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## French Asked to Await Peace Terms Calmly

### CATTLE TOUR WILL BE HELD JUNE 24-26TH

Dairy Cattle Tours and Demonstrations of How To Select a Good Dairy Cow To Be Conducted on Monday afternoon, June 24, Tuesday afternoon, June 25 and Wednesday afternoon, June 26.

**Monday Afternoon, June 24**  
1:30 p. m.—Tour begins at J. E. Berhart farm, 4 miles north of using Star.  
2:00—Cecil Shults and Charlie Allow (at Shults ranch).  
2:30—A. W. Armstrong  
3:00 to 3:30—C. L. Wilson, Bill Forbes, Bud Siekman, Bobby By, Harold Smith and Raymond Gray.  
3:45—John Starkey.  
4:00—Ira Swift.  
4:15—Rufus Cox.  
4:30—Inspect dairy cattle owned by F. E. Walker's sons and demonstration of "Selecting a Dairy Cow" by James and Bobby Walker.

**Tuesday Afternoon, June 25**  
1:30 p. m.—Tour begins at E. E. Backwell farm, 3 miles north of Lameda School.  
2:00—L. C. Love.  
2:10—James Calvert.  
2:20—L. C. Cooksey.  
2:45—A. L. Rogers.  
3:00—Inspect dairy cattle owned by Curtis and Grady Redwine and demonstration of "Selecting a Dairy Cow" by Curtis and Grady Redwine.  
3:45—Bobby Wisdom.  
4:15—Kenneth Moore.  
4:30—Chester and Earl Ervin.  
4:45—Marvin and Otto Dupuy.

**Wednesday Afternoon, June 26**  
1:30 p. m.—Tour begins at county Agent's Office, Eastland.  
1:45—T. E. Richardson (Cattle Earnest Farm, 1-2 mile from Eastland on lake road).  
2:00—M. A. Clayatt.  
2:20—Doyle Tow.  
2:30—Billie Joe and Bobby Moore.  
2:45—Noan Butler and Billie Anderson.  
3:00—Inspect dairy cattle owned by Buster Wheat and Raymond Beck and demonstration of "Selecting a Dairy Cow" by Raymond Beck and S. W. Laminack.  
4:00—S. W. Laminack, Jr.  
4:15—Wince Graham.  
4:30—Sam and Dale Whalley.

### Cotton Research Society Will Meet In Waco June 27

WACO, Tex. — Chosen from among the most eminent scientists and researchers in the United States are those selected to deliver addresses and lead discussions at the first Cotton Research Congress to be held in Waco on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 27-28-29. Every phase of the cotton problem confronting the people of Texas today will be intelligently discussed.

This congress is not a "research" meeting as the average person would understand it. The discussions go far beyond any talk of new uses for cotton and cottonseed. It will be a Research Congress in a true and broad sense.

Cotton is the greatest problem confronting all of the people of Texas today. Upon the solution of the cotton problem depends, in a large measure, its future. A big percentage of the state's population is absolutely dependent upon cotton for a living. The time has come when the entire citizenship of Texas, and of the South, must realize and understand the seriousness of the cotton situation which threatens our economic structure.

This Congress is being sponsored by the State-Wide Cotton Committee of Texas, which includes every part of the cotton industry: Farmers, ginners, cotton-seed crushers, shippers, warehousemen, bankers and also includes the Texas extension service, state and federal experiment stations, educational institutions, local and regional Chambers of Commerce, farm and trade publications and a number of leading business institutions and citizens of the state vitally interested in the welfare of cotton. Burris C. Jackson of Hillsboro is general chairman of the committee and L. T. Murray is secretary-manager.

Sub-committees have been at work for months in building one of the most constructive programs of its kind ever held. "State Trade Barriers and the Cotton Industry," "Possibilities of Industrial Program for Cotton in Texas," "Promoting Larger Uses of Cotton Products Now on the Market by Cotton Manufacturers and Dealers," and "Some Suggestions for New Chemical Research on Cotton and a Review of Recent Developments" are among the subjects that will be fully discussed.

The Raleigh Hotel at Waco will be headquarters for all sessions of the Congress.

### 1940 Farmerette



The role of the woman who lives on a farm is played by Jean Parker, non-professional model in the Ford exhibit at the New York World's Fair.

### SELECTION IS MADE MONDAY BY COMMITTEE

Ballot Is Not Unusually Long, But Contains Many Names for Some of the Office.

The Eastland County Democratic Executive committee of which Oscar Lyler of Eastland route No. 1 is chairman, met Monday afternoon to supervise the drawing for position of candidates on the official ballot and as the result of that drawing the ballot will appear as follows with the exception that unopposed candidates are not shown on this list:

**Congressman 17th District:**  
Clyde L. Garrett  
Sam Russell  
Joe H. Sheppard  
Thomas L. Blanton  
Otis Miller

**State Senator 24th Sen. Dist.:**  
Jim Stanley Phelps  
George A. Davisson  
Cecil A. Lotief  
Wilbourne Collie  
Omar Burleson  
John Lee Smith

**Representative 107th District:**  
Omar Burkett  
Ed M. Curry  
June K. Hendricks

**Representative 106th District:**  
P. L. Crossley  
W. O. Coffey  
J. M. Williamson  
T. A. Bendy  
Milton Lawrence  
Roy D. Horn  
E. M. Threatt

**County Judge:**  
Oscar F. Chastain  
C. S. (Claiborne) Eldridge  
Turner M. Collie  
R. L. Rust  
W. S. Adamson

**County Clerk:**  
Walter Gray  
R. V. Galloway

**Sheriff:**  
Loss Woods  
W. J. Peters  
Walter Evans

**County Chairman:**  
Oscar Lyler  
H. L. Henley

**Commissioner Precinct No. 1:**  
L. J. Lambert  
Joe Tow  
H. V. Davenport

**Commissioner Precinct No. 2:**  
N. C. Crawley  
A. M. Thurman  
John Blackwell

**Commissioner Precinct No. 3:**  
W. A. Buey  
E. L. Burkhead  
Fred Siekman

**Commissioner Precinct No. 4:**  
W. L. Pippet  
Arch Bint  
L. H. Qualls  
Joe Donaway

**Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1:**  
E. E. Wood  
Dave Steele

**Constable Precinct No. 1:**  
H. M. Carleton  
Pat Couch

**Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 2:**  
R. H. Hansford  
J. N. McFatter

**Constable, Precinct No. 2:**  
E. Hill  
John Barnes

**Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 5:**  
John Chapman

**Constable, Precinct No. 5:**  
Aaron Bryant  
J. N. Allison

**Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 6:**  
W. E. (Bill) Brown  
H. S. Stubblefield  
R. W. H. Kennon

**Constable, Precinct No. 6:**  
R. L. Wilson  
J. J. Honea

**Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 7:**  
G. W. Hardin  
S. H. Evans

**Constable, Precinct No. 7:**  
W. P. Small, Sr.  
Clifton Hoard  
Sex Hulin

**Chairman, Precinct No. 5:**  
F. W. Dill  
W. R. Huestis.

### Air Mechanics School Approved On Ranger Project

Addition of an Aeronautical Mechanics Unit to the NYA Shop Project at Ranger was announced this week by H. A. Ziegler, NYA District Director, Fort Worth.

Claud C. Lear of Borger has been selected as instructor of the unit. Mr. Lear comes highly recommended in the aeronautical field. In addition to four years of army experience, he has had several years with his credit with various independent airplane factories.

About 20 boys will be initially assigned to the new unit, it is expected.

Opening date of the Aeronautical Unit has been set as coincidental with the removal to the new barracks, about July 1. Occupancy of the new barracks will permit the enrollment of an additional 40 boys.

Applications should be addressed to Jack Hale, NYA Area Supervisor, 212-214 National Bank Building, Eastland.

### EXILED RULERS REACH 12 SINCE WAR END IN '18

LONDON.—Eleven kings and a queen have fled into exile since the World War of 1914-18. All, except two, are Europeans. They begin with the ex-Kaiser and end—so far—with King Haakon of Norway.

Only one of them, King George of Greece, has recovered his throne.

