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Ray Faircloth Kills Wife, Shoots Self

That Reminds Me

By FRANK A. JONES

noticed the other day an account of the future plans of the members of the high school graduating class in Eastland and was gratified to note that a large percent of the graduates plan on entering college in the fall, and another large percent have made plans for securing work to help finance a college course later on. I think that every young person, regardless of the work he expects to follow through life, should have a plan that four years in college will give. College comes at a time when a young person's earning in the business world is at its highest point. I am in favor of a college course because, with few exceptions, it adds so much to the potential force of one's future. It reminds me when as a boy I made and flew kites. I found that small kites couldn't fly very high and bigger kites which caught more wind flew much higher. It is the same with us in life. The bigger and better our preparation the further and higher we can go.

We hear a good regarding the cost of our schools but not much is said about the fact that the nation's bill for liquor and tobacco is more than twice the cost of the schools.

Some 40 teen-age boys were at the Eastland high school gym last night clamoring for a chance to tell those in charge of the movement to provide fields and equipment for teen-agers to play ball this season that they wanted to play. The average boy likes good clean sports, such as are being proposed by L. E. Spalding and the sponsors of the four teen-age teams being organized in Eastland. If those boys get to play ball not one of them will be tempted to get into questionable pastime practices.

What has become of the weekly auctions of livestock that were started recently at the stock barns south of town? Other towns in this area maintain regular schedules in connection with such auctions and we can see no reason why Eastland, with a little community co-operation, can not successfully do the same.

PETIT JURORS ARE SUMMONED FOR JUNE 10, IN COUNTY COURT

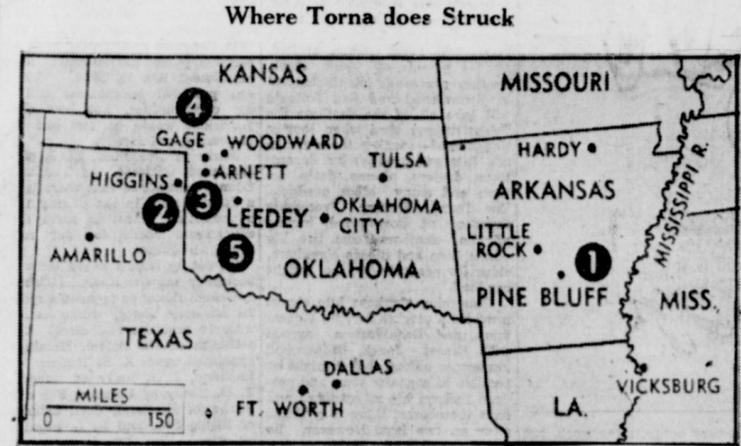
The following have been summoned for service as petit jurors in County court for Tuesday, June 10:

Nat Gray, Pioneer; O. H. Tenneyson, Cisco; Finis Erwin, Nimrod; W. F. Parks, Gorman; H. E. Basham, Eastland; Joe A. Weise, Nimrod; H. N. Bush, Cisco; T. R. Stacks, Carbon; Ben Bennett, Gorman; J. J. Sparkman, Desdemona; V. T. Moser, Eastland D. E. Mitchell, Cisco; Carl F. Heinlen, Ranger; N. C. Galley, Straw; L. W. Wallace, Ranger; Ray Agnew, Rising Star; H. A. Lovell, Carbon; Clyde Pulley, Gorman; B. C. Cox, Ranger; John R. Fenton, Ranger; John F. Barton, Rising Star; W. O. Rachel, Pioneer; Edgar Norris, Cisco; J. B. Crawford, Olden.

THIS IS PARENT'S NIGHT AT NAZARENE CHURCH MEETING

Tonight is parents' night at the meeting being conducted at the Nazarene church, 615 West Main street. Satchelfoot, the talking duck, will entertain the older folks with numerous tricks and stunts. Everyone is invited.

The Daily Vacation Bible school, being conducted at the Nazarene church, will continue through the week, it is announced by Rev. John R. Hulcy, the pastor.



Climaxing the most tragic holiday week-end in the nation's history, a tornado struck an area four miles wide and 20 miles long in the heavily populated area around Pine Bluff, Ark. (1), killing at least 27 and injuring more than 200. The previous night a twister started at Higgins, Texas, (2), swept northeast to Arnett (3) and Gage, Okla. (4), and veered south to hit Leehey, (5), where six were killed and over 25 injured. (NEA Telephoto).

Local Methodist, At Conference, Select Officers

At the 4th Quarterly Conference for the Eastland Methodist church Sunday night the following were named as officials of the church for the 1947-48 Conference Year: Pastor—Rev. E. R. Gordon.

Stewards—Earl Bender, Frank Castleberry, W. R. Cole, T. M. Collier, J. M. Cooper, W. E. Cooper, Frank Crowell, P. L. Crossley, W. F. Davenport, J. M. Davis, Milton Day, T. L. Fagg, R. C. Ferguson, Cyrus Frost, Jack Frost, C. B. Harris, Mrs. C. B. Harris (Communion Steward), Herman Hassell, R. E. Head, John Jackson, J. P. Kilgore, William Leslie, N. P. McCarty, O. O. Mickle, R. Pat Miller, W. B. Pickens, Neil Moore, Grady Pipkin, V. T. Seaberry, Mrs. E. E. Satterwhite, Homer Smith, R. E. Sikes, J. W. Turner, Henry Van Geem, Robert Vaughan, W. Q. Verner, Max Ward, Bruce White, L. P. Ed Willman.

Trustees—W. B. Pickens, 1948; Frank Sparks, 1948; T. M. Collier, 1949; W. F. Davenport, 1949; George Cross, 1950; F. L. Dragoo, 1950; Frank Crowell, 1950; J. R. Slaughter, (L.P.); Bobbie Collier, (L.P.). Custodian of Legal Papers—Earl Bender.

Required Committees—Membership—Neil Moore, Mrs. Ida Foster, Mrs. Ed Willman, Mrs. Frank Crowell, H. C. Elliott, T. J. Raley, E. C. Satterwhite. Finance—Grady Pipkin, Earl Bender, Robert Vaughan, W. B. Pickens, Ed Willman.

Pastorial Relations—Chairman of the Board, Superintendent of Sunday School, President of the Society of Christian Service. Audit—J. P. Kilgore, J. C. Stephens.

Records—Mrs. D. E. Frazer, Mrs. Ray Pryor. Hospitals and Homes—Grady Pipkin, Mrs. George Cross, Mrs. R. E. Ferguson, Robert Vaughan, R. E. Sikes.

Church Board of Education, (Members Elected by Quarterly Conference)—Mrs. Carl Elliott, Mrs. Milton Day, Henry Van Geem, Mrs. J. H. Parker, Mrs. John Little, Mrs. Ed Willman Shirley Frazer, Lewis Crossley. Other Members: Homer Smith, General Superintendent; Mrs. F. L. Dragoo, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Mrs. Frank Crowell, Mrs. Ida Foster, Mrs. J. W. Turner, General Secretary.

