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Proclamation

By the President of the United States

"Both the State and Federal governments have been especially concerned with the problems of older workers, many thousands of whom, despite their persistent efforts, still lack a place in industry. Among these are considerable numbers of World War Veterans who now average 47 years of age, and who, I feel, have a particular appeal to our national sense of responsibility.

"Our public employment service—a nation-wide network of sixteen hundred offices now operated jointly by the State and Federal governments—has made special efforts in behalf of workers past 40 years of age, including veterans. We know from the facts gathered by this agency that men and women in middle life possess abilities and skills which would fit them for employment in nearly every line of work. We know further that these older workers, when given an opportunity, demonstrate a seasoned experience and a mature application to their tasks which in many callings outweigh the physical advantages of youth.

"With these considerations in mind, I issued a proclamation last year designating an Employment Week and requesting that all our citizens give particular and active attention to the problems of older workers during the month in which Employment Week occurred—a third of a million jobs—a third more than during the same month of the previous year—were filled through the public employment offices, and a quarter of a million of these placements were in private industry. Moreover, placements proceeded at an accelerated rate in the month following Employment Week. Because of the concerted efforts of government, public-spirited groups, and, particularly, of employers throughout the land, thousands of workers over forty years of age, among the veterans, shared beneficially in this fine result.

"I am grateful for the whole-hearted response to my first appeal, and as President, I desire to encourage a continued nation-wide interest in this persistent problem.

"NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate the week beginning May 1, 1940, as National Employment Week, and Sunday, May 2, 1940, as National Employment Day, and I urge all churches, civic organizations, Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, veterans' organizations, industry, labor, public-spirited citizens, the radio, and the press throughout the United States to observe that week as National Employment Week, to the end that interest in the welfare of all the unemployed and especially the workers over forty years of age, may be stimulated and employment be extended to them.

"IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

"DONE at the City of Washington this 12th day of April in the year of our Lord, 1940, and of the Independence of the United States of America the 64th.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT
By the President:
Cordell Hull, Secretary of State.

Cemetery Working Slated at Colony

There will be a cemetery working at Colony on Saturday, May 4, to which everyone interested in improving the cemetery has been urged to attend.

Everyone is invited and each is asked to bring tools with which they can work. The work will be started at 7:30.

Texas Endorsement Is Straightforward

DALLAS, May 2.—Myron Blalock, chairman of the Garner for President Movement in Texas, stated today that the agreement for Texas Democrats to endorse Vice President John Garner for president, as a "straight forward endorsement" without any strings attached.

Payment On School Transportation Due

T. C. Williams, county school superintendent, stated today that he had received notice from the State Department of Education that the first payment on school transportation would be made within a few days, and that the final payment would be made shortly after the first payment had been made.

Have You Been Enumerated In The 1940 Census?

Have you been overlooked in the 1940 federal census? If you have, telephone 192 and notify the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. An effort is being made to have everyone in the city counted during the 1940 census, in order that Eastland may obtain benefits from a larger population.

Final Payment On Teachers' Salary Grant Is Received

The last payment on teachers' salaries has been received in the amount of \$8576 for rural schools of Eastland county. It was announced today by T. C. Williams, county school superintendent.

Payments to the schools will be made according to the following schedule, which has been approved by the State Department of Education:

Lone Cedar \$153; Flatwood \$147; Morton Valley \$769; Colony \$895; Kokomo \$671; Alameda \$762; Hallmark \$91; Reich \$218; Longbranch \$794; Elm \$144; Crocker \$227; Grandview \$82; Okra \$286; New Hope \$697; Dothan \$287; Romney \$218; Pleasant Hill \$103; Cook \$21; Mangum 152 and Stratton \$1,849.

Abilene Clerk Gets Fine In Attempt At TUCC Fraud

ABILENE, May 2.—An Abilene grocer's clerk paid the first fine ever assessed in Taylor county for making misrepresentations to the Texas Unemployment Compensation commission in an application for unemployment benefit payments.

County Judge Carl P. Hulsey assessed the minimum fine of \$20 plus \$20.20 costs after the offender had pleaded guilty.

Complaint was brought by H. H. Rumph, district supervisor for the commission. Allegation was that the defendant had failed to inform the commission of four days work he had done in filling out an application for compensation benefits.

Rumph said that his staff was checking many payrolls in Taylor county to find any other cases, if any, of the same type.

Under provisions of the law, persons becoming unemployed may receive \$30 from the TUCC each week until work is found.

(This applies to persons who are employed by firms required to pay unemployment taxes.) If the applicant for these payments receives temporary work during his layoff, the amount received should be reported, and his compensation payments will be reduced that amount.

The offender fined Wednesday was alleged to have reported doing only one day's work during a certain period, while actually doing five.

The case was the first tried in Taylor county, although applications have been received and payments made during the past two years. Rumph told Judge Hulsey that the practice of defrauding the state by filing incorrect applications was becoming general, and that attempt was being made to eliminate the trouble.

PWA To End A Seven Year Program

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Tex.—The seven-year construction program of the public works administration in the State of Texas is due to terminate June 30 under congressional provisions establishing the 1938 and final program, is fast nearing completion.

Local Youth Will Get His Degree In Engineering June 3

AUSTIN, May 2.—Degrees will be conferred upon 193 student engineers in commencement exercises at the University of Texas on June 3. W. R. Woolrich, dean of the College of Engineering, has announced.

Ten students will graduate with bachelor of architecture degrees. Bachelor of science degrees will be awarded to fifty-two graduates in chemical engineering, twenty in civil engineering, nineteen in electrical engineering, twenty-nine in mechanical engineering, and 63 in petroleum engineering.

Among students who will receive engineering degrees are the following:

Eastland—Bachelor of Science in petroleum engineering, Marshall Carter Coleman.

Olden—Bachelor of Science in electrical engineering, Victor Lee Hand.

Ranger—Bachelor of Science in petroleum engineering, Lefel Ewing Gray, Jr.

Nonnie Smith of Morton Valley Is Best 4-H Girl

The fine work that the Morton Valley 4-H club boys have done in swine and dairy demonstrations have proved Nonnie Smith, club leader, to be one of the best in Eastland county, stated A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent.

Through the influence of Mr. Smith, six of the boys bought registered Poland China gilts in 1939 and one other boy bought a registered Poland China boar. As a result of the success of these demonstrations in the county, Eastland county club boys won second place in the district of 19 counties on pig club work in 1939. Most of these hogs were fed balanced rations on self feeders and paid good returns on the investment.

Some of the hogs raised were shown in the Cisco, Ranger, and Ft. Worth shows this spring with very favorable results.

In 1940, through the leadership of Mr. Smith, several of the boys are securing registered Jersey heifers. This would appear to be a wise thing to do for Texas imports about one-third of the milk she uses, so it seems there would be a good future for production of milk especially with a market in the home for a large quantity of dairy products.

Dairying in the Morton Valley community will work well with swine production, for the skim milk and butter milk can be used as a protein supplement in the feed and provide another outlet for milk.

Outstanding dairy demonstrations have been made in Morton Valley by Buster Wheat in 1939 and Raymond Beck in 1940. Buster Wheat was also judged the most outstanding club boy in 1939 and received a 10-day trip through the Western States.

