

ON THE HILL

The long list of Senior activities began last week with the banquet honoring the Seniors given at the Baptist church. A ranch style theme was carried throughout the banquet. Toastmaster was Rev. F. H. Porter and the address was given by Dr. R. N. Richardson of Hardin-Simmons. A quartette from Hardin-Simmons sang several numbers.

Mr. Womack and Miss Jacobs were ill last week, but are now able to be back in school. Everyone was glad that they recovered so quickly.

The boxing matches went over so well that the Quarterback Club is sponsoring another group of matches tonight at the High School Gym. Everyone is sure to attend these matches.

The Peetovon Club met at the home of Veda Sneed Thursday night. Most of the members attended. After the program, refreshments were served to the club members and Mrs. A. F. Taylor, sponsor.

This week marks the end of the first six weeks of the Spring Semester and everyone is looking forward to the end of school and summer vacation, but the cold wind that was blowing "On The Hill" Monday and Tuesday made them remember that it isn't summer yet and they still had to study.

Tryouts for the Senior Play, "A Date with Judy" were held this week. This play will be presented about March 21. Plan now to see this swell play.

Spring Training for football is well underway now. They got some new equipment this week. Around sixty boys are coming out and the students of EHS are looking forward to next year's games.

EHS had a paid assembly Program Wednesday morning. It was a very interesting program describing the different methods used in playing table tennis. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

A large number of students attended the Jose Iturbi Concert in Ft. Worth Sunday. Among those who attended were: Margaret Ann Bourland, Marlece Elliott, Mary Katherine Hoffmann, Dorothy Sims, La Verne Cornelius, Shirley Frazer, Patsy Safley, Jan Spalding, Jerry Spence, Conner Van Hoy, Marilyn Wittrop, Veda Sneed Evelyn Ward, Wanda Williams, Jesse Whaley, Stanley Stephens, and Virginia Spence, Percy Whaley, Bill Brasher and Bill Eddleman also attended the concert.

Mr. Little has been ill since Tuesday. We hope he will be all right soon (They didn't have football Tuesday or Wednesday because of his illness).

Pobby Collie went to Ft. Worth last week-end for a meeting of the Youth Fellowship.

Cisco Junior College played San Angelo Junior College last Tuesday night in the Eastland Gym. Cisco was defeated by a much stronger team.

This is all the news from EHS but I'll see you next week.

Eastland People Invited To Harp Concert Sunday

The people of Eastland are invited to attend a concert by the Harp Ensemble of North Texas State College to be given in Ranger Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Recreation building.

The concert is being sponsored by organizations in Ranger and no admission will be charged.

The program will be under the direction of Miss Lillian Phillips, head of the harp department of the college. There will be nine harpists on the program with numbers for four harps, six harps and harp solos being given.

BEN H. WHITE WILL BE GUEST SPEAKER AT FIRST CHRISTIAN

Ben H. White, who is a medical student at Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, will speak at the First Christian Church, Sunday, March 2, at the morning worship service. Mr. White recently returned from Japan and is preparing to be a medical missionary.

After finishing his medical work he plans to go to some mission station in the orient for service.

March 2nd, is Foreign Mission Day in the Christian Churches and Mr. White plans to give emphasis in his message in keeping with this day.

Everyone is invited to hear him.

FULL CARD IS PROMISED FOR TONIGHT'S FIGHTS AT LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL GYM AT 8:00

Sport fans of this area are looking forward to the Golden Glove tournament tonight when a number of Eastland fighters will meet in a similar manner from Cleburne. The bouts will be held at the Eastland High School Gym where a well equipped ring has been built by the Eastland Quarterback Club at the expense of several hundred dollars.

The first bout will begin at 8:00 o'clock and there will be a full card from fly-weight to heavy weight.

Jack Proctor, sports editor of the Cleburne Times-Review and who will be in charge of the visiting fighters, in a letter to Nell Day of the Eastland Quarterback Club, states:

"All of my boys are in good shape and none are ranked above the Novice Division, and have met teams from Texas Agricultural College, Fort Worth, Waxahachie, Stephenville, and Hillsboro this season with pretty fair success, winning more than half of their bouts.

In the group expected to box in Eastland tonight, Proctor stated, will be: Robert Jones, 158; Truett Knowles, 167; George Hartman, 141; Jimmie Bailey, 135; Robert Walker, 135; "Killer" Derring, 110; Jack Riza, 112; Lethal Fulfer, 127; "Kid" Forsythe, 125.

Proctor stated also that he might bring a number of other feather weight and bantam weights.

Included in the group that will fight under the Eastland banner will be four from Cisco, three from Olden and possibly three from Abilene. The balance of the number will be from Eastland and Morton Valley. The names and weights of these boys were not available Thursday morning. Each of the group, however, has had more or less experience in the ring.

Ringside seats for tonight's fights will be the usual ninety cents, while general admission tickets will be the usual sixty cents per person and students 30 cents.

Tickets are on sale at the Eastland and Corner drug stores and at the Men's Shop.

Free Christian Science Lecture Friday, March 7

"Christian Science: Its Assurance of True Guidance to Men," is the title of the free lecture on Christian Science to be given at The Christian Science Church Friday evening March 7, at 8 o'clock.

George Channing, C.S.B., the lecturer, comes from San Francisco, California, and is a member of the Board of Lecturership of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Mr. Jones is speaking in Eastland for First Church of Christ, Scientist, here.

In arranging for the lecture, the members of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Eastland, believe they are providing a means for reaching many people with answers to frequent questions about Christian Science—what it teaches, how it heals, why thousands have become its adherents. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

PERFECT SAFETY RECORD SCORED BY EMPLOYEES

Employees of Lone Star Gas Company's Eastland district have established a perfect safety record representing 142,750 hours of company operations during the past eleven years without a lost-time accident. M. O. Chapman, district manager, has been advised by A. W. Breeland of Dallas, safety supervisor for the gas company.

The Eastland district is among the 56 Lone Star units credited with perfect safety records ranging from one through 18 years, as of December 31, for a grand total of 318 years, Mr. Breeland pointed out.

Safety trophies are awarded units completing one year without an accident and to those with records in multiples of five years. The Eastland district will receive a framed certificate for operating 17,663 hours in 1946 without a lost-time accident, at the next regular safety meeting for employees. It will be given by D. A.

Judge Davenport Impaneled 91st Dist. Grand Jury

Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st district court Monday morning empaneled a grand jury composed of the following persons: H. S. Drempholt of Cisco, foreman; Charlie Underwood, Gorman; J. P. Gilbert, Carbon; J. W. Cooper, Eastland; J. W. Elder, Carbon; C. R. West, Cisco; H. J. Leno, Carbon; A. H. Powell, Ranger; Los Woods, Eastland; A. A. Peacock, Cisco; T. L. Fagg, Eastland; Grady Pipkin, Eastland.

Judge Davenport, in his oral charge to the grand jury, reminded that body of the fact that the state laws made it mandatory that they call their attention to the statutes regarding weights and measures and cautioned them to look closely into possible violations of such statutes. He also called attention to the fact that there were many reports of violations of the reckless driving and driving while drunk statutes.

"It appears that not all the reckless driving and driving while in a state of intoxication is on the highways, but is also reported in the towns and on the country roads," Judge Davenport told the jurors.

Other reported violations, which Judge Davenport called the attention of the jury panel included: operation of pool halls, slot and marble machines, burglaries, cattle theft, car theft, etc.

Much of the burglaries recently reported in this section, Judge Davenport told the jurors, appeared to be the work of juveniles.

Grandchildren present were: C. B. Graham and wife of Eastland; Colquitt Graham, Irene Paxton, of Grand Prairie; and Carolyn and Susan Graham of Stamford; Mrs. Ralph Collier, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams of Ft. Worth.

Great grandchildren: Billie Mack, Bobbie, Martha and Nancy Paxton of Grand Prairie; Jean, Barbara and Rae Williams of Fort Worth.

Other guests were Mrs. Lee Graham and Laura Melton of Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins and children of Carbon; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker and children of Carbon; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins of Eastland; J. L. Toomer, Grand Prairie; Mrs. Demart, New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and granddaughter, Katherine, Mrs. Sofia Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Mullins, and Rev. Gordon, pastor Methodist Church, Eastland.

Bishop Smith To Speak Sunday On Methodist Hour

Originating from Highland Park Methodist Church, on the campus of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, the Methodist Hour of Sunday, March 2nd, will feature a sermon by Bishop A. Frank Smith and choral music under the direction of Joseph Lukiewicz.

Bishop Smith will speak on "The Mood of Today." This radio program is broadcast over an independent network of 52 stations in the South and Southwest and is heard at 8:30 Eastern Standard Time and 7:30 Central Standard Time.

Officials of the Eastland Knight of Pythias Lodge have been advised by Theo Yarbrough, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals at Weatherford, that Texas Grand Chancellor, Barney W. Carroll, will visit the Eastland lodge on the evening of March 4.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HIGH OFFICIAL TO BE EASTLAND VISITOR

The local lodge is planning a fitting welcome for the State official and members are requested to take due notice of his coming visit.

"We already have purchased for immediate delivery the lights and necessary equipment for lighting Weaver Field, and it will not take long to install them when and if the improvements we hope to make are approved by the CAA and Pioneer," Mr. Tanner said.

TANNER TELLS LIONS OF AIRPORT PLANS AT THE PRESENT TIME

City Manager K. B. Tanner, speaking to the Eastland Lions Club members Tuesday noon, said that Eastland City officials were working on plans for improvements at Weaver Field, Eastland's airport, which, if completed might meet the requirements of the Civil Aeronautics Administration and Pioneer Airlines, the latter named having recently been granted a permit to make Eastland a station on their flights west from Fort Worth.

"Members of the club presented Lion F. M. Kenny, who is leaving Eastland soon after 17 years residence here, a valuable traveling bag in consideration of his long membership and valuable service to the Club. Kenny, for the past 15 years, was song and music director for the club.

The club voted to contribute one dollar for each Eastland member to a fund to send an orchestra from Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene, home of the governor of District 2-E, to the International Convention meeting next July at San Francisco.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF UNCLE AT ATHENS

C. E. Owens, sons, Pat and Wilson attended funerals services Saturday at Athens for an uncle of Mr. C. E. Owens, Wade Owen, 78, who died Friday night at the Owens home, the last of the Owens brothers who settled at Athens in the early days.

Mrs. Nora Graham Celebrates 85th Birthday, Feb. 9

Mrs. Nora Graham celebrated her eighty-fifth birthday February 9th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Clyatt of Eastland, with whom she has been making her home for the past several years. Mrs. Graham is one of the early settlers of Eastland County, having moved to Texas from Arkansas, and settled at Carbon in Eastland County, where she lived until she moved to Eastland about fourteen years ago.



Her birthday dinner was served buffet style to about thirty-five guests, the larger part being her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Her children present were: Mrs. M. A. Clyatt and family of Eastland; Matt Graham and family of Stamford; and W. H. Graham and family of Grand Prairie.

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16th ANNUAL FATHER AND SON BANQUET IS SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

Were you among the 320 persons attending the 16th annual Father and Son Banquet sponsored by the 9:49 Bible class of the Methodist Church and held at the Church Annex last Friday night? If you were not then you do not know what you missed.

Featuring the program was a talk by Paul Richards, a professional baseball player of Waxahachie, and a series of moving pictures of game fishing in Texas and Mexican coastal waters. These pictures were exhibited through the courtesy of Maurice Keasler and the Gulf Oil Company of Houston.

J. W. Jackson, in the absence of Judge V. T. Seabery, who was unable to be present on account of illness, acted as master of ceremonies. He introduced Dr. A. M. Allen, Coach John Little of the Eastland Mavericks and president of the 9:49 Bible class; Vice-President of the class, Henry Van Geem, all of whom made short appropriate talks.

J. W. Jackson, Sr., of Duncan, Oklahoma, who was present for the 10th consecutive annual meeting of the Father and Son Banquet, was introduced, as were the following chairmen of the various committees who had the responsibility of putting on the banquet: Geo. I. Lane, publicity; Wes Harris, arrangements; Walter Gray and George Parvin, ticket sales; N. A. Moore, program.

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Mrs. Rogers wants to meet the people her son liked so much and enjoyed the hospitality of. She desires to meet his friends.