Temperance: T. M. Collier, W. E. Cooper, R. E. Head. Music: Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, John Turner, Mrs. T. J. Haley. Parsonage: R. C. Ferguson, Mrs. Frank Castleberry, Mrs. J. U. Johnson. Prophecy: Frank Crowell, C. B. Frost, Robert Vaughan. Flowers: J. M. Cooper, Mrs. J. M. Cooper, Mrs. P. J. Cullen.

DALLAS MAN LANDS PRIZE RODEO FISH

POSSUM KINGDOM LAKE—A brief break in the weather over the past week-end resulted in improved fishing conditions at Possum Kingdom and the snagging of the 13th prize fish in the big lake's fishing rodeo.

Joe Ott of Dallas hauled in tagged fish No. 35 Saturday morning and the catch was worth \$150 in prizes. He nabbed the two pound bass at Sky Camp on the Mineral Wells side of the lake.

The weather respite lasted only until Saturday noon when a stiff wind began chopping up the lake and knocking down on the catches that had been fair to that point. The wind continued through Sunday but Monday the weather was ideal.

The weather chart shows that there has been one week-end since the opening of the rodeo that rains or high winds have not ravaged the lake. On that week-end five of the tagged fish totaling \$700 in prizes, were caught.

Membership in the Possum Kingdom Association moved past the 5,000 mark last week and officials hope that the figure will be doubled during the current month. Several valuable prizes are scheduled to be added this month to the list that now totals \$50,000.

Movies Ask To Be Defended Against Charges

HOLLYWOOD — The movie industry today called on ex-Secretary of State James F. Byrnes to defend it against charges of Communism.

President Eric Johnson of the Association of Motion Picture Producers announced that Byrnes had been hired as counsel for the movie industry. He said Byrnes' first assignment would be to represent the industry at Washington hearings this month before the House Un-American Activities Committee.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF QUARTERBACK CLUB TONIGHT AT 7:30

Neil Day urges all members of the Quarterback Club to attend an important meeting of the High School gymnasium, tonight at 7:30 P.M. Some very important matters are to be discussed, and it is hoped the entire membership will attend tonight's meeting.

Demonstrations On Food Canning Are Scheduled

In order that the Eastland County Vocational School may be of service to Eastland County housewives as well as to their husbands, C. B. Edwards, director of the school, has made available to the homemakers the assistance of the School's Home Counselor and has scheduled a series of meetings on food preservation. The demonstrations will include canning of vegetables and fruits and the preservation of vegetables and fruits for the frozen food locker. Mrs. Hazel Hickman, the school's economist, and Mrs. Ita Parrish of the Farm Home Administration, will give the demonstrations to which the public is also invited.

The meeting schedules follows: Ranger High School Thursday, June 5, 2:30 p.m. Eastland High School, Tuesday, June 10, 2:30 p.m.

Carbon (night) Home Economics Cottage, Tuesday, June 10, 7:30 p.m.

Gorman Home Economics Cottage, Wednesday, June 11, 2:30 p.m.

Cisco High School, Thursday, June 12, 2:30 p.m.

Rising Star High School, Friday, June 13, 2:30 p.m.

The Gorman meeting will be a canning demonstration. Freezing will be omitted because of another program already planned on this subject for the people of Gorman.

FREIGHT CAR INDUSTRY CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS

WASHINGTON — Attorney General Tom C. Clark today turned over to a federal grand jury charges that the railway freight car building industry has violated anti-trust laws.

He said an investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation has revealed collusion in preparation of bids and agreements on prices and allocation of orders. These practices, the justice department charged, have retarded the growth of small-car building companies and the development of the industry.

The grand jury investigation will be made at a time when short ages of railway freight cars are severe in many parts of the country, with the prospect of more severe shortages within the next few months.

Clark did not name corporations or individuals he thought should be investigated. But he asked for investigation of alleged restraints of trade by a major part of the industry.

Clark revealed that subpoenas will be issued calling on freight car building companies, railway and car building trade associations and others to produce certain documents and records before a District of Columbia grand jury.

"This action," Clark said, "is the result of investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation of complaints that railway freight car building companies have entered into agreements with each other to fix non-competitive prices for freight cars built by them for railroads and other purchasers, and have allocated prospective railway freight car manufacturing business among the various companies in the industry according to percentage quotas assigned to the various members of the industry."

His action came at a time of severe box-car shortage in many parts of the country, with prospects for even more severe shortages this summer and fall when bumper crops, including wheat, are moving to market.

Mrs. Truman Better, GRANDVIEW, MO. — Mrs. Martha E. Truman, 94-year-old mother of the President, is "making good progress" and may be allowed to sit in the rocking chair again today.

Safety Feeling Necessary For Nat'l Security

WEST POINT — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Army Chief of Staff, warned today that the United States can achieve national security only when all other nations feel equally safe.

"The true soldier of America," he told the graduating class at the U. S. Military Academy, "is a leader for world cooperation, knowing that to serve best the security of his country, he must work for the cause of peace."

Armed might can guarantee only relative security," Eisenhower said.

KING TRACTOR DEFEATS LONE STAR TEAM 18 TO 7

It was King Tractor night at Fireman's Field, Monday evening; King Tractor softball team made nineteen hits good for eighteen runs to down the Lone Star boys by a score of 18 to 7. Van Geem and Hinton hit home runs for the King's men.

Turner, the starting pitcher for the Lone Star team, pitched his first game of the season, and was doing nicely until he weakened in the fifth inning.

Player	AB	R	H	O	A
V. Smith C	5	2	3	5	0
Tackett 2d	3	1	1	1	2
Little 2nd	1	0	0	2	0
Peoples 3rd	5	1	2	2	5
Thomas 1st	5	0	2	10	2
Turner P-Cf	4	0	0	2	5
Gann S.S.	4	1	2	0	2
T. Smith Cf-P	3	1	0	0	0
Boles Rf.	4	1	0	0	1
Willis Lf.	4	1	0	0	1
Total	38	7	10	24	16

Player	R	R	O	A
House 2nd	4	1	1	4
Vines P	6	2	3	1
R. Beck 3rd	5	2	3	6
Van Geem Rf.	5	3	2	1
Samuels	4	2	2	1
Slebert Cf.	6	3	3	0
Morton C.	0	0	0	0
Gilkey SS	6	3	2	1
McCullough	5	1	1	9
Hinton C-Cf.	5	1	2	4
Total	46	18	19	27

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OIL BELT DISTRICT LEAGUE OPENS SOFTBALL SEASON

Eastland and Baird will be the opposing teams for the opening of the Oil Belt District League, at Fireman's Field tonight at 8:00 p.m.