Another fine bit of evidence of good leadership in the Morton Valley Club is the large number of boys enrolled. The enrollment was so large in 1939 that two clubs were formed and in 1940 there are 39 boys making demonstrations.

Owner Risks Life In Seeking Lost Wallet

By United Press

NEW ORLEANS.—John Nedwick took a double risk when he jumped into the Mississippi river after his wallet.

First, he took the risk of drowning, but he didn't consider that important when he jumped in. Second, he took the risk of being an unidentified body if he didn't save those papers.

Future: Marriage, Not Deportation



There's a good reason for Viennese actress Vilma Kurer's smile. The "Bathtub Girl," as she was called after playing that role in Vienna from the Broadway hit, "The Women," was faced with alternative of marrying a U. S. citizen or being deported to Germany, from which she had fled. Recently she announced her engagement to Michael Jofre Lewis of New York. "I wouldn't marry for convenience," she explained. "I love him, and we're going to have lots and lots of babies."

Hale County 4-H Boys Made Good Profit From Meat

COLLEGE STATION.—Hale county 4-H Club boys realized \$16,124.43 from the sale of their meat animals produced under commercial feedlot conditions.

The total came from the sale of 140 pigs, 140 beef calves, and 253 lambs. K. J. Edwards, district agent of the Texas A. & M. Extension Service, said.

The pigs were sold on the local market at Plainview, but the calves and the lambs were offered at Kansas City. The shipment made up a special train, and 37 club boys and 8 county agricultural agents and adult elders accompanied the movement to observe marketing conditions.

Several neighboring counties also contributed to the shipment, and the totals do not include a considerable number of beef calves and some lambs not yet ready for market.

The Hale county plan of production under commercial conditions rather than for exhibit at the various livestock shows, is being followed in a number of other counties, according to State Boys' Club Agent L. L. Johnson.

Precinct Meeting Is Called Saturday

C. E. May, precinct chairman of the Democratic Party, has called a meeting in the City Hall for 2 p. m. Saturday, May 4.

All members of the Democratic Party residing in this precinct have been invited to attend. County delegates will be selected at the precinct meetings, with delegates to the State convention being selected at the county convention.

Car Registrations For 1940 Estimated Above Those of '39

H. C. O'Brien, county tax assessor collector, stated today that automobile registrations were running a little ahead of last year, he believed, though an accurate check had not been made in the past two weeks. He estimated the total collections for the first four months of this year at \$90,000.

O'Brien said that the first \$50,000 collected remained in the county and the remainder was divided into two equal shares, one going to the state and the other to the county. He estimated total collections for the year would amount to \$100,000, which would make the county's share \$75,000 and that of the state \$25,000.

ALLIES LEAVE SOUTH NORWAY TO THE NAZIS

Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain stated today before the House of Commons that the Allies had found it necessary to abandon their positions around Trondheim as it had become evident more than a week ago that it was impossible to capture the city from the south. The entire Allied force has therefore been withdrawn, under the very noses of German aircraft, without the loss of a man. Chamberlain said, and the positions north of the city are being strengthened.

It is far too soon to draw a balance sheet in Norway, the prime minister told the house members, and assured them that Norway would not be any "side show."

He said that Germany had long planned her campaign in Norway, and England and the Allies, going into the country almost without plan or previous campaign mapped, had been at a disadvantage. He said that he had no particular details as to the number of Allied casualties, but that there were reasons to believe they had been relatively light in view of the extent of the campaign.

The prime minister said that German naval losses had been so extensive that it was now possible for the Allies to divide their navy, and stated that a large fleet had already been sent to Alexandria, Egypt, to be ready in the event Hitler made an attack on the Balkans, or even on England, itself.

He placed the German naval losses in the Norwegian campaign at two capital ships severely damaged, 30 transports and supply ships sunk, 10 others probably sunk, three to four cruisers sunk, 11 destroyers and three submarines as total losses. British losses, he said, had been four destroyers, three submarines, one ship, four trawlers and five warships damaged.

From Berlin it was announced that columns of Nazi troops from Oslo and a column from Bergen had met to complete the left wing, but sources in Stockholm said the left wing of the Nazi drive had met with stiffened resistance and German troops had fled to Roeros.

Swedish sources also reported today that two Nazi transports had been attacked in the Skagerak today and it was believed one was sunk and one burned.

Chamberlain said he would report more fully to Commons next week and observers believed that a shakeup in the cabinet and the high command would follow if the public is not appeased.

State President of Jaycees To Speak Here On Monday

The state president, Mr. W. O. (Bill) Cooper, of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce will be guest speaker on the public meeting of the Eastland Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday night, May 6, at 7:45, in the Connellee Theatre.

Mr. Cooper will present the State National charter of the Eastland organization at this meeting.

A number of prominent speakers will appear on the program with Judre V. T. Seabury as the principal speaker of the evening.

Prefacing the speakers, the Eastland High School band will give a 20-minute concert.

The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting Monday evening at 7:45.

OHIO LEMON TREE PRODUCES

AKRON, O.—A lemon tree Mrs. Joseph Riedl bought from a seed company eight years ago is bearing fruit for the first time this spring. There are seven huge lemons, each about four times the size of average lemons, on the tree, which stands four feet high.

National Music Week Program Is Announced

Special music in each church school department in all the Churches in Eastland, all clubs and organizations.

Sunday, May 5—Eastland county artist program at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

Monday, May 6—Rotarian Club, at 12:15, Vocal duet, Mrs. Art Johnson and Mrs. Grady Pipkin. Piano solo, Barbara Patterson.

Baptist Church at 3 p. m., W. M. S., Vocal duet, Miss Roberta Kinnaird, and Mrs. P. L. Crossley. A talk on Music Week, Mrs. Frank Lovett.

Methodist Church W.M.S., at 3 p. m. Mrs. W. F. Davenport will speak on Music is Essential. Vocal Duet, Mrs. Wade Thomas and Mrs. F. L. Crossley.

First Christian Church W.M.S., at 3 p. m. Mrs. N. L. Smitham will speak on Music Week. Musical Reading, Melba Wood, accompanied by Mrs. A. F. Taylor.

Church of God W.M.S., 3 p. m., Talk on Music Week, Mrs. Holder. Monday, at 8 p. m., Las Leales Club present Evelyn Oppenheimer, in book review, at high school auditorium.

Tuesday, Lions, 12:15, Musical readings, Miss Melba Wood with Helen Lucas, accompanist.

Eastern Star, 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, piano solo, Mrs. W. W. Kelley.

Junior Fine Arts program, high school auditorium, at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Mrs. Hollis Bennett presiding.

Wednesday, May 8, Scale Runners Club, 3 p. m. Garden Club pilgrimage and plantation supper. Program of music at South Ward at 1:50.

Thursday, May 9, Taylor Studio students program, in high school auditorium at 8:50 a. m. Delphin Club, 3 p. m. Community Clubhouse, piano solo, Marie Hart, Trombone solo, Peter Pegues, accompanied by Johnnie Lou Hart.

High school Junior-Senior banquet, special music.