The list follows:  
Ex-Kaiser Wilhelm.  
Charles of Hungary.  
Ferdinand of Bulgaria.  
Alfonso of Spain.  
Mannuel of Portugal.  
George of Greece.  
Mohammed of Turkey.  
Amanullah of Afghanistan.  
Zog of Albania.  
Haile Selassie of Ethiopia.  
Hankon of Norway.  
Wilhelmina of the Netherlands.  
Charles, Manuel and Mohammed are dead.

The ex-Kaiser may be recalling that day when he alighted from his car at the Dutch frontier, made himself known to an astonished junior officer, and handed over his sword. Wilhelm had to wait in a small tin barracks until the Dutch decided what to do with him.

Charles of Hungary and his Empress, Zita, were forced to sign a document that they would take no further part in the government of their country. They were compelled to go into exile in Switzerland. The Crown Prince, now Archduke Otto, went with them.

Charles and Zita made two attempts to recapture their thrones. Both failed. After the second attempt, Switzerland refused to harbor them. They went to Madeira, where Charles died of influenza. Otto, fully trained as a king, is still trying to recover the throne.

Ferdinand of Bulgaria entered Sofia in 1887 in a shabby old cart. There were no railways there then. He abdicated in 1918 and left by train.

Ferdinand was followed on the throne by his son Boris, who still rules. Exile was fairly pleasant for Ferdinand. He followed his hobbies of travel, driving locomotives and keeping cage birds.

Alfonso left Spain in 1931 on a Spanish cruiser. He went to France, but is now reported to be in Switzerland.

Zog of Albania, and Haile Selassie of Ethiopia, driven from their countries by Italian aggression, both found sanctuary in England.

Mohammed of Turkey fled with his three wives on an English warship in 1924. He went into exile in Italy and died in 1926.

Amanullah tried to modernize his old-fashioned country at too great a speed. He rescinded all his new orders, but had to flee to India. He made attempts to regain his throne, but failed. He now lives in Rome.

### President Names Two Republicans Upon His Cabinet

WASHINGTON, June 20.—President Roosevelt upset precedent today and formed a coalition cabinet by nominating two republicans, Henry L. Stimson as secretary of war and Frank Knox as secretary of the navy.

The move was interpreted in Philadelphia, where the Republican convention is being planned, as a sign the president will not run for re-election again.

Stimson was a former secretary of state and Col. Knox is a Chicago publisher, and candidate for the vice presidency as a running mate of Alf Landon.

### PETAIN SAYS NATION MUST ACCEPT TERMS

German Newspapers Insist French Military Machine and Navy Must Be Surrendered.

France must await the terms of a German-French armistice calmly, Premier Petain told the French people today, in announcing that the delegations of the two countries had met.

The premier spoke as the French armies retreated slowly to the south, and the government moved from Bordeaux, possibly to Biarritz or to Northern Africa.

Petaim said that France must accept the German terms, no matter how harsh, for France can no longer resist. As proof of his statement he pointed to the bombardment of Bordeaux, the most severe France has suffered since the bombardments of Paris. Casualties mounted to more than 100 in the Bordeaux raids.

Germany, meanwhile, said that her victorious armies were running rampant through France.

The capture of Lyon and the port of Brest, disembarkation point for American troops in the World War, was announced officially, while Berlin newspapers said that the entire French military machine and the French navy must be turned over to the Reich.

Great Britain steeled herself for an invasion after fierce bombing raids early today, in which 100 German planes participated, dropping high explosives along the entire length of the island. The air ministry said that counter raids were made in German industrial areas.

Six persons were killed and 60 wounded in the British raids, while four German planes were reported to have been shot down. A British communique said that Australian and New Zealand troops had arrived in the British Isles to bolster the country's defenses. No statement was made as to how many of these troops had arrived.

The Italians claimed the biggest aviation attack upon French bases in the Mediterranean and upon British bases in East Africa. On the sea the Italians said they sank a French destroyer.

Rumblings sounded throughout the Baltic, where Russian troops poured through the small Baltic countries to the border of Germany in East Prussia.

### Jurors Selected For Second Week Of the June Term

The following named persons have been named as petit jurors for the second week of the June term of the 91st district court:

Aaron Gage, Rising Star; Howard Barnes, Rising Star; Terry Bach, Rising Star; Wade Thomas, Eastland; C. T. Shell, Gorman; M. Starkey, Rising Star; W. C. Tenhofer, Ranger; Frank Stoker, Eastland; Gene Abbott, Cisco; H. Reed, Rising Star; George Holfield, Gorman; Dave Cooper, Ranger; Raymond Shultz, Rising Star; Stanley Gray, Rising Star; E. Phillips, Carbon; J. M. Luis, Cisco; Carl Elliott, Cisco; W. Small, Rising Star; D. L. Unnaird, Eastland; Dave Fiensy, Eastland; A. E. LeClaire, Eastland; C. M. Browning, Pioneer; As. Rutherford, Rising Star; Eck Hill, Rising Star; J. C. Barnhill, Cisco; N. F. Hodges, Eastland; Hubert Jones, Eastland; George Christie, Cisco; C. L. Ward, Rising Star; Wayne Swift, Rising Star; Jas. W. Armstrong, Rising Star; W. B. Pickens, Eastland; Joe Pack, Pioneer; James Cheatham, Eastland; J. W. Quins, Cisco; J. C. McAfee, Cisco; W. W. Kelley, Eastland; Jno. Mold, Desdemona; W. R. Ussery, Arhon; L. A. Proctor, Cisco.

### Ranger Pay \$317.28 To County Chapter Of the Red Cross

W. W. Layton, chairman of the Ranger Branch of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross, today made out checks to the Eastland County Chapter in the amount of \$317.28, and to the Ranger Red Cross Station for \$58.99, representing collections to date on the Red Cross Drive in Ranger.

The fund of \$373.27 was divided with 85 per cent going to the Eastland County Chapter and the remaining 15 per cent, less \$2 for expenses, going to the Ranger station.

Since the checks were issued a donation of \$17.83 has been received from the Ranger Piggly Wiggly store, swelling the total collected to \$391.10.

### Airplane Mechanics Instructor for NYA Arrives in Ranger

Claud C. Lear will start his duties as the National Youth Administration airplane mechanics supervisor in Ranger, on Friday, June 21.

Lear comes from Borger and has held positions as mechanical drawing instructor and coach in high schools, and spent three years in the United States Army Air Corps, one year at Wheeler Field, Hawaii, and has had civil aircraft experience at Wichita, Kansas. He also holds an airplane mechanics license from the United States Department of Commerce.

Lear will start his duties in Ranger on Friday, but the airplane mechanics school will not be opened until July 1 or as soon thereafter as a building can be repaired and made ready for the school, which will be located in the building formerly occupied by the C. J. Moore Auto Mart. Work has started on repairs to the roof.

### Schedule For Recreation For Summer Listed

The following schedule of operation has been released by the Eastland Recreation Project centering for the summer under its supervision:

1. Playgrounds—open 3:00-7:00 p. m. Monday through Friday. Located at South Ward, West Ward Schools, Douglas High School (colored). Play and craft activities for boys and girls of all age groups.

2. Recreation Ball Park—open 2:30-4:00 p. m. Monday through Friday each week. Softball practice field for boys 13 to 16, located on old high school grounds, across from City Hall.

3. Safe Haven Community Center—open 10:00-12:00 p. m. Monday through Friday each week, 9:00-12:00 each Saturday. Located in basement of Eastland National Bank Building, with play activities for all age groups.

4. Craft Shop—open 10:00-12:00 a. m., 3:00-5:00 p. m. Monday through Friday each week, 9:00-12:00 a. m. each Saturday. Located in basement of Eastland National Bank Building. Free instruction offered in leathercraft, woodcraft, basketry, and jewelrycraft to all age groups.

5. Children's Play Center—open 8:30-12:00 Monday through Friday. Located in Community Center. A play activity period for all children between the ages of 5 and 8.

6. Small Children's Playground—open 3:00-5:00 p. m. Located across the street from Coca-Cola plant. Play activities for all children between the ages of 5 and 8.

These recreation centers are supervised by trained leaders of the Recreation Project which has been operating in Eastland since July, 1938. All mothers and fathers are urged to let their children take part in the activities offered at these centers during the summer, as well as to visit them themselves, as activities for adults as well as children are offered at all such. There is no charge for any of these activities and all are open to the public contrary to a general opinion that such are only for certain groups.

