but one section of the Royal Air Force reserves, the French Council of Ministers was summoned to meet, indicating that France would formally order the general mobilization which has, in effect, been in force all week.

Three million children, women and invalids, were ordered evacuated from British cities tomorrow and France rushed evacuation of non-combatants from Paris, which, like London and Warsaw, was ordered to impose a permanent blackout against a threat of a sudden air raid.

From Warsaw the Polish government reported Nazis had seized the Danzig railway station and raised the swastika above it, thus increasing the tension, while 400,000 Nazi troops were reported moving through Slovakia toward the Polish frontier.

In almost every move made in Europe the trend was toward tightening the deadlock rather than toward peace negotiations such as Pope Pius urged on Britain, France, Germany, Italy and Poland.

Sermon Subjects at Church of Christ Sunday are Listed

Rev. A. F. Thurman, pastor of the Church of Christ at Eastland, has announced his sermon subjects for Sunday.

For the morning service he will preach on "The Romance of Faith" and at the evening period on "The Shield of Faith."

Church school will be at 9:45 a. m., with morning services at 11 a. m. and evening worship at 8 p. m.

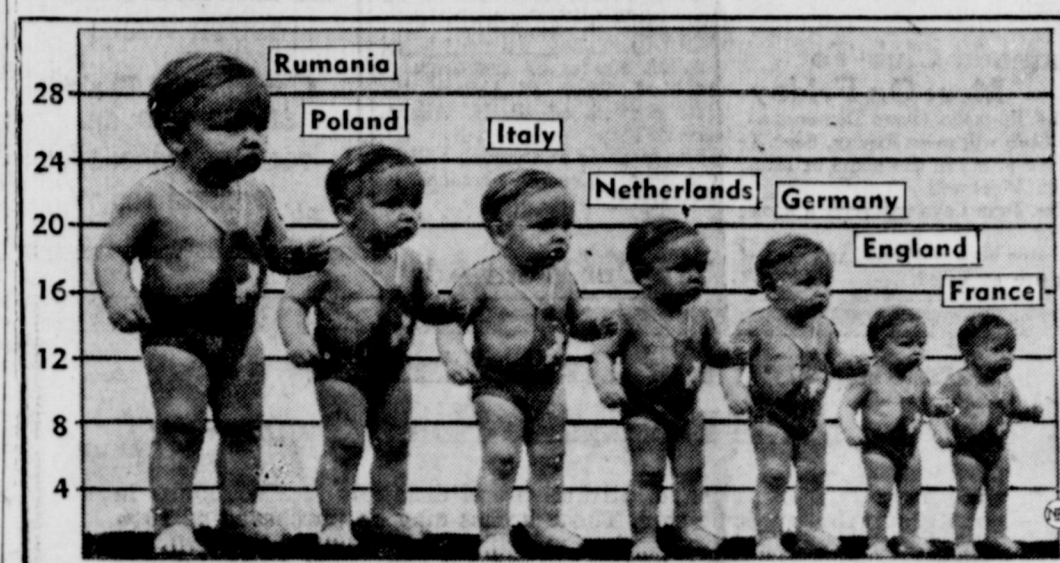
Rev. Thurman recently returned from evangelistic work at New Harp, Lake Victory, Willow Point and Poolville, Texas.

Poland Accuses German Police of Seizing Station

By EDWARD W. BEATTIE
United Press Staff Correspondent
WARSAW, Aug. 31.—A government spokesman said today that German secret police had occupied the railway station at Danzig last night and had hoisted swastika flags over it.

Asked whether Poland intended to take action in Danzig as a result, the spokesman said none was planned "at the moment."

British, French Trail Race for Future Soldiers



Here's how the nations of Europe stack up in the race to get set for next generation's war. The chart shows births per thousand population. In 1938, Rumania has 30.8 babies per thousand; Poland, 24.9; Italy, 23.8 (raised to 24 so far this year); the Dutch, 20.6; Germany, 19.5; Great Britain, 15.1, and France 14.6. The baby who is used to illustrate this chart is not being raised to be a soldier. He is an American, son of Don Grubbs, featured diver at Miami.

HIGHER MINIMUM ON WATER AT EASTLAND WILL BE CONTINUED

At an Eastland commission meeting held Wednesday night it was decided that due to the extended hot dry weather, the city would permit a minimum of 39,000 gallons for the month of September, as was allowed for August.

The action was taken to enable the citizens to care for their gardens and keep their lawns and flowers in better condition during the dry weather, said officials.

The city commission also pointed out to all water customers that meters are read on the 20th of each month, therefore a water bill received on September 1 will be up to the time of meter reading, which was August 20.

It is realized that 30,000 gallon minimum is a very large amount of water and should enable most users to keep their gardens and yards in excellent condition, and in very few instances should the people use more than this amount of water," it was declared as stated above, this increased minimum will be only for the month of September, which was the amount allowed during August, and will revert to the usual 15 thousand gallon minimum, beginning with October billing.

The city commission also wishes to call attention to the 15% discount allowed on all water bills, if on a current basis, and paid by the 10 of the following month, which includes your filtration fee, sewerage charge, and trash hauling for residences. We urge all water customers, therefore, to take advantage of this discount, which will reduce your minimum bill to \$2.55" the members said.

The catalogs are distributed throughout the county. It is desired that the catalogs be issued as soon as possible, in order that prospective exhibitors and others may study premium lists.

The catalogs not only offer advertising this year but in many cases the catalogs are saved for years, thus giving the advertiser an opportunity for his services and business to be noted far more than one time.

A meeting of the committee was held Thursday.

Eastland Group To Return Tonight From Convention

Eastland's delegation to the state convention of the American Legion are expected to return this evening.

The Eastland group left Sunday morning, joining a 17th district motorcade. The group was scheduled to arrive in Waco Sunday afternoon at 2:45 p. m.

Among those in the group from Eastland going to the convention were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pullman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duhr, Pat Kilborn, Herbert Reed, J. H. Mitchell, Roy Allen, V. E. Vessels, Jess Richardson, H. J. Tanner and W. J. Peters.

Tanners Reported Showing Improved

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Tanner, Eastland, who were injured in an automobile accident last week, were reported showing steady improvement Wednesday.

Caddo Masons To Have A Fish Fry

Masons here have received an invitation to attend the annual fish fry of the Caddo Masonic Lodge on the night of Sept. 7. This is "Homecoming" night with the lodge and is traditional—the fish fry and program—and they attract attention throughout this section of Texas.

LATE FLASHES FROM EUROPE'S WAR CRISIS

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Air raid precaution controllers throughout the country were instructed to take up their duties tonight.