There will be a game each Tuesday and Thursday night; the Cisco team of the Oil Belt League will play all of their home games at Fireman's Field, Eastland.

The clubs of the League are: Rising Star, Gorman, Cisco, Eastland, Moran, and Baird.

Come out tonight and give these boys a big send-off for their opening game.

Thankful To Be Alive



Ferdinand and Lola Thompson found these splintered boards, all that remained of their home at Pine Bluff, Ark., after a devastating tornado ripped through this area killing 27 and injuring more than 200. They lifted their eyes to Heaven offering a prayer for their safety. They had been away visiting friends when the tornado struck. (NEA Telephoto).

CLAIMS MAY REFUSED TO TAKE MONEY

WASHINGTON — The Garsson Munitions Combine offered Andrew J. May money for his services but the former Kentucky congressman turned it down. Dr. Henry M. Garsson testified today.

Dr. Garsson, head of the \$78,000,000 wartime munitions manufacturing firm, testified as a key witness for the defense. He and his brother, Murray, and May are tried in federal court on bribery and corruption charges.

Today's testimony hinged on ownership and operation of the Cumberland Lumber Co. of Whitesburg, Ky. The government has charged that the defendants used the company as a blind to conceal payments of more than \$53,000 to the former chairman of the military affairs committee.

May and Henry Garsson both have testified, however, that the company was wholly owned by the munitions combine and that May merely served as its fiscal agent, without pay.

Lewis Begins War Of Nerves With Operators

WASHINGTON — President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers AFL, today began a waiting "war of nerves" against soft coal operators.

He gave the signal for his traditional collective bargaining "waiting game" by sending his 200-man wage policy committee home and failing to appear personally for the resumption of wage talks with southern coal operators.

Lewis broke off negotiations last Saturday with northern and western operators representing 75 per cent of the industry. Those producers said his "unreasonable" wage demands had left the parties "very wide" apart.

MASONS SCHEDULE WORK IN ROYAL ARCH DEGREE FOR JUNE 6

Eastland Royal Arch Chapter will have work in the Royal Arch degree at the Masonic Temple at 8:00 p.m. Friday, June 6. Refreshments will be served at 7:00 P.M. This will be a district meeting. J. A. Coplen is High Priest and L. J. Lambert is secretary.

SHOOTING TAKES PLACE IN EASTLAND LAW OFFICE

Mrs. Etta Faircloth of Ranger was shot to death about noon today and her husband Ray Faircloth, also of Ranger was wounded in the head in a shooting that took place in the Eastland office of Judge R. L. Rust.

Mrs. Faircloth was pronounced dead upon examination by Dr. L. C. Brown and apparently died instantly from the gun shots that pierced her heart. Her husband was rushed to an Eastland hospital and was still alive at last reports, though attending physicians held little hope for him.

According to reports of the shooting Faircloth shot his wife and then turned the gun on himself. There were no eye witnesses to the shooting, Judge Rust being out of his office at the time.

Judge Rust told reporters that Mrs. Faircloth had filed suit for divorce last month and by mutual agreement the couple was to meet at his office at 1 o'clock today. The shooting took place shortly after the husband and wife met in the attorney's office.

Judge Rust had left the couple in the office and gone to lunch and the shots were heard shortly afterward. A .38 calibre pistol was found on Faircloth. Various reports were given as to the number of shots fired, some reporting hearing five shots, others four and three.

The coroner returned a verdict that Faircloth shot his wife and then turned the gun on himself.

Three Prison Board Members Are Nominated

AUSTIN — Three new members of the Texas Prison Board were nominated today by Gov. Beauford H. Jester. He said he will later nominate a fourth new member on the nine-member board.

The members nominated today are W. C. Windsor of Tyler, Bronson Morgan of Jasper and T. R. Havins of Brownwood. They are to succeed M. Riley Wyatt of San Antonio, R. J. Edwards of Sherman, and E. B. Chapman of Denton whose terms have expired.

An executive session of the Senate has been set for tomorrow to confirm the nominations.

Who Works For Who Get Acquainted With Your Neighbor . . .

(Editor's Note: The purpose of this column is to familiarize our citizens with our many business institutions and their employees).

HOME FURNITURE COMPANY: O. B. Shero, Mrs. O. G. Shero, A. L. Franklin.

THE MEN'S SHOP: C. A. Ramsey, W. R. Pryor.

EAST SIDE BARBER SHOP: H. E. Lawrence, W. A. (Bill) Teatsorth, Earl Bell.

STILL'S JEWELRY: Kenneth Rhinehardt, Mrs. Earl O'Brien, J. D. Still, Mrs. J. D. Still.

TOOMBS-RICHARDSON, Drugs: T. E. Richardson, F. H. Toombs, Miss Dorothy Hazard, Mrs. T. E. Richardson, Charles Lane.

WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE: Robt. D. Vaughan, Aubrey Mc-Bee, A. L. Davenport.

LATHAM'S RADIO SHOP: R. H. Latham.

KILGORE'S ICE CREAM PARLOR: A. C. Pearce, Mrs. A. C. Pearce, Mrs. Calloway Vines.

EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK: Guy Parker, Fred Brown, Russell Hill, Wyndle Armstrong, Mrs. Ida Plummer, Mrs. Anna Bumpass, Mrs. Lavada Rector, Mrs. W. M. Harris, Miss Wardene Whorton, Miss Dorothy Tankersley, Billy Doss, Joe Nell Wynter and James Dudley.

EASTLAND FURNITURE CO.: Charles C. Fagg, Mrs. Charles C. Fagg, E. J. Adams, Miss Bobby Jean Lane, Mrs. T. L. Fagg, John Williams.

WILHITE INSURANCE CO.: F. M. Wilhite, G. G. Wilhite.

COLLINS CLEANERS: Mrs. Zona Buford, Jack Collins, and Mose Tarver.

CLOVER FARM STORE AND LOCKER PLANT: James Reid, Dee J. Walker, Dillard Morgan, Mrs. Pebble Boles, Mrs. Corine Weathersby, Louie Corbell, Miss Wilma Brinkley, Miss Prudie Hardeman, Mrs. Juanita Armstrong, William C. Young, Nicholas Santos, Bert Maxwell, R. P. Lisenbee, J. O. Earnest, Mrs. J. O. Earnest, Bemus Brewer.

(More Tomorrow).

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—While the rest of the business world is just talking about the remote possibilities of a recession, the U. S. aviation industry is having one. Everybody knows this, though no one likes to come right out and admit it.

This first industry-wide postwar depression does not seem to be fun. It runs through every branch of the business, from experimenter and designer to plane manufacturer, Army and Navy air services to foreign and domestic airlines, shoestring operators of cargo to charter services and cowpature airports.

Most of this trouble seems to be a reversion problem. The industry can't find out how big it was going to be. And the only solution which any branch of the flying business has so far been able to think up is to ask the government for bigger and better subsidies for research, manufacture, and operation.