Friday, May 10, Musical program, 9 a. m., West Ward. Home Makers class and Gleaners Mothers Tea at Baptist church at 3 p. m. Hardin-Simmons University Fine Arts faculty program, 8:30 p. m. at Methodist church.

4-H Club Boys To Be On A Program

Five radio program on 4-H club demonstration work in Eastland County will be given over KRCC in Abilene in May. These programs will be each Wednesday at 11:30 and 4-H boys will appear on most of the programs. The first program is May 1 with Raymond Beck and S. W. Laminack, Jr., of the Morton Valley club in conversation on their dairy and swine demonstrations.

One of the Rising Star club boys, Merle Roach, will be featured in the program on May 8 in conversation with A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent, about his poultry demonstration. Several other boys in the Rising Star Club are doing excellent demonstration work.

The third radio program will be given at 11:30 on May 15 and will feature the work the Kokomo Club boys did to earn the Social Progress Award in Texas for two successive years. A beautiful cabinet Philco radio was the prize given to the Kokomo Club boys for winning first place in the contest. L. R. Higginbotham, club leader, and A. C. Pratt will appear on this program.

Other boys who will take part in the programs are Paul Gibson of Eastland Junior High School and Stuart Utley of the Lone Cedar Club. The KRCC station is very clear at that time of the day, so this will be a good time to hear the boys tell about their work.

Roundup Club Wins Attendance Contest With Club 1

The Pythian Roundup Club No. 2, composed of lodges in Eastland, Graham, Comanche, Gorman and Breckenridge, won in a contest over Club No. 1 composed of towns west of Henrietta by having 73 present to 53 for Club No. 1.

As a penalty for losing Frank Silveger of Club No. 1 was supposed to make a speech, but he called on others, after a short talk. Those presented and who made talks included T. J. Powell, grand chancellor of District 29; John Lee Smith, district deputy supreme chancellor and Frank Smith, grand chancellor of Texas.

Entertainment was furnished by the Eastland square dance set, headed by Curley Maynard, and composed of Misses Martin Jean Lister, Clara June Kimble, Geraldine Russell and Alma Williamson and Ross Earl Lawson, Pat Ross and E. J. Pryor.

The ladies wore evening gowns and the men wore Mexican costumes, which added much to the occasion.

Refreshments of ham and eggs were served.

It was brought out that lodges from Brownwood, Cross Plains and Stephenville would be taken into Roundup Club No. 2 at a meeting in Comanche on May 14.

Goat Lice Control Demonstration Is Due Near Gorman

A demonstration in the control of goat lice by dipping will be held on the Blackwell Ranch at 9 a. m. Monday, May 6th, it has been announced by Elmo V. Cook, county agent. Two hundred and fifty head of does and kids will be dipped in wettable sulphur.

Goat raisers are invited to attend the demonstration. The location of the demonstration is seven miles north of Gorman on the Ranger road.

I-H Contests In County In Summer

Contests in 4-H Club Dairy demonstrations and entomology work will be held among club boys in Eastland County this summer. Three clubs, Alameda, Rising Star and Morton Valley have entered the dairy demonstration contests and nine clubs, Gorman Ward, Gorman High, Eastland High, Ranger Cooper, Carbon, Pioneer, Rising Star, Flatwood, and Olden have entered the entomology contests.

County awards of gold and silver medals will be given the two highest teams in dairy demonstration work and the highest team in entomology will compete in the state contests at A. & M. College Short Course in July. The boys are showing keen interest in this work and the county elimination contests promise to be very interesting, stated A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent.

Pioneer Buckskin Clothes Now Rare

AUSTIN.—Buckskin may have been a favored material for garments of the early Texas settlers, Miss Mary Reid of Dallas told Texas historians at their annual meeting at Austin but in her searches for early day fashions she has found few such garments preserved. Gen. Sam Houston seemed to set the fashion in buckskins and wore that attire when he was chosen commander in chief of the Texas armed forces. When the early settlers went partying many of the women wore imported silk gowns and many of the men wore tails.

"The president might live in a log cabin with dirt floors but ladies and gentlemen of the republic dressed as elegantly as they could for all formal occasions," Miss Reid said.

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HOMCOMING WILL DEDICATE CHURCH ORGAN

Opening event for the Homecoming at the Methodist Church will be a church supper Friday evening at which Mrs. C. C. Robey and Judge Cyrus B. Frost will speak. Saturday morning at 10 a. m. Rev. R. H. Heizer, son of the pastor, R. S. Heizer, who was here in 1896, and Rev. E. R. Stamford here from 1933 to 1936, will preach. Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. M. A. Turner, here in 1901, and Rev. Robert Butler, once a member here and now pastor at Abilene, will preach at 11 o'clock, and Rev. Z. R. Fee at 8 in the evening. The Men's Chorus will sing Sunday evening. A special broadcasting feature, a bit of drama, hidden, will be a feature at the Sunday evening service.

The organ dedication will be Sunday morning. In addition to the dedication sermon by Rev. Mr. Shearer, a fifteen minute service of organ dedication will be held. Miss Clara June Kimble will be at the organ for all services. Sunday morning the choir will sing two anthems, one at the elose fitting the organ dedication. Miss Wilda Drago will direct the choir; Mrs. Grady Pipkin is president.

Some \$300 is being raised this week to finish the \$3040 expenses of organ, installation and extensive church remodeling and repair. A number of former Eastland Methodists are due to arrive Friday.

An outing and picnic will be held at the city park Saturday afternoon, 5 p. m.

Lone Star Man Is Named On Group At Tulsa Oil Show

C. R. Rogers, Lone Star Gasoline Company, is a member of the Natural Gasoline Committee for the largest industrial show of any industry, the International Petroleum Exposition to be held May 18 to 25, in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Word of his appointment was received here from J. A. LaFortune, chairman of the Exposition's Natural Gasoline Committee. LaFortune reports that the largest number of exhibits in the show's history will include many new developments in the natural gasoline division.

Some of the features include: New remote control lubricated plug cocks, operated by power cylinders and diaphragm valves, will make possible a complete shut-down of all refining processes through the turning of a single lever.

New equipment designed particularly for natural gasoline plants includes absorption processes adapted to obtain efficient extraction at high operating pressures; induced draft cooling towers constructed to cope with problems of high atmospheric temperatures, high humidity, and low wind velocities.

Exhibits will also show how natural gasoline plants are being designed for ultimate safety in all operations.

Debtors Chain Of 1647 Is Displayed

PHILADELPHIA.—An elaborately carved, massive oak "debtor's chair," dated 1647 and believed to have been mentioned in Samuel Pepys' diary, is on display in a collection here.

The unsuspecting debtor who sat in it after paying a call on his creditor would find himself firmly held by iron grips hidden in the panels at the sides. Since the unhooking device is at the top of the chair and well out of the victim's reach, he would have to sit there until he made some arrangements to pay his bill or until his creditor released him.

Pepys referred to such a device in his diary on Nov. 1, 1660: "This morning Sir W. Pen (William Penn's father) and I were mounted early and gave very merry discourse all the way, being very good company," he writes.

"We come to Sir Batten's, where he lives like a prince, and were made very welcome. Among other things he showed me my Lady's Closet, wherein was great store of rarities, as also a chair which he calls King Harry's chair, where he sits down is caught with two irons that come round about him, which makes good sport."