Local authorities everywhere were ordered to set up air raid emergency committees. Twenty-four hour shifts were detailed to construct public air raid shelters, and covered trenches were ordered opened.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The London telephone supervisor said tonight that telephones and teleprinter service with the continent had been suspended. The action apparently was taken by the British.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced that only official government calls were being accepted between the United States and Europe after 12:15 p. m. CST today.

PARIS, Aug. 31.—The council of ministers was summoned to meet under President Albert Lebrun at the Elysee Palace at 6 p. m. It is highly exceptional for the council of ministers—which is the cabinet and the president—to meet without a prior session of the cabinet.

DANZIG, Aug. 31.—German officials said tonight that three Polish destroyers had steamed out of the nearby Polish port of Gdynia, presumably bound for the North Sea, to join the British fleet.

BERLIN, Aug. 31.—Nazis expressed surprise tonight that Britain had issued orders amounting to general mobilization of her land, sea and air forces. They said the order constituted a definite aggregation of conditions in Europe.

MOSCOW, Aug. 31.—Soviet Russia today called up reservists to increase her vast armed forces by 500,000 men and summoned a joint session of the Supreme Soviet (parliament) to meet tonight to discuss ratification of the new non-aggression treaty with Germany.

Discussion of the new treaty with Germany was considered of utmost importance, although there was no indication whether the debate would be of a routine or a sensational nature.

The treaty had been scheduled for ratification earlier this week but action was unexpectedly delayed as the European crisis developed.

The government, through the official news agency, previously had disclosed that troops were moving westward through Russia to reinforce the frontier on the Polish and Baltic States border.

The number of new troops or the reason for their movement west, were not disclosed, but it was denied that any troops were being withdrawn from the European frontier to reinforce the Far Eastern army which has been in the continual warfare with Japanese-led forces on the Mongolian-Manchukuo border.

Russia also had given official hints that the Soviets might supply Poland with war materials in event of war between Poland and Germany, regardless of the new Soviet-German non-aggression treaty.

NYA Dormitories In Ranger To Be Closed Through Labor Day

The National Youth Administration dormitories in Ranger will be closed Friday at noon, until Tuesday morning, Sept. 5, it was announced today by Ranger NYA officials. The closing is occasioned by the Labor Day holiday.

The NYA Ramblers, musical organization of the Ranger NYA boys, will remain in Ranger, to participate in the Labor Day Rodeo and Celebration Monday and Tuesday. While the dormitory is closed the eight members of the orchestra will be guests of the Paramount Hotel.

Will Sets Aside A Fund For Nursing

PHILADELPHIA—By provision of an unusual will, a \$100 bequest awaits the person who cared for Mrs. Florence Shul in her fatal illness.

The will, drawn several years before Mrs. Shul's death, read: CASE DISMISSED

Case of J. T. Anderson vs. L. V. Hughes et al has been dismissed in district court at the cost of the plaintiff.

PROBE IN ARMSTRONG MURDER LEADS OFFICER GROUP TO BROWNWOOD

BROWNWOOD, Aug. 31.—A five months old West Texas murder led officers and the father of the victim to Brownwood. A Brownwood couple were held for investigation after the woman was taken into custody in a downtown hotel room.

J. E. Armstrong, father of Buford Armstrong, 25, formerly of Eastland, who was found dead in a tourist camp at Odessa last March 20, came here from his home in Jack county with officers from Odessa and Jack counties to take part in the investigation.

For five months Armstrong has assisted officers in trailing a woman known variously as "Mexican Rose" and "Dolores Martinez," who was wanted for questioning in the murder of his son, a baseball player.

"I think we have got the right one," Armstrong said as he announced that the woman suspect would be taken to Odessa. Her husband, officers said, would be held here in a morals investigation. The woman, about 20, is a former San Antonio resident and is of Spanish blood.

Accompanying Armstrong were Peace Justice J. B. Crowley and Deputy Sheriff Steel Hill of Odessa and Deputy Constable H. N. Jack of Jack county, a former Brown county deputy sheriff who has been investigating the murder case for months.

Justice Crowley said he had tentatively identified the woman arrested as the excited person who ran to his home 200 yards from the tourist camp at Odessa early on the night of March 29, last, and telephoned for a taxi, then ran off before the taxi arrived.

"Her voice is identical," Crowley said. "She seems a little tall."

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\$6,325 Asked In Car Damage Suit Filed At Eastland

Suit asking damages of \$6,325 as the result of an automobile accident in which he and his wife, Rose Parrish, were allegedly injured has been filed in 91st district court by J. W. Parrish of Eastland county against William Campbell of Ector county.

The plaintiff asserts in his original petition filed with District Clerk John F. White that on June 3, 1939, his car and that of Campbell collided on Blackwell road-Highway 80 road intersection in Ranger.

Negligence on Campbell's part is charged. The sum asked would cover injuries, car damage and medical care, according to the petition.

Eastland Man Is Awarded Degree at Lubbock School

LUBBOCK, Texas, Aug. 30.—Lovell Parker Brown of Eastland, received the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Engineering at the Texas Technological College commencement exercises Friday, August 25, at 8 p. m.

Congressman George Mahon of Colorado City addressed the 296 graduates. Fifty-two of the graduates received master's degrees.

Colony Cemetery Working Planned

A cemetery working will be conducted at the Colony Cemetery Saturday, Sept. 2, it was announced here today by those in charge of the work.

Everyone is invited to attend. Work will start between 7:30 and 8 o'clock, in order that it may be completed by noon, if possible.

Hallenbeck Car Burned, Stripped

Sheriff Loss Woods announced today a car stolen recently from "Red" Hallenbeck was found burned and stripped on a country road east of Eastland.

The car was a 1928 model Chevrolet coupe. There has been no arrest in the case.

PROGRESS ON NEW ROAD IS REVIEWED

Progress on plans for the new state highway from Eastland to Stephenville via Gorman, Desdemona and Lingleville was reviewed Wednesday at a meeting of the Stephenville-Eastland Road Association.

Milburn McCarty, president of the association, presided and appointed chairmen of three right-of-way committees. The chairman, who will select two each to serve with them, were: L. E. Clark, for Desdemona; E. D. David, Gorman, and T. E. Richardson, Eastland.

The new road as proposed would provide for construction of a new route to Gorman and intersecting road from 4-1/2 miles north of Gorman to Desdemona, road to Lingleville and then to Stephenville.

Field notes on the proposed new road have already been prepared. Right-of-way deeds will be ready soon. The highway department, it was stated, has already promised early construction.