Mrs. Lovelace was service club hostess for Eastland and was active in entertaining the boys and accompanying girls from Eastland and surrounding cities to the Camps to entertain the boys in service. Mrs. Lovelace's home was open most every week-end during the war to service men.

SURVEY MADE ON OLD AGE, NEEDY ROLLS

The Eastland office of the State Department of Public Welfare has completed a desk review of all Old Age Assistance and aid to the Needy Blind grants following action by the State Legislature in making more State money available for assistance. Mrs. L. A. Black of the local office announced today.

Adjustments are being made on all cases where increases are justified. The increases will be in checks for the month of March.

Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Black pointed out that a blanket increase on all claims will not be made but that the standard food chart figures have been revised upward in accordance with the percentage of advance in food prices since the time of the last cost survey some two years ago. The number of persons in a family depending on the aid benefits will also be taken into consideration.

Raises will range from \$1 to \$3 per month. The local office by working overtime last week was able to make adjustments on all claims. It, therefore, will not be necessary for individual recipients to have to come to the office.

The additional appropriation will allow money for payment of full claims in the Aid to Dependent Children program. Heretofore, due to limited funds, allocations were made to allow as much per case as possible but rarely was there enough funds available to pay amount authorized.

Approximately 190,000 aged and 5,100 needy blind will get increases amounting to \$500,000 or \$600,000 over the State as a result of elimination of the ceiling. The 30,000 dependent children will receive around \$200,000 per month.

Survivors are the parents and a son, Earl Lee, 17, and two brothers, Roy N. and B. W. Lasater and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Virgil Adams, Lowell Pittman of DeLeon, Marshall Ivy, Cisco, Aubrey McBee, Doyle and Mack Lasater.

Bible Course For Adults Begins On Sunday, March 2

Mrs. Gid J. Brvan, past president of the Women's Society of Christian Service and one of the leading church women of the Southwest, will teach a Bible Course, "The Christian Message For Our Day," in the First Methodist Church, beginning at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 2nd. There will be six class periods of one hour each. The first two will be given from 2:30 to 4:30 Sunday afternoon. Two more will be given from 7 to 9 o'clock Monday evening, March 3rd and the last two will be given from 7 to 9 o'clock Tuesday evening, March 4th.

The course is designed especially to assist those who teach adult classes in the Bible School, but should be very helpful to any who want to know more about the Bible and especially the Christian message for our problems and days.

The course is open to the public and all are cordially invited to attend these six lectures which this outstanding church woman will bring.

PTA MEMBERS URGE PASSAGE OF SCHOOL LUNCH BILL AND TEACHER'S PAY INCREASE

The West Ward Parent-Teacher Association celebrated Founder's day at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at the school auditorium. Mrs. E. M. Little read the message from the National Founders' Day chairman in honor of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the association and will contribute to the fund for Miss McLellan Birney and Phoebe Anderson Hearst.

Mrs. O. G. Lanier of Ranger gave an interesting and illuminating talk on Citizenship. She spoke especially of teaching citizenship in the home. Miss Gladys Womack played Chopin's "Militaire Polonaise."

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During the business session, over which Mrs. L. E. Corbell presided, it was decided to send telegrams to the state representatives and senator of this district and to the governor urging the passage of the school lunch bill which is on the agenda of the legislature for this week. Letters to the legislators urging the passage of the bill for raise in teachers' pay were also read and signed by members.

Mrs. Corbell appointed Mrs. George Grosclow as chairman and Mrs. M. B. Tisworth and Mrs. S. A. Chambliss as members of a nominating committee.

At the social hour in the cafeteria, a lovely white cake with pink trimmings and forty pink lighted birthday candles were the center of attraction in celebration of Founders' Day.

First and fifth grade mothers who acted as hostesses were: Mrs. George Grosclow, Mrs. G. L. Whitley, Mrs. Wayne Jackson, Mrs. John Little, Mrs. J. L. Ward, Mrs. Joe Bowles, Mrs. E. M. Gattis, Mrs. Max Ward and Mrs. Henry Van Geem.

Red Cross Funds Drive Opens On March 3, Next

Monday, March 3, marks the opening of the American Red Cross drive. The quota for Eastland County is \$5,600 and for the City of Eastland \$1,500. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins is County chairman.

Eastland chairmen are as follows: Special gifts, E. E. Freyschlag and H. J. Tanner. Mrs. Jack Frost is Residential chairman, Mrs. Claude Strickland, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. W. W. Linkenhogor, assistants. Fred Brown and Mrs. Charles Eaton are chairmen for corporations; W. B. Picken is chairman of the business part of the city; Henry Pullman and D. J. Fiensy are chairmen of Plants.

Earl Woody is serving as treasurer and Mr. Kelsey is office manager. The American Legion Auxiliary is placing posters in business houses.

According to Mrs. Perkins this is only a partial list.

Eastland Rites For T. L. Lasater Held Last Friday

Funeral services were conducted Friday at 3:30 p.m. at Hamner Funeral Chapel for T. L. Lasater, Jr., who died Thursday at 10:45 p.m. at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lasater, Sr., 106 East Plummer.

Rev. H. N. Baldrige and Rev. Weems S. Dykes had charge of the service, and Claud C. Smith, Minister of the Church of Christ had charge of the song service.

Interment was in the Eastland cemetery.

Cement Block Man, O. J. Rea, Talks To Rotarians

O. J. Rea, owner and operator of a building block plant in Eastland, was guest speaker at Monday's Rotary club meeting. He was introduced by Rotarian Arthur Earnest, who had charge of the program for the day.

Rea, who uses Haydite which is being manufactured here in Eastland by the Light Weight Aggregate Company, explained the process used in the manufacture of his product and answered a large number of questions interested members of the club asked him.

Rea told his listeners that if they would watch the Gaines building, now being constructed in Eastland and in which his products are being used, they could get a pretty good idea of his product and its value as a construction material.

Rotarian Pat Miller will be in charge of next week's program for the Rotary club.

Only one visitor, Rotarian Cluck of Cisco, was present at Monday's meeting. "I have a four year record of 100 per cent attendance and rushed over here to attend the Eastland club in order to not break that record, Mr. Cluck stated.

Veterans who served in the armed forces during peace-time are entitled to government hospital benefits only if they have service-connected disabilities.

CROWELL, LESLIE AND LAMB TO RUN FOR COMMISSIONER AT CITY ELECTION IN APRIL

Three of Eastland's leading business men have consented to become candidates for places on the Eastland City Commission at the coming municipal election on April 1, it was learned this week.

These men are Frank Crowell, William Leslie and Theo Lamb, and they consented to run after it was understood commissioners Victor Cornelius, Dave Fiensy and Parks Poe, would not be candidates for re-election each having served two terms, and after discussing the matter among themselves and learning that they were all pretty well agreed as to the plans for operating the City's affairs for the next two years.

All three of the candidates are War Veterans, Crowell having served in World War I and Lamb and Leslie having served in World War II. Crowell is head of the Crowell Lumber Company, Leslie is manager for Pipkin's Piggy Wiggly store and holder of Eastland property, and Lamb is owner and operator of the Lamb Motor Company, which has the agency in Eastland for the Chevrolet automobile.

Holdover members of the five man commission are C. T. Lucas, and John Jackson.

Mayor Cornelius issued the following statement, but so far as this paper is concerned it has no statement from Commissioners Fiensy and Poe:

"In retiring from the Office as Mayor of your City, I wish to take this opportunity to thank the people of Eastland for their support in electing me and their splendid co-operation and help while I was serving in this capacity.

I feel that quite a number of accomplishments have been made by the present City Commission, some of which include assistance we have given in obtaining new industries for our town. I especially refer to the Hollywood Corset Company and the Texas Light-weight Aggregate Plant. These two concerns, I understand, employ about one-hundred people. Of course, there are many other businesses and industries that have come to our town in recent months.

I have always endeavored to improve the good will and feelings between our neighboring towns. At this time, I am of the opinion that Eastland, Ranger and Cisco are working a little closer together and in better harmony than we have since I can remember. I think that every citizen of these three towns should try and encourage this co-operative spirit.

This Commission has been responsible for the buying and building of the Eastland Airport, which, as you know, has been designated as a stop on the Pioneer Air Lines. Of course, their landings here are suspended until such time as we can build some kind of a paved landing runway. The United States Government has already allotted the City of Eastland \$28,000.00 toward the construction of this runway. Eventually, this will give Eastland air mail, passenger and express service, putting us within a few hours reach by air of all the major cities.

It is my understanding that within the next two or three weeks our City Manager, Mr. K. B. Tanner, will publish a financial statement of the City of Eastland.

In closing, I want to say that I have enjoyed working with the entire City Commission and our City Manager, Mr. Tanner, as well as all City Employees. I wish to assure you that I shall give all the assistance and support possible to my successor and those in charge of public affairs."

Transportation Company Moving Into New Bldg.

The West Texas Transportation Company is moving its Eastland headquarters to their new building recently completed on East Commerce street.

The new building, which will furnish permanent headquarters for the Transportation Company, is the Quonset type, and will house the business office of the company, storage and shops, according to Johnnie Aaron, Company head.

EVANGELIST TO SPEAK AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH EACH EVENING

Assembly of God, located at 200 West Sadosa will have C. U. McMillen, an evangelist, as speaker at the evening services, 7:30 each evening.

FAMED PRESIDIO READY TO OBSERVE 100 BIRTHDAY

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — The San Francisco Presidio, over which five flags have flown since it was founded in 1776, will celebrate its 100th anniversary as a United States Army Post next March 11.

Open house, a military review and an inspection will be among events to which the public will be invited, Maj. Gen. George P. Hays, sixth army commander, announced.

The first flag to fly over the Presidio was the imperial flag of Spain, raised by an expedition under the command of Juan Bautista de Anza after a 16,000-mile march from Sonora, Mexico.

The short-lived Mexican empire came next, followed by the Republic of Mexico. Then the Presidio was in possession of the "Bear" Republic of California before it was annexed by the United States. About March 11, 1847, two companies of Stevensons New York Volunteers, commanded by Maj. James A. Hardie, took over the abandoned post after the long sea voyage around Cape Horn from the East Coast.

In every case, occupation of the Presidio was peaceful and went almost unnoticed by residents of San Francisco—then known as Yerba Buena.

When Major Hardie entered the Presidio, it was deserted and almost in ruins. The crumbling fort of San Joaquin guarding the entrance to San Francisco Bay was badly in need of repair and re-arming. The guns had been spiked by John C. Fremont and his men, including Kit Carson, a few months earlier during the "Bear" revolt. The site is now occupied by Fort Point, directly under the Golden Gate bridge toll plaza.

Fort Point was built in 1861 as a formidable coastal defense, but now lies empty and forsaken—outdated as the square-riggers it was built to combat.

Union regiments were trained at the Presidio during the Civil War. Later, it was western headquarters for troops used in the Indian campaigns from 1870 to 1890. Volunteers were trained for the Spanish-American War.

During World War I troops were trained at the Presidio and it was the officers' training school for the 11 western states.

Gen. John J. Pershing was in command of the Eighth Brigade at the Presidio in 1914 before leaving on his Mexican expedition. His wife and three children burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home on the post. Early in 1946, the Presidio became a part of the sixth army command, with Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell as commander. He held the post until his death, Oct. 12, 1947. He was succeeded by Gen. Hays.

Recently the War Department announced that Gen. Mark W. Clark, head of United States occupation forces in Austria, would be reassigned as commander of the sixth army and will move into headquarters at the Presidio.

U. S. Pushing Pacific Isle Case

LAKE SUCCESS — The United States pressed its claim to Japan's Pacific Mandates before the United Nations Security Council today, promising to build the islands into a far-flung bastion dedicated to "general security under the United Nations."

Heardened by Soviet Russia's approval, American officials anticipated almost no resistance to their plan for legally removing 623 islands from Jap domination.



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Firemen Have Varied Duties

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (U.P.) —The man with the red helmet, waterproof coat and high boots may be a fire fighter—but that isn't all he does.

In 1946, San Antonio firemen were called, between blazes, to hunt for lost money on a roof, free a woman's hand caught between two windows, clean a gutter and remove a tot's baseball bat from the top of a building.