Mrs. Grady, superintendent of the Recreation Project, states that in addition to the recreational activities offered in the various centers this department will be glad to assist local groups in the planning and directing of social activities upon request. By request also free tennis instruction may be obtained as well as games equipment, with directors if needed for picnic groups at the City Park.

For further information in regard to activities of these centers contact Mrs. Winnie R. Grady, project superintendent, at 313 Eastland National Bank Building.

### Marriage Licenses For Week Listed

The following marriage licenses have been issued the past week, according to records in the office of R. V. Galloway, County Clerk:

Lloyd H. Almire, Eastland, and Miss Frankie Lou Wright, Carbon.  
Allen Robert Bennett, Ranger, and Miss Vivian Belle Edds, Temple.  
C. M. Medford Jr., Cohoma, and Miss Zora Moreny, Cohoma.  
Curtis Aquilla Hyatt, Carbon, and Miss Veta Jay Huddlestone, Gorman.

### City Secretary Is Sentenced by Court

CLEBURNE, June 20.—Joe Post, former city tax assessor, today was found guilty of misapplication of funds in the amount of \$28,000 and was sentenced to serve five years in the penitentiary.

### DISCUSS FARM PROBLEMS

The county agents and their assistants from Eastland, Stephens, Comanche and Erath counties assembled in Dublin Wednesday to hear addresses by representatives of the State Extension Service on subjects of special interest in this section.

### \$2 More Paid On State School Fund

Announcement from the office of County School Superintendent T. C. Williams in Eastland, is to the effect that an additional \$2.00 has been received on the state apportionment for Eastland county schools. This makes a total of \$18.00 of the \$20.00 total, which is based on the scholastic per capita in the county.

An additional \$2.00 is expected in July and the final \$2.00 in August, it was stated.

### TWO LEGAL BITES FOR DOG

SAINT JOHN, N. B.—Magistrate G. Earle Logan figures every dog is entitled to two bites. He dismissed an application of a woman for destruction of a neighbor's dog after it had bitten her.

### Garrett Believes Congress Should Remain In Session

This paper is in receipt of a letter from Congressman Clyde L. Garrett, in which he states that, in answer to many inquiries he has received, he wishes to state that congress is making every effort to assist the Allies as speedily as possible, by furnishing them with supplies and materials.

"It is my deep conviction," Congressman Garrett writes, "that congress should stay in session during these crucial times. This feeling is shared by an overwhelming majority of the members of congress."

The letter continues by explaining that congress is taking measures that "will completely destroy this so-called 'fifth column'."

### Bankhead, Barkley To Be Leaders of Party Convention

CHICAGO, June 20.—The Democratic National committee today named Speaker of the House William Bankhead as keynote speaker if the democratic national convention, to be held in Chicago on July 15.

At the same time the committee also named Bankhead as temporary chairman, and Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley as permanent chairman.

### Rising Star Jersey To Be Given A Test

Charles Bell, vocational agricultural teacher of Ranger High School, has received a letter from N. Darnell, professor of dairy husbandry of Texas A. & M. College, asking him to make the first test on James Walker's "Its Winning Sybil No. 1210913," a registered Jersey, which became a rising star May 10.

Further tests, the latter stated, to be conducted by A. C. Pitt, assistant county agent of Eastland County. This will be a test of Merit Test, the letter said.

**REGISTRATION BLANK**  
**Fourth Annual Eastland Bathing Revue July 4th \$150.00 In Prizes**

Three Divisions: Babies to 7 years of age; those from 8 to 12 years of age and those from 13 up.

Please enter my name as an entrant in the Eastland July Fourth bathing revue which will be held Thursday, July 4, 8 p. m.

Name .....

Age .....

Address .....

Those who enter must have their names on file by 6 p. m., Thursday, July 4.

Phone, write or send this card to H. J. Tanner, E. Hinricus, Mrs Art Johnson, Mrs. Jim Horton or Cecil Barham.

### Breckenridge To Be Host June 25 To Women Golfers

The Breckenridge Woman's Golf Association will stage a guest tournament in Breckenridge Tuesday, June 25, according to Mrs. Marvin Naylor, president of the association.

Play will start at 8:30 a. m. and lady golfers from Ranger, Cisco, Rising Star, Philpeco, Albany and Graham are invited to attend.

### Naval Air Force To Get 15,000 Planes

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The House Naval Affairs Committee today amended the \$4,000,000,000 naval expansion bill, to increase the naval air force to 15,000 planes, giving it the greatest naval air force in the world.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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

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

A Great Nation in the Making

Canada, which took the first stages of the present war
in rather easy-going stride, has been deeply stirred by the
British disaster in Flanders. It is now bucking down to the
stern reality of a really vast military effort.

This year Canada will spend a billion dollars on the
war, out of a national income of only four and a half billions.
Comparable effort by the United States would mean
spending around fifteen and a half billions in one year.

Canada began by raising only two rifle divisions to go
to Europe. Now a third and fourth are under way, which,
with air force enlistments, will put 120,000 men under
arms.

But even so, Canada's most vital effort remains that of
supply base, workshop, granary, and arsenal. Especially
throughout lower Ontario, scarcely a day passes without a
new factory beginning to rise. New steel works and ship-
yards, new airplane factories and oil refineries, new auto-
mobile, firebrick and electrical works, shell-forging plants
and powder factories.

Many of these tie closely to the United States. In some
cases, U. S. capital is providing the sinews, in others, plane
and tank plants are geared to the use of U. S. motors and
parts. This vast new industry arising to the north is closely
linked to our own.

This has significance for the future. In one sense some
competition may arise for existing U. S. industries. But in
a larger sense, they are adding to the defense facilities of
North America, and developing, as it were under forced
draft, the long undeveloped neighbor country.

Because any serious disagreement with Canada is un-
thinkable, the United States welcome these developments,
welcomes a Canada emerging as a state not independent
politically only, but in the actuality of its emerging
strength.

The logic of events bring Canada and the United States
closer together with each passing month. Not that such
events make any sort of political union any more likely.
That is unlikely and unnecessary.

Just as France and England are now one in every-
thing but local political government, so the United States
and Canada are growing into a continental unity of mutual
interest that is the only durable link between peoples.

There are those who feel if we don't send supplies to
the allies soon we would forget it and send flowers instead.

They still haven't devised an adequate air defense
against the Jersey mosquito.

University of Washington has a sprinter named Kjell
Qvale who no doubt can run 100 yards before you can say
Kjell Qvale.

SHADOW CLOWN

HORIZONTAL

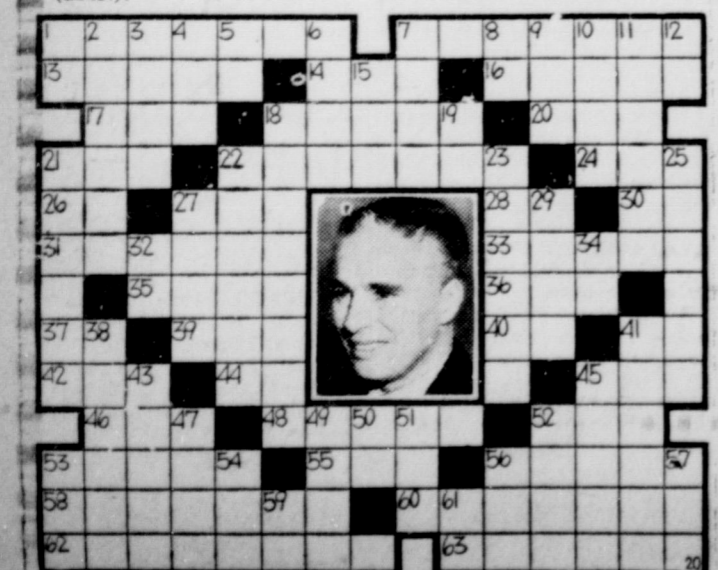
- 1. Pictured actor.
2. Forbidden by social usage.
3. Chum.
4. Crescent shaped.
5. Mongrel.
6. Sweet substance.
7. Property.
8. Perched.
9. Small crown.
10. Dance step.
11. Neuter pronoun.
12. Neither.
13. Sun god.
14. Northeast (abbr.).
15. Envoy.
16. Seraphim.
17. Remorse.
18. Cow's call.
19. No good (initial).
20. Part of foot.
21. Father.
22. Company (abbr.).
23. To make lace.
24. North America (abbr.).