Services Are Held South Of Olden at Forks of The Road

Rev. A. M. Fox, pastor of the Old Time Gospel Mission, Post Oak, Texas, is in an outdoor meeting two miles south of Olden "in the forks of the Eastland, Cheaney and Desdemona roads."

The grounds have been graded and lights and seats are ready. The services began Tuesday night with good interest.

Rev. Fox, better known as "Abb" is the son of the late G. W. Fox of Lamesa, and has had extensive experience as pastor and evangelist for the past five years.

"Come out and hear good singing, music and real old time gospel preaching of Bible prophecy," the pastor says.

"These services are emphatically undenominational; we get people converted and then insist upon their uniting with the various churches of their choice." Bro. Fox said. "Come, help us build the community. Services start at 8:15."

Grand Jury Will Be Organized On Monday Sept. 11

Formation of a grand jury for the September term of 88th district court has been delayed from Monday, Sept. 4, to Monday, Sept. 11, it was announced today.

Those who had been summoned to report the original date have been sent notices, it was stated, of the change.

The grand jury will consist of 12 of the following men: C. H. Morrow of Desdemona, H. G. Hines of Cisco, H. H. Durham of Eastland, W. C. Wilcox of Rising Star, L. E. Boyd of Cisco, E. R. Yarbrough of Carbon, H. L. Capers of Gorman, L. T. Groves of Olden, W. A. Lewis of Ranger, J. A. Hart of Ranger, J. E. Proctor of Cisco, S. P. Boone of Ranger, W. J. Herrington of Rising Star, E. M. Curry of Pioneer, O. D. Brogdon of Gorman and June Hargus of Eastland.

No Meeting Due For Legion Until Notice Is Posted

No meeting of the Eastland American Legion post will be held until further notice, announced Commander Henry Pullman today.

Pullman said that no meetings are to be held currently because of the state convention conducted Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at Waco and because many members are away on vacations.

COUPLE MARRIED
Thomas Duane Sadberry and Lorene Darby of De Leon were married Tuesday evening at the home of Justice of Peace and Mrs. E. E. Wood at Eastland.

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

'Why Kill Each Other?'

British Labor Asks

The shame of the world is compressed within the appeal made recently by the British National Council of Labor to the German people under the poignant heading "Why Kill Each Other?"

"Neither you nor we," ran part of the appeal. "must submit to the belief that war is inevitable. The mind and will of man must assert themselves. You Germans, we British, and all other peoples must determine to be the masters and not the slaves of our fate. We must not suffer the indignity and sorrow of drifting into a catastrophic war."

"There follows a long indictment of the German leadership for its war-threatening policies, and an assurance that alliances being undertaken are made necessary by defense, not contrived to encircle Germany.

"We are your friends," resumes the appeal. "War, in fact, threatens you not from outside but from inside your own country, and the responsibility for that threat belongs to Herr Hitler and his government. Herr Hitler is encircling himself and you. And it is all so foolish, so wicked, so futile!"

The appeal continued with an invitation to Germany, instead of being encircled, to join the circle itself with a world-wide combination of nations. It closed: "Let the governments of all lands know that the peoples have no wish to slaughter each other but to live together in peace and friendship."

This appeal, of course, was not published in the German papers. The only reference to it was sneering comments to the effect that such efforts to wean the German people away from their leader would not succeed.

The British labor council is on the right track, though its message may not be immediately effective. For the root of the evils of international affairs is not yet touched. Even if some temporary compromise averts the menace of Danzig, we must dig deeper.

When Germany began its revolt against Versailles, it had grievances, many of them well-founded. The League of Nations existed then, but what chance was there for a real redress of vital economic grievances before a League dominated wholly by "have" powers interested not in a better-balanced world, but in the status quo? Very little.

So it is now as it was in 1914. The major blame for a war will rest on him who first draws a sword. But not all blame. The blame for failure to establish a civilized world order must fall in varying degrees on all countries and on all peoples.

ARMSTRONG

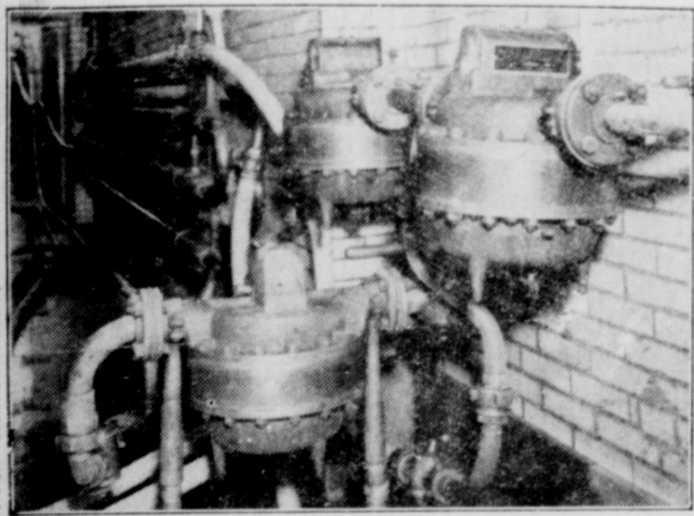
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Crowley said a youth "positively" had identified the suspect.

Young Armstrong was a pitcher for a semi-pro team at Odessa and had practiced early in the evening of his disappearance. After return-

ing home, he told his wife and small son that he was going to a nearby service station for some gasoline. He was last seen alive at the service station, about 7 p. m.

His body was found in the tourist cabin the following afternoon. A large man had rented the cabin a week before, and the



Every time this meter clicks it means five dollars for Uncle Sam. This federal meter system measures every drop of beer that leaves the Galveston-Houston Breweries plant in Galveston.

FIVE DOLLARS A CLICK FOR UNCLE SAM

Uncle Sam's "take" in taxes from the breweries of the country, now well past the \$1,500,000,000 mark, not only is a sum three quarters the size of the preparedness navy-building program, but it is collected invariably like the householder's gas, water and electric light bills—by meter. A by-product, the Texas state participation of \$1.24 a barrel which is divided between old age pensions and schools, is collected on sales. The federal tax is \$5 a barrel on manufactured product regardless of wastage and loss in the bottling works.

Pictured herewith is the federal meter system at the Galveston-Houston Breweries, at Galveston where Southern Select and Magnolia beers spring to life in a vast plant covering two city blocks and towering high into the air as well. Each click of the meter means five dollars for Uncle Sam's treasury—and it is no uncommod day for the federal tax alone to reach a total of \$7,000.