During the war aviation was the country's biggest business. With a squadron of planes over or under every cloud in the sky, some enthusiasts got the idea that all these airplanes were here to stay and that the air age had arrived. It was generally assumed that airplane manufacturers would have enough orders to stay in big business, even if most of the orders came from government. Today none of these assumptions is any good.

First the postwar Army Air Force was cut from 70 squadrons to 56—it may be cut again. Orders for 3000 new military aircraft were cut to 1300. There just isn't enough business in sight to keep the major warplane makers going.

FOR this year, most of the big plane manufacturers have enough orders for commercial transports to keep going. But when these orders for approximately 800 planes are filled, some of the manufacturers say they'll have to go out of business. It is a by-word in the aviation industry that nobody ever made any money manufacturing planes. Donald Douglas has said that he made his money buying stock in his company when it was cheap—after bad aircraft crashes—then selling it again after big aviation triumphs like the Lindbergh flight sent aviation stock soaring.

Of the 17 major military aircraft contractors, eight showed losses for 1946. Three others would have shown losses but for tax carry-backs. Their combined net income in 1945 was over \$100 million. Singing the blues to these tunes, aircraft manufacturers put on their park glasses and hold out their tin cups for government dols. Their industry spokesman, Maj.-Gen. Oliver P. Echols—who was chief procurement officer for the Air Forces during the war but is now president of Aircraft Industries Assn.—tells anyone who will listen that to keep going and keep ahead, plane manufacturers should have orders for at least 3000 new military craft and 500 new transports a year.

WHAT this trade association has been lobbying for since long before the end of the war is a congressionally established national "Air Policy Board." Job of the board would be to keep a continuously revised five-year aircraft procurement plan in operation. The bugs in this proposal are that it might tend to freeze the industry. Newcomers with new ideas would have a hard time breaking in. It would also tend to subsidize the industry.

If the industry wants to stay big, it may have to find other things to do in time of peace. The country doesn't keep its tank arsenals, its powder plants, its shipyards, its gun factories going full tilt in time of peace. Locomotive and automotive industries both made tanks in wartime, but they did not have to be subsidized to go on making tanks after the war. They went back to making implements of peace. With a few notable exceptions like Northrup, Martin, Fairchild, and the others, aviation's general management has so far not shown the imagination nor had the imagination to save themselves in this manner, by private enterprise.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—That yarn about the Cardinals threatening to strike because of the presence of Jackie Robinson in the Brooklyn lineup was highly exclusive. To such an extent, as a matter of fact, that it must have been the result of a phony tip that wasn't investigated before it was put into print.

Why drag the Red Birds or any other outfit into it? The St. Louis club, especially, for the blokes in the red blazers have enough troubles of their own at the moment.

Any opposition to Robinson in Brooklyn begins at home. It is for the first time revealed that, while the Dodgers were fighting the Cards for the pennant last fall and desperate for a third baseman, Branch Rickey wanted to bring Robinson in from Montreal, where he was leading the International League in batting.

The Superbas took a vote, decided that they would rather lose without Robinson than win with him.

THAT there was violent objection to Robinson in the Havana training camp this spring was no secret. That is why the UCLA alum was transferred from the Montreal to the Brooklyn roster at the last minute.

Robinson's rise easily could be the reason why Dixie Walker was named the Brooks' manager when Leo Durocher was suspended. The Peepul's Cherce seemed to be the logical selection, and

frankly aspires to run the works. Those continually harping on the subject are only making it tougher for Robinson's manager. You read and hear that the Negro is sliding with the greatest of care and otherwise playing so that his actions cannot possibly precipitate any sort of rhubarb. It is extremely doubtful that Robinson is giving the slightest thought to that, or to purported poison-pen letters. He is well equipped to take care of himself. Robinson is just trying to get on first base the best and any way he can. That is job enough in itself. His case will be decided strictly on his merits as a ballplayer. So why not give Robinson every opportunity to make good by letting him alone, treating him like any other player. That's how Jackie Robinson wants it, and that's the way he is being treated on the field.



Paper Route Shifts Boys But Dog Still On

SEDGWICK, Kan. (UP)—The old story of the close relationship between a boy carrying a newspaper route and his dog has a new twist in this small Kansas town.

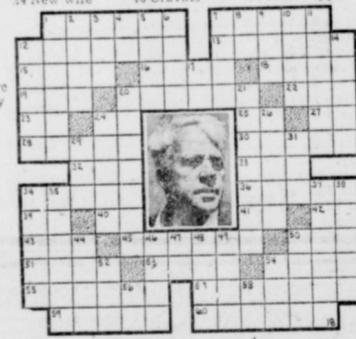
In Sedgwick, it's the dog and the paper route that are inseparable. Dagwood, an old mongrel, stays on when the route changes boy owners. For 15 years he has helped deliver the papers. He started when he was a pup with Charles and Glenn Kennedy. After six years they outgrew the work, but not the dog. When they sold the route to a cousin, Ardel Race, Dagwood went with the deal. And he was just as happy trotting along with the new carrier. Now the Lyle Koby children have the route—and Dagwood.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

Quoting Odds

WE SOMETIMES GET SQUARE DEALS FROM ROUND-TABLE CONFERENCE! Says CLIFFORD W. PARKIN, North Harley, Quebec, Canada.



IN WISCONSIN, BEFORE THE ADOPTION OF STANDARD TIME, THIRTY-EIGHT DIFFERENT LOCAL TIMES EXISTED IN DIFFERENT SECTIONS OF THE STATE.

CLAIM TURKEY STEAKS ARE ON A BOOM

BROWNWOOD, Tex. (UP)—Texas has something new to globe about.

F. Z. Beanblossom, poultry marketing specialist of the Texas A&M Extension Service, discovered three months ago that turkey meat cut into small pieces and run through a steak-making machine will turn out a beautifully-matted steak that fries easily and doesn't taste like anything else in the world.

Having made the discovery, Beanblossom set out to "sell" the

idea to Texans. Already, Texas have "sold" it to Chicago, and it won't be too long, Beanblossom predicted, until the entire nation will be gobbling gobblers 365 days in the year.

Beanblossom demonstrated turkey steak making at the Southwestern Poultry Association plant, largest Texas cooperative poultry processing establishment. The program was featured by a luncheon at Hotel Brownwood for civic leaders, butchers, restaurateurs and club women, at which turkey steaks Beanblossom had made from Brown county toms were served.

Turkey steaks are now on sale for 25 cents each at Brownwood, Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin, San Angelo, Luling and in Chicago, Beanblossom said. An Austin firm, East Produce Company, shipped the first 1000 frozen turkey steaks to Chicago.

A 32 pound tom will yield 60 steaks which retail for \$15.