Answer to Previous Puzzle

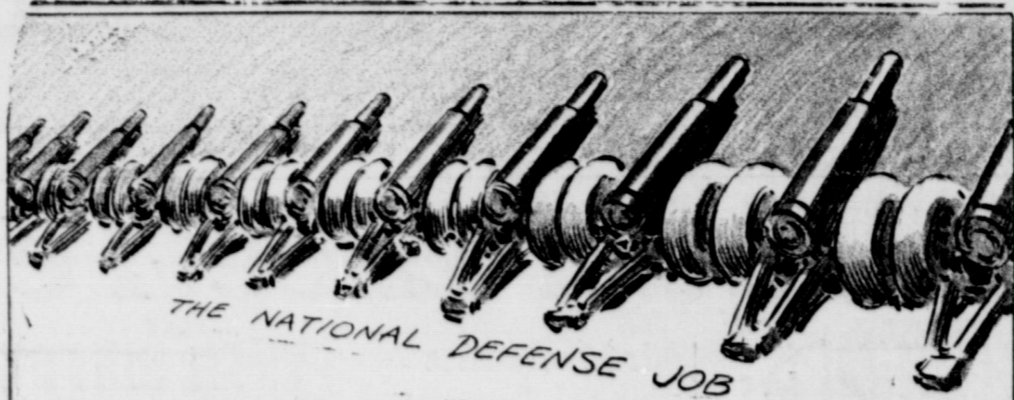


- 45 Church title.
46 Danish weight.
48 Slovenly.
52 Over (constr.).
53 Tardier.
55 The deep.
56 Armadillo.
58 Without old age.
60 His pictures are throughout the world.
62 He is the most famous or funny man of the screen.
63 To cuddle.

- 21 He gained his fame in pictures.
22 Type of fabric.
23 He plays a pathetic or hobo (pl.).
25 Not often.
27 Sea mile.
29 Wild ox.
32 Grain (abbr.).
34 To pass about.
38 Genus of lemurs.
41 Pen for animals.
43 Clan symbol; pole.
45 Apportioned.
47 To remove.
49 Pones.
50 Plural pronoun.
51 To dibble.
52 Musical composition.
53 Substance in varnish.
54 Scarlet.
56 To mock.
57 100 square meters.
59 Musical note.
61 Onward.



If the Congressmen Go Home



THE NATIONAL DEFENSE JOB

WHAT ARE YOU DOING BACK HERE?



LUTHER TOLBERT

Holds Envious Record for Safe Driving of Car

"I'd rather be an hour late than never arrive at my destination."
This home spun philosophy has helped effect a record of driving a company automobile 336,779 miles in eight years without an accident for Luther Tolbert, assistant pipe line superintendent for Lone Star Gas Company, which sells gas wholesale to Community Natural Gas Company, Texas Cities Gas Company and other local distributing companies. Mr. Tolbert's safe driving mileage is equivalent to 12 1-2 times around the earth.

Pursued in the interest of the company's constant safety campaign to protect its employees and the public, Mr. Tolbert's accomplishment is among the perfect driving records that have been established by a number of employees. His work takes him through all kinds of weather at all hours of the night and day over every conceivable type of road, confronting him with a maximum of driving hazards.
Although the time element is important in his work, Mr. Tolbert does not demand the sacrifice of safety in driving.
"I give other drivers the benefit of every doubt," he said. "I might have an alibi that I used the proper hand signals, that the right-of-way was mine, or that the other driver should have been looking where he was going, but if an accident should happen all the alibis in the world could not repair the damage or rectify the injury caused by an automobile mishap."

Mr. Tolbert, whose record started in 1932, believes that greatest precaution should be taken on the clear, wide highways where the tendency to speed is strong. The driver who might zig out of a side road without looking, the stalled car or truck, the unknown danger around the next curve, are all pointed out by Mr. Tolbert as hazards which prove caution profitable on the highway as well as in a city's congested traffic.

SAVE on FLOUR at

Killough's Feed Store

S Seaman Street Eastland

- Light Crust Flour
48 Lb. Sack . . . \$1.50
24 Lb. Sack . . . 80c
Hereford Extra High Patent Flour
48 Lb. Sack . . . \$1.25

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BIRD DOGS FOR SALE: Five months old pointers. See A. C. YEAGER, at Fire Station.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, newly decorated. Private bath, electric refrigerator. 612 W. Patterson. J. U. Johnson.

AUTO LOANS—New and Used Cars. Six per cent loans on 12 to 24 month new car loans. HOLC homes for sale. General insurance. Donald Kinnaird, 207 Exchange Building.

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Mrs. A. M. Stokes
203 E. Main Street
Weekly Meals . . . . . 30c
Sunday Meals . . . . . 35c
Special Rates to Regular Roomers and Boarders

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

- For Congress, 17th District: OTIS (OAT) MILLER of Jones County
THOS. L. BLANTON
SAM RUSSELL
C. L. (CLYDE) GARRETT
For Representative 107th District: OMAR BURKETT
For Representative 106th District: P. L. (LEWIS) CROSSLEY
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Program Presented Upon Fathers' Day

The 9:49 Mens Bible Class of the First Methodist Church met in regular session Sunday morning with a special program in observance of Father's Day. Mrs. W. O. Tyson, president of the Martha Dorcas Class, brought greetings opening the program.

A musical reading was given by Betty Jo Coghlan accompanied at the piano by Mrs. A. F. Taylor. Melba Woods gave a reading, "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," followed with a special number sung by the quartet, Wesley Hancock, Bob Galloway, James Metcalf and E. J. Pryor. Lesson was brought by Mrs. W. P. Leslie with the scripture read by Mrs. W. H. Mullings.

AFRICAN LINEN PROBABLE

CAPETOWN, South Africa.—Linen made from South African flax is a distinct possibility. As a result of the enormous demand from overseas, proposals have been made that steps should be taken to promote a program of flax-growing, similar to the plan made 23 years ago by authorities.

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3 12-Oz. Cans 19c

GRAPENUT FLAKES  
N.B.C. SHREDDED WHEAT  
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ARMOUR'S  
**LARD**  
4 Lb. Cart. 33c

IMPERIAL PURE CANE  
**SUGAR**  
CLOTH BAGS 10 Lbs. 49c

HOME GROWN  
**CORN** Fresh Tender ROASTING EARS 6 For 15c

**BERMUDA ONIONS** 2 Pounds 9c

FRESH SNAP—HOME GROWN  
**BLACKEYE PEAS** 2 Lbs. 9c

**CABBAGE** Per Lb. 3c

FRESH HOME GROWN  
**TOMATOES** 2 Lbs. 9c

**POTATOES** New Reds 8 Lbs. 19c

TEXAS GROWN  
**CANTALOUPE** Each 10c

SEEDLESS  
**GRAPES** Per Lb. 15c

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**COFFEE**  
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LIBBY'S  
**CORNED BEEF HASH**  
2 Cans 29c

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**FLOUR**  
6 Lb. Sack 28c 12 Lb. Sack 49c 24 Lb. Sack 79c

ARMOUR'S  
**MILK**  
3 Tall or 6 Baby 17c

**TOMATOES** 4 No. 2 Cans 25c

**SALAD DRESSING** Plym'th Qt. Jar 19c

Eagle Brand MILK Can 19c	Soap LIFE BUOY 2 Bars 11c
Palmolive Soap, 2 Bars 11c	KLEX, large pkg. 18c
Concentrated Super Suds, 1ge. pkg. 19c	Scottowels Roll 10c
Waldorf Tissue, 3 Rolls 13c	Scottissue 3 Rolls 23c

**SANDWICH SPREAD** Plymouth Quart. 25c

Cracker Jacks, 3 pkgs. 10c  
Supreme Potted Meat 2 Cans 5c  
Ovaltine, large size 63c

Waldorf Tissue, 3 Rolls 13c  
Scottowels Roll 10c  
Scottissue 3 Rolls 23c  
Plymouth Quart. 25c  
OXYDOL, 25c size 18c  
Bungalow Vienna SAUSAGE 2 Cans 11c  
Angelus—Cello Pkg. Marshmallows, 1 lb. bag 14c