When the beer enters the copper meter mains, it has been processed for 93 days in varying temperatures and under the laboratory-clean methods wherein human hands never touch the product, once the ingredients are tossed into the vessels to start the brewing. Each meter is on a main that

leads directly from the storage vats to the bottling works, across an 80-foot street. Every drop is measured, for Uncle Sam says that no smallest amount may be removed from the run until it has passed the clicking meters. Breakage, leakage and employe consumption are taxed because the gross run is measured first.

Last year the Galveston-Houston Breweries paid the government \$1,250,000 on a total run of 250,000 barrels, the state profiting in the sum of \$310,000.

Recent surveys show that the annual revenue from the manufacture of beer, exclusive of licensing retail sales, already has piled up a half-billion dollars for the various states of the Union.

Added benefits accrue to growers of the grains used in the industry, huge payrolls, the cost of enormous distribution and service systems, to say nothing of huge purchases of bottles, machinery, trucks, packing cases and a thousand other items.

Workers in the beer-making industry are among the highest paid workers in the country and are among the most healthful, as the breweries and workers' unions have the "thumbs down" sign on working any employe suffering from an infectious malady.

Clyde NYA Job Is Granted Approval

Jack Hale, area NYA supervisor, announced Tuesday that he has been notified of the approval by J. C. Kellam, state NYA director, of a school project at Clyde. To begin in a week or 10 days, the project will provide construction of a retaining wall on the school ground and remodeling of an old building into a home economics building.

The old building was formerly used as a rural school. A laboratory, dining room and living room will be provided in the home economics building. Wood furnishings for the building will be made at the NYA shop in Ranger. About 20 youths will be given employment on the project. The Clyde school board is sponsor of the work.

LEGAL RECORDS

New Cars Registered

Plymouth sedan, H. C. Grocery, Rising Star; Crossley and Roach, Rising Star.

Chevrolet sedan, C. L. Smith, Rising Star; Butler Chevrolet Co., Rising Star.

Ford Tudor, J. Carl Johnson, Eastland; King-Ball Motors, Eastland.

Buick sedan, Jack Muirhead, Eastland; Muirhead Motor Co., Eastland.

Chevrolet sedan, N. A. Sanders, Gorman; Gorman Sales Co.

Suits Filed

91st district court: J. F. Baker et ux vs. P. C. Larkin et ux, temporary injunction; Anguowillow Kinsey vs. Arthur Kinsey, divorce and custody of minor children; Vivian Matthews vs. C. F. Matthews, divorce; J. W. Parrish vs. William Campbell, damages.

88th district court: Eastland National Bank vs. Joe Tow, suit on note; R. H. Miller vs. Joe Tow, accounting.

Marriage Licenses Issued

C. T. Powers and Miss Dorothy Dean Steddum, Eastland. Lowell A. Rapp and Wanda Allyne Castleberry, Ranger.

Early Start of Terracing Due

The annual fall terracing program is beginning a little early in Eastland county this year, indicating, according to County Agent Cook, that the number of acres terraced will be greater than in former years. Cook has announced his terracing itinerary during the next few days as follows:

Thursday, August 31—Terrace lines for T. L. Jay and Dr. M. L. Stubblefield of Gorman.

Friday, September 1—Terrace lines for J. O. Matheny and Ed Kirkrough of Morton Valley and K. F. Kirk of Colony.

Wednesday, September 6—Terrace lines for W. G. Hampton of Gorman and L. L. Collins of Carbon.

Thursday, September 7—Terrace lines for G. F. Nunley of New Hope and J. M. Barnett of Carbon.

Requests for terrace lines in the office of the county agent total more than a thousand acres on twenty-one farms and ranches.

woman known as "Mexican Rose" had been staying there.

On the night Armstrong was believed slain, the woman took a taxi and went up town where she tried to cash some travelers' checks, officers said. Later, a black Chevrolet sedan drove alongside and the woman got in the car and drove away.

Later, according to Officers Jack, she was believed to have ridden a truck into Abilene.

The suspect arrested here denied having been in Odessa. She admitted having been to Abilene and various points on the Bankhead highway.

Mr. Armstrong said about \$900 worth of travelers' checks were traced to Dallas, where they were cashed. These, he said, were traced to "Dolores Martinez."

The woman arrested here said she was married to her present husband three years ago in Lamesa. They had lived here since last January or February, County Attorney J. Piner Powell said. Powell said charges of operating a disorderly house were brought here against both the woman and her husband.

Young Armstrong was still wearing baseball shoes when his body was found in the tourist cabin at 5 p. m. Saturday, March 20. He had no money and had not been robbed. No motive for the slaying has been found.

Identity of the driver of the black sedan and of the man who rented the cabin has never been learned.

Officer Jack said the taxi driver called by the girl at Odessa was told by her that she was "having trouble with her husband."

The murder victim was shot under the left arm with a .32 revolver, the bullet ranging downward and out at the right side of the body, County Attorney Powell said. Other arrests might be made in the general investigation.

Clerk Of Court And Wife Back At Home

Dan Childress, clerk of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals, Mrs. Childress and son, Robert, have returned from Silver City, N. M., where they have been visiting their son, Dan Childress, and Mrs. Childress. Meanwhile, now visiting in the Childress home is another son, Hiram, S.M.U. law student.

Alameda Club To Meet On Friday

The Alameda Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday, Sept. 1 at 2:30 p. m., in the home of Mrs. Elmer Blackwell.

Mrs. John Love will give a book review. Visitor sare welcome, and members are expected.

Wright Ligon Is Speaker At Rotary

A talk on the bottling industry was given Monday by Wright Ligon, program chairman, at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club at the First Methodist church in Eastland.

Grady Pipkin presided in the absence of Jack W. Frost, club president.

A. M. Naylor of Breckenridge and M. L. Bird of Abilene, the latter a guest of R. N. Wilson, were visitors.

The meeting of the club will be held next Monday because of Labor Day.