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For the Honor of Our Country...

The Olympic Games planned for Finland this summer, are definitely off. Even after the war with Russia was concluded Finland with characteristic gallantry, tried to arrange the games.

Despite her own suffering, Finland might have been able to carry on. But the condition of a Europe at war makes the project impossible, and the Finnish committee has had to cancel the games definitely and finally.

So in this year of 1940 there will be no white-clad group of keen, eager young men and women standing in the bright sunshine to take once more the traditional Olympic oath:

"We swear that we will take part in the Olympic Games in loyal competition, respecting the regulations which govern them and desirous of participating in them in the true spirit of sportsmanship for the honor of our country and for the glory of sport."

Not this year. The keen young men of more than half the world are today engaged in playing a grimmer game. They have been told that they are playing this game, too, for the honor of their countries. However that may be, it is already clear that for many, many thousands of them the prize is not some gay ribbon or bright medal, but the dark garland of death.

It is because those games are not to be held this summer, and because that oath is not to be taken by the young men and young women, that we have reprinted it above. For though they have been temporarily set aside by a world intent on graver matters those principles must not be forgotten.

The time will come, some day, when the world must remember "loyal competition." The time will come when "respecting the regulations" will not be a sign of weakness, but of strength. The time will come when the "true spirit of sportsmanship" will again have value for men who have had to forget it in the necessities of a game that is played for keeps. And for "the honor of our country," things are being done today which perhaps people of a later time will not look upon as redounding much to anybody's honor.

With food prices high, it becomes increasingly evident that a fish on the hook is worth two in the brook. But the ones that get away still make better story material.

It's a Harvard historian who predicts the U. S. will be drawn into the war by a German invasion of South America. Now if he only has a good tip on the fifth at Hialeah.

Bismarck was known as Germany's iron chancellor. Glancing over Hitler's birthday presents, we see the Fuehrer is destined to become the "scrap iron chancellor."

Under way in the U. S. is a "Stop Dewey" movement among Republicans. This, just a year after Europe was attempting a similar curb against a man with a mustache and ambition to get ahead.

ORIENTAL SCHOLAR

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small illustration of a man's face.

R. R. Schedule



Cotton Research Congress Will Seek Cure for Ills at Waco June 27

By TOM W. MILLER United Press Staff Correspondent WACO, Tex.—The first national cotton research congress, to probe into the ills of King Cotton and to attempt to find a cure, will meet here June 27.

For three days, some of the world's outstanding cotton experts will pool their knowledge of cotton and discuss the future of the industry in this country.

General subjects for discussion will include: First day—The world cotton situation. The United States cotton policy. The relationship of Texas' cotton industry to the world.

Second day—Production, harvesting, ginning, and marketing. Third day—Uses: old and new of the fiber, seed and other products.

The congress will be sponsored by the Statewide Cotton Committee of Texas, an organization including representatives of every phase of the cotton industry and allied interests. For the last few years it has been waging an intensive campaign to improve the staple quality of cotton grown in Texas—the nation's largest cotton state—to improve the ginning, to eliminate trade barriers, to eradicate cotton insects, to develop new uses, and to increase the consumption of cotton and its by-products.

Chairman of the committee is Burr C. Jackson, postmaster at Hillsboro.

"Due to the tremendous loss of foreign markets, upon which Texas cotton is nearly wholly dependent, and other factors surrounding the cotton policy of this country, the statewide cotton committee of Texas is very much alarmed as to the future of the whole Texas cotton industry, as well as the cotton industry of the whole South," Jackson said.

"Therefore, a research congress has been called to fully and completely discuss the problems facing cotton."

Waco, site of the congress, is in the heart of the Central Texas black-land cotton growing area.

Dr. A. B. Conner of Texas A. & M. College, chairman of the research division of the statewide committee, will be in charge of the three-day program.

"We're going to make every effort," Dr. Conner said, "to get a clear picture of the cotton situation, both as regards our own state and in the whole nation."

He added that particular emphasis would be given to means of cutting the unit of production of a bale of cotton "to enable producers to obtain maximum returns and to compete with others in world cotton production costs."

Jackson said an effort was being made to obtain authorities in cotton expansion in Brazil, Russia, Argentina, Egypt and the British possessions to give cotton industry leaders first hand information as to whether those countries intend to continue growing cotton indefinitely.

Such information, he said, is needed to know what the U. S. cotton growing states can expect in competition for foreign markets.

"The national cotton program, particularly reduced acreages, has resulted in immense losses to Texas cotton farmers," Jackson said. "We intend to inspect the program thoroughly and attempt to foresee future cotton policies of the government, thus equipping ourselves for any situation."

Jackson, who attended a meeting of the Statewide Cotton Committee at Dallas early this year at which first plans for the research congress were outlined, said that 20 key cotton men of the state, who were present, all agreed that unless Texas farmers find new outlets for their cotton either abroad or at home, there is likely to result serious competition in other regions in self-defense.

Reduction of acreage planted to cotton in Texas has resulted in this state's annual production falling from the 4,600,000-bale average of 10 years ago to around 3,000,000 bales last year and prospects of an even further reduction in 1940.

Incidentally, Postmaster General James A. Farley, who spoke to the State Convention of Texas Ginners in Dallas last month on his Southwestern tour, said that research and salesmanship were keys to solution of the cotton problem—research to discover new cotton uses and salesmanship to put them across.

"That's just what we hope to do," Jackson said. "The Cotton Research Congress—first of its kind in the United States—should help us immensely toward this end."

Eastland Woman Purchases Home

Mrs. Ita R. Parrish has purchased the six room frame dwelling with 2 1/2 acres of land located on the Bankhead highway just west of Eastland from S. W. Kitley of Troup.

Mrs. Parrish, who purchased the property for a home, is an employee of the Farm Security Administration with offices in the Eastland National Bank building.

Earl Bender & Company, Eastland realtors, handled the details of the sale for the former owner.

Italy Concentrates Fleet Off Tunisia

PARIS, May 2.—It was reported today that Italy's 110 submarines and a large fleet of torpedo boats were concentrated near French Tunisia.

Home Driver Is Most Careless A Survey Shows

AUSTIN.—Much has been said regarding the relationship between accidents and driver residence. It has been stated that drivers from other parts of the State or Country come into a particular community and cause accidents.

Since this question has been raised, a study has been made of the fatal accidents occurring in Texas during the first three months of 1940. This study has revealed that in fatal accidents occurring in cities of over 2500 population, 87 per cent of the drivers involved were residents of the home county. On county roads, 70 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents lived in the county in which the accident occurred.

In the entire State of Texas for the first three months of 1940 there were reported 341 fatal accidents which involved 489 drivers of motor vehicles. Two hundred eighty-two or 60 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents lived in the county in which the accident occurred. One hundred fifty-five or 33 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents lived outside of the county in which the accident occurred. This is two or 7 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents lived outside the State of Texas.

This survey indicates that the home driver is the careless driver becoming more careful as he drives in unfamiliar territory.