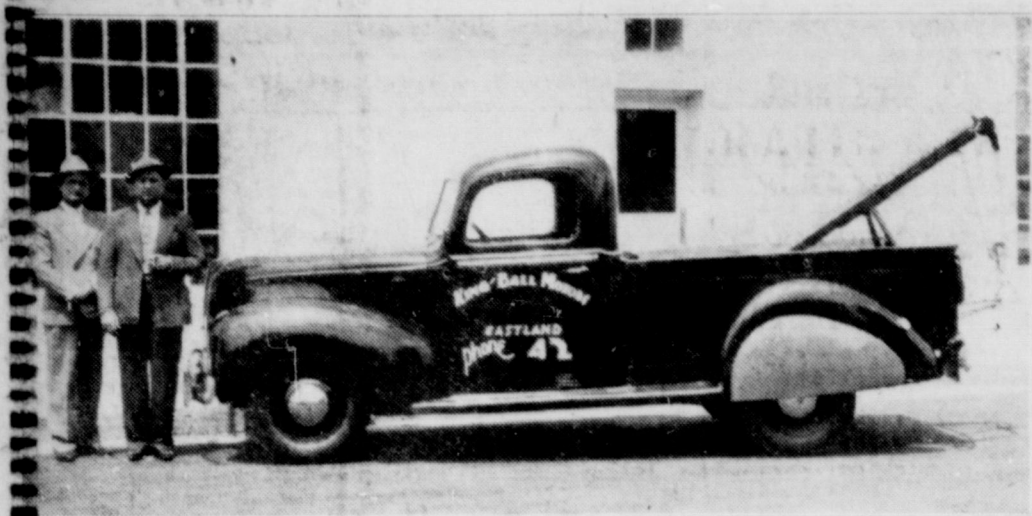
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### King-Ball Motors Is One-Year Old

Saturday, July 6th, will mark the first anniversary of King-Ball Motors, Inc., Ford, Mercury and Lincoln-Zephyr dealers of Eastland. Coming here from Eastland, Texas, Mr. King and Mr. Ball organized the corporation and started business on that date.

Mr. L. King, president of the corporation, is a former resident of Eastland County, having lived in Pioneer and later in Ranger. Ten years prior to coming to Eastland Mr. King was in the automobile business in Chandler, Texas, operating a Ford dealership there as King-Phillips Motor Company. King has a family composed of his wife and two sons. They make their home on West Main Street.

Mr. Ball, secretary and treasurer

er of the corporation, and wife were reared in Rockwall County, Texas, but lived the 12 years prior to coming to Eastland in Grand Saline, Texas. Mr. Ball having been with the McGrain Motor Co., Inc., Ford dealers, Mr. and Mrs. Ball live at the Cornelia Apartments on West Plummer Street.

Through the untiring efforts of this energetic organization, operating on a principal of volume basis they will have sold approximately 500 automobiles during the year from July 6th, 1939. Employing courteous salesmen, and men of experience in automobiles as well as expert and factory trained mechanics they have built up a service department of unusual efficiency. W. M. Spence is service and shop foreman. Spence has one of the highest ratings with the Ford Motor Company as a service mechanic.

The new Ford V-8 Commercial unit this company operates is the very latest development in wreck-

er equipment. This wrecker crane and hoist folds away and into the body of the unit completely hidden and leaving the unit ready for regular commercial service. They invite anyone to inspect this new invention as well as many other pieces of modern service equipment installed to render a service they feel will be a credit to Eastland.

Eastland has found Mr. King and Mr. Ball very greatly interested in all civic affairs and always ready to contribute in any manner possible in the promotion of a bigger and better Eastland. In this issue of the paper you will find a full page advertisement announcing a celebration sale and inviting the public to visit them for a better trade than ever before from June 20th through July 13th.

## Society Notes

### Artist Visiting Here

Verna S. Allen, Oklahoma City and Fort Worth painter, is visiting this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Larner.

Mrs. Allen has been giving outdoor and studio instructions in portrait work, still life and landscaping for a number of years and will paint several portraits while in Eastland.

Her paintings have been among the few selected by an art jury to hang in the Art Association exhibit in Fort Worth Carnegie Library. Among her pictures recently on exhibit are included the portrait of the artist's mother and father, and a life size portrait of Patsy Forter.

Phil Russell, geologist for the Lone Star Gas Company and who has been located in Eastland for a number of years, has been transferred to a similar position with headquarters in Dallas. Mrs. Russell and other members of the family are in New Mexico at this time and upon their return will also go to Dallas.

Albert Taylor, president of the Eastland National Bank, together with Mrs. Taylor, went to San Antonio Wednesday where a sister of Mrs. Taylor was critically ill.

Geo. Uttz, formerly of Eastland but now of Odessa, was a business visitor in the city this week.

### Baptists To Have Noted Speakers Present On Sunday

Judge A. J. Morgan of Breckenridge, County Judge of Stephens County, will speak at the morning service of the First Baptist Church Sunday, June 23, at 11 a. m.

Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor of the church, leaves today for Walker's Creek, where he will conduct a revival the following week.

All members of the church are urged to attend church school and both services Sunday.

### Two Young Gangs Of Burglars Are Found In Ranger

Chief of Police Guy Pledger of Ranger stated today that, after several days of investigation, he had cleaned up two gangs of youthful burglars, who had been operating in Ranger for the past few weeks. Pledger stated that due to the youth of most of the members of the two gangs he was going to turn his information over to the grand jury and let that body decide what should be done.

One of the "gangs" which the Ranger police rounded up, consisted of seven boys, the other was composed of six boys, and the ages of all ranged from nine to 16 years, Pledger said.

One of the young boys was apprehended, the chief of police said, and he made a complete confession, implicating other boys who had been guilty. After the

Almos Thurman of Gorman was a business visitor in Eastland Thursday. Mr. Thurman, formerly of Carbon, is a candidate for county commissioner for the Gorman-Carbon district.

confession was secured and more arrests were made, more confessions implicated more boys, until at last the two young gangs were uncovered.

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### A Pecan Budding Demonstration Due

County Agent Cook will give a pecan budding demonstration on the morning of June 24th at 9:00

o'clock on the L. M. Carlisle farm, 12 miles south of Cisco. The farm is possibly known by many as the Bob Martin place and is located on Sabanno Creek. Those interested in pecan budding are invited to take advantage of this opportunity.

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### H Clubbers Hold Banquet Friday Night

Two hundred 4-H boys, girls, their parents, and guests attended a 4-H banquet in the basement of the Methodist church in Eastland Friday night, June 14. A very interesting program featuring Anna Drake, Norma Jean Huntington, Louise Eaves, and the Morton Valley girls in special music. Mrs. A. C. Pratt in a chalk talk, and Dr. Z. T. Huff, Dean of Howard Payne College in an inspirational talk, made the banquet a very pleasant occasion.

Anna Ransover, Morton Valley girl acted as Toast Mistress in a beautiful manner.

This is the first time the 4-H boys and girls have attempted to have a banquet, stated A. C. Pratt, asst. county agent, but the large attendance, and the fine spirit of cooperation shown by the members and their parents indicate that it was a success.

Mr. Thomas R. Taylor, President of Howard Payne College was invited to speak to the group, but was unable to attend and sent Dr. T. Huff to represent him. Dr. Huff using "Loyalty" for his subject, made a very interesting talk, and through his talk and associations while here, he has won many friends.

The 4-H boys and girls and the Extension service workers in Eastland County wish to express their appreciation to the Methodist church of Eastland for the use of their dining room, The Coca-Cola Company of Eastland for the use of their chairs, the Eastland Telephone for paper to cover the tables, and to the other many friends who contributed to the success of the banquet.

### A Toy Library Is Given Costly Dolls

PASADENA, Cal.—Two ragged and soiled dolls—just castoff playthings—were given by someone to the Toy Lending Library here.

In reality, they are worth \$7,000. One, of German origin, is worth \$5,000 and the other of French origin is worth \$2,000.

As they were picked up by the American Legion unit, it was impossible to tell where they came from. They will be exhibited in Washington and later placed permanently in the Los Angeles Museum in Exposition Park.

### Church Of Christ Recalls Thurman

A. F. Thurman, popular minister of the Eastland Church of Christ for the past one and one-half years, has been recalled by his congregation for another year.

Rev. Thurman served as minister of this church back in 1923, 1924 and 1925. He is recognized as one of the ablest ministers of this church and his services are greatly in demand for conducting revival meetings throughout the country.