Husband, Wife Get Call To Jury Duty

BUFFALO, N. Y. (U.P.) —Mathematicians say it was only one chance in 196,000,000, but the rare coincidence occurred here when Commissioner of Jurors drew a husband and wife from 14,000 names.

Figuring in the juror duty rarity were Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Clark of Grand Island. The Clarks served for two weeks, he in supreme court and she as a trial juror in County Court.

Insurance Agent Believes In Putting Out Fire

GREAT FALLS, Mont. (U.P.) —Nobody but the insurance agent was worried about a fire that smoldered in a havenport for 12 hours at a local residence.

Apparently caused by a lighted cigarette, the fire was found by the householder. He poured a bucket of water on it and left it smoldering.

A few hours later the flames burst out again, and he poured another bucket of water on it.

Then he called his insurance agent and announced, "I've got a burning chesterfield at my house that's been blazing on and off all day, but I guess it's under control now."

The agent called the fire department.

Marriage Ruled OK After 53 Years

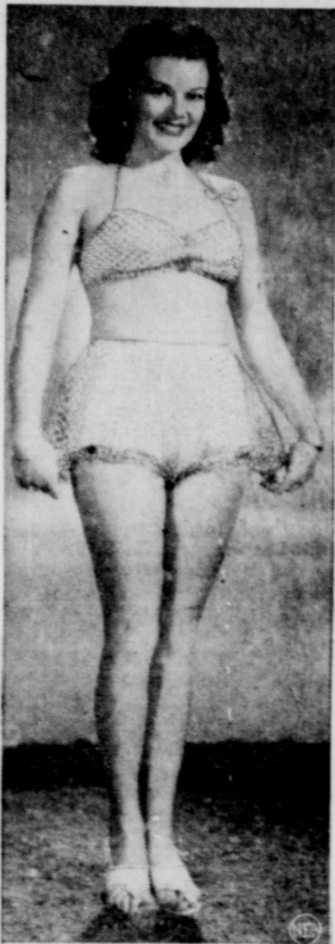
OMAHA, Neb. (UP) —The marriage ceremony which united two Omahans more than 52 years ago has been legalized in district court. Mrs. William Zaroor told District Judge Jackson B. Chase that she and her husband were married by an Omaha priest on Feb. 13, 1894. The priest neglected to return the proper papers to the county judge.

Mrs. Zaroor said she and her husband thought it was time to get the matter straightened out.

Judge Chase agreed and signed an order declaring the marriage valid.

Illinois made approximately 60,000,000 pounds of cheddar cheese in 1944, and now ranks as the second state in cheese productions.

Meet 'Goldie'



Something new in bathing suits is "Goldie," worn by Janis Paige in her forthcoming film, Wallflower. "Goldie" is made of gold metallic lace, so filmy that when dropped on the floor, it lands with about 1/1000th of the noise of a pin falling on a six-inch-thick rug.

State Police To Use Telephoto Pictures

BOSTON (UP) —The first wire transmission picture service to be used by a state police department for the speedy dispatch of photographs, maps, fingerprints or descriptions of wanted criminals, soon will be installed by the Massachusetts state police.

A transmitter in the state police headquarters in Boston and two portable transmitters to be used on the scene of the crime, will send the desired information to police throughout the state within a few minutes.

Farm and ranch income in New Mexico from January, 1944, to November, 1945, was more than \$100,000,000.

FROZEN FOOD MADE BETTER BY USE OF NEW METHODS

ALBANY, Cal. (UP) —Further improvements in the color and taste of frozen foods are being made as the result of intensive research in biological changes that occur in foods before and after freezing, James A. Berry of the Department of Agriculture research laboratory here, reports.

Berry said there was no future in second-rate frozen foods and "the steady and orderly progress of the industry can only be assured by strict adherence to one guiding principle—quality at its best."

Commercial food freezing is a relatively young industry but the process dates back to early history.

In 1626, Francis Bacon caught a fatal cold while seeking to preserve a goose by stuffing it with snow, Berry said. A little later, Samuel Pepys noted in his famous diary that thrifty burghers in Konigsberg, Germany, were freezing fowl in the late fall to assure themselves of a supply of fresh meat through the winter.

"The idea of freezing fruits," he said, "appears to date from 1904, when the United States Bureau of Plant Industry froze strawberries and other fruits, which proved suitable for pies and pastries. It is recorded that early as 1905 one firm froze 14 carloads of huckleberries. Real development of fruit freezing, however, was delayed until the early 1920's, and vegetable freezing made its debut as late as 1929."

Freezing preserves food through preventing microbial growth and the food must be kept at a temperature not higher than 15 degrees fahrenheit.

A food at this temperature, Berry said, will not spoil, but it has been found advisable to use temperatures below zero in order to preserve more fully the color and flavor. Under the best conditions frozen peas have been known to retain all their bright green color for as long as eight years.

Powerful enzymes must be reckoned with in vegetables which cannot be handled by freezing alone. Berry said vegetables must first be given a steam bath before they are frozen, varying from one minute for peas to eight minutes for corn on the cob.

Freezing processes are little more than an improvement on nature which has been known to preserve mammoths in the ice of northern Siberia for thousands of years.

Wounded Veteran Makes Most Of Hospital Course

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP) —When 21 year old Jim Holmes, Denton, was wounded in the left knee at Okinawa while aboard the USS Tennessee he dreaded being bedridden for some time.

That's where the Veterans Administration came in.

While at Brooke General Hospital, Jim passed the armed forces' general education development test. What's more, he not only qualified for a high school diploma and college training, but the Navy veteran also became the first ex-serviceman at the hospital to pass the test.

He hopes to begin a watch-making course at Brady Tech College at Peoria, Ill., next September.

Sugar Ration Increase Due SAN FRANCISCO (UP) Sugar rations will be increased for domestic and commercial users and controls may be entirely lifted by mid-year, Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson said today.

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LANSING, Mich. (UP) —Michigan potato growers plan to decrease acreage seven per cent in 1947, a state crop survey shows. Based on January estimates, farmers indicated they will plant only 142,000 acres of potatoes this year, compared to 153,000 acres in 1946. In 1945, the state had 172,000 acres of potatoes planted.

Survey experts blamed the decreased acreage on present surpluses, which have demoralized the potato market. The same agency reported 7,940,000 bushels of merchantable potatoes in storage on Jan. 1. That is 43 per cent more than for a year ago, but six per cent less than the unusually

high storage stock on the same date in 1945. Farmers reported that 6,043,000 bushels will remain on farms for use as food, seed and livestock feed.

High School Grad To Enter College

MARIETTA, O. (UP) —Round-faced, freckled Winston Love, 14, is taking post-graduate high school work prior to entering Marietta College next fall.

The youth was graduated from Marietta High School after only five years of formal schooling. Previously, his mother, Mrs. Carol Love, a former teacher, tutored him at home because he was in poor health.

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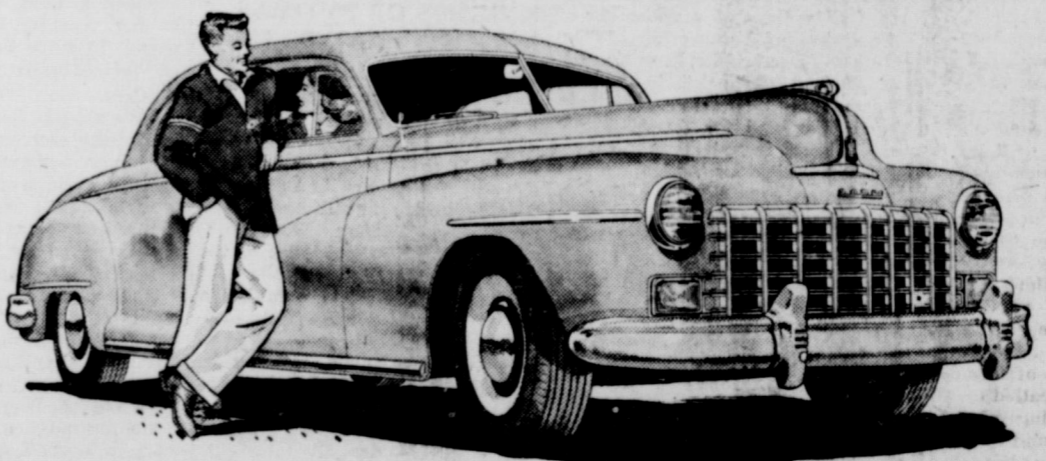
Young Americans (teen agers, that is) go for the telephone in a big way. School work, dates, gang activities keep the lines humming. Telephoning helps keep the guys and gals hep to the score.

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WHAT VETERANS SHOULD KNOW

Q. What are the chances for cash payment of terminal leave bonds?
A. Good, apparently. Funds were appropriated by the 79th Congress, so a cash payment bill should not meet opposition of a new Congress anxious to reduce the budget. Chief argument of cash payment opponents will be alleged inflationary effects of putting over \$2,000,000,000 in circulation. The V.F.W. has prepared a bill providing for cash payment.

Q. I was a prisoner of the Japanese. Will there be legislation providing indemnity for me on the basis of Jap violations of POW agreements of the Geneva Convention?
A. The prospect is good. The V.F.W. will present to the 80th Congress a bill to provide for a Claims Commission to handle cases such as yours. Indemnity payments would be made from impounded funds of Japan and Germany and their individual citizens. The V. F. W. National Rehabilitation Service expects to set up a special section to process claims if the proposal becomes law.

Q. How can I get a Federal Classified Civil Service position?
A. Government agencies are still given a fairly free hand in employment of needed personnel, provided full hiring preference is granted to veterans. All appointments under this system are temporary; Civil Service status is not acquired. The Civil Service Commission will continue to conduct competitive examinations for permanent positions. A temporary appointee would be eligible to compete in examinations for permanent status.

Q. What break does the veteran get in examinations for Federal Civil Service?
A. Five points are added to his examination grade; or ten points if he has a service-connected disability rating of at least 10 per cent.

Q. Does time in military service count for Civil Service retirement purposes?
A. It does.

Q. Are veterans given promotion preference in Federal Civil Service?
A. No.

Q. How many different types of positions are filed by Federal Civil Service examinations?
A. Approximately 3,000.

Q. Who conducts Federal Civil Service examinations?
A. The Civil Service Commission through regional offices, or boards of examiners in government agencies.

Q. How may a veteran reopen a case for increase in service-connected disability?
A. Submit to the nearest V.A. office evidence in form of medical or other records to prove disability has increased since claim was last reviewed. Or—see a V.F.W. service officer who will aid in building up your claim.

Q. Is the widow of a World War II veteran eligible to receive death compensation from the Veterans Administration if the veteran's death did not result from disability incurred in service?
A. Widow will get \$60 per month if husband died in service in line of duty, or died after discharge with service-connected disability being a primary or contributing cause of death. If death was not due to service-connected disability, widow may be eligible if, at time of death the veteran had another disability held to be service-connected.

Q. I am a former officer of the Naval reserve, was called to active duty and served during World War II. In 1946 I was found by a Medical Survey Board to be fit only for limited duty. I was finally discharged without pay. Do I have any recourse?
A. If you incurred a disability

of permanent nature in line of duty, you should apply to the Chief of Naval Personnel for a hearing before the Naval Medical Survey Review Board. This is covered by Section 302, Public Law 346, as amended by P. L. 268 of 79th Congress.

Q. What are the highest and lowest monthly rates of compensation for disability incurred in World War II?
A. Top is \$360, for certain cases of multiple amputations, blindness, etc. Minimum is \$13.80, for 10 per cent disability.

Q. Why should I seek advice and guidance before taking advantage of educational provisions of the G. I. Bill?
A. Veterans Administration provides this free service. It will help you select the occupation for which you wish to prepare yourself. Your prospects for success and job opportunities in various fields are considered.

Q. I failed to submit a report of my earnings to the Veterans Administration as required in revision of the law governing educational and on-the-job training. What may I now do to reclaim my subsistence allowances?
A. Assemble reports of all earnings for the period involved and submit to your Regional Office of V. A.

Q. On-the-job training ceilings on allowances and earnings are a severe handicap to me. Is there any prospect of relief?
A. There is a mass of evidence that veterans' training programs have been disrupted by the "change of rules in the middle of the game." The V.F.W. will ask Congress for liberal increases in ceilings. It is thought the prospect of relief is good. Stick with your training if you possibly can. In the long run it will pay off, even though it pinches now.