In addition, Beanblossom is experimenting with by-products. He found that the 32 pound tom's bones will yield, when cooked, 10 1-4 pounds of soup stock. Feather processing plants located in Brownwood and San Antonio will take all of the feathers the Texas turkeys shed when they're slaughtered—turning these feathers into gray women's hat decorations, dusters, pillows, darts, arrows and many other products. The Texas Feather Processing Company at Brownwood, buying all the feathers from two big plants here and others elsewhere, ships its products by the freight car load.

Processing turkeys into steaks provides a market for the biggest toms, and Beanblossom agreed with Ernest Jones, Brownwood newspaper editor, that it might be possible to caninize toms and produce turkeys big as ostriches and have the nearest thing to a Texas steer on two legs. However, he thinks it will be profitably enough with the conventional turkey toms.

Another idea advanced during Beanblossom's demonstrations was establishment in Brownwood of a turkey packing and canning plant. The War Department bought millions of pounds of canned turkey served to troops overseas during the war, but Texas has no turkey canning plant.

Beanblossom said the main purpose of the turkey steak program is to provide a better year-round market position for turkey growers and take surplus turkeys for food consumption.

Texas produces more turkeys than any other state, Beanblossom said, and is the first state to perfect a method of making turkey steaks. He hopes Texas will corner the market.

Tests show—in the limited time there has been for testing since the steak discovery—that deep-frozen steaks remain palatable at least 60 days, and possibly for an unlimited length of time. Thus, they can be shipped anywhere under refrigeration.

At least one large packing firm—Armour—is interested in the turkey steak project, Beanblossom said. Demand for steaks wherever they have been introduced is reported "fantastic."

the rambler by Jack E. Brady

With approximately four thousand ex-GI's returned to Eastland County, "the rambler" is of the opinion that the offerings and functions of the GI Vocational Schools in Eastland County, are of major importance to our ex-service men and their families.

It was Autumn, 1945, World War II ended, and Veterans from all branches of the service, if not already home, were on their way. Just what those Veterans were going to do when they got home, was everyone's problem. The 78th Congress anticipating such a problem, passed Servicemen's Readjustment Act in 1944. This Act provided educational training opportunities, but how the provisions would be met had to be worked out locally.

Early in December, 1945, civic-minded citizens of Eastland County recognized that there was a definite need in the County for a vocational school to serve the educational needs for our returned servicemen.

To set up such a school, it was necessary for the Eastland County School Board to appoint a special advisory board, whose duties were to organize and direct the activities of the school. Members appointed were: K. B. Tanner of Eastland, J. J. Kelly of Ranger, T. O. Shelly of Gorman, F. R. d. Brown of Eastland, Cecil Schultz of Rising Star and R. L. Ponsler of Cisco. The Board organized and put into operation, the Eastland County Vocational School, which has its offices in the Sinclair-Prairie building at Eastland. The school is operated under the specifications as set up under the GI Bill of Rights, in cooperation with the Veterans Administration, and the State Board of Vocational Education.

On December 20, 1945, the Advisory Board elected Mr. M. D. Fox of Eastland, to direct the activities of the school. Mr. Fox immediately held organized meetings with the returned servicemen, and the first class, which was in vocational agriculture, started in February 1946. Then with the aid of Mr. Harry Kelsey of Eastland, organizational meetings were held and classes started throughout Eastland County. In August, 1946, Mr. Fox went to the State Board of Vocational Education as District Supervisor, Division of Vocational Agriculture. The Advisory Board then elected Mr. C. B. Edwards to direct the activities of the school.

Since starting the first class in February, 1946, through April 1947, the enrollment has increased until it now stands at 416 students. The school's personnel has grown to thirty people, of which

there are twentyfour instructors and one home counselor. Classes in Agriculture, Distributive Education, Auto Mechanics, Welding, Carpentry, Plumbing and Electricity are now being conducted in Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, Gorman, Rising Star, Carbo and Romney. Each class in each location has a special advisory committee composed of citizens in that locality, whose business or occupation is in that particular field of work. The functions of these committees are to work with the instructor in an advisory capacity in analyzing the occupation and setting up specific training to meet the needs of the trainee in that occupation. Through the efforts of these class committees, the school has been able to closely align its training with the working needs of the industry. The committees invite suggestions as to needs of your employes. Starting from "scratch," with no operating funds, the school has somehow, not only met all of its obligations, but has managed to fully equip class rooms and shops with facilities that will permit a well rounded vocational training no small item to the community. There is approximately a \$10,000.00 business turnover monthly, at the present time.

Through the efforts of the County School Board, the Advisory Board and Mr. Edwards, the director, the school has been able to purchase equipment valued \$10,500.00. In addition to they have received from Army, donable equipment valued \$50,000.00; all of this has been accomplished in approximately sixteen months. At present the school is designed to give specific training to only discharged servicemen, who is now employed in some specific field of work, and wishes to receive training in supplement to his job, which would enable him to become more proficient in his work, or to give specific training to those who wish to learn a trade or occupation in its entirety.

The school invites all returned servicemen, who may be interested in vocational training as outlined above, to visit the office located in room 209, Sinclair-Prairie building, Eastland, Texas, where information will be given them as to the exact procedure for enrolling in classes. Every ex-GI should take advantage of this golden opportunity to better qualify himself for the future. When the going really "gets tough," you may be assured that the fellow who is highly skilled in some particular line of work, will still

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Says Russians Grateful

MOSCOW (UP)—Ted Waller, director of the UNRRA mission to Byelo, Russia, reported today that the White Russians have shown the "greatest gratitude and friendship" to the United States and other contributing countries for the relief supplies

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Philadelphia To Expand Its Airport Facilities

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—South west Airport, this city's key commercial field, is destined to be come the world's second largest flying center, comprising 2,400 acres, under plans being developed by city engineers.

The city council approved an action of 565 acres to the present airport along the Delaware River.

Acquisition of the land with \$5,000,000 provided by the council will jump Philadelphia's flying facilities into second place behind New York's Idlewood airport project.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
Martha L. Alcorn to Billy Allcorn, mineral deed.
H. L. Baskin to J. P. Morris, quit claim deed. A. L. Brin to Claude Hearn, warranty deed.
J. S. Bond to W. F. Murray, warranty deed.
L. C. G. Buchanan to J. E. Merooney, release of vendor's lien.
Charles E. Beskow to The Public, removal of disabilities of minority.

Charles E. Beskow to Christine Beskow, power of attorney.
Christine Beskow, et al to The Public, proof of heirship.
W. F. Brown to Elbert Duggan, release of oil and gas lease.
City of Ranger to H. L. Baskin, quit claim deed.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Calvin W. Harris, release of vendor's lien.
T. I. Collins to Calvin W. Harris, bill of sale.
Frank Crowell to The Public, affidavit.

City of Cisco to Dorothy Shannon, special warranty deed.
T. C. Cozart to The Public, affidavit.
W. F. Collins to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.
W. F. Collins to Franklin Life Insurance Company, sub. agreement.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to W. W. Price, release of vendor's lien.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to RFC Mortgage Company, transfer of lien.
E. L. Caraway to L. B. Cozart, warranty deed.