He is already engaged to hold a number of revival meetings beginning within the next few weeks.

### Student Texan Is Called "Subversive"

AUSTIN, June 20.—A copy of last Sunday's Student Texan today was enroute to the Federal Bureau of Investigation because of articles in it, which State Representative J. H. Goodman of Midland termed were "subversive."

### Survey Gives the Golden Eagle a Clean Slate Now

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo.—The golden eagle, only recently accorded protection by an act of congress in its capacity as the American national bird, does something besides occupy his perch on the "tail" side of a half dollar. Findings of fish commissions and universities in Colorado, Wyoming and Idaho reveal.

Ascents high into the Rocky Mountains to photograph eagles have revealed that the big birds feed primarily on prairie dogs during early summer.

C. C. Spencer, staff technician of the Pike national forest in Colorado, said that the rodents consume a total of 26.2 per cent of available grazing land each year. Other rodents bring the annual total to 35.5 per cent, he said.

Original purpose of the expedition was to determine what effect eagles have in the increasing depletion of western Big Horn sheep herds. Spencer said no evidence had been found that eagles prey on the sheep, although further investigation will be conducted.

### Grand Jury Still In Session

It was stated by officials at the court house today that the 91st district court grand jury, now in session, will in all probability not be able to complete its work in time to adjourn this week-end.

## SPECIALS For FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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- ARMOUR'S COMPOUND ..... 4 Lbs. 37c
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- TOMATOES ... 3 No. 2 Cans 20c
- POST TOASTIES ..... 10c
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- JACK JERNIGAN ..... Attendant (night)
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To Our Customers in Eastland and Eastland County, and other places, that have favored us with your business, recommended us to your friends and sent your friends to us, we thank you and assure you we have tried hard to merit this business and render you a service or give you a trade that is second to none. We pledge you a continued service of this type, built on honest, fair dealing and a sincere appreciation for any opportunity to serve you.

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Otis Brady of Ranger Finishes Two-Week Reunion in Kansas City With War Buddies

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—Otis Brady of Ranger, finished his reunion with war buddies of 129th field artillery yesterday and started a long automobile ride home, happy that a sociable letter to a friend here had promoted a get-together that lasted more than two weeks.

Brady, who is an invalid, was regimental barber during the World War. He wrote several weeks ago to Harry Mills of Kansas City that he would like to see his old time friends, but doubted if it could be arranged because of his arthritis.

Other veterans here, who recalled Brady as the "bald barber of Battery C," said it would be a fine thing if he could return to his old home town for a real reunion. Two of Brady's friends from Ranger, Richard Williams

and Leon Lores, reconstructed the interior of an automobile so that Brady could recline, then drove him here. They all stayed at Mills' home, which became reunion headquarters for the regiment.

"We didn't talk much about this war," Brady said. "There was too much in our hearts about the other one, and we were so filled with reminiscences that we didn't have time to discuss Europe's present problems. About the only thing that we all agreed on was that we didn't want to send any more boys across this time."

Brady recalled that he shaved and cut the hair of almost every man in the regiment, although when the big push began in the Argonne forest, he saw long and hard combat as a member of Battery C.

Lindsey Hawkins Is Speaker At Rotary Meeting on Monday

Judge Lindsey Hawkins of Breckenridge was the principal speaker on the Eastland Rotary Club program Monday noon. He used as his subject, "The European Situation," and made a very interesting talk.

Rotarian Grady Pipkin was due to have charge of and arrange a program for the Monday meeting, but was absent from the city and Carl Springer substituted for him. Judge Hawkins, who was in the

Eastland Masons Elect New Officers

The Eastland Masonic Lodge on June 13 elected the following as officers of that organization for the ensuing year and will install them at their meeting Monday night, June 24th:

Ben L. Sears, W. M.; Earnest Halkias, S. W.; John White, J. W.; Tom Amis, S. D.; A. J. Treadwell, J. D.; L. J. Lambert, Treasurer; Elmo Hill, clerk; Jess Richardson and Volney Vessels, stewards; H. P. Pentecost, tiler.

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  - BACON, Sugar Cured in the Piece . . . . . Lb. 16c
  - BACON, Sugar Cured Squares, not jowls Lb. . . . . 16c
  - PICNIC HAMS, 4 to 6 Lb. Avg. . . . . Lb. 17c
  - BABY BEEF Roast Chuck . . . . . Lb. 18c
  - BABY BEEF STEAK, except round . . . . . Lb. 25c
  - BABY BEEF STEAK Chuck cuts . . . . . Lb. 20c
  - BABY BEEF GROUND MEAT or Stew . . . . . Lb. 15c
  - FRYERS, Pen Fed, Home Dressed . . . . . Lb. 23c
  - CHEESE, Armour's Cloverbloom . . . . . Lb. 21c
  - BIG BOLOGNA . . . . . Lb. 12c
  - HOG LARD, Bring your pail . . . . . Lb. 8c

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### T.C.C. Opposes Railway Petition On Freight Rates

ARILENE—On the Texas news at the West Texas Chamber Commerce has been the story of the month. If all the stories at the WTCC's 22nd annual convention were consolidated into a newspaper for one day, it would be a 60-page edition, 480 pages. If this space were bought advertising in a newspaper with 10,000 circulation and a rate of 10¢ per page, the price would be \$600.

There were collected from 124 papers measuring 10,108 inches of news—news about the convention and WTCC activities appearing between April 27 and May 27. Besides the news stories there were twenty-five editorials touching on the convention and general news along with 125 pieces of "art"—pictures of girl sponsors, My Home Town contestants, Texas Typical American speakers, convention speakers and officers of the West Texas chamber. Altogether there was an average of 41 stories a day in the news press about the WTCC in a month's period.

Freight rates received greatest attention of editors. There were 14 stories printed on the WTCC's fight for rate equality. Jerry Saylor's convention speech announced the new order on class rates and headlines rivaling those on war in Europe.

Next to freight rates, the search for and discovery of the Texas Typical American drew the most space with 17 clippings. Election of new WTCC officers and the bestowal of organizational awards fared next best, with 53 and 37 stories respectively. Next, a summary of resolutions adopted at the convention drew 49 stories with page position and captions featuring order, legislative redistricting, state allotments and the condemnation of an article about West Texas appearing in the magazine, "Fortune" and reprinted in "The Readers Digest."

The WTCC's theme of Americanism—the "American Way of Life"—attracted much attention. There were 46 clippings on the subject and Americanization mass meeting, with many editorials about the timeliness of the theme. Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's presence at the convention, and his two addresses, also drew much attention.

### Leaves of Absence for Guard Members Is Being Urged

HOUSTON, Tex.—The Houston Chamber of Commerce today urged all Texas employers to grant leaves of absence to employees who are members of the Texas National Guard during the three weeks maneuvers next August.

In a formal statement, the military affairs committee of the chamber declares that "events of the second World War clearly disclose that for the protection of our homes and workshops, America must arm and train."

Col. George A. Hill, Jr., president of the Houston Oil Company, chairman of the committee. The statement follows:

"To meet an emergency of extraordinary proportions the National Guard of Texas and many organized reserve corps officers have been ordered into the field for three weeks maneuvers. These men have no alternative other than to obey. The War Department has not imposed extra duty on its civilian soldiers without mature consideration and the conviction that the protracted field work is absolutely essential to preparedness.

"It is realized, however, that some employers may find it inconvenient for employees in the National Guard or O. R. C. to leave their jobs for three consecutive weeks. Hence this appeal!

"Events of the second World War clearly disclose that for the protection of its homes and workshops America must arm and train. This is the purpose of approaching maneuvers.

"The situation offers a splendid opportunity for employers to demonstrate patriotism. It is a juncture demanding sacrifice by employers and employees alike to the end that the United States shall be prepared to maintain this nation as a democratic institution.

"This is a testing time for America and employers generally are urged to cooperate."

HE'S 40, WITH 53 ARRESTS  
By United Press

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo.—Thomas Daniel McGuire, 40, today held the unenviable record of 53 arrests and jail terms since 1933. His 53rd arrest, the result of stealing a \$3.85 clock from a drug store, drew him a 30-day sentence. He has served sentences in jail from Chicago to the Pacific coast-

### ● SERIAL STORY Ticket to Hollywood

BY W. H. PEARS

YESTERDAY, Francie decides to use a woman's wiles to get the ticket from Gusto. After a dance, she urges him to park at the airport. Gusto is falling for her line, succumbing to the influence of moonlight and perfume when Francie mentions the ticket. Angerly, Gusto refuses to surrender it, drives Francie home.