Morton Valley 4-H Club In Meeting

The members of the Morton Valley 4-H club recently held a meeting in the auditorium of the Morton Valley school house. The president and secretary called the meeting to order. The minutes were read and approved. The roll was called. In answering the roll call each member had to tell a joke or riddle.

Plans were made for the Club Sunday. After all business was attended the recreational leader took charge. A number of songs were sung. The club adjourned at 3:30 o'clock.

Gorman 4-H Boys At Demonstration Upon Caponizing

Approximately 25 4-H boys and leaders attended a caponizing demonstration at the home of Club Leader N. A. Sanders in Gorman on the afternoon of April 25. The demonstration was arranged by A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent of Eastland County, with Elmo V. Cook performing the operation.

No local market will justify the production of capons, but the added weight, tenderness, and flavor of flesh on a capon makes them very popular among 4-H poultry demonstrators. Several of the boys own caponizing sets and do the work themselves. Capons do not produce any larger frame, but will put on several pounds more weight than roosters will.

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Rangerite Named On a Committee For Tulsa Show

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Latest advances in pipe line construction and servicing equipment are among the important exhibits of 600 companies which will be seen at the 1940 Tulsa show.

Included will be displays of tractors and related equipment recently developed to make fast work of clearing right-of-ways, especially in wooded regions of areas of rock outcroppings.

New developments in cathodic protection of existing pipe lines will be exhibited, together with instruments to detect even the smallest of leaks in lines.

High speed equipment for pump stations, perfected to further increase efficiency will be seen at the Exposition.

For the auxiliary branch of pipe line pumping stations exhibits will show improved water purification systems, filtering processes making lubricating oil usable over and over, more efficient air filtering units.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS . . .

By BOYCE HOUSE Of course, a whole book could be filled with jokes about darkies. Here are some of the time-honored jests:

A negro, facing a court martial for fleeing in the face of the foe, was asked, "Were you running?" He answered, "Naw, sah, but I passed several whut was."

There was a darkey who got scared and galloped down a path until he startled a rabbit that dashed along ahead of him and the negro said, "Git outta de way, Mr. Rabbit, an' let somebuddy run whut kin run."

An old colored man, who had ridden into town, left his mule in front of the store and a mischievous white man squirted some "high-life" on the animal, which dashed down the road. The negro came out and said, "White folks, how much ob dat medicine did you put on dat critter?" The man answered, "Oh, about five cents worth." The old fellow said, "Well, squit a dime's worth on me 'case I've got to ketch dat mule."

A new person had just announced the text of his sermon when a ripe tomato hit him in the face. He wiped the pulp and juice away and announced, "Bred'n an' sisters, for de next thutty minutes I've gwine to preach a powerful sermon an' den youse gwine to see de blanket-blanket fight youse evah seed."

Several members of the congregation were hurt in a stempede that resulted when, in the midst of a funeral sermon, the "corpse" rose up in the casket. At an investigation, the justice of the peace insisted that one of the "sisters" tell exactly what the parson had said. "Well," she replied, "as he run by me, he say, 'D— an' an archet that would build a church wid only one doah.'"

Facts about folks: V. D. Ringwald, Alice publisher, while a telegraph operator in Eastland, bought a book, "How to Be a Newspaperman," sat up half the night reading it and the next day there was a mob surging around the jail looking for a prisoner, so Ringwald sent "queries" to the big papers and sold the story for 50 times what he had paid for the book. . . . Frank Grimes, editor of the Abilene Reporter, writes poetry—and it's good enough that it has been included in several anthologies. . . . Moran Dunlap, Meridian Tribune editor, one of the first to start publishing "I Give You Texas," has been nominated for postmaster. . . . Miss Eliza Gilliland, publisher of the Baird Star, which also publishes "I Give You Texas," has been re-appointed postmistress. Her father founded the Star, edited it for more than 50 years and the "imposing" stone on which the paper was made up for half a century marks his grave. . . . Ralph Yarborough, now rounding out his second term as district judge at Austin, will not be a candidate for re-election but will return to the private practice of law. Yarborough two years ago made a strong race for Attorney General. . . . Adventure Magazine for May has a Texas flavor, with articles by C. L. Douglas of the Fort Worth Press, and Mody C. Boatwright of the State University. . . . And E. S. Shoaf

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To date, 23 West Texas towns and colleges have advised they are sending sponsors to the WTCC convention. Girls already named and certified, besides Miss Cornish, are: John Tarleton College, Miss Beattie Nettlet; Iowa Park, Miss Tommie Jo Mitchell; Putnam, Miss Willie Grace Pruitt; Lamesa, Miss Marilyn Parkinson; Stephenville, Miss Evelyn Colman; Sul Ross Teachers college at Alpine, Miss Margaret Stacy; Miss Joyce Whaley, Sweetwater, is "Miss West Texas" for this year and will be present to crown her successor for next year.

When asked if he preferred white or black chickens, Rastus answered, "Both has dere advantages; de white ones is easier to see on de roost but de black ones is easier to hide."

A darkey was trying to find out from his son whether he had gotten married. The son was using a lot of big words in an effort to evade but the older man broke in: "I ain't askin' you, is you ain't; I've askin' you, ain't you is?"

Two negroes were in a poker game. "What you got?" one inquired. "Four kings" was the answer, "and what you got?" The first negro said, "A pair ob fives—and a razor" to which his opponent replied, "Niggar, how come you so lucky?"

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The deceased had suffered with a heart ailment for some time, but shortly before his death he had appeared to be in good health. He was stricken suddenly and died shortly after the attack.

He had long been a member of the Arlington Baptist church, where he formerly lived.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. W. M. Weed and a cousin, Miss Ethel M. Heath, of Fort Worth.

More Fish Put In Possum Kingdom by State Hatcheries

Another truck load of 42,000 advance fry bass, and 25,000 black crappie comprised the second load of fish put in Possum Kingdom Lake today. The fish came from the Cisco hatchery.

L. A. Prock, assistant superintendent of the State Fish hatchery at Cisco is supervising stocking of the lake. He said today that many more loads would be placed in the lake soon.

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Mrs. Wilson was born July 16, 1861 at Atlanta, Ga., and died Saturday at her home in Ardmore. She was married to M. F. Wilson in Montague County, Texas. When a girl of 12 she joined the Missionary Baptist Church, to which she belonged until the time of her death.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. A. P. Daugherty, Brownfield; Mrs. J. E. Montgomery, Overbrook, Okla., and Mrs. W. E. Herwick, Ranger; one son, W. E. Wilson, Kilgore; one sister, Mrs. J. B. Boggess, Los Angeles; two brothers, L. C. Dickey, Lone Wolf, Okla., and John Dickey, Shawnee, Okla., 32 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers included her grandsons, among whom was Millard Herwick of Ranger.

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R. R. Schedule



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By TOM W. MILLER
United Press Staff Correspondent
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AUSTIN.—Much has been said regarding the relationship between accidents and driver residence. It has been stated that drivers from other parts of the State or Country come into a particular community and cause accidents.

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MODERN MENUS

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Service Staff Writer

OUT of the sea swims complete protein. Whether you select fresh, canned or quick-frozen fish for the menu, you are certain of a reasonable supply of first-class protein for the family.