J. R. Dugan to The Public, affidavit.
R. M. Earp to Southland Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
R. M. Earp to the Public, affidavit.
First State Bank, Rising Star to Land Bank Commission, transfer and assignment.
E. E. Freyschlag to Floyd T. Honea, warranty deed.

First Federal S&L Assn., to Eula Bratcher, release of deed of trust.
First Federal S&L Assn., to John M. Watson, release of deed of trust.
First National Bank, Cisco to Franklin Life Insurance Company, transfer of note.
C. L. Guinn to A. A. Gossett, warranty deed.
C. L. Guinn to O. E. Lucas, deed of trust.

Roy L. Gray to C. O. Culpepper, warranty deed.
Guaranty B&L to E. A. Beskow, release of deed of trust.
Opal Jo Harris to C. C. Harris, deed.
H. H. Hickman to Southland Life Insurance Company, affidavit.
I. F. Holder to The Public, affidavit.
I. F. Holder to J. M. Barnett,

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Walter Harwell to W. F. Murray, quit claim deed.
T. Wesley Hook to J. W. Mings warranty deed.
Albert A. Hansen to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.
Truman T. Harper to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
Home Owners Loan Corp. to E. L. Wisdom, release of deed of trust.
J. A. Johnson to Lyda Hill Estate, assignment of oil interest.
Edward A. Jaska to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
E. H. Jones, Sr., to Venner H. Owen, transfer of vendor's lien.
Troy Johnson to Frank Rasco, warranty deed.

W. J. Kerrvin to C. B. Pruet, quit claim deed.
J. W. Kilgore to C. S. Surlis, quit claim deed.
Fannie J. Kimmel to J. A. Johnson, oil and gas lease.
Emmett J. Kile to Archie Birt, warranty deed.
Dora Lamb to The Public, CC.
O. E. Lucas to C. L. Guinn, release of vendor's lien.
R. S. Liles to J. W. Mings, warranty deed.
Minnie Liles to J. W. Mings, warranty deed.
L. A. Liles to J. W. Mings, warranty deed.
Donald J. LaCasse to Franklin Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.

C. E. May to The Public, affidavit.
J. P. Morris to Edward A. Jaska, warranty deed.
J. P. Morris to Truman T. Harper, warranty deed.
C. R. Murphy to The Public, proof of heirship.
Mass-Tex Oil and Gas Company to Henry G. Willford, release of oil and gas lease.
Mass-Tex Oil and Gas Company to Alton Buchanan, release of oil and gas lease.
Mas-Tex Oil and Gas Company to W. F. Dill, release of oil and gas lease.

C. T. Parker, Sr. to Land Bank Commissioner, deed of trust.
Almina Price to George M. Rogers, warranty deed.
Paul C. Poe to The Public, affidavit.

R. L. Pistole to J. W. Mings, warranty deed.
W. W. Price, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.
Annie B. Price to Lee Roy Thomas Smith, warranty deed.
Annie B. Price to Lee Roy Thomas Smith, bill of sale.
S. E. Price to L. P. Quarles, contract for deed.
F. W. Roberts to The Public, affidavit.
F. W. Roberts to The Public, affidavit.

Katherine C. Scott to J. E. Loughry, warranty deed.
S. W. Smith to A. L. Helms, warranty deed.
John M. Smith to City of Cisco, warranty deed.
J. D. Stephenson to J. W. Mings, quit claim deed.
Lee Roy Thomas Smith to The

MARRIAGE LICENSES
The following couples were licensed to wed last week:
Luther V. Blair to Mrs. Lynda B. Stiles, De Leon.
Nolan M. Butler to Willie Ruth Dunlap, Ranger.
Clarence Paul Mosley, Jr., to Vinnie Joan Foster, Carbon.
George L. Johnson to Betty Ann Newton, Breckenridge.
Walter R. Burns to Joy Ferguson, Abilene.
Hollis A. Welch to Robin Marie Haygood, Eastland.
Charles Ray Hatfield to Charlene Pontremoli, Strawn.
Robert D. Kelley to Wanda Lee Fields, Carbon.
Thomas R. Reed to Beulah Mae Graham, Eastland.
J. R. Buffington to Frances F. Smith, Cisco.
Robert B. Childress to Mary Eda Page, Eastland.
J. R. Buffington, Cisco, and Miss Frances F. Smith, Cisco.
Robert E. Childress, Eastland, and Miss Mary Edna Page, Eastland.

PROBATE
Rolf Lowery Brooks, minor, application for guardianship.

SUITS FILED
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
Rosey Parker v. T. J. Parker,

Newly-Wedded Couple And Four of Bridal Party Die



Pictured at left, above, are Chelso Graham, 20, of Dyer, Ind., and his bride, Mrs. Juanita Brock Graham, a few minutes after their marriage at Highland, Ind. Less than two hours later they were dead, as were the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brock, her sister Greta, 15, and her brother Kenneth, 5. The gay wedding party was en route Hammond to have photographs taken when their car, pictured at right, was struck by a Pennsylvania Railroad train near Munster, Ind. All except Graham were killed instantly. (NEA Telephoto).

Public, agreement.
Mrs. L. D. Stanford to Ed Townsend, transfer of lien.
Maritia L. Shaw to Marie Burton, transfer of vendor's lien.
L. D. Sharp to The Public, affidavit.
A. L. Smith to The Public, affidavit.
C. G. Shults to The Public, proof of heirship.
Ruby Thomas to L. D. Dunlap, warranty deed.
A. B. Taylor to Marvin Hood, release of judgment.
W. E. Tyler to The Public, affidavit.

J. L. Thornton to The Public, affidavit.
Robert W. Wells to Edward E. Williams, warranty deed.
H. C. Wilkinson to J. E. Merooney, release of lien.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week.
Arretta Jean Stenbridge v. Eldon W. Stenbridge, judgment.
Erlie Lee Jones v. Robert L. Jones, judgment.
C. C. Harris v. Opal Jo Harris, judgment.
George A. Stuard v. Bernice Stuard, judgment.
Ex Parte: Lee Roy Thomas Smith, removal of disabilities of minor.

20 Ways Listed To Get Flat Tires

AKRON, O. (UP)—Claude Mason, tire service manager for the B. F. Goodrich Co., listed 20 tips for a "flatless" vacation as the time approaches when more of America's 27,000,000 motorists are expected to take the road than ever before.
He said some 90 things can cause a tire to fail or wear out prematurely, but listed the following 20 as the worst offenders:
Improper inflation; "bleeding" of hot tire to release apparent excess pressure built by road heat; use of oversized or undersized tubes; neglect of cuts, snags and bruises; prolonged use of boots or blow-out patches; fast starts and sudden stops; scraping, bumping and driving over curbs; excess

divorce, custody and alimony.
Carrie E. Tipton v. A. P. Tipton, divorce.
Alma Fay Moore v. Harvey Olin Moore, divorce.
Ex Parte: Lee Roy Thomas Smith, removal of disabilities.
Bertha Brown v. Lindon Brown, divorce.
Alma Fay Moore vs Harvey Olin Moore, divorce.
Ex parte Le Roy Thomas Smith, removal of disabilities.
Bertha Brown vs. Lindon Brown divorce.