CHAPTER IV

FRANCIE slept on a tear-wet pillow. She awakened late, sunshine curled like a warm, yellow kitten on her bed. The gentle breeze puffed at the lace curtains. She brushed her hair languidly, studying her face in the mirror. Last night's tears had left shadows under her eyes. No color showed in her smooth, young cheeks. Francie suddenly felt herself very much the Lady of Sorrow. She arranged her hair in severe lines away from her ears, and scorned all make-up.

Downstairs she paused outside the living room, hearing her father say, "As usual, Hat, you're making Wagnerian tragedy out of a simple quarrel. Francie'll patch things up with Gusto and forget all about this fool ticket."

Aunt Hat said, "Indeed, John? I hardly expected you to understand."

"I think I understand Francie," Mr. Weston said quietly. "She's got too much common sense to let this get her down."

"Young dreams..." Aunt Hat murmured. "How little a man understands them! A soul crying for artistic expression. Ah, the poor child."

As if this were her cue, Francie entered the room. Without conscious effort, she had slipped into the role assigned to her by Aunt Hat. The white, quilted robe made her seem fragile. Her eyes held a faraway look.

John Weston scrutinized his daughter sharply. "Good morning, dear. Have a good sleep?"

"I—I guess so, Pops."

"Is anything wrong, Francie?" John Weston asked. "I saw you out with Gusto last night. I don't want you patched up your quarrel!"

Francie said frigidly, "No opinion of Gusto Gair has changed, Pops."

"Oh, he returned to the Sunday paper, his brow furrowed. From the kitchen Aunt Hat called, "Do have coffee, dear."

Francie obeyed languidly. Tipping the dipper, Aunt Hat whispered, "Did you get it, Francie? Oh, you did! You show the strain you've been under. That's it, isn't it, Francie?"

Truth, poised upon Francie's tongue, was never uttered. Aunt Hat was so eager, so sure that her

methods couldn't fail. Francie simply hadn't the courage to admit that Gusto had been too smart for them. Besides, what difference could it make? Pops wouldn't take them to Hollywood, anyway.

She said, "Everything's all right, Aunt Hat."

"Oh, darling, I'm so glad! You've no idea what this trip means to me."

Francie said, "You're pretty sure Pops will go?"

"Trust me, Francie. I've only begun to work on him."

THE next few days bore out Aunt Hat's assertion. Morning and evening Francie would hear the discussion going on. Unwittingly, she herself contributed to the cause by falling deeper into her Lady of Sorrow role. Each day she waited for Gusto to come and beg forgiveness, but he remained stubbornly away. Each day Francie's palter deepened.

At the dinner table Wednesday evening, John Weston said, "Francie, you haven't eaten a thing all week. You're losing weight. Just what is the matter?"

Francie said wanly, "Nothing, Pops."

"Your Aunt Hat doesn't agree, Francie. She thinks you need a change. Hollywood, perhaps. How does that sound?"

"Why, Pops, I—"

"Oh, John," Aunt Hat bubbled, "you've really decided to take us?"

"I'm trying to look at it unselfishly," John Weston admitted. "Goodness knows, I don't want to be the only one to enjoy the vacation. I can fish in California, I guess."

For a moment Francie was infected with her aunt's enthusiasm. Even without the ticket it would be fun. And you could never tell what might happen. Some big director might see her and... "It's a long trip," Mr. Weston was saying, "but maybe I'll do us all good. Hat's worked hard and deserves a rest. And I'm hoping, Francie, that once you've satisfied your curiosity about Hollywood, you'll get your appetite back and be a normal girl. Well, do you like the idea?"

"Oh, Pops..." Francie hugged him tight. "You're so swell to us. I—I think I'll have one of those pork chops now..."

THE week bustled by in a frenzy of shopping and packing. There was no time to think of Gusto. Whenever Aunt Hat mentioned the ticket, Francie evaded a direct answer. She didn't want to lie, nor could she bring herself to tell the truth. Aunt Hat's whole vacation would be ruined if she knew.

Friday evening John Weston

said, "I had Gusto tune up the car today, Francie."

Francie feigned disinterest, went on packing.

"He asked about the trip, what route we were taking and all. I told him he ought to drop over and say goodby."

Francie blushed. "Pops, you shouldn't..."

"Gusto said he guessed it wouldn't be such a hot idea."

"N-no, it wouldn't," Francie said.

But she watched for him all evening. Now that Gusto knew she was going, the only decent thing he could do would be to bring her the ticket. At 7:30 o'clock she gave up and went to bed.

John Weston had everyone awake at daylight. They were all too excited to eat breakfast. When they finally piled into the big sedan, Francie could hardly believe they were starting for Hollywood. Why, anything could happen in Hollywood! She might even see Jerry Finney...

"Say goodby to the old town for a whole month," Mr. Weston laughed.

Francie gazed back at the unimpressive skyline of Elspeth City. How drab it looked! How glad she was to get away from it! From small-minded people like Gusto Gair.

Mr. Weston said, "Think he'll wait for you, Francie?"

"I—I don't want him to!" Francie cried. "I'm through with Gusto."

AND yet, as they drove along she caught herself worrying about all the girls in Elspeth City who were crazy over Gusto. They were always chasing after him. Well, they'd have a clear field now. All Francie hoped was that no one like that disgusting Tild Blake would catch Gusto.

John Weston drove at a moderate speed. Francie, in a fever of excitement, wondered how she could stand the long hours until they got to Hollywood.

At sundown, Mr. Weston decided to stop at the next cabi camp. They pulled up before long row of stucco buildings and he went inside to register.

Aunt Hat had gone to inspect the sleeping quarters. Francie was alone in the car. Stidiously she sat upright in astonishment. She could scarcely believe her eyes. Down the road sped a debilitated old roadster. Behind the wheel sat a black-haired young man. He slowed down as he passed and moaned his assorted cow horns.

He raised one hand in the air, grinned. "Hi-yah, Sugar!" Gusto Gair bellowed.

(To Be Continued)

### OLDEN

Mrs. M. W. McMinn and daughter are visiting in West Texas.

Mrs. Mary Lois Robertson left Sunday for Edinburg, where she has accepted a position in the office of Kelly and Looney, attorneys at law. Mr. Kelly is also a member of the Rio Grande Valley and across the border into Reynosa, Mexico. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Vermillion's niece, Mrs. McMillon and little son, Bill Jim, for a short visit. Mrs. McMillon is a teacher in the Freer school.

Mr. Glen Adams, who has been quite ill for the past week, is much better now.

Miss Odell McGuire of Midland is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGuire and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Everett is home from a visit with her sister in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Norton have returned from Kansas.

Mrs. C. J. Hyatt of Austin was in Olden on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Buckley of Albany were here Monday for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. Baldrige Crawford and little son, Jack Von, from Kermit, are expected in soon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens.

Mrs. Mary Boyett is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wright and son, Jerry, of Kermit will arrive the 25th for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Green Wright.

Mr. C. O. Bragg is away attending school in Colorado.

Mrs. Ida Simer and daughter, Clara, have just returned from a visit with Mrs. Howell in Plainview.

### Land Use Planning Committee Meets

The Eastland County Land Use Planning committee, which is composed of 12 farmers, 7 farm women and 8 representatives of agricultural agents, held a meeting at the court house in Eastland Tuesday.

Among the matters discussed at length at the meeting were: Progress report from the sub-

committee on soil conservation. Report and discussion of soil conservation districts. Progress report on the cotton mattress program. Discussion of plans for educational exhibits at fairs. Discussion of plans for county sheep and goat day. Discussion of plans for sending delegates to the Farmers Short Course.

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### RED RYDER



### By Fred Harmar



### Birds Steal Coins From A Mailbox



### Applications For Mattresses Pass 100,000

COLLEGE STATION, June 20.—Applications to receive cotton mattress making materials have passed the 100,000 mark in the Department of Agriculture's program for aiding low income farm families. Of this number 95,363 have already been certified by county agricultural conservation committees as eligible to receive cotton and ticking.