Q. May I claim my husband as a dependent in my income tax report, even though he is receiving compensation for disability incurred while in the service during World War II?
A. A veteran's compensation or pension is not subject to Federal income tax. Therefore, if you are the family breadwinner, you may claim exemption for him.

Q. May I transfer part of my eligibility for education and training to my wife, who is also a veteran but who does not have sufficient entitlement to complete her college course?
A. No. A wife, even though she is a veteran, cannot use any part of her husband's entitlement under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill).

Q. Can a veteran of World War II secure insurance that will give him an income in case of total disability?
A. Yes. Total disability income benefits authorized by recent legislation can be added to any plan of National Service Life Insurance upon application, with proof of good health and payment of an extra premium.

Q. Can a disabled veteran taking a course under Public Law 16 continue his training for more than four years?
A. Training in excess of four years may be approved when the veteran's disability is such that no course of training which does not exceed four years will restore him to employability, or circumstances beyond the control of the veteran necessitate the extension beyond the prescribed four year period.

Q. Can an amputee veteran select the type of artificial limb he wants and the firm he wants to buy it from?
A. Yes, the veteran will be permitted to select the artificial limb of his choice, but it must be purchased from an approved prosthetic appliance manufacturer under contract with V.A.

Q. May widows or children of

HOME FURNISHINGS
BY WILLYS

In the previous articles we have learned that there are five fundamental art principles. These are balance, proportion, harmony, rhythm and emphasis. The first 3 have been discussed in earlier articles. The latter two, although no less important, are almost self explanatory.

Rhythm can be defined as movement. There are two types of rhythm used in home furnishings: one exemplified by regular measured movement, and one characterized by irregular flowing movement.

The use of regular measured movement is the simplest way of producing harmony and order. It is the basic element in music, poetry, the dance, and is important in architecture and interior decoration. In interior decoration regular measured movement occurs in the all-over patterns of fabrics, rugs, and wall paper.

Irregular rhythm attracts the eye along a wandering route by the use of line, form, pattern, light or color. It is more subtle and difficult to attain than regular rhythm. It unites all the articles in each group of furniture and also connects each group with the adjoining groups.

Failure of the home planner to take rhythm into consideration causes many of the combination dining—living rooms, and bedrooms to appear uninteresting, if not actually repelling.

The last of the fundamental art principles and probably the most important is emphasis. Emphasis demands us to have a center of interest in any arrangement, and a dominating idea in any theme.

In any room there should be a center of interest. This should be the most important point in the room and worthy of the attention given it. It may be a fireplace, a double window, or a piece of interesting furniture. It is not always desirable to emphasize the same feature in summer and winter, or even by day and by night. Sometimes circumstances make it necessary to let the floor covering or walls receive the most emphasis. For example, if a very fine rug is used, everything else should be subordinated to that. By using a striking wall-paper design, one can draw attention away from a collection of nondescript furniture.

As a general rule, if the furnishings in a room are of good quality, the floor covering and wallpaper should not be too distracting, however, if the furnishings are not worthy of notice, another center of interest should be provided.

This article concludes the series devoted to the mechanics of home furnishing. The next group of articles will be devoted to the various rooms which make up the home, and suggestions on how to improve them.

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The announcement was made during a visit here of Mrs. John F. Cushing of Sitka, a pioneer Alaskan telephone entrepreneur and owner of the Sitka telephone system.

New England's six state legislatures boast a total of 112 women members, or more than half of the national aggregate of 206.

A monthly average of 47,000 veterans filed applications last year to convert their national service life insurance to permanent government policies.

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TESTIFIES ON COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES

WASHINGTON — The House Un-American Activities Committee heard testimony today that Communist sympathizers were "selling" their philosophies in the Allis-Chalmers plant while atomic bomb parts were being made on the other side of a partition.

The testimony was given by Floyd D. Lucia, who said that as far as he knew he was still a member of Milwaukee local 248 of the United Automobile Workers, CIO.

Lucia told the committee that after V-J Day the local sent President Truman a telegram asking him to turn the secret of the atomic bomb over to Russia.

Chairman J. Parnell Thomas, R. N.J., said Lucia was called before the committee in connection with charges that the 10 months old Allis-Chalmers strike was inspired by Communists within the union.

Meanwhile, two other congressional committees heard testimony on labor matters.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Bert Solves the Labor Problem

You hear a lot about capital and labor nowadays, as if the two could never get together. But look at Bert Childers—who has 320 acres of producing land, a fair-sized herd of cattle, and two farm hands working for him.

If you called Bert a "capitalist" he wouldn't know what you meant, and neither would Spike and Sandy, the hired men. Bert works side by side with both of them; and in the evenings he sits around the fire together—sharing a friendly glass of beer or two.

If anybody has a beef—whether it's about wages or hours or equipment—they talk it over at those friendly evening sessions.

I don't say all labor problems are as simple as Bert's. But from where I sit, the basic principle applies to any farm or factory or business: A principle of confidence and mutual respect, of daily talks together in a friendly and congenial atmosphere.

Joe Marsh

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CARD OF THANKS
We desire to thank our friends who were so kind to us during the illness and passing of our son and brother, T. L. Lasater. We are so grateful for the lovely flowers, for the food, for the comforting words of the ministers, Rev. Baldrige and Rev. Dykes.

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I wish to express my thanks to the Eastland National Bank for the purchase of my 4-H Club calf and all those who helped in the sale of the calf.
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BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the name of all candidates for said office shall be filed with the City Secretary at the City Hall not later than 12:00 m. on the 22nd day of March, 1947.

SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD AT the City Hall in the City of Eastland, Eastland County Texas and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers and clerks of said election:

L. J. Lambert
Presiding Judge and Clerk.
Mrs. Maud Braly,
Judge and Clerk.
E. C. Satterwhite,
Clerk.

SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD under the provision of the Special Charter of the City of Eastland, Texas, adopted by a vote of the people of said City on the 16th day of May, 1919, and under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas only qualified voters shall be allowed to vote.

A COPY OF THIS ORDER, signed by the Chairman of the Board of City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas, Attested by the City Secretary of said City, and same to be published according to Article Seven, Section Eight, of the City Charter.

Victor Cornelius
Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners.

ATTEST:
K. B. Tanner,
Secretary,
February 19, 1947.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 325
FIXING THE WATER RATES, SEWER RATES AND GARBAGE RATES; PRICES OF CEMETERY LOTS AND CHARGES FOR DIGGING GRAVES FOR THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS, AND ORDAINING OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO RENDERING WATER, SEWER AND GARBAGE SERVICES AND DECLARING EMERGENCY:
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the water, sewer and garbage rates to be charged and collected by the City of Eastland, Texas, are hereby fixed and set forth below:

WATER RATES
(A) DOMESTIC, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL RATES:

This rate is applicable to all domestic and commercial customers within the city limits and industrial customers either within the city limits with the exception

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.25c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.
.22c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.
.20c per 1000 gallons for all water used in excess of 33,000 gallons per month.

Minimum billing—\$2.00 gross per month per meter.
Churches, schools, hospitals and lodges are to be charged a flat monthly rate of 20c per 1000 gallons.
Domestic and commercial rates outside the city limits are as follows:

.91 2/3c per 1000 gallons for the first 3000 gallons used per month.
40c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.
.30c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.
.25c per 1000 gallons for all water used in excess of 28,000 gallons per month.

Minimum billing—\$2.75 gross per month per meter.

SEWER RATES

This rate is applicable to individual dwellings, apartment houses, duplex houses, tourist camps, stores, offices, industry and manufacturing. Rates for industry and manufacturing shall specifically exclude hotels, cafes or restaurants, filling stations, garages, locker plants, drug stores, laundries, creameries, dairies and when the liquid and solid wastes differ from the normal sewage wastes of homes and non-industrial premises. These rates shall be determined in each case.

.10c per 1000 gallons of water consumed, based on the lowest monthly consumption during either December, January or February of each year. Rates to be adjusted annually and such adjustments to be put on the bill due March 1st of each year.

Hotel rates shall be 10c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

Cafes or restaurants, drug stores, laundries, creameries, locker plants, and dairies shall be .2c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

Filling stations and garages shall be 20c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

School rate shall be a flat \$5.00 per month.

Churches, hospitals, and lodges shall be a flat 75c per month.

Minimum billing—75c within the city limits gross per month per meter.

Minimum billing—\$1.00 without the city limits gross per month per meter.

Garbage Disposal Rates
This rate is applicable to business district only and no charge will be made for weekly or semi-weekly garbage pickups in the residential area.

One daily pickup: First barrel or container \$1.50 per month.
Second barrel or container \$2.75 per month.
Third barrel or container \$3.75 per month.
Fourth barrel or container \$4.50 per month.
Fifth barrel or container \$5.00 per month.

.25c for each additional barrel or container over five.
For two pickups daily the charge will be doubled.

Ten per cent discount to be allowed on all bills if paid by the tenth of the month following the date of the bill.

Section 2. That the bills for services rendered by said Systems shall be paid monthly on or before the 10th day of each month after the billing date. If not paid within forty-five (45) days after due date, service shall be discontinued. In the event of discontinuance of service an additional sum of \$1.00 shall be charged for reconnection to the System.

Section 3. That the customer at the time of connection shall be required to pay a meter deposit fee of \$5.00 and a fee of \$1.00 as a service charge.

Section 4. The house connection from the City lateral shall be installed at the expense of the connector in accordance with the regulations of and subject to the inspection of the City.

Section 5. That the charge for cemetery lots by the City of Eastland, Texas, is fixed at \$75.00 per lot and the charge for digging a grave is fixed at \$15.00 per grave if dug by City Employees. If a grave is dug by other than City Employees it must be dug to a depth of five (5) feet.

Section 6. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 7. This is an ordinance providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, to-wit: the waterworks, sewer, garbage and cemetery departments and is therefore declared to be an emergency measure requiring suspension of the rule requiring reading of ordinances at more than one meeting, and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately after its publication. Passed and approved this

BILL WOULD PROTECT WILD LIFE IN THIS AREA

A bill has been introduced in the Texas House of Representatives for the protection of wild deer and wild turkey in Eastland County and five other neighboring counties. Other counties included in the bill are Palo Pinto, Stephens, Jones, Shackelford and Erath.

The bill was introduced and is being sponsored by Representatives Jack Cox of Breckenridge, William B. Teague of Anson, Turner M. Collier of Eastland, L. R. Pearson of Ranger and J. W. Shannon of Stephenville.

Following is the text of the bill.

H. B. NO. 389

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act to declare it unlawful to take, hunt, trap, ensnare, kill, or attempt to kill by any means whatsoever, any wild deer, buck, doe, fawn, or wild turkey in Palo Pinto, Stephens, Jones, Shackelford, Erath and Eastland Counties for a period of two (2) years from and after the passage of this act; providing for the protection of pastures, crops, property and/or gardens being destroyed by deer; providing a penalty therefor; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt, trap, ensnare, kill, or attempt to kill by any means whatsoever any wild deer, buck, doe, fawn, or wild turkey in Palo Pinto, Stephens, Jones, Shackelford, Erath and Eastland Counties for a period of two (2) years from and after the passage of this Act.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not less than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) nor more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars; provided however, when deer are destroying pastures, crops, property and/or gardens, the owner or person in charge of said pastures, crops, property and/or gardens may kill or have killed such deer while in the act of destroying such pastures, crops, property and/or gardens.

Section 3. The fact that there has heretofore been a closed season on deer and turkey in Palo Pinto, Stephens, Jones, Shackelford, Erath and Eastland Counties, said closed season having been expired, there is danger that the remainder of wild deer and wild turkey in Palo Pinto, Stephens, Jones, Shackelford, Erath and Eastland Counties will soon be exterminated unless said closed season is again reenacted, and the fact that there is a scarcity of wild deer and wild turkey in said Counties and that they should be protected create an emergency and imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

6th day of January, 1947.

VICTOR CORNELIUS

Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas.

ATTEST:

K. B. TANNER

Secretary.

(Seal).