In a terrible hurry? Then get a filet of quick-frozen cod and turn out this quick fish dinner: Boiled Codfish with Parsley and Egg Sauce, Potato Chips, Buttered Peas, Shad, Cucumbers, Tapioca Cream with Rhubarb Sauce.

BOILED CODFISH WITH PARSLEY AND EGG SAUCE
(Serves 4 to 6)

Place Filet of Cod in saucepan and add 1/2 cup boiling water and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Cover and cook gently 10 minutes or until codfish is tender. Serve with parsley and egg sauce.

PARSLEY AND EGG SAUCE
To 1 cup white sauce add one chopped hard-cooked egg and 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley. Season to taste.

Fish can also become a party protein. Try this wonderful recipe when it's "company night" at your home.

FILET OF SOLE MONICA
(Serves 8)

Two pounds filet of sole, fresh or quick-frozen; 1 pound mushrooms; 1/2 pint cream; 1/2 pound American cheese; 3/4 pound grapes; 3/4 pound butter; 3/4 pint milk; 2 eggs.

TOMORROW'S MENU
BREAKFAST: Fresh pineapple, omelet with green herbs, wholewheat toast, apple jelly, coffee, milk.
LUNCHEON: Fish chowder, pilot biscuit, applesauce, gingerbread, tea, milk.
DINNER: Tomato and lime juice, filet of sole Monica, parsley potato balls, green beans, watercress salad, French dressing, apricot upside down pudding, hard sauce, coffee, milk.

Simmer the fish slowly in 3/4 pint of milk, to which has been added 1/2 teaspoon salt. Save the milk for the sauce. Cut unpeeled mushrooms in medium-sized pieces. Cook in two tablespoons butter, salt and pepper. Peel grapes, cut in half and remove seeds. If seedless grapes are in season, they can be used without being peeled. Make sauce by creaming flour and butter together; then add the milk, mushroom juice and grated cheese. When this is cooked, add the 3/4 pint of cream.

Pour some sauce in the bottom of a casserole or pyrex dish, and alternate layers of fish, grapes, mushrooms and sauce, finishing with sauce. Bake 20 minutes in 400° F. oven.
This can be prepared in the morning and then baked just before serving.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

SO LONG -- SEE YOU TOMORROW IN LATIN!

NO YOU WON'T. I SLEEP IN THAT CLASS!

Y' KNOW, POP -- I LEARNED A LOT UP THERE ON THAT MOUNTAIN ROAD. LIFE ISN'T JUST HUCKLEBERRIES AND CREAM!

TAKE JUNE, FOR INSTANCE! SHE'S A SWELL DANCE PARTNER, BUT SHE ISN'T JUST GLITTER -- SHE'S REAL. SHE'S GOT PIONEER BLOOD IN HER. OR SOMETHING!

HMMM!

AND WHEN YOU NEED HER, YOU CAN DEPEND ON HER AND SHE DOESN'T FOLD IN THE MIDDLE!

WE'RE HOME NOW, SON -- YOU CAN TAKE OFF YOUR LONG WHITE BEARD!

Hostesses To Visitors



Hockaday hospitality is typified by these three pretty girls, left to right: Miss Edna Elizabeth Purnell, Miss Elizabeth McCulloch, and Miss Marian Brain, members of Tau Gamma Epsilon, honorary Hockaday Junior College sorority, who will be hostesses to creative arts winners from Ranger Junior College May 3 at the state wide Creative Arts Day on the Hockaday campus.

Society Notes

Evelyn Oppenheimer to Be Presented by Las Lealas Club
The Las Lealas Club, as their annual custom, in sponsoring an outstanding presentation, will bring Evelyn Oppenheimer, the noted book reviewer, to Eastland May 6.

This is the second visit to Eastland by Miss Oppenheimer, as she was presented last spring by the club.
Miss Oppenheimer was born in Dallas, took her Bachelor of Philosophy degree in literature at the University of Chicago. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. For two years she worked on Chicago newspapers as literary critic and feature story writer before beginning her unique and distinguished career on the lecture platform. As a literary commentator, interpreter and analyst, Miss Oppenheimer gives to her presentations that extra indefinable something, and in one hour brings each of the major characters of a book into focus.

Selecting the best selling novel in America today, Richard Llewellyn's "How Green Was My Valley," Miss Oppenheimer will bring this splendid story which has its background in Wales, at 8 o'clock Monday, May 6, at High School auditorium.

The public is invited to attend this review. Tickets will be on sale and may be secured from the members of the Las Lealas Club.

Mrs. Pat Crawford to Be Guest Speaker
Mrs. Pat Crawford, president of Associational Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church, will be guest speaker at an executive meeting of the Eastland Woman's Missionary Society in the home of Mrs. Frank Lovett, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

She will speak on the subject, "Building the W. M. S. to a Standard." All officers of the Eastland Baptist Church W. M. S. are urged to attend this meeting this afternoon, Friday at 3 o'clock.

Faculty of School Enter in With Barbecue
The faculty of Carbon school entertained with a barbecue in Eastland at the City Park Tuesday evening.
After the serving of barbecued beef, potato salad, Mexican beans, and coffee, informal games were played.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. R. Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Mangum, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangum, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Reed, and Miss Arduth Black, Mr. Ben Stevenson, Mr. W. E. Trimble, Martha Jaunice Reed.
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Garden Pilgrimage and Plantation Supper Planned
On Wednesday, May 8, a garden pilgrimage through Eastland, and a plantation supper at the home of Judge and Mrs. W. P. Leslie, is in store for the members of the Civic League and Garden Club of Eastland.
Mrs. B. W. Patterson, as hostess for the garden pilgrimage, will conduct the tour, leaving the clubhouse at 9 a. m., with the following gardens to be seen: the W. C. Campbell garden, Curtis Hertig, T. P. Johnson, R. L. Davenport, F. M. Kenny, Miss Nina Whitfield, John Turner and Frank Day.
At 7 o'clock that evening Judge and Mrs. Leslie will be hosts to a plantation supper at their home, with the Civic League and Garden (Continued on page six)

Clipper Coupons At P. O. Grocery
Wade Overby and Charles Sylvester, owners and operators of Post Office Grocery, announce today that they have contracted with the "China Clipper" redemption coupons, schedule in which many beautiful pieces of china ware, glass ware, pyrex oven ware and Wm. A. Rogers AL plus silver ware can be acquired when purchases are made at their store.
Full details can be had from Messrs Overby and Sylvester.

WITH LAW FIRM
Hiram Childress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Den Childress of Eastland, has passed the bar examination and is now connected with the law firm of Beall and Beall and Young, attorneys in Sweetwater.

Posters Submitted On Fire Prevention

AUSTIN, Texas--Approximately 200 fire prevention posters, representing the best work of 7,200 Texas high school and primary grade students, have been submitted to the state fire insurance department to compete for 24 cash prizes, Marvin Hall, fire insurance commissioner, reported today.
Hall reminded students and teachers that all posters must reach the state fire insurance department on or before May 1. He said as many as 2,000 posters had been submitted in previous contests.