In announcing this response, Mildred Horton, vice-director and state home demonstration agent for the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, reported that to date 10,069 mattresses have been made in the 46 counties to which cotton and ticking have been delivered. These materials are furnished by the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation.

To facilitate the program, 1,421 community centers have been set up where applicants may gather to work cooperatively on mattresses for themselves and their neighbors. These are completely organized and will be ready to begin

### Birds Steal Coins From A Mailbox

By United Press

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex.—Mrs. Jim Crowley became curious the third time she put three pennies in an open mail box with unstamped letters and learned that the postman found the letters but not the pennies.

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SUNDAY - MONDAY: **WAR NEWS** NEWS REEL SHOTS Color Cartoon

Miss Bennie Kate Woods, Formerly of Eastland, Is Married In Port Arthur



The marriage of Miss Bennie Kate Wood, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Martin Wood, 2228 Fifth Street, Fort Arthur, to H. W. Baird, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Baird, 2512 Glenwood Drive, Griffin Park, which was solemnized at the Methodist Temple Friday, June 7, at 7:30, was announced by Eastland friends this week.

The Rev. N. H. Melbert read the impressive service before a setting made lovely with white lilies arranged before an expanse of green ferns and foliage. Stately white tapers burned in bronze candleabra.

Nuptial music was played by Mrs. C. E. Holter at the organ and the bridal solos, "I Love You Truly," and "I'll Promise You," were sung by Mrs. Haskell Armitage.

The bride was gowned in a white alpaca bolero suit with which she wore a straw sailor and accessories of white. Her corsage was fashioned of lilies of the valley.

Precilla Kringle, her only at-

tenant, was also attired in white and she wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Bill Baird attended his brother as best man.

An informal reception at the Baird home in Port Arthur followed the church ceremony and was attended by more than 50 guests. Throughout the home lovely arrangements of gladioli and roses and in the dining room the bride's table was graced with a wedding confection topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. Mrs. Hood Barlow served the cake and Mrs. Elmer Pullen presided over the punch bowl.

Mrs. A. J. Cooper had charge of the bride's book.

Following the reception, Mr. Baird and his bride left for a wedding trip to New Orleans, La., and points in Mississippi, the bride traveling in navy sheer with harmonizing accessories. Upon their return to Port Arthur, the couple

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will reside at 3130 17th St., where their new home has just been constructed.

Mrs. Baird is a graduate of Eastland High School, a graduate of Texas State College for Women in Denton, has been teaching kindergarten at Stephen F. Austin School in Port Acres. Mr. Baird is an employe of the Texas Company.

**TOWN BOASTS HUSKY BABIES**

ELLORE, S. C.—Husky babies are no novelty in this little town. A son born recently to Mrs. H. V. Rickenbacker weighed 15 pounds. But Mrs. George Browning asserts her son Billy, now 4, weighed in at 16 pounds when he was born.

**Betrothal Announced**

Mrs. Jessie Riek of Lubbock announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Josephine Riek of Eastland to Morris Ballew of Ballinger, formerly of Ranger.

The wedding will take place in the First Baptist Church in Eastland, June 30 at twilight. The Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor of the church, will read the ceremony.

Announcement of the June nuptials was made at a lovely appointed tea in Eastland Wednesday with the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Riek, entertaining a large gathering of friends in the home of Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird.

More than one hundred guests called between the hours of 4 and 7, and were greeted by Mrs. Kinnaird, house hostess, and presented to Miss Riek, and her mother, and Mrs. Virgil Ballew of Ranger. Mrs. J. F. Trott and Mrs. Victor Ginn received the guests in the

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SWIFT'S FANCY DRY SALT BACON	Pound	12 1/2c
Home Sliced BEST BACON	Pound	23c

**Funeral Services For P. B. Bittle Held At 2:00 P. M.**

Funeral services for P. B. Bittle, superintendent of the Eastland public schools who died Tuesday morning, were conducted from the Eastland Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, the Rev. P. W. Walker, pastor of that church, officiating. A large crowd attended the services.

Immediately following the Eastland services Hamner Undertaking Company sent the remains to Brenham, where services will be held at the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. George Bittle, son of the deceased, accompanied the remains to Brenham. Mrs. Bittle and other members of the family went overland by automobile.

Active pall bearers for the Eastland services were: W. S. Wornack, E. B. Grady, E. E. Layton, C. M. Baldwin, E. C. Johnston, J. C. Allison, W. T. Walton, R. N. Cluck.

Honorary pall bearers were J. W. Turner, J. Frank Sparks, Frank Crowell, Earnest Jones, R. N. Wilson, R. S. Ralley, C. A. Herbig, K. B. Tanner. All of the above are members of the Eastland school board.

P. B. Bittle was born at Manor, Texas, April 10, 1873, the son of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bittle. The elder Bittle held the chair of Languages at A. & M. College and was chaplain of that school for many years.

Graduating from Texas A. & M. College in 1896, Mr. Bittle went to Henderson, Texas, as superintendent of schools in 1900 and remained there in that position 21 years. He was also superintendent of Big Spring schools for six years and came from there to Eastland, where he served 12 years as head of the Eastland schools.

In 1903 at Henderson, Texas, Mr. Bittle was married to Miss Mae Hancock and to this union three children, a son and daughter, were born. The daughter is now

**Movement Urged To Prevent Boys From Crime Lives**

WACO, Tex.—Impressed with the number of youths charged with offenses, the McLendon County grand jury urged the formation of a "big brother" movement for the correction of juveniles.

The grand jury report was signed by Dean E. N. Jones of Baylor University, foreman, who revealed that three-fourths of the juveniles appearing before the investigating body were between the ages of 17 and 22.

Declaring that they were willing to participate in the organization of the move, members of the grand jury said they would assume responsibility for boys and girls who were to receive guidance, both in their official capacity and thereafter as individual citizens.

Dean Jones criticized the selling of beer and whisky to minors and urged severe prosecution of tavern owners who were instrumental in selling the alcoholic beverages to them.

Optimistically, Dean Jones declared that youth of today could be saved by constructive reforming, which would be a duty of the "big brother" movement.

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FOODS **CLOVER FARM** MEATS

<b>JELLO</b> 2 Pkgs. 9c	<b>JELL</b> 3 Pkgs. 10c
<b>Corn Flakes</b> . 2 pkgs. 19c	<b>Wheat</b> ..... Pkg. 10c
<b>Spinach</b> .. No. 2 Can 10c	<b>Hominy, 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans</b> 19c
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> ..... 10c	<b>Tomatoes</b> ..... 25c

**Recipe of the Week—**

Try this delightful dish some night this week:  
 Ingredients: Two No. 1/2 cans Glendale Tuna, 1 can condensed mushroom soup, 2 ounce package of potato chips.  
 Crumble half the chips in the bottom of a casserole, place the tuna fish on chips and top with condensed soup. Do not dilute. Crumble remainder of chips on top and bake in moderate oven for twenty minutes or until potato chips brown.

<b>Tuna</b> ..... 2 Cans 27c	<b>Mushroom Soup, Can</b> 10c
<b>Potato Chips</b> ..... 9c	<b>Total Cost</b> ..... 46c

<b>VINEGAR</b> Distilled Gallon ..... 15c	<b>Apricots, 2 No. 1 Cans</b> 25c
<b>Sardines</b> ..... 6 Cans 25c	<b>Pears</b> .... No. 1 Can 14c
<b>Salmon, Pink</b> ... Can 15c	<b>P'nut Butter</b> ..... Qt. 25c
<b>Oats</b> ..... 5 Lb. Bag 25c	

## FLOUR

Guaranteed **48 Lbs. 99c**

<b>COFFEE, Red Cup</b> ..... 2 Lbs. 29c	<b>PINEAPPLE JUICE</b> ..... 3 12-Oz. Cans 25c
<b>PORK SAUSAGE, Pure Pork</b> ..... Lb. 10c	<b>SUGAR CURED BACON Not Sliced</b> ..... Lb. 14c
<b>SLICED BACON, Sugar Cured</b> ..... 3 Lbs. 55c	<b>HAMBURGER MEAT, Ground Fresh</b> .. 2 Lbs. 27c
<b>BARBECUED STEAKS</b> ..... Lb. 30c	<b>Boneless STEAK for Chicken Frying</b> ..... Lb. 28c
<b>FRYERS, Fat and Plump</b> ..... Lb. 25c	

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