Judge Would Sell Odd Crime Relics

CHICAGO (UP)—A collector of odd crime relics would have a field day if he got in touch with this judge who wants to dispose of criminal court exhibits dating back to 1878.

Criminal Court Judge Elmer J. Schnackenberg is asking the state legislature to release the exhibits from legal custody and authorize the county to take over the money contained in them. The judge also wants permission to auction or destroy the other articles.

Things like 1917 car transfers, 49 Kentucky Derby sweepstakes tickets, a chair with a bullet hole in it, sewing machines, marriage licenses, and a sledge hammer are taking up space in 60 drawers and 20 filing cabinets.

Items of more value are jewels and \$500 in cash kept in a separate safe. There are also old coins to delight a collector.

Some of the latest additions to the collection are five bottles of bonded whiskey which were taken in a larceny trial. The owner of the liquor has no intention of spending \$100 to get it back by court order.

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NEWS FROM CISCO

CISCO, Feb. 24—Dr. Erwin E. Addy, Jr., physician and surgeon, with his wife and their two months old son have moved to Cisco and Dr. Addy has opened offices in the Dean building. They have their home at 401 West Seventh street. Dr. Addy is a native of Canton, a graduate of Southwestern Medical College with three years medical work in Baylor Medical College and did pre-med work at Texas University from which he received his B.A. degree. At the time of his discharge from the United States' Army with the rank of captain Dr. Addy was chief anesthetologist at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Washington.

Mrs. Oscar Clett and Mrs. H. N. Lyle went to Grandbury Wednesday to attend a reception in the home of Mrs. Jake Green in celebration of the golden anniversary of the Women's Wednesday club of that city. The Grandbury club was organized Feb. 19, 1897, federated with the state organization in 1899 and with the national body in 1906. Among the club's present membership is Mrs. Sarah Sat Martin, sister of Mrs. Clett.

Edward Lee, present mayor of the City of Cisco, has announced his candidacy for re-election at the coming municipal election in April. "I have enjoyed my terms as mayor; feel that we have made some progress; I appreciate the splendid co-operation I have had from the citizens of Cisco and am asking re-election on my official record," Mayor Lee said.

Alvin W. Broyles, native of the Nimrod community in Eastland county and who is now pastor of the Chollas View Southern Baptist church at San Diego, California, is at home on a visit and Sunday morning filled the pulpit at the Nimrod Missionary Baptist church of which the Rev. J. W. Partin is pastor. Rev. Broyles is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Broyles who settled at Nimrod 67 years ago.

Miss Ruby Ray Swift of Arlington, former teacher in the Cisco Public schools, spent the past week end with friends in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCannies of Breckenridge were recent overnight guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Chambliss. Mrs. McCannies is recuperating from a recent operation.

Mrs. Rhoda Burkett has returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Eastland.



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NEWS FROM RISING STAR

RISING STAR, Feb. 24—Funeral services for Mrs. T. M. Angel, 85, and for 60 years a resident of this community, were held at the Rising Star Baptist Church February 14. She died the previous Thursday. Survivors include: A. O. Angel of May, Mrs. G. W. Boyd of Odessa, Mrs. W. W. Barnes and Mrs. P. N. Vallant of Rising Star, son and daughter, and two step-daughters: Mrs. C. D. Bennett of Brownwood and Mrs. J. T. Hamlett of near Rising Star.

W. J. Herrington was transacting business at the County Seat Friday.

Final rites for Mrs. J. R. Wiginton, 78, who passed away at the home here of her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Butler, Thursday, Feb. 6, were held at the local Methodist church the following Saturday. Surviving are the husband, one daughter and four sons: J. H. Wiginton, Oklahoma City, Huey and Harlan Wiginton of Abilene, and Harry Wiginton, Oliverhurst, California.

Members of the County sheriff's department and a member of the State Highway department, Tuesday of last week confiscated and removed from places in which they were found here, a number of marble machines.

The campaign to provide trees to be planted in the local park, is moving along splendidly, according to recent reports. More than 50 trees have been purchased by local firms and individuals and it is expected that the number will reach at least 100.

Henry J. Hill, 77, pioneer of this community, died Thursday of last week at the family home just east of town. A native of Parker County, the deceased had resided in this section most of his life. He is survived by his wife, who was the former Mary Matilda Cox, and ten children.

NEWS FROM FLATWOOD

FLATWOODS, Feb. 24—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Miss Eunice Lee, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson's daughter, Mrs. Bill Morton and Mr. Morton in Dallas from Friday through Saturday.

Neal Turner had his tonsils removed at the Gorman Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lyerla, Jr., of Morenci, Arizona, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lyerla, Sr., recently.

Mrs. Minnie Foster left Sunday on a extended visit with her sons, Ira, of Longview and Carl of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark were business visitors in De Leon, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gollehon and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gollehon and two children of House, New Mexico, visited their friends Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice, Thursday.

Pill Stricklin of Longview visited his mother, Mrs. Eva Stricklin, over the past week-end.

Gene Clark is confined to his room with the flu.

Mrs. L. E. Murrell has been at the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Murrell, who has been confined to her bed with pneumonia, and who is reported as improved.

Mrs. Finis Johnson, who underwent minor surgery recently at the Gorman Hospital, has been removed to her home and is doing nicely.

Little Jerry Webb has been sick with a cold.

J. S. Turner, who has been sick for the past two months, is able to be on the streets again.

Mrs. Tom Clark honored her daughter, Jane, with a dinner on her 10th birthday. The dining table was laid with a white damask cloth and the centerpiece was a white birthday cake with pink candles presented to the honoree by her uncle, Charles Rodick and Mrs. Rodick of Brownwood. Music and games were enjoyed throughout the evening. Many beautiful gifts were received by the honoree and among these were three birthday cakes. Present for dinner were: Mrs. Zephyr Clark, Wayman Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rodick, Tom Clark and Gene, honoree and hostess Mrs. Tom Clark.

Mrs. L. P. Barnett and son are visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Fite, in San Angelo.

Bill Wyatt, who recently received his discharge after service in the Pacific, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Harris have gone to Lubbock to make their home.

Dianne McCurry came home with her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Hines, when Mrs. Hines returned from her visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. D. McCurry, in Lejeune, North Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. McCurry have a baby son to whom they gave the name of Lonnie Dean, Jr.

NEWS FROM CARBON

CARBON, Feb. 26—Mrs. Dalis Hansard of Comanche and Mrs. Jarrel Johnson of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Morris, over the past week-end.

Rev. V. A. Walters of Abilene preached at the local Baptist church Sunday at both the morning and evening service, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Glen Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and daughters of Abilene, and Mrs. H. V. O'Brien of Cisco, spent the past week-end at Mrs. O'Brien's home here.

F. M. Wood of Cisco was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin, Sunday.

Bert Hazlewood of Wichita Falls was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood.

Mrs. Lena Stubblefield accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Wrather Gilbert, to Mrs. Gilbert's home at Spurr, for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McGlasson of Cisco, visited her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harlow, the past week-end.

Relatives at the bedside of Oscar Hamilton this week include his daughters: Mrs. Tommy Woody, of Stamford; Mrs. Boyd Bledsoe of San Antonio; Sister, Mrs. J. O. e McBeth of Rising Star; and brother, Roy Hamilton of Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Bennett of Gorman visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Powell of Littlefield were guests the past week-end of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black and Meredith spent from Tuesday to Friday of the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black in Brady.

Misses Wanda Lee Fields and Ruby Rice went to Big Spring Tuesday night for the Big Spring vs Cisco Junior College basketball game.

Edgar White has gone to Odessa on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Murphy of Ft. Worth spent the past week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Murphy.

Mrs. L. P. Barnett and son are visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Fite, in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheat attended the stock show Tuesday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman visited Mrs. Brockman's father, Mr. Manning of Cisco, Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and a n d children, Dorothy Jean, Larry and Brenda Sue, attended the Brother-hood supper at the First Christian Church in Eastland Thursday night.

The women Outsiders of Morton Valley defeated the Women Outsiders of Alameda in basketball at the Ranger gymnasium Friday night. The score was 24 to 16.

There is still lots of sickness in this community. Among those who

NEWS FROM MORTON VALLEY

MORTON VALLEY, Feb. 26—Misses Doris Mae Harbin and Maxine Smith visited Dorothy Jean Tankersley, Friday night.

Paul Joe Sturm of Breckenridge visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Proffitt and daughter, Connie, of Comanche, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Manning and son, Mike, of Eastland, visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. C. T. Brockman, Sunday night.

Mrs. H. O. Hearn is visiting her daughter, Mary, who is ill in Kansas.

Joel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tankersley, and Larry, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, attended the Father and Son banquet Friday night at Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Beck, Janey Dale and Wesley, of Ranger, were visitors in this community Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Guthery, made a business trip to Anson last week.

Mrs. C. M. Browning and daughter are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woods visited relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sharp visited in this community Saturday.

W. R. Guthery and J. C. Peak were DeLeon business visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp have returned from East Texas where they visited their daughter.

Indians of the southwest made matting, bow strings, sandals, rope and fabrics out of fiber of the yucca plant more than 1,000 years ago.

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have chicken pox are Mike and Johnny Graham and Brenda Sue, J. B. and Gracie Tankersley.

Miss Clarice Westfall, who is attending Ranger Junior College, was confined to her home here part of this week on account of a bone infection in her foot. She returned to school, however, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Jean Tankersley spent Tuesday night with Miss Doris Mae Harbin and Miss Maxine Smith in Eastland.

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Bolt Clippers	3.25	Coleman Gas Plant	16.95
Soldering Irons	1.50	Double Axe \$3.30 Single	2.95
Combination Squares	1.50	Keyhole Saw35
Pipe Cutters 1-8 to 1	5.80	Auger Bit Set	4.00
Blow Torches	7.50	Claw and Rip Hammers	1.50
Tool Boxes	3.30	Saw Sets60
Expansive Bits 7-8 to 3"	2.75	Adjustable Wrenches 10 In. . . .	1.85
Steel Tape 100 ft. \$6.25 50 ft. . . .	3.75	Garden Cultivator	7.50
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Carpenders Levels	4.75	Hedge Shears	3.95
Compass Saws	1.25	Acme Quality Sprayer	5.25
Tool Grinders	6.75	Lawn Mowers	19.50
Block Plane	2.50	Fence Stretchers	2.50
Kit Vise	3.00	Wilson Hack Saw Frame	1.15
Ridget Wrenches 10 In.	1.75	Dairy Scale Cap. 60 lb.	5.50
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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:

Maud C. Anderson to Beta J. McKelvin, warranty deed.

Johnnie Azoo, to H. L. Ratliff, deed of trust.

C. L. Archer to Via Gamblin, warranty deed.

R. C. Abbott to Floyd Regan, warranty deed.

Merle Batsell to J. G. Fryman, oil and gas lease.

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W. J. Britain to W. L. Taylor, warranty deed.

Lammie Boyd to Vin Gamblin, warranty deed.

C. M. Britain to Faudie Mae Britain, quit claim deed.

L. L. Bruce to Hall Walker, warranty deed.

George Brogdon to O. D. Bibby, purchase agreement.

Blackwell-Wielandy Co., to A. H. Williams, release of judgment.

Charles T. Bott to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

J. Loyd Clem to L. D. Yielding, release of vendor's lien.

C. M. Caldwell to C. L. Archer, release of vendor's lien.

J. C. Carroll to Hazel Donohue, warranty deed.

W. J. Clarke to H. Dennis Clarke, power of attorney.

Josh B. Clarke to W. F. Brown, oil and gas lease.

Lee Clark to Mrs. R. L. Waggon, warranty deed.

W. C. Coaster to W. A. Renner, warranty deed.

G. W. Collum to J. S. Haynie, warranty deed.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Edwin George, Jr., release of vendor's lien.

J. T. Carson to J. D. Taylor, deed of trust.

W. N. Compton to Carl W. Stroebel, warranty deed.

Dorothy F. Chaney to Samuel Greer, warranty deed.

City of Ranger to The Public, release of paving lien.

City of Cisco to J. H. Latson, warranty deed.

R. L. Clinkscales to Joe W. Gray, deed of trust.

James B. Coates to E. P. Crawford, deed of trust.