U. S. Still Has Regions Yet To Be Mapped

WASHINGTON (UP)—Less than 45 per cent of the United States is adequately mapped today, although the job has been going on for many years.
The situation was disclosed in testimony before a house appropriations subcommittee by Rear-

sive speed; driving on street car tracks.
Running over rocks and other sharp objects; parking on oily floors; leaking, loose or uncapped valves; use of inaccurate gauges; infrequent checking of tire pressure; worn, creased or leaking tubes; improperly mounted tires and tubes; failure to lubricate tubes when mounting; failure to cross-switch tires regularly; use of wrong-sized tire flaps and improper alignment of wheels.

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Adm. L. O. Colbert, director of the Coast and Geodetic Survey. The CGS has a major share of the job of mapping this country and its possessions.
Colbert said it was urgent that the mapping job be completed as soon as possible as a foundation both for the development of untapped mineral resources and for the proper planning of future public works.

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Society-Clubs

Betrothal Of Jeannette Glaeser And Bennie Houle Announced At Noon Luncheon, Saturday, May 31, at Seguin

A noon luncheon announcing the betrothal of Miss Jeannette Glaeser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Glaeser of Seguin and Bennie Houle, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Houle of Eastland, was given by Mrs. Glaeser at the Glaeser home in Seguin Saturday, May 31.

The luncheon was for girl college friends of Miss Glaeser from over the state and was a complete surprise to them.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The dining table and four square tables laid in white satin damask were centered with arrangements of gardenias in crystal bowls. The long dining table had a long arrangement of gardenias in crystal, and at each end of the tables were tiffin pink crystal bowls of gardenias in pink water with revolving white bubbles.

Plate favors bearing the announcement, were dainty hand-made folders with tiny garden flowers on the outside. Inside the folder was a heart shape picture of Miss Glaeser, May 31, and one of Ben, July 28; placed on dainty paper stands at each plate.

Miss Glaeser is a senior at TCU Fort Worth and is majoring in accounting. Bennie is also a student at TCU. He is majoring in pre-medicine.

The wedding will be at Austin Street Methodist church in Seguin where the family is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Houle will attend the wedding. Mr. Houle will fly from Chicago to Seguin. They will accompany the couple on a wedding trip to Michigan. Mrs. Houle attended the luncheon.

EASTERN STAR CHAPTER MRS. CYRUS MILLER WORTHY MATRON OF

Saturday night at the Masonic hall, Mrs. Cyrus Miller was initiated as Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star Chapter for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Lula Malone, Worthy Matron, presided and the meeting was opened by the retiring officers marching in a d d taking their places. J. A. Coplen gave the invocation. Ensemble singing of America was led by Mrs. E. L. Carpenter, with Mrs. J. A. Beard as organist.

Mrs. Crone gave the welcome address, followed by a quartet, composed of Homer Smith, Max Ward, R. Pat Miller, Mrs. J. C. Koen sang, "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Beard.

Mrs. Crone, as retiring officer, presented the retiring officers and her committees with gifts in appreciation of their work and loyalty, as they marched by the presiding Worthy Matron.

Minta Sam Herring on the violin played "Farewell To Thee" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Beard.

Following the retiring officers and committees presented a gift to Mrs. Crone in appreciation of her work and loyalty.

Mrs. Jess Richardson conducted the installation service. Officers installed are as follows, Worthy Matron, Mrs. Cyrus Miller; Worthy Patron, J. A. Coplen, Associate Matron, Mrs. Gerald Wingate; Associate Patron, Cyrus Miller;

Secretary, Mrs. I. J. Lambert; Treasurer, Mrs. D. J. Flensy; Conductress, Mrs. Claud Boles; Associate Conductress, Mrs. T. O. M. Amis; Organist, Mrs. J. A. Beard; Marshall, Mrs. George Hendrick; Chaplain, Mrs. Jess Richardson; Appointive officers are Mmes. V. E. Vessels, Harl O'Brien, J. F. McWilliams, Bill Jessop, H. J. Witcheer, Mrs. J. V. Cox, and Mr. Jess Richardson.

Refreshments of angel food cake squares iced white with pink decorations and ice cream, was served from the lace laid table. The center piece was an arrangement of white stock and Queen Anne lace flower in a crystal bowl. The Temple was decorated with tall baskets of garden flowers. About one hundred and fifty attended.

WMU OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HAD ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon for a Royal Service Program.

Mrs. I. C. Inzer led the program on Negroes, and gave the devotional. Mmes. John Alexander, Pat Crawford, Vermillion, Bob Burkett, Dorsett and Morgan discussed the American Negroes.

All circles will meet at the church Monday, June 9, at 3:30 p.m. for a season of prayer for our aged ministers, their wives and widows. An offering will be taken at the meeting.

WCS OF METHODIST CHURCH PROGRAM LED BY MRS. T. L. FAGG

"Children May Flourish" was the subject of the program led by Mrs. T. L. Fagg at the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Methodist church Monday at 4:00 p.m.

Mrs. J. H. Parker gave the meditation. Mrs. Joe Stephen talked on "Children and the Law." Mrs. Ferguson presided during the business meeting.

Attending were Mmes. F. L. Drago, R. C. Ferguson, J. H. Parker, T. L. Fagg, Herman Hassell, N. P. McCarney, Ina Bean, O. O. Mickle, Ed Willman, James Horton, W. H. Mullings, C. G. Stinchcomb, Frank Crowell, Joe Stephen, E. J. Turner, John Little, R. O. Harrell, visitor Mrs. W. O. Garrison.

PERSONALS

Bobby Colie has been made secretary to Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist church. Colie is a licensed minister.

J. V. Cox, Western Union electrician, is spending his vacation with his wife on west Commerce. Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Cox leave to spend a few days at Possum Kingdom Lake.

J. W. Beard and wife of Dallas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard and Mrs. May Harrison over the past week-end.

Bob Ferguson, law student at the State University, came home Saturday night for a few days' visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, and his sister, Betty. He plans to return Thursday for summer school.

Austin Furse, Jr., law student at the State University, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weaver the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lawrence returned Friday from Houston

SACHELFOOT



Satchelfoot, the talking duck, will entertain the older people at the Nazarene meeting tonight. He has for several days been entertaining the children with his tricks and stunts.

where they attended the graduation of their grandson, Dick Lawrence, who graduated from San Jacinto High School. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence visited with Mrs. Lawrence and Dick. Mrs. Lawrence said Dickie was planning to enter V. M. C. in Virginia.