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201 S. College	\$17.50	\$11.10

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ARMOUR'S STAR HAM	ROAST or SHORT RIBS	Lb. 15c
ARMOUR'S STAR HAM	ROAST CHOPS	Lb. 15c
ARMOUR'S STAR HAM	ROAST CHOPS	Lb. 19c

ARMOUR'S STAR PEANUT BUTTER	Qt. 25c
ARMOUR'S STAR CORNED BEEF	No. 1 Can 19c

ARMOUR'S STAR POTTED MEAT	3 cans for 13c
ARMOUR'S STAR VIENNA SAUSAGE	3 Cans For 25c

MILK	
3 Tall or 6 Small Cans	18c

BEVERAGE SALT

Ginger Ale, Root Beer, Lime Rickey, Lemon, Club Soda

2 24 Oz. Bottles 15c

PLUS DEPOSIT

ARMOUR'S VECETOLE	4 Pound Carton	33c
CRISCO	3 Pounds	49c
CRACKERS	2 Pound Box	15c
PEAR COMPOTE	(Pieces) No. 2 1/2 Can	15c
WALDORF TOILET TISSUE	3 Rolls	14c

Plymouth COFFEE	Lb. 15c
WESSON OIL	Pint 23c
FRENCH FRIED POTATOES	2 Cans 15c
MAXWELL HOUSE TEA	GLASS FREE 1/4 Lb. 19c

Ratliff's TAMALES	2 Cans 25c
FEDERAL MATCHES	3 Large Boxes 10c
MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI	3 Boxes 14c
FRENCH'S BLACK PEPPER	4 Oz. Can 9c

MEAL	5 Lb. Bag 12c
HYPRO	Qt. 15c
BOSTON CREAM COOKIES	2 Lbs. 25c
WHEAT OR RICE PUFFS	Package 5c

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PINEAPPLE JUICE	3 Cans 25c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	3 No. 2 Cans 14c
GRAPE JUICE	Pints 15c Quarts 29c

NATIONAL SHREDDED WHEAT	Per Box 10c
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Bliss SYRUP	1/2-Gal. 29c
1dibits or Crushed PINEAPPLE	3 Cans 25c
5-String BROOMS	23c
GIBB TOMATO OR VEGETABLE SOUP	Tall Can 5c

Fresh Produce

ANTALOUPE	Jumbo Size 2 for 25c
ORANGES	2 DOZEN 25c
KRA TENDER POD	Lb. 5c
BLACKEYED PEAS	Garden fresh 3 Lbs. 10c
NO. 1 WHITE ONIONS	2 Pounds 9c
THOMPSON SEEDLESS GRAPES	They Are Sweet Pound 5c
CALIFORNIA HALE PEACHES	2 Pounds 18c
GREEN CABBAGE	PER POUND 4c
LEMONS	LARGE JUICY 2 Dozen 25c

KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES	2 Pkgs. 18c
RAISIN BRAN	2 Boxes 25c
POST BRAN	Large Box 15c
OATS 20-Minute	Package 8c
HUSKIES	Package 10c

P & G SOAP	6 Large Bars 21c
Rock Crystal SALT	3 Boxes 10c
Plymouth SALAD DRESSING	Qts. 23c
HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE SYRUP	lge. can 10c
KANSAS WORK CLOVES	Pair 10c

SUGAR 10-lb. bag 47c

Tomatoes 4 No. 2 cans 25c

LIFEBUOY SOAP Limit 3 Bars BAR 5c

FOLGERS COFFEE lb 25c

PIPKIN'S BEST FLOUR	24 Lbs. 71c
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PIGGLY WIGGLY

EASTLAND
SEPT. 1-2

Society Notes

No Meeting Monday Of W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will not have their regular business meeting Monday, September 4, it was announced by the president, Mrs. W. S. Adamson.

Eastland Personals

EASTLAND PERSONAL

O. T. Hazard of Staff was a visitor Wednesday in Eastland.

R. N. Cluck, Cisco school superintendent, transacted business Wednesday at Eastland.

Mrs. Vivian Coghlan and her daughter, Betty Joe, and Miss Lynn Coghlan of Ranger have just returned from a vacation spent in Colorado with visits to Pikes Peak and other points of interest.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor and daughter, Anna Jane, were in Fort Worth this last week-end to see Casa Manana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald of Austin are Eastland visitors this week. Their son, Jack McDonald, has been the guest of Billy Hoffmann for the past several days.

Mrs. Marie Gustafson, court reporter, has just returned from Chicago, Ill., where she has been studying in the Gregg College of Reporting for the past months. Her children, Billy and ElMar, Gustafson, have been spending the summer in Stamford and will return home this week-end.

Perry Sayles of San Antonio was a visitor Thursday in Eastland. He formerly resided here.

Milburn McCarty attended funeral services of Claude D. Teer at Austin on Tuesday.

O. S. Mickle and wife of Indianola, Okla., visited in the home of his cousin, Omar Mickle, this week. They left for their home this morning.

President Roosevelt's moving up of Thanksgiving gives you just one week more to delay doing your Christmas shopping early.

Stripped Kitty Is Unwelcome Visitor At Fraternity House

BERKELEY, Calif., Aug. 31.—All the brothers were valiant in the Psi Upsilon house but they held their noses and yelled for help when a striped kitty invaded the basement and got its head stuck in the neck of a pickle jar.

Policeman O. W. Rouse, in charge of skunk control, took drastic action. He formally reported to his superiors:

"Because of the nature of the animal so entrapped, it was impossible to assist in getting the jar off its head, so the animal was disposed of by shooting."

NUDIST CAMP OPEN TO POSTMAN

OAKLAND, Cal.—H. S. Fies, president of the State Letter Carriers' Association, believes that rural carriers sometimes get some of the breaks. He said that for three years he carried letters to a nudist colony near Upland, and all he had to do was to ring the gate bell and drive right in.

ENTRIES IN PEANUT EVENT ARE ASSURED

Cecil Barham, chairman of the committee in charge of the Texas Peanut Festival, to be held Sept. 28-30 in connection with the thirteenth annual Eastland County Fair, announced Wednesday that five entries have been assured in the Southwestern Peanut Queen contest.

One of the climaxing events of the fair and peanut festival will be selection and coronation of the peanut queen Saturday night, Sept. 30, at the Eastland Fire Department softball field.

Barham asserted that Mineral Wells, Dublin, DeLeon, Comanche and Breckenridge are the towns which have already assured entries in the queen contest.

Meanwhile, Barham is contacting officials of other towns in order that more entrants in the contest be assured.

Judges have been definitely assured for the selection of the queen.

They are: Eddie Barr, amusements editor

E. B. Coloman, Dallas, southern district representative of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer company.

Margaret Hall, Fort Worth, director of special events at Casa Manana.

Jack Gordon, amusement editor of the Fort Worth Press.

On Saturday afternoon, Sept. 30, at 4 o'clock entrants in the contest and their escorts will be guests of the Lyric theatre management. At 7 that evening entrants in the contest and escorts will be honored at a banquet at the Connellee hotel. At the banquet Coleman and others will talk.

At 8 o'clock that evening the contest queen selection and coronation is scheduled. Beginning at 9 o'clock a dance will be held. Joe Buzze and his orchestra, which has played several times in Eastland, will furnish the music for the dance.

Barham said that "newspapers, theatres and chambers of commerce in Mineral Wells, Dublin, DeLeon, Comanche and Breckenridge have promised 100 per cent cooperation, both in giving of publicity and aid in sending their contest entries to Eastland."