Mountain News

This community received a good shower Sunday.
Some from this community attended the cemetery working at Howard Saturday. Clarence Swain will work it again this year.
Mrs. Georgia Fonville of Odessa is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Fonville. She spent Monday with her daughter, Alene Fonville, who lives with her grandparents in the Salem community.
Walter Griffin of Ranger is visiting old friends in this community.
Hardy Tidwell is breaking land for W. E. Askew, Frank Fonville, T. J. Fonville and son, Uel Fonville, and Zane Holmes were in Gorman, Eastland and Ranger Monday on business.
Tillman Fonville has returned home after a few days visit in Ranger.
T. J. Rainey is visiting relatives in Brownwood.
Hardy Tidwell was in Dublin, Sunday.

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Ask Us About China Clipper! Redemption Coupons

HUNTERS LIKE PLANES
By United Press
BOISE, Ida.--The use of airplanes for reaching hunting and fishing grounds throughout the Northwest has become so general, that the Northwest Aviation Planning Council has launched a long-range program for the development of airports for the benefit of hunters and fishermen.

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EAT EVERY DAY at Eastland Hotel, 203 East Main St. Weekly meals 30c; Sunday meals 35c. Special rates to regular roomers and boarders.

FOR SALE--One Burroughs 5-banks adding machine, in perfect condition. Will sell at a bargain. Call 81.

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For Representative 107th District: OMAR BURKETT
For Representative 106th District: P. L. (LEWIS) CROSSLEY
For Assessor-Collector: CLYDE S. KARKALITS
For County Clerk: R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY
For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS W. J. (PETE) PETERS
For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR.
For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON R. L. RUST
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By Fred Harman



Is To Cover Four Towns In Texas, Oklahoma

Denison, Texas—Rising water on the southwest's greatest...

The structure, a large two-story colonial home, is to be moved approximately a mile and will rest on a promontory jutting into the dam reservoir.

Construction on the main dam structure is due to begin in early summer. Bids were opened April 16 and contracts are expected to be let within three weeks.

Cole Is Winner Of Mineral Wells Meet

R. V. Cole of Ranger won his first tournament championship at Mineral Wells Sunday afternoon, defeating Frank Foxall, Greenbelt champion 1-up in the 36-hole match.

Residents of the area now are watching preliminary construction of a two-and-a-half-mile earthen dam at the exact spot of the crossing.

In advancing to the finals Cole defeated two fellow townsmen, eliminating Jimmie Phillips in the early rounds and Roy Trower in the semi-finals.

Judge Sam Russell of Stephenville Announces His Candidacy for Congressman from 17th District



To the Voters of the Seventeenth Congressional District: My announcement for Congress was carried in the press...

ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



Oil Belt Safety Council To Meet Friday, May 3

BROWNWOOD, April 29.—A blitzkrieg against America's Public Enemy No. 1—the preventable accident—is being arranged here for Friday, May 3.

Registration starts at 9 a. m. Friday, May 3 at Hotel Brownwood and Memorial Hall in Brownwood. Deeded out in flags, this city will be replete with safety displays, in shop windows and public halls.

Bands representing cities and schools will compete for the "official Oil Belt Safety Council band of 1940" designation, with \$50 in expense money going to the successful band.

Advertisement for Goodyear tires featuring 'Low 90-10' prices, 'Great G-3 All-Weather' tires, and 'Lucas Service Station'.

Advertisement for Dr. W. L. Simmons, a candidate for Congress, 17th District, Eastland, Texas.

Advertisement for S. L. (Leon) Bourland, a meat market located in A. & P. Store, listing various meats and prices.

Large advertisement for Coca-Cola featuring a woman on a telephone and a six-bottle carton of Coca-Cola.

"OUT OUR WAY"

BY WILLIAMS



THE PACKING CASE

Society Notes

(Continued from page 4)

Club and members and their husbands as guests. An evening of typical entertainments of the old plantation days will be held with Negro songs and music heard. Everyone is requested to wear cotton costumes, and are asked to bring a covered dish.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB Presents Eastland County Artist May 5, 3:00 P. M. Baptist Church Presiding Mrs. Guy Patterson

Greetings... President Eastland Music Study Club—Mrs. F. M. Kenny 1. Care Mio Bon... Guiseppi Giordani Alana Del Caro... Antonio Caldera The Earl King... Schubert Mrs. Victor Ginn - Soprano Eastland; Accompanist, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird 2. Choral Prelude, Priere a Notre Dame—Suite Gothique... L. Boellman Herzlieb Thut Mich Verlangen Nocturne... Stanley Avery Chant Heroique... C. Franck Hjalmar Bergh, Organist, Cisco 3. Voice Dan... Pearl Curran April Rain... Bainbridge Crist I Have a Little Shadow... Homer Samuels Mrs. Victor Ginn 4.

Fantasia No. 3... Priesing Etude in F Major Op. 26 No. 3... Chopin Fantaisie-Impromptu Op. 66... Chopin Etude in C Minor Op. 10 No. 12 Revolutionary... Chopin Elwood R. Priesing, Pianist, Ranger Eastland Music Study Club Presents Eastland County Artist Music lovers have a rare treat in the opening program for National Music Week May 5, at 3 p. m., at the First Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited. Mrs. F. M. Kenny will bring greetings with members of the Music Club who will receive the guest are Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Stalter, Mrs. Thomas Haley, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. P. L. Crossley, Mrs. B. W. Patterson, Mrs. Don Parker and Miss Roberta Kinnaird. Presented on the program, which will be voice, piano and violin, are Mrs. Victor Ginn, of Eastland; El-

wood E. Priesing of Ranger, and Hjalmar Bergh of Cisco.

Mrs. Ginn, a well known artist of Eastland, has given a number of programs in Texas, and concerts in Pittsburgh, Kansas, and Tulsa, Okla. She studied at Drury, Springfield, Mo., under Madame Carl Hughes of Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. Ginn is known for her lovely soprano voice, and will be presented in six numbers on the Eastland County Artist program Sunday.

Accompanying Mrs. Ginn will be Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, church organist for the First Baptist Church and accompanist for the Eastland Music Study Club.

Elwood R. Priesing, concert pianist, composer, and teacher, who is dean of music of the Ranger Junior College. Mr. Priesing has given numerous programs in Texas and is highly appreciated by the musicians of near by towns who have heard him. He was born and educated in New York and is a graduate of the piano department of Juilliard School of Music, and holds his B. S. and M. A. degree from Teachers College, Columbia University, with major in piano and minor in voice and violin. Aside from his outstanding work in piano, Mr. Priesing takes his place among the ranks of composers as well. His master's thesis was a Sonata for piano and violin.

Hjalmar Bergh training has been under the direction of Helen Marsh Carner, Chicago; Professor Albert Riemschneider, Cleveland; Marion Hutchinson, Minneapolis.

He has held positions as organist in Fort Hamilton Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Church of the Heavenly Rest, Abilene, Texas; Norwegian Lutheran Church, Evanston, Illinois; Polk Street Methodist Church, Amarillo, Texas. Has made guest appearances at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, Minn., Central Presbyterian Church, Amarillo, Texas; First Baptist Church of Brownwood and First Baptist Church, Eastland.