J. M. Daniel to A. Nemir, deed of trust.

J. C. Day to H. W. Seay, lease contract.

Connie Davis to Dr. N. A. Brown, warranty deed.

Martha A. Davenport to Charles T. Bott, warranty deed.

A. B. Davis to James B. Coates, warranty deed.

Floyd Embree to Addie V. Wright, warranty deed.

Rex A. Earnest to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

S. G. Everts to O. L. Wilson, release of vendor's lien.

Eastland National Bank to W. D. Brecheen, release of lien.

Eastland National Bank to Oscar Schaefer, release of lien.

Eastland National Bank to F. M. Kenny, release of lien.

E. C. Eppler to J. O. Thompson, warranty deed.

First State Bank, Rising Star to Floyd Ehbree, release of vendor's lien.

Sig S. Faircloth to The Public affidavit.

Sig S. Faircloth to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

Nittie Fox to K. H. Henson, warranty deed.

Federal Land Bank, Houston, to W. N. Nunnally, release of deed of trust.

A. H. Ford to J. L. Smith, release of vendor's lien.

Roy Lee Fleming to J. G. Harlow, quit claim deed.

J. Floyd Gilbert to W. F. Hale, quit claim deed.

W. W. Gilbert to W. F. Hale, warranty deed.

Gladys Reid George to Ada Gordon, release.

John W. Guy to W. E. Caudle, warranty deed.

C. L. Garrett to Carl L. Garrett, assignment of lien.

Joe W. Gray to R. L. Clinkscales, warranty deed.

J. A. Hood to Russell Hill, warranty deed.

J. R. Harper to Alice E. Hanson, royalty contract.

J. R. Harper to Iris J. Reed, mineral deed.

M. O. Hazard to Federal Land Bank, Houston, deed of trust.

A. P. Howell to Hall Walker, quit claim deed.

Mrs. T. C. Hopper to Grady R. Jones, warranty deed.

Mrs. E. E. Jones to George W. Van Horn, bill of sale.

G. H. Johnson to J. E. Stansell, warranty deed.

G. H. Johnson to J. E. Stansell, quit claim deed.

Grady R. Jones to Commercial State Bank, deed of trust.

E. W. Kimble to W. L. Graham, release of vendor's lien.

J. D. Lauderdale to C. C. Webb, release of deed of trust.

V. C. Latch to H. L. DeShazo, warranty deed.

H. H. Lee to The Public, proof of heirship.

Mrs. Mary M. Lee to Thomas H. Lee, quit claim deed.

J. P. Morris to Bernise B. Wilingham, warranty deed.

James T. Matthews to Earl E. Ayres, warranty deed.

James T. Matthews to Mrs. M. A. Matthews, mineral deed.

R. Miles to Troy B. Wilcoxson, warranty deed.

A. Nemir to J. M. Daniel, warranty deed.

L. W. Pitzer to D. P. Wofford, release of vendor's lien.

T. J. Poe to E. J. Poe, bill of sale.

Robert J. Poe to C. W. Norris, quit claim deed.

W. A. Page to E. G. Pierce, warranty deed.

Bess Rosco to Mrs. Virah Payne, warranty deed.

Lena Robason to Mrs. R. L. Wagon, warranty deed.

Carroll M. Rease to Charlie W. Norris, warranty deed.

A. J. Rogers to Alvin E. Rogers, warranty deed.

Alvin E. Rogers to A. J. Rogers, warranty deed.

Sylvester A. Roland to J. E. Harlow, quit claim deed.

States Oil Corp. to F. D. Wright, mineral deed.

V. T. Seaberry to Hall Walker, quit claim deed.

J. E. Self to The Public, proof of heirship.

A. O. Tindall to Milton Day, Warranty deed.

J. D. and J. H. Taylor to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of vendor's lien.

O. L. Wilson to M. N. Seabourn, warranty deed.

Dixie Williamson to A. O. Tindall, cor. quit claim deed.

C. R. West to The Public, aff. MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond Houston Dotson to Billie Weed, Cisco.

Ike H. Schmick to Mackie Ayers, Eastland.

William Roberts to Claudia Fuliam, Eastland.

Jimmie Edward to Opal Bizzell, Breckenridge.

Clarence S. Turner, Jr., to Violet Ruth Essl, Cisco.

J. W. Koonce to Aleta Oline

White, Abilene.

Edward C. Offield to Betty Murphy, Cisco.

Robert G. Curtis to Ruby Juanita Goodfellow, Baird.

Grover W. Duke to Delois Tucker, Rising Star.

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

Dora Decker v. Filmore Decker, divorce.

Vernell Spangler v. Earwin Spangler, divorce.

Ruby Gray v. W. G. Gray, divorce.

Mabel Blackmon v. W. A. Blackmon, divorce.

Fern F. Winston, v. L. B. Winston, divorce.

Beatrice Caraway v. C. J. Caraway, divorce.

Christine Patterson v. Joseph H. Patterson, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS

The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

Violet Ruth Essl v. Franz D. Essl, Jr., judgment.

Ben Branson v. Trans-Air, Inc. order of dismissal.

Cula Martinez Perez v. Jesse Perez Jr., judgment.

Price Crawley, et al, v. A. J. Urban et al, final judgment.

First National Bank in Cisco v. George T. Lamar, order.

First State Bank, of Rising Star, v. George T. Lamar, judgment.

H. A. Coats v. Nannie Lee Coats, judgment.

The First National Bank of Grandbury, Texas, a corp., et al v. Fred Fauth, charge of the court.

Tough on White Collars

BERKELEY, Cal. (U.P.)—The white collar worker in San Francisco needs an annual income of \$4,661 to maintain "the commonly accepted standard of living," the University of California's Heller Research Committee reported.

REVIEW OF OLD AGE, BLIND AID IS COMPLETED

The Eastland office of the State Department of Public Welfare has completed a desk review of all Old Age Assistance and Aid to the Needy Blind grants following action of the State Legislature in making more State money available for assistance, Miss Elsie Glenn, of the local office announced today.

Adjustments are being made on all cases where increases are justified. The increases will be in checks for the month of March. Miss Glenn pointed out that a blanket increase on all claims will not be made but that the standard food chart figures have been revised upward in accordance with the percentage of advance in food prices since the time of the last cost survey some two years ago. The number of persons in a family depending on the

aid benefits will also be taken into consideration, Miss Glenn said.

Raises will range from \$1 to \$3 per month. The local office in Eastland by working overtime last week was able to make adjustments on all claims. It therefore, will not be necessary for individual recipients to have to come to the office.

The additional appropriation will allow money for payment of full claims in the Aid to Dependent Children program. Heretofore, due to limited funds allocations were made to allow as much per case as possible but rarely was there enough funds available to pay the full amount authorized, Miss Glenn said.

Approximately 190,000 aged and 5,100 needy blind will get increases amounting to \$500,000 or \$600,000 over the State as a result of elimination of the ceiling. The 30,000 dependent children will receive around \$200,000 per month.

Let Them Eat Fish

OKLAHOMA CITY (UP)—A bill authorizing issuance of free fishing licenses to persons on old age assistance rolls has been introduced in the state house of representatives.

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SOCIETY - CLUBS - CHURCHES

MR. AND MRS. MULLINGS HOST MEETING OF CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullings hosted the meeting of the Pioneer Woman's Club Tuesday for the covered dish luncheon, the regular meeting day.

The business meeting was opened with ensemble singing of "Bless Be The Tie That Binds" and prayer led by Mrs. Mullings.

Officers were elected and installed, as follows: President, Mrs. R. L. Watson; Vice President, Mrs. Tonsie Johnson; Secretary, Mrs. R. E. Sikes; Treasurer, Mrs. Ida Morris; Chaplain, Mrs. J. A. Beard; Song leader, Mrs. Carrie Wood; Reporter, Mrs. R. F. Jones.

Those attending were: Meses. May Harrison, R. L. Watson, Maud Praly, T. A. Bendy, Ida Morris, J. A. Beard, Dorothy Sparr, W. S. Barber, Margaret Clegg, Ida Harris, E. Wood, and Miss Johnnie Hightower. Visitors, Mrs. Mary Gleason, Ella Ligon, and granddaughter, Peggie Hagood, Mrs. John E. Collins, E. E. Wood, J. A. Beard, and Mr. Mullings.

MRS. ABERNATHY HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Floyd Abernathy was the guest of honor at a bridal shower Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Willis. Mrs. Johnnie Aaron greeted the guests at the door and presented them to Mrs. Willis and the honoree.

The bride's book was a bell-shaped register, presided over by Mrs. M. M. Martin, grandmother of the groom. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth and a center piece of primroses. Mrs. O. B. Shero presided at the table.

The house was decorated with primroses, and hydrangeas.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

About 35 attended.

Mrs. Abernathy is the former Miss Helen Payne.

CHURCH OF GOD HONORS PASTOR

Members of the Church of God honored the pastor, Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck, with a birthday dinner Feb. 9th in the dining hall of the Warner Memorial University building, hosted by Mrs. Ruby Logan, Mrs. Pete Wilson, Mrs. Ted Bryant, Mrs. Johnnie Tucker, and Mrs. Frances Daffern, who baked the large birthday cake which decorated the table.

Mrs. J. R. Kendricks played piano music during the evening.

The following families were present: Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Hallenbeck, Ed White, Mrs. Ruby Logan, L. F. Johnson, Opal Holliday, Joe Bowles, Eugene Milligan, Orval Johnson, Lee Murray, Pete Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Power, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nally, Mrs. Alma Murray, Mrs. Bessie Kirby, Mrs. Leta Penn, Mrs. Frances Daffern, Jean Bryant, O. C. Cox, Ruth Cox, Ann Cox, Henry Parsons, Joyce Tucker and Johnnie Haulgate.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS BALL A SUCCESS

The benefit ball and Tackey party sponsored by the Royal Neighbors of America, Eastland camp, Saturday night at the American Legion hall was a lot of fun.

Twelve guests were presented from the Abilene camp State supervisor, Mrs. Myrtle Carter and Mrs. Maud Marlow, district deputy, of Abilene, were present.

A basket of groceries was given to the tackiest couple, six cakes were given in the cake walk.

Music was furnished by Jimmy M. Galt and his orchestra of Rang-

GLEANERS CLASS HAS LUNCHEON

The Gleaners class of the First Baptist church had a covered dish noon luncheon in the lower assembly room of the church Tuesday. Mrs. Roy Young gave the devotional, Mrs. H. A. Belvins, teacher of the class, presided, in the absence of the president, Mrs. D. E. Pittman.

The tables were decorated with potted hyacinth.

Present were Meses. C. W. Caudle, J. D. Meek, Milton Fullen, M. D. Hall, James Young, Juanita Hichman, Bob Burkett, L. E. Barber and Charles Butler.

ALPHA DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS FEBRUARY 27

Mrs. E. S. Perdue was leader of the Alpha Delphian club Thursday afternoon at the Clubhouse.

Mrs. LeRoy Arnold talked on Man's place in the home. Mrs. Aubrey Van Hoy talked on How to Make a Man Happy. Miss Morris, instructor in school economics, talked on favorite recipes.

THURSDAY CLUB HOST WOMAN'S DAY LUNCHEON

Thursday Afternoon Study Club will host a Woman's Day Luncheon March 7th at the clubhouse. Mrs. Earl Conner, Sr., president, announced this week. Tickets will be on sale by Mrs. W. W. Linkenberger, Mrs. Ben Scott and Mrs. Frank Castleberry. Music is being arranged for the program. Mrs. James Horton will review "East River", by Sholen Asch.

COLORED MOVING PICTURES OF FAMOUS GARDENS SHOWN

Moving pictures of lovely Flower Gardens, were shown by Gulf Oil Company with Mr. Heard of the Houston office operating, and presented by Morris Keasler, district manager, sponsored by the Civic League and Garden club, Saturday night at the High School auditorium.

Beautiful flower gardens were shown in Vancouver; Washington cherry trees; Magnolia Gardens; Gardens of South Carolina, Wilmington; Orton Plantation; Louisiana Gardens, The famous Bellingrath gardens at Mobile Alabama; Gardens were shown in Georgia; Florida; Dupree Gardens; Cypress Gardens; Fernandina; Gerbings Azelen and Camellia Gardens; many Azelen and Dogwood trails and beautiful private and public gardens were shown.