KOKOMO VISITOR E. G. (Tug) Underwood, deputy sheriff, was a business visitor Wednesday at Kokomo.

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FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, bath. Couple only. Apply 612 West Patterson.

FRYERS FOR SALE—Milkfed, 10c each. 50c dressed. See Jess Taylor one block west States Oil Camp, east of Eastland.

FOR SALE—Our summer stock automobile seat covers at one-third off. Jim Horton Tire Service, East Main, Eastland.

FOR RENT: My home for rent, furnished. Call 179.

FOR SALE: Dalmatian Coach, male dog or will trade for a bicycle. W. O. TYSON, 403 Pershing St., Eastland.

Attends Sunday School Without A Miss In Ten Yeras

Ima Ruth Hale of Eastland has marked up a record considered unusual.

She has not missed attending Sunday school in the past 10 years. The 10-year record was reached recently.

Miss Hale is president of the young people's class of the First

Methodist church at Eastland and was best all-around girl of Eastland high school in 1936. She was graduated in 1937 from high school with the highest average for girls for four years.

She was editor of the high school paper, The Round-Up, during her junior and senior years. During the same years she was a pep squad leader. In 1938 Miss Hale made an all-state softball team.

The age of man is reckoned at 2,000,000 years. The age of women we hear, is still in the early twenties.

OVERRULE MOTION County Judge W. S. Tuesday overruled a motion for defense for setting aside judgment rendered July 13 by of B. W. Russell vs. Company. On July 13 judgment was rendered of the plaintiff. The day and gave notice of

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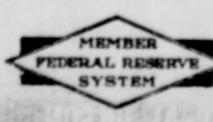
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In recognition of past achievements of American Labor, it seems entirely fitting to look into the future. The American way of life has always provided opportunity for hard workers . . . and it always will. Our new frontiers lie in the extension of our civilizations, in extending our benefits further to every person in the country. Labor grasped the opportunity in days . . . it will grasp it again and raise American standards even further. Continued cooperation and initiative will insure our progress.

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Whether you take advantage of our Special Offers or not we invite you to come in and see the new features of this Modern Service Station and the New Equipment and conveniences not found in most service stations. 6,000 square feet of parking space while being serviced . . . Full Line Accessories.

KELLY'S "66" SERVICE STATION

610 WEST MAIN ST. W. W. KELLY, Prop. 2 BLOCKS WEST OF POST OFFICE PHONE 9522 EASTLAND, TEXAS

Special Opening Offer No. 2 — 2 Days Only!

A Wheel Pack Job and 5 Gallons Unique Gas, \$1.80 Value. ALL FOR **\$1.30**

OFFER NO. 3 A reg. \$2.00 Wash and Grease Job and 5 Gallons Phillips "66" Gas, Reg. \$2.95 Value. ALL FOR **\$1.95**

NEW LOCATIONS STIR COUNTY OIL INTEREST

New locations in Eastland topped developments in this section the day Saturday.

W. A. Stiles et al location, a 1,500-foot prospect, four miles southeast of the No. 1 Duncan is from the south and west section 10, block 2, H&C.

Location was by Lone Company which will drill H&C survey, to the El, about 4,400 feet, and oil are found at a less. The No. 1 Kimmel is from the north and 1- from the west line of the and is about eight miles Cisco.

Eastland County oil Producing and Development is drilling at 3, on the No. 1 Hazel, section 4-H&C, four miles east

miles north of Scranton, advanced to 1,600 feet on the No. 1 J. M. Rush, H&C. L. Reeves No. 1 J. V. northwest part of the Wil-

Formal Opening Of New Station Friday, Saturday

With the opening of the new Phillips '66' Service Station at 610 West Main Street, Eastland has acquired one of the most modern service stations in this section.

W. W. (Wallace) Kelly, well known in Eastland and surrounding community will be in charge of the new business. Mr. Kelly, who until recently was employed by the city in an administrative capacity has leased the new building and will personally see that each and every patron of the new station receives the very best of service.

The station will have its formal opening Friday and Saturday, Sept. 1-2, and special offers of service have been announced.

Mr. Kelly stated that he has secured the services of Victor Sylvester, who is well known in this section and has had several years experience in servicing all makes of automobiles and trucks. These men welcome everybody and extend a personal invitation to their friends to stop with them when in need of any kind of services including Phillips gasoline and oils, washing and greasing or any other kind of service.

Two latest model pumps will feature Phillips '66' and 'Unique' gasolines. Phillips '66' and Phillips 'Trop-Arctic' high quality oils will also be featured.

In addition Mr. Kelly states that a full line of standard brands of oils will be handled for those who have their preference. Lee tires and tubes and Phillips batteries will also be handled by the station.

The service station is completely new from top to bottom and is of the newest modern architecture. It is equipped with the new type disappearing water service lines and air hose. The greasing rack is of the two-post St. Louis type and the washing equipment includes the reversible nozzle that will not injure the paint when washing the car.

Greasing equipment is of the latest type patents and makes possible the access to every necessary part of the car where proper greasing is essential.

The building is fireproof and concrete reinforced with steel. It has clean and modern rest rooms for men and women. An unusual feature of the ladies rest room is that it combines a vestibule which has a large life size mirror, a long bench leather upholstered seat and shelves for the convenience of women with children. The wash room is equipped with the latest model towel rack which has clean new linen towels for every customer. This is without question a most convenient part of the service of this modern station.

Phillips Petroleum products are well known in this section and while no service station featuring these products has been established in Eastland before, this service has been installed practically by popular demand.

Mr. Kelly states that a full line of automobile accessories will be handled. The parking space to serve their customers covers 6,000 square feet which makes it possible to serve many cars without long delay as well as a convenient place for customers waiting to be served safe from street congestion. A new model bottled beverage refrigerator and drinking fountain is also a part of their convenient service.

ATTENDANCE TOTALS 250 AT GOAT DAY

A total of 250 persons, representing 10 counties, were present Friday at the Terrell ranch in the Staff community when an extension service "goat day" program was conducted.

The program was held to call attention to the growing importance of goats to the county. In the last several years the goat population of the county has increased to approximately 20,000.

Thousands of acres of land in Eastland county, it was stated by County Agent Elmo V. Cook, are ideally adapted for goat raising. Should these acres be used for goats the county would become one of the leading mohair producing counties in the state, it was declared.

Dr. Truman Terrell of Fort Worth, owner of the ranch, welcomed visitors to the program.