Mr. Bergh is a noted pianist and was teacher of piano in McMurry College of Abilene for five years, and at the present time is a very successful teacher of piano and organ with studio in Cisco.

Presbyterian Missionary Society To Meet Monday The first regular meeting of the Presbyterian Church auxiliary will be held Monday, May 6, at 3:30 p. m. at the church.

Just recently re-organized, the Auxiliary held its first meeting two weeks ago with a covered dish dinner served at the manse. Mrs. LeRoy Arnold is president of the Auxiliary.

The program Monday will be "The Presbyterian Church," with Mrs. Elrod as leader.

Special Music in Sunday School Departments, in the Churches of Eastland Sunday

Baptist Church at 9:45, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, chairman. Primary department, piano solo by G. W. McBee. Junior department, vocal solo, Charles Lucas accompanied by Helen Lucas. Intermediate department, piano solo, Ray Larner. Brass Sextette, Jerry Railey, Freddie Basham, Pete Pegues, Jocie Coffman, Pete Andrews, Milabeth Boggos, Marilyn Larner. Young People's department, oboe solo, Marilyn Larner; vocal duet, Mrs. B. W. Patterson and Mrs. Victor Ginn, accompanied by Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird. Adult department, Beethoven Club, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, director, accompanied by Helen Lucas; musical reading by Betty Jo Coghlan. Men's Bible Class, Clarinet trio, Homer Meek, Bob Galloway, Charles Ellis. Church choir, W. G. Womack, director, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, organist.

Methodist church 10 a. m. Mrs. Guy Patterson, chairman. Beginners department, piano solo, Virginia Ann Creamer; piano solo, Mozelle Pullman. Primary department, piano solos, Mary Hoffmann and Mary Halkias. Junior department, piano solo, Betty Jones. Intermediate department, violin solo, Sue Bender; piano solo, Verba Cee Jackson. Senior department, violin solo, Nancy Seaberry, accompanied by Clara June Kimble. Young People department, vocal duet, Elaine Crossley, Franie May Pierce, accompanied by Mava Lou Crossley; piano solo, Billy Allen Kenny. Booster class, vocal duet, Mrs. F. L. Crossley, Mr. Grady Morton; piano duet, Helen Lucas, Johnnie Lou Hart. Brass Sextette, Martha Dorcas class, vocal duet, Caroline Robinson, Mary Hearn; violin solo, Ruth Reed, accompanied by Gloria Reed. Susan Steel class, vocal duet, Marie Hart, Belah Faye White; 9:19 class, vocal trio, Mrs. Victor Ginn, Mrs. B. W. Patterson, Mrs. Thomas Haley. Special church music with Miss Wilda Drago directing; Clara June Kimble organist.

Christian Church 9:50 a. m. Mrs. W. E. Stalter, chairman. Children's department, special music; Adults, special music. Church choir, Mrs. W. T. Verner, director, Miss Ruth Meek, pianist.

Church of God, 9:50, Mrs. Stalter, chairman. Sunday school, piano solo, Charles Perry; special church music.

Christian Science Church, 11 a. m. Mrs. Stalter, chairman. Special music, Virginia Weaver and Mrs. Victor Ginn.

Eastland County Oil Wells Must Operate 106 Days Each Year to Pay Operator's Taxes and Royalty

It takes 106 days' production from the average well in Eastland County to pay the operator's taxes and take care of the royalty-owner, according to figures just prepared on this county by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

This means that the Eastland County oil operator produces his well nearly 36 per cent of the year entirely for the tax collector and royalty owner. Out of the remaining 70 per cent of his total production, he must pay the expenses of lifting his oil, paying his employees, meeting his overhead, setting aside his reserve and attempting to make a small profit.

Figures compiled on Eastland County by the Texas Mid-Continent Association show that the daily average production per well is around 5.4 barrels. The total yearly production per well is around 1,971 barrels. One-eighth of this is 246.3 barrels which the royalty-owner receives totally without expense. That requires

45.6 days' full production of the well to pay off.

Taxes per barrel in Eastland County average 15.8 cents, one of the highest rates in all Texas. Figured on 1,871 barrels total production per year, that's a yearly tax bill of \$311.42 which the well owner must pay. Figured on an average price of 95 cents per barrel, a total of 327 barrels of his oil must be sold to pay the tax collector. With a gross income of \$5.13 per day for his well, the operator's taxes require an additional 60.7 days' full production.

Adding the 45.6 days and the 60.7 days gives a total of 106.3 days' production from his well which must be devoted to taxes and royalty. That's almost one-third the entire year spent producing a well for somebody else's benefit.

The situation in Eastland county in this regard is even more acute than the average for the State, the Mid-Continent figures show.

Operators of 23,000 small pumping oil wells must give up an average of 86 days of their production each year to pay taxes and royalty interest. These small pumpers produce only 3.4 barrels of oil per day which, at \$1.03 per barrel have a gross market value of only \$3.50. The annual average tax and royalty bill on such wells is approximately \$300 in contrast with a total of \$545.40 which the producer in Eastland county has to bear.

The average of both pumping and flowing wells for the entire State is about 81 days' production which are required to pay the taxes and royalty interest each year. The average producing oil well in Texas pays \$1,250 a year in taxes and royalty before the producer begins to share in the proceeds of his production. At 1929 market prices, the daily average production of 15.4 barrels is worth \$15.45 so that it takes \$1 days of market production to

equal the annual tax royalty owner's interest.

Some of the high-tax of Texas impose taxes which the royalty brings the days up to 101 to pay these, but few top oil fields total required. The oil operator, pays all operating overhead costs incurred production of the oil which he to pay the tax collector royalty owners and which charged against the remaining year's production.

Official facts show present market prices, high and operating costs, the margins are narrowed to the point where it takes period of years to pay investment in the average oil well. Texas oil production now paying an average nearly 10 cents per barrel of oil production. Texas—the highest per well exacted in any oil state.

Secretary Of War Will Visit Dallas

DALLAS, Texas—Secretary of War Harry Woodring was announced today as guest of honor at Army day observance at the State Fair of Texas next Oct. 6.

Woodring was invited to attend the State Fair several weeks ago and tentatively accepted. The definite acceptance was made this week to Congressman Hutton Sumners in Washington.

One of the biggest programs ever undertaken by the State Fair of Texas is now being arranged. On Oct. 6 it is planned that there will be an extensive display including all of the modern mechanized units of all divisions of the army.

Invitations to all reserve army officers and national guard units to attend the demonstrations and participate in the maneuvers will be extended. The American legion and other veteran organizations as well as patriotic societies will be invited to join in observance of army day.

Every high ranking army officer, all reserve officers and naval reserve officers will be invited to meet Secretary Woodring at the army day celebration.

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Eastland Personals

Mrs. C. C. Robey and her mother, Mrs. Ramsey, of Austin, will be the guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bittle this weekend.

Mrs. Joe Stephen was called to Abilene Monday to be with her sister, Juanita Bull, who had undergone an appendectomy at the West Texas Sanitarium that evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Creamer and children spent the last week-end in

C. Of C. Directors In Luncheon

The regular monthly of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce directors was held at Connellee Hotel at noon day.

San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen, Roy and Rodney, and Mrs. Bender spent Sunday in

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