A. W. Russell and family of Duncan, Oklahoma, were guests of his mother, Mrs. George L. Russell and sister, Mrs. Jewel Reaves, the past week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Caton left today for their lodge near Roosevelt for a week's stay. They were accompanied by Dr. S. R. Parks and his mother, Mrs. S. R. Parks, Sr., Miss Nannie Parks, and Mrs. Ella Morehead, all of Dallas. The Dallas people were overnight guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Cowan. Dr. Cowan did not make the trip.

Mrs. E. Hightower and Miss Ruth Hightower, were dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McCarney at their home on West Plummer Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pryor and her mother, Mrs. Ruby McDonald, were visiting relatives in Sweetwater Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Seaberry, Sr. were in Austin this week attending the graduation of their son, Virgil, Jr., from the State University, where he received his B.A. degree. They returned today.

Edward Gilkey, who is attending SMU in Dallas, visited his mother, Mrs. Solora Gilkey and his sister, Mrs. Poole, Thursday night.

Mrs. J. R. Gilkey, Jr., is taking a leave for the Summer. She is at present at her home on South Walnut Street. During her absence in Froot and Frost's office Miss Billie Floy Hunt is taking her place.

Miss Jennie Wood, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Root of South Ammerman Street, finished high school in San Antonio last week and is planning to attend the State University this fall. She, with her mother, Mrs. Virginia Wood, are returning to their home today in San Antonio after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Root.

RAMBLER--

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be in demand.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kay of Abilene, visited the Ernest J. Sneed family during the week-end; they are Mr. Sneed's parents.

Mrs. R. L. Cooper visited relatives at Abilene, last Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Cooper and son, Tommy, are visiting Mr. Cooper at McKinney, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wilson of Gorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson, are vacationing in South Texas.

Mrs. O. B. Shero made a trip to Abilene, Saturday.

Everette Plowman visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Plowman at Weatherford, Sunday, taking Jack Roper of the Daily Telegram with him, via plane.

L. H. Callerman of Fort Worth Mr. and Mrs. Edward Call and son, Mrs. C. E. Call, Roy Call and family of DeLeon, picniced at Lake Cisco, Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Rogers and daughter, Teddy Jo, of Kermit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers.

Mrs. F. B. Flowers and sister, Mrs. T. C. Bennett, attended Mrs. A. F. Taylor's recital, Sunday. Helen Ruth was on the program.

Miss Opal Ramsey of Ranger, visited Doris Harbin over the week-end.

Miss Maxine Smith visited her mother, Mrs. Craig Smith at Gorman, this week-end.

Mrs. J. M. Alford, accompanied by her son, Howard and family, went to Dallas, Sunday.

The sale of "scarce" merchandise and advertising in the Eastland Daily Telegram, will give you a "mad rush" of buyers... "if you doubt it, just try it..."

The ladies waiting to make purchases were: Mrs. L. O. Swindie, Mrs. Kenneth Butler, Mrs. Cyrus Miller, Mrs. Mattie E. Miller of Dallas, Mrs. Mattie V. Miller, Mrs. Glenn Justice, Mrs. W. A. Justice, Mrs. D. E. Frazer, Mrs. Russell Turner, Mrs. Jess Taylor and Miss Toby Gilbert... Many of those awaiting the opening, declined "the rambler's" publishing their names... guess they were afraid they would be asked "what they intended to buy"

Another "landside" result was obtained from Eastland Daily Telegram advertising, yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fagg of the Eastland Furniture Company who offered some "red hot" bargains for their first Monday sale, report a "big success"..... It pays to advertise in the Daily Telegram.....

Mr and Mrs. Grady Pipkin and son, Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pipkin attended the funeral service of Randolph Ramsey, at Weatherford, Sunday; James was a pallbearer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Finley have gone to Navasota to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Goodwin.

Mrs. Aleta Tillman was an Eastland shopper in Eastland, yesterday, while enroute to Ranger from Rising Star, where she visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gattis and son, Travis Wayne.

Miss Verlon Eakin of Gorman passed through Eastland, yesterday enroute to Dallas.

Bob Murphy and Gladys Hays of Abilene, were married last Friday, at Levelland.

Mr. Sam C. White was in Eastland yesterday visiting the W. A. Teasorth family, after having attended the Old Settlers' Reunion at Springtown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Overand of Guthrie, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wood, Sunday.

Mrs. George Coffman is visiting Mrs. Mary Borsley.

Mrs. Dale Swan and children, Bill, Nelda and Eddie of Truro, Iowa, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Allison.

E. J. Pryor has returned to Coleman after two weeks vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ben Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Wood of Vernon, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wood, last week-end.

Mrs. Myrtle Derington and daughter, Carol Ann, of Lamesa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Elliott and son, Larry Don, of Berger, returned to their home after a two weeks vacation with are A. D. Carroll family.

Rev. W. E. Moore preached in the church of Christ, Breckenridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. John White, all of Fort Worth, visited Earnestine Oglesby, last week-end.

Mrs. H. L. Lewey went to Jal, New Mexico, to visit her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parson of Blanket, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Fox; Mrs. Fox is their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Edwards are visiting at Pilger, Nebraska.

Miss Merle Steen visited her parents at Waco, last week-end.

Mrs. J. L. Clem of Ranger was an Eastland shopper, yesterday.

Mrs. E. E. Murray of Carbon, was an Eastland shopper, yesterday, her daughter Janet and granddaughter, Wilda Carter were with her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Alexander and family, and Mrs. G. B. Gath-

ey and daughter, Louise of Breckenridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McCarney, yesterday.

Mrs. Paul Taylor and daughter Helen, Minton Hanna and Bobbie Jean Lane, were visitors at the Mineral Wells rodeo last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rogers and children are visiting Mrs. Amanda Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Young, and niece Winnie Tackett, were Dallas visitors during the week-end.

Mrs. Westie Hill has returned to the Connellee Hotel after an absence of two months, due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford L. Gordan and child, Janie have returned from New Mexico.

Mrs. Ruby McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pryor went to Sweetwater for the week-end.

Mrs. J. H. Finch of Port Arthur, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Tackett.

Mr. J. V. Cox is home for a month's vacation.

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Mrs. D. A. Pass and son, Donnie of Midland, are guests at the Connellee Hotel.

Mrs. Monroe Walker and children, picked five gallons of dewberries, Sunday, they live at the Yellow Mound community.

Ozelle McMahan is working at Ruby Lee's Beauty Shop, too, she was given a new permanent, yesterday.

J. D. Yielding of Olden, visited his daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Grace Burk and Mrs. Frieda Nash.

Eastland vs. Baird, of the "Oil Belt League" opening, will play ball at Fireman's Field, tonight, starting at 8:00 o'clock.

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