County agents present in addition to Cook were C. V. Robinson of Coleman county, C. W. Lehman of Brown county, Knox Pace of Taylor county and W. K. Larc of Stephens county. Other counties represented included Lampasas, Mills, Erath, Palo Pinto and Tarrant. County agents in attendance also brought with them goat raisers from their territories.

Barbecued chevon was served at noon. Speakers included Dr. A. K. Wier of Ranger, W. R. Nisbet, extension animal husbandman; Dr. I. B. Boughton, veterinarian of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and Frank Grayson, marketing specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Other farm and agricultural officials present included: Charles Bell, Ranger vocational agriculture teacher; George I. Lane, county FSA supervisor; Dick Weekes, manager, and Jack Vaught, assistant manager, Southwestern Peanut Growers Association.

Mrs. Paulina Hunt Funeral Services Held at Eastland

Funeral services for Mrs. Paulina Hunt of Eastland, whose appearance was that of a woman much younger than her actual age of 96 years, were conducted Saturday afternoon at Eastland.

Services for Mrs. Hunt, who died Friday, were at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Morgan of Breckenridge and Rev. H. B. Johnson of Ranger officiating. Burial was in Eastland cemetery.

Mrs. Hunt only recently observed her 96th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Julia Mayes of Eastland, with whom she made her home.

Mrs. Hunt had been more or less active until 20 months ago, since which time she had been bedfast.

She had lived in Eastland since 1898 when with her husband, the late Rev. E. M. Hunt, and family Mrs. Hunt moved from Fannin county. The pioneer was born in Indiana and moved to Texas, settling at Fannin county in 1854. Her husband, who died in 1923 at the age of 84, devoted 51 years to the Baptist ministry.

During the Civil War Mrs. Hunt moved from Texas to Missouri. Her husband was a private in the Union forces. After the war they moved back to Texas.

Five of seven children survive. They are Mrs. Mayes of Eastland, Will Hunt of Breckenridge, George Hunt of San Antonio, S. C. Hunt of Eastland and John Hunt of Sherman.

Hammer Undertaking Company had charge of arrangements. In keeping with a request made to children before her death, the body was not embalmed.

Sheriff Leaves To Return Man Upon Conversion Count

Sheriff Loss Woods left at noon Tuesday for Grand Rapids, Mich., to return Carroll J. Hayes, wanted by county authorities on a charge of conversion.

Sheriff Woods was accompanied by Clyde Pettit, who will drive to Eastland a car belonging to Victor Cornelius which Hayes allegedly appropriated for his own use.

Hayes formerly was employed by Cornelius as a theatrical advertising salesman.

Papers for Hayes return were signed last week in Austin and brought to Eastland by Deputy Sheriff Tug Underwood.

Papers for the bringing of Hayes to Eastland were prepared by Criminal District Attorney Earl Conner, Jr.

Eight miles northeast of Stephenville, Wayne Chandler No. 1 Chandler, J. W. Moore survey, was shut down below 4,780 feet.

Stephens County George Fagy No. 1 Richardson, section 5-31-SPRR, six miles north east of Caddo, was shut down below 500 feet.

T. G. Shaw No. 1 S. P. Stroud, northwest one-fourth of the G. Newton survey, was attempting to straighten crooked hole below 650 feet. It is in the northeast corner of the county.

A. G. Swanson No. 1 Veale-Frost, section 37-8-T&P, was drilling at 2,400 feet 10 miles southwest of Breckenridge.

Eight Schools To Begin On Monday Say Superintendent

T. C. Williams, county superintendent, reported Tuesday that eight schools will begin their 1939-40 school years, Monday.

Schools beginning Monday are Olden, Carbon, Gorman, Rising Star, Pioneer, Lone Cedar, Kokomo and Desdemona.

Eastland, Ranger and Cisco all begin Sept. 11.

On that date all schools will have started, said Williams.

Williams also stated that two of New Hope's teachers and 39 students will attend at Gorman this year. Two teachers and 50 students of Romney will go to Cisco.

Eastland Man Is Injured In Fall

Max Kimble of Eastland Tuesday was recovering from injuries received in a fall from a motorized bicycle. Injuries included a fractured wrist and head cuts for which stitches were necessary.

Eastland County Women Planning to Attend Convention

Mrs. Owen Hinman of Ranger, chairman of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Council, and Mrs. Ted May of Morton Valley and Mrs. John Love of Alameda are making plans to attend the Texas Home Demonstration association convention Sept. 6-8 at Lubbock.

Reservations for the county delegates has already been made. They will leave Sept. 5.

Mrs. J. L. Morris of Lamesa, president of the convening association, will report on a trip she made this spring to London, Eng., where she represented Texas at a conference of Associated Country Women of the World.

Speakers will include Clifford B. Jones, president of Texas Technological college, and Marvin Jones, Amarillo, chairman of the agricultural committee, house of representatives. Jones is from Spur.

The delegates at the meeting will represent 2,198 home demonstration clubs from 183 counties which have an aggregate membership of over 40,000 women.

Now that Hitler is changing the maps and Roosevelt has taken over the calendar, we lack only a statesman who will do something about the weather.

Eastland County Allotted A Space At The State Fair

Space has been allotted in the agricultural building of the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, October 7 to 22 to Eastland county. This is one of 64 Texas counties to be represented in this display of farm life, which because of the geographical distribution of counties will show every form and variety of Texas farm product.

Counties from the Panhandle to the Rio Grande Valley and from the Louisiana line to the trans-Pecos are represented.

A prominent feature of the agricultural building also will be the individual showing of 4-H Club boys and girls, Future Farmers of America and individual growers.

Each county passing the standard test of a "sifting" committee will be awarded \$125 cash to assist in defraying the expense of installing the exhibit.

The exhibit of Eastland county will be a gathering place for those now living in the county, as well as for former residents who have moved away. A special date for a homecoming of former residents at the exhibit will be arranged.

State Fair officials have announced that the agricultural showing for this year will be perhaps the greatest in the 51 years of this All-Southwestern event. More applications for space were received than could be arranged.

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Labor Day Special Clearance Sale

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Covers	\$3.45	\$2.59
Goggles	.45	.37
Protect Screens	.40	.37
Polish	.44	.33
Garden Hose	1.89	1.42
Flashlights	1.89	1.27

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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

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THE 'DEAD END' KIDS
RONALD REAGAN

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THE MARCH OF TIME
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The thrilling, exciting, revealing story of New York City!

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GALE · ALDRIDGE · DINEHART · BLACKMER
A 20th Century-Fox Picture
A Cosmopolitan Production

PLUS "FOTONITE AMATEURS"

Colony Scheduled A Cemetery Working
 Everyone interested in the colony cemetery was reminded, again today that the cemetery

would be worked on Saturday, Sept. 2. The public has been invited to participate, and to bring along hoes, rakes or other small tools with which they can work.