Mrs. Frank Castleberry, president, presented Jack Turner and Miss Betty Rhuier in piano selections, also Mr. Keasler.

WCS METHODIST CHURCH MEETS

Mrs. N. P. McCarny gave the devotional on Stewardship for the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. M. E. Titsworth gave three chapters of the Bible study.

Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president, presided over the business meeting. Ensemble singing of several songs with Mrs. A. M. Allen at the piano and the Lord's prayer in unison. The resignation of Mrs. F. M. Kenny as circle leader was read and accepted.

The Fellowship Circle had seven present and the Builders circle had eight present. The Builders circle is to entertain the Fellowship circle Monday with a noon lunch at the church fellowship hall.

LAS LEALES CLUB PLANTATION HOMES PROGRAM FEB. 19th

Las Leales club had a program on Lure of Louisiana, and Plantation Homes in Louisiana, last Wednesday at the clubhouse. Mrs. H. Durham was leader of the program. Roll call responses were on the Bayou country.

Miss Jessie Lee Ligon gave the subject, The Land of the Big Cypress. Mrs. Guy Patterson reviewed the "Gumbay Ya Ya", by Lyle Saxon.

Those attending were Meses. Hollis Bennett, W. E. Brashier, H. Durham, H. L. Hassell, Prentiss Jones, Guy Patterson, Miss Ligon and Miss Verna Johnson.

American Family Hangs Together

NEW BALTIMORE, Mich. (UP)—Those concerned with the "disintegration" of the American home can take heart in the family of Henry A. Schmid, 59-year-old automobile dealer and founder of "Schmid's Haven" on the shores of Lake St. Clair.

Schmid, a widower, and 29 members of his family live in four summer cottages and one converted boathouse, with community recreational facilities one of the features of the "Haven."

The tiny community is the home of three married sons and their families, one married daughter and her family, a newlywed son and his wife, and two unmarried sons now attending school.

Another son is attending Notre Dame, while a second daughter is a teaching nun of the Dominican Order stationed in Chicago.

Maine Lobstermen Commute By Air

ROCKLAND, Me. (UP)—A commuting service for lobstermen is the latest air service offered.

William W. (Capt. Billy) Winchew, president of the Maine Air Transportation Co., began the service so the lobstermen could spend some time with their families in the winter.

He rents them a plane at \$18 an hour so they can fly from their mainland homes to the islands where they moor their boats. The lobstermen service their traps and are picked up by the plane at nightfall.

Winchew explains that many lobstermen who live on the islands during the summer move to the mainland in winter so their children can go to school. A trip through winter seas in small boats requires so much time that they would hardly ever see their families.

New Mexico's turkey crop established by agricultural experts at 65,000 birds, an increase of 10 percent over 1945.

Self-service gasoline pumps with coin slots that even refund correct change are among the latest inventions.

Vermont has 89 women legislators, the largest number of any state.

Rocky Road



Mrs. Gretchen Emery and three children drove from San Jose, Calif., over the mountains to Santa Cruz. Big rocks loosened by rains came tumbling down. One crashed through the top of the car, shattered the windshield, crushed the steering column. A piece sheered off, imbedded itself between the children in the back seat. Here Mrs. Emery and Ruth, 5, ponder close call.

« Personals »

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bourland and daughters, Margaret and Betty, Pillie Floy Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones attended the Jose Iturbi concert in Ft. Worth, Sunday.

Mrs. John Lee Roper returned Thursday from California where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Priebe and Mr. Priebe. Mrs. Roper has been away since January 30th.

Mrs. C. E. Owen has recovered from the flu. She has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Lucille Speer of Big Spring was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Reeves last week. Mrs. Speer is an aunt of Mrs. Reeves.

Miss Elaine Crossley, attending school at Denton, spent the past week-end with her parents, Judge and Mrs. P. L. Crossley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Elliott and baby of Mineral Wells were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crossley.

Mrs. W. P. Leslie returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Miss Rosalie Leslie in Washington and a visit to her former home in Kentucky. Mrs. Leslie has been away for several months. She resumed teaching the Martha Dorcas class of the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Reagan of Big Spring returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. H. Mitchell on South College Street. Mrs. Reagan is the former Miss Bennie Pearl Mitchell.

Rev. Fred H. Porter, pastor of the First Baptist church, will conduct a revival meeting at Garden Zilla church in Houston next week.

Russell Hill and wife have bought the J. A. Hood home on Hillcrest and Mr. and Mrs. Hood have bought the Russell Hill home on South Seaman. Each have moved.

Bobby Collic, son of Mr. and Mrs. Turner Collic attended the Allied Youth Conference in Dallas the 22-25. Only seventeen boys from over the state, attended the conference.

Mrs. T. B. Wrather of Kilgore is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore. Mr. Moore is Mrs. Wrather's son.

Lew H. Wentz of Ponca City, Oklahoma, a business partner of Joe M. Weaver of the States Oil Corp., was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver the past week. Other guests in the Weaver home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Slesman, Fremont, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes McCaskey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCaskey, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Flanery, Los Angeles. All are spending this week in Mineral Wells and plan to return this week-end for another visit before their departure for their homes.

Mrs. C. S. Ivey of Carthage is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Fayette and little daughter, Susan and Emily of Ft. Worth joined Mrs. Beyette's brother, Bob, who is attending Texas Tech, and sister Dorothy, teaching in the Midland school, in a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perkins and Mrs. Mary Gleason who is their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Root returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Virginia Woods and daughter, Jenne, in San Antonio.

Mrs. D. L. Houle has recovered from virus pneumonia and returned to her shop Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Beard of Dallas were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard, and Mrs. May Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Williams, Miss Sammie Bisbee and Jack Roper were among those attending the Jose Iturbi concert in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moser have moved into the home just completed by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland, facing Burkett Street.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Moreton of Temple were guests of Mrs. Moreton's mother, Mrs. Dixie Williamson, from Wednesday to Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Moreton were enroute home from a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. (Doc) Kennedy leave about March 1 for their old home town of Deatur, from where they came to Eastland 17 years ago, and where they will enter the drug business having purchased the store they sold there when they came to Eastland. Until recently Kenny owned and operated the Corner Drug Store in Eastland. He and Mrs. Kenny have been actively interested in the social, civic and religious affairs of Eastland during their residence here. Their son, Billy, who at present is away attending college, is one of the most popular among the younger set and along with his parents will be greatly missed.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery of Austin were Eastland visitors over the past week-end. They came up to Gorman to visit Mrs. McGlamery's parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Kimble, earlier in the week. They returned to Austin Sunday afternoon.

John W. Jackson, Sr., of Duncan Oklahoma, is visiting his sons, John W., Jr., and Hal. Mr. Jackson came at this time to attend the Father and Son Banquet at the Methodist church last week.

Dr. and Mrs. T. E. Payne have recovered from the flu. Dr. Payne has been out for several days.

Joel Jones of Dallas spent the past week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones North Seaman.

Mrs. W. F. Bennett of Gatesville, Mrs. I. Sadler of Dallas and Miss Zo Allen of Amarillo and Allen Bennett of Ft. Worth are guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Allen. Dr. Allen is a brother of Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Sadler and Miss Allen.

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Lew H. Wentz of Ponca City, Oklahoma, a business partner of Joe M. Weaver of the States Oil Corp., was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver the past week. Other guests in the Weaver home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Slesman, Fremont, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes McCaskey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCaskey, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Flanery, Los Angeles. All are spending this week in Mineral Wells and plan to return this week-end for another visit before their departure for their homes.

Mrs. C. S. Ivey of Carthage is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Fayette and little daughter, Susan and Emily of Ft. Worth joined Mrs. Beyette's brother, Bob, who is attending Texas Tech, and sister Dorothy, teaching in the Midland school, in a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perkins and Mrs. Mary Gleason who is their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Root returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Virginia Woods and daughter, Jenne, in San Antonio.

Mrs. D. L. Houle has recovered from virus pneumonia and returned to her shop Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Beard of Dallas were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard, and Mrs. May Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Williams, Miss Sammie Bisbee and Jack Roper were among those attending the Jose Iturbi concert in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moser have moved into the home just completed by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland, facing Burkett Street.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Moreton of Temple were guests of Mrs. Moreton's mother, Mrs. Dixie Williamson, from Wednesday to Sunday.

CHURCHES

OLDEN METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday School—10 A. M.
Morning Services—11 A. M.
Evening Services—7 P. M.
Preaching services each first and third Sundays of each month.

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Corner Valley and Walnut
M. P. Elder, Pastor
Sunday School 9:50 A. M.
Preaching services each second and fourth Sundays.
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
Young People's Meeting—6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship—7:00 P. M.

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Morning Service—11:00 A. M.
Sunday, Wednesday and Saturday Services at—7:30 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
E. R. Gordon, Minister
Bible School—9:45 A. M.
Worship Service—10:55 A. M.
Youth Fellowship—5:30 P. M.
Worship Service—7:00 P. M.
W. S. C. S.—Monday 8:00 p.m.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Services at 10 A. M. Sunday on Roof Garden of the Connelley Hotel.

THE CHURCH OF GOD AT Lamar and West Valley Streets
W. E. Hallenbeck, Pastor
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
Preaching—11:00 A. M.
Young People's Meeting—7:00 P. M.
Evening Service—7:30 P. M.
Mid-Week Prayer Service—7:30 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner of Lamar and Olive
Weems S. Dykes, Minister
Church School—9:45.
Morning Worship—11 a.m.
Vesper Service—5:00 p.m.
C.Y.F.—6:00 p.m.
Woman's Council—3:00 p.m. (Monday)
Church Board—1st Thursday p.m.

Mrs. Ed F. Willman, Mrs. Ivey is a sister of Mrs. Willman.

Mrs. K. B. Tanner has returned from a visit with her daughter, Miss Dolores in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drienhoff of Tyler spent the past week-end here with relatives. He returned home Sunday but Mrs. Drienhoff remained for a longer stay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCoy, 112 1-2 South Seaman plan to celebrate their 52 wedding anniversary on March 3. They were married in 1895 at Thurber and planned to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary two years ago but their plans were interrupted by the accidental death of Mrs. McCoy's brother.

Mrs. John Sawyer of Brownwood is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Ammer, and family.

Mrs. Hubert R. Jones was in Cisco one day last week and reviewed a book for a Cisco Study club. The book was "We Shook The Family Tree," by Hildegard Dolson.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner Plummer and Lamar
F. H. Porter, Pastor
Sunday School—9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship—10:55 A. M.
Training Union—6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.
W. M. S. and Sunbeam—3:50 P. M. Monday.

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Corner Halbryan and Foch
Services 11:00 A. M. Sundays by Father Duesman.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
West Main and Connelley
John R. Hulay, Pastor
Sunday
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
10:50 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:30 P. M.—Young People
8:15 P. M.—Junior Society
8:15 P. M.—Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY—
THURSDAY—
8:15 P. M.—Prayer Meeting
2:00 P. M. Missionary Society

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, ANNUAL ELECTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Saturday, April 5, is the date on which voters of the Eastland Independent school district will elect three members of the school board to succeed K. B. Tanner, F. J. Crowell and E. H. Jones, whose terms are expiring. Jones, who recently resigned, is now living at Weatherford.

Holdover members of the seven man board are Frank Sparks, R. N. Wilson, E. R. Halkias, and I. C. Inzer.

Curtis Hertz, secretary of the school board stated this week that notices calling the annual election would be issued in a short time.

EASTLAND BOY'S HORSE PLACES THIRD AT CISCO SHOW LAST SATURDAY

Edwin Aaron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Aaron entered his red sorrel horse, Sonny, in the Gaited Horse division at the Eastland County Livestock show held at Cisco Saturday under the auspices of the Eastland County Livestock Association and the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, and won third place and a white ribbon.

DRAGOO RECITALS ARE WELL RECEIVED

Dragoo Studio Recital Monday and Tuesday nights at the Methodist Church was well received and well received. The church was beautifully decorated with Easter colors of flowers in peach, yellow and white, white candles and large Easter baskets.

The Harmony Girls opened the program each night with two numbers singing sweetly in soft tones.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Claud C. Smith, Minister
Corner Daugherty and West Plummer
Bible Class—10:00 A. M.
Worship—11:00 A. M.
Young People's Worship—6:45 P. M.
Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.
Monday
Ladies Bible Class—2:30 P. M.
Wednesday
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting—7:30 P. M. Wednesday.

Hunting Costs In California

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—The average sportsman in California spends \$454 annually to hunt and fish, the United States Forest Service reported in estimating the yearly income of the business at \$125,000,000.

After analyzing reports from several hundred sportsmen, the service computed that the average deer hunter spends \$270 a year for ammunition, boat rental, guides and pack stock, club dues, food, lodging, clothes and liquor. In addition he travels 2,235 miles, which at five cents a mile would total \$112. He invests \$504 in guns, camping equipment and fishing tackle, representing a yearly cost of \$72, considering that equipment lasts an average of seven years.

The average hunter spends 14 days a year on his big game hunts, 4 1/2 days hunting pheasants and quail, 3 3/4 days hunting geese and ducks, and more than 10 days fishing.

He loses on the average \$119 in wages for time taken off to hunt and fish.

Hardwood Available For New Homes

CHICAGO (UP)—People lucky enough to build homes during 1947 probably won't have to worry about hardwood flooring, the National Oak Flooring Manufacturers' Association reports.

Secretary Henry H. Willins said that under favorable conditions production can reach 550,000,000 board feet during the year. He said that should be sufficient for the 700,000 to 1,000,000 new homes predicted for the year.

Willins said the production rate has gone up nearly 7 per cent since last August. That was when the Civilian Production Administration prohibited the use of flooring hardwood for other uses; increased growing brought by suitable weather was another supply factor, he said.

INDIA TO BE STUDY SUBJECT AT YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING

The young people of the First Christian Church will study India in their meeting Sunday evening at 6 p. m. Mission work and tales that have come out of missionary experiences will be told. Refreshments will be provided by Fern Justice, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collings will meet with them as host and hostess.

Baptist Church Notes

Thirty eight towns in Stephens, Eastland and Shackelford Counties will hold revivals simultaneous during the last week of March. Rev. Blair, missionary of the district has announced.

Twenty-six members were present at the Woman's Missionary Union Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. John Dorsett gave the devotional. Mrs. H. S. Vermillion gave the subject on The Jews and Arabs. Announcement was made of the week of prayer to be held next week at the church.

Mrs. I. C. Inzer, program chairman for the week of prayer, announced Monday, Mrs. F. A. Hollis will be leader of the program. Tuesday Mrs. H. S. Vermillion, Wednesday Mrs. Frank Lovett will lead and Thursday the last day, Mrs. John Dorsett will lead the program.

Miss Betty Jo Carroll was hostess to the BWC of the Baptist church Monday night at her home. Mrs. Pat Crawford gave the Bible study. Refreshments of hot cocoa and cake was served to Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Green, Miss Florence Parber, Mrs. Ida Harris, Miss Wynell Carroll, Mrs. A. D. Carroll and Miss Betty Jo Carroll and Dorothy Tindall.

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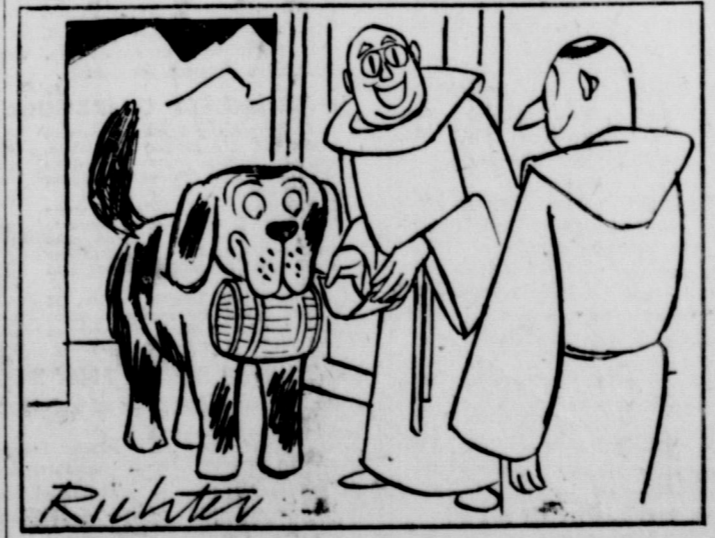
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TSCW REDBUD FESTIVAL BE MARCH 14-16

DENTON, Tex. —The annual Texas State College for Women Redbud Festival, inspired by almost 3000 redbud trees which bloom each spring on the campus, has been scheduled for March 14, 15, 16, according to Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of the college.

Attracting thousands of visitors yearly the Festival honors the beauty of the redbuds and the coming of the new season. Ranging from pale pink to deep fuchsia the blossoms on the trees envelop the campus in a pink haze so familiar to north Texas countryside in mid-March. The Southwest's largest concentrated collection of redbud trees is to be found on the campus and in Denton, known as the City of Redbuds.

Students take their cue from the trees and vie for honors of being the most charming at the Festival. One hundred girls are chosen as outstanding exponents of natural sincere charm and are presented as princesses in the Queen's Court at Festival time.

Because the music and dance Coronation program of the Queen of the Redbuds has grown beyond local interest a two-day program will be given this year on March 14, 15 to accommodate the number of visitors who participate. On the first night last year's queen, Miss Katherine Reeve from Menard, will reign over the court while identity of the 1947 queen will remain a secret until the next night.

For visitors who are unable to be in Denton for the Coronation activities the campus lanes and gardens will be open especially to Sunday drivers, March 16.

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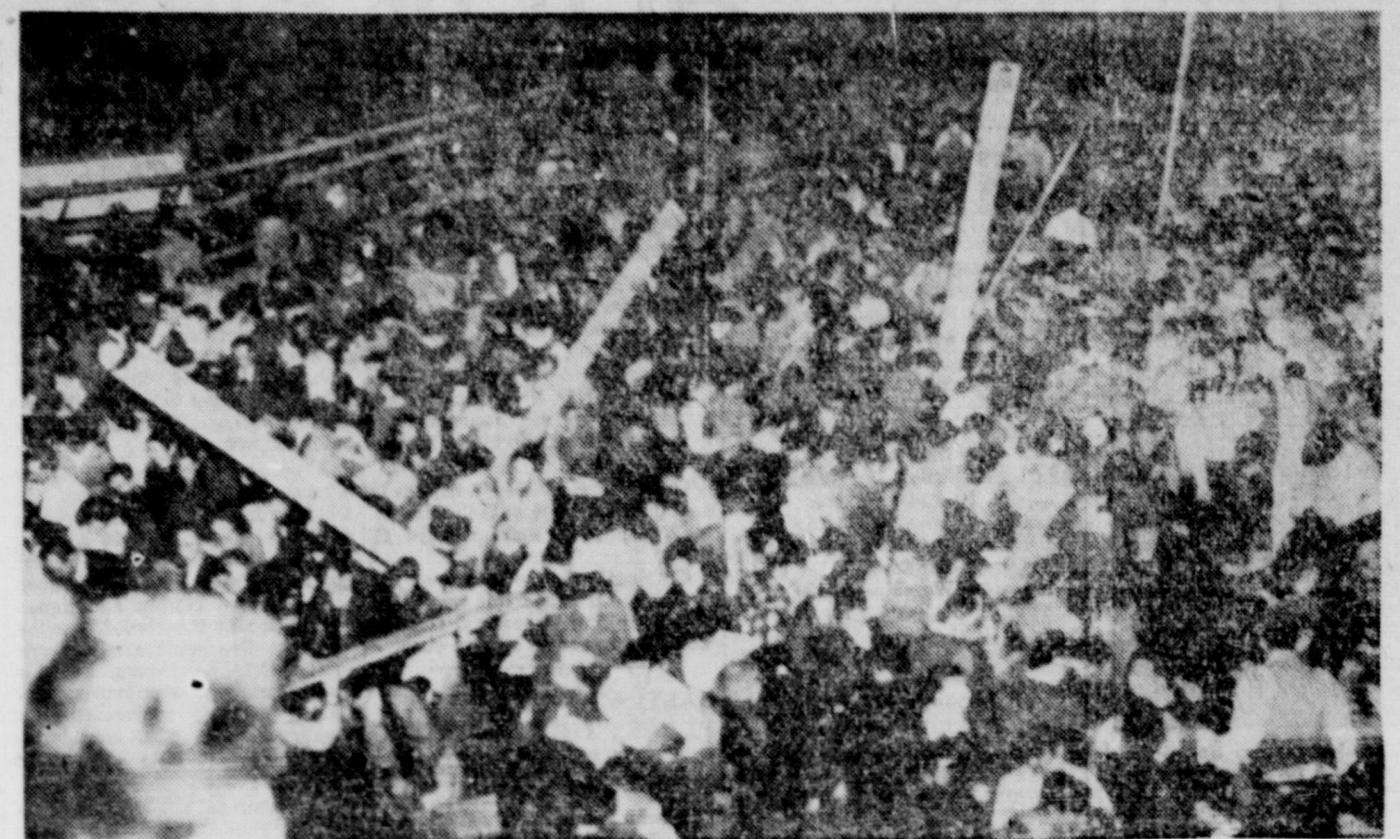
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Fieldhouse Stands Collapse At Perdue



A new bleacher section collapsed Monday night in the spectators' eyes just twenty seconds after the stands fell. Purdue University fieldhouse, killing two students and injuring 200 or more. This was the scene which met other (NEA Telephoto).

WAR DEAD COMING HOME THIS SUMMER FOR BURIAL

By Glenn Stackhouse
United Press Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—A somber gray liberty ship will arrive at San Francisco's port of embarkation in mid-August, and from it will be removed the first of a long and solemn line of flag-covered pine boxes.

It will be the beginning of the second redeployment—the return of the men "who didn't come back."

At approximately the same time an identical ship, with colors at half mast, will arrive in New York harbor from Europe.

Appropriately, the first of the Pacific war dead to return to their native soil will be the men who fell at Pearl Harbor on the "day of infamy," and who have since rested in Hawaii's seven military cemeteries.

The pattern of the reburial program will follow closely the path of the campaign—from Pearl Harbor to the Solomons, Australia, New Guinea, the Marshalls, Gilberts, Guam, Philippines, Iwo Jima, Okinawa and finally Japan itself.

To prepare the way for the return of the 73,816 known Pacific war dead, the government today has its reverent program in full swing.

In the Pacific, army graves registration teams are at work on the exacting task of identifying each body as it is prepared for shipment from the 53 army, navy and marine corps temporary cemeteries.

Here on the Pacific coast, several liberty ships are being converted to carry their grim cargoes. Scores of former hospital trains are being refitted to carry the thousands of bodies from distribution centers to their final resting places.

At the Oakland, Cal., army base, part of the San Francisco port of embarkation, a receiving pier is being built at which the ships will discharge their burdens. At Oakland also a distribution center will be erected—one of 15 such centers to be built at strategic locations in all parts of the nation, from which the caskets will be dispatched to their ultimate destinations.

The next of kin of the dead heroes will be given four choices in the matter of reburial:

1. They may have the bodies returned to the United States, or to any U. S. territory or possession, for interment in a private cemetery.
2. The remains may be interred in a permanent United States military cemetery overseas (in Hawaii or the Philippines for the Pacific war dead.)
3. The remains may be returned to a foreign country, the homeland of the deceased or next of kin, for private burial.
4. The remains may be returned to the United States for interment in a national cemetery.

The government will pay all costs of transportation will provide a steel casket, and will pay up to \$50 toward private burial if such is desired by the family.

Veterans organizations have expressed their willingness to provide appropriate military honors for private burial services.

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NEWS FROM GORMAN

GORMAN, Feb. 26—Word was received late Tuesday of the death of Joe Hamilton in Odessa, a former Gorman resident. He was returning home from work and was killed in an automobile accident. The body arrived in Gorman Wednesday. His widow, the former Lyndell Harwell, and two children survive.

A young lady and a young gentleman arrived in Gorman the past week-end to make their parents very happy. The young lady, Terry Lynn, arrived Feb. 20, to live with Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham. She tipped the scales at 7 pounds, 4 ounces. The young gentleman arrived Feb. 22nd, to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Billie C. Pittman. He weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces and was named