Batting Leaders In Loop Figured

Batting averages of the leaders in the Eastland Softball League were announced today. The figures include up through Saturday night's games. The averages follow:
 St. John, Modern .421
 Miller, Modern .411
 Jones, Lone Star .387
 Brown, Clover Farm .380
 Morton, Clover Farm .371
 Gazzola, Bills Ice, Petes Beer .371
 C. Joyner, Carbon .357
 Hall, Carbon .351
 Maynard, Carbon .346
 Whitefield, T. P. .326
 Petty, Gunsight .314
 Hart, Modern .312
 Stuard, Clover Farm .311
 Hinton, Modern .309

Well In Brown Is Planned By Cisco

Application to drill a 750-foot well in Brown county has been filed by Guyle Greynolds of Cisco with the oil and gas division office of the Railroad Commission at Eastland. The well will be No. 1 W. F. Waldrop, section 31, HBB&C survey. Location is four miles southeast of Rising Star.

Hunting, Fishing Licenses Arrive At Clerk's Office

First new hunting and artificial lure licenses have been purchased from County Clerk R. V. Galloway, he said today. H. J. Kelly of Eastland was first to buy a new resident hunting license and O. M. White was the first to buy an artificial lure fishing license. White is of Eastland. John Fehl, also of Eastland, was second to buy an artificial lure license. New licenses, period for which they are good and cost are as follows:
 Artificial lure, until Aug. 31, 1940, \$1.10.
 Non-resident fishing license, until Aug. 31, 1940, \$5.
 Five-day fishing license for non-residents, five days, \$1.10.
 Resident hunting license, until Aug. 31, 1940, \$2.
 Commercial fishing license, until Aug. 31, 1940, \$3.
 Resident trapper's license, for season, \$1.
 Non-resident hunting license, until Aug. 31, 1940, \$25.

Eastland Dairy Girls Winners In Game With Youths

A girls' team, Street's Dairymaids, defeated a boys' team, the Methodist Youths, Tuesday night by a score of 5 to 2 at Fire department softball field in Eastland. Street's Dairymaids, using Drake, Curtis and Williamson as batterers, got 3 hits and played errorless ball. The boys' team, using Harrell as pitcher and Morgan catcher, got 2 hits and 3 errors. In the other game of the evening Eastland Outlaws defeated Gunsight 7 to 4. Gunsight made 9 hits and 4 errors while the Outlaws made 8 hits and 4 errors. Cox and Van Geem were Outlaw batterers while Perry and R. Boles served for Gunsight. It is apparent that the official schedule will end Friday of this week but it is likely games postponed earlier this season will be played off.

Evacuation Of London To Begin On Friday Morning

By DAN CAMPBELL
 United Press Staff Correspondent
 LONDON, Aug. 31.—Great Britain will begin tomorrow the mass evacuation of children, mothers, expectant mothers, blind people and cripples from cities to safety areas, the ministry of health announced today. The evacuation, unprecedented, taken to safeguard the lives of those concerned against air raiders, will include "priority" classes in all cities and towns in the government's evacuation zone. About 1,500,000 school children will be affected in London and the big provincial cities of England and Scotland. Wales and Ireland are not affected. There are 700,000 to be evacuated in the London area alone. Only on Tuesday, Arthur Greenwood, acting labor party leader, had demanded in the house of commons that the government start evacuation at once. Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain did not then respond. But at 12:20 p. m., today (7:20 a. m., EDT), the British Broadcasting Company sent out the ministry's statement. This statement said that the evacuation did not mean that war was regarded as inevitable, but that the government had ordered it as a precautionary measure in view of prolonged tension. Realizing the tremendous task before it, one which will mean the breaking up of hundreds of thousands of homes in England and Scotland, the ministry of health appealed earnestly for national cooperation. It was asked that there be no unnecessary movement about the country by civilians which might interfere with the evacuation. It asked that those who are to receive evacuated persons "put aside every consideration of personal interest and convenience and do everything possible to contribute to the success of this great national undertaking." "Evacuation, which will take several days to complete, is being undertaken as a precautionary measure in view of the prolongation of the period of tension," the health ministry said.

Zylophone Solos On Program For Lions

Lester Crossley had charge of the Lions Club program today and presented Miss Cecilia McDowell in a number of zylophone solos, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Weldon Webb. Visitors at the meeting included R. V. Galloway and Earl Conner, Jr., of Eastland and the two NYA visitors.

Lone Star Wins 12 to 4 As Team From Gunsight Met

Lone Star defeated Gunsight 12 to 4 Wednesday night at Fire Department Softball Field in Eastland. Cox pitched and Littlefield caught for Lone Star which obtained 10 hits and played errorless ball. Perry and R. Boles were Gunsight batterers. Gunsight got 12 hits and made 8 errors. In a 10-inning game T. P. defeated Clover Farm 7 to 5. C. Smith and Poyner were Clover Farm batterers and Dublin and Smoot served for T. P.

Community Fair Is Set At New Hope

The New Hope community fair will be on Friday September 8. Every one is urged to participate in the fair, and bring a basket lunch.

Ranger Selects A New Band Director for Coming Season

W. T. Walton, superintendent of the Ranger Public Schools, announced today that J. M. Hensley, an experienced band director, with four years of experience directing high school bands, had been secured as director of the Ranger High School Band this year. Hensley, who is married and has one daughter, 17 months old, completed his work on a master's degree at Texas Technological College at Lubbock this summer, and obtained his B. A. degree from Hardin-Simmons University in 1934. He has a double major in business administration and band music. Prior to coming to Ranger Hensley was band director at Baird, Tularosa, N. M., and Snyder, where he produced bands of exceptional quality. The first meeting of the band under the new director will be held Friday night at the band hall, in order that it may be ready for the Labor Day Celebration. Hensley replaces Milton Pullis, who resigned to accept a position as director of the band at Pleasant Grove High School, near Dallas.

K. P. Homecoming Scheduled Sunday

Pythian homecoming will be held Sunday at the Knights of Pythias home in Weatherford, it has been announced here. Several are planning to attend from the Eastland lodge of the knights, which has a membership from over the county. T. J. Powell, Ranger, district deputy, announced the homecoming this week at a meeting of the Eastland lodge.

Eastland Man Goes To Music Conference

Moreland Baldwin, director of the Eastland High school band, has been attending the Young Music-recreation camp at Simmons University in Dallas. Detroit reports a recent holdups from Friday to the Like European diplomats were evidently taking the end off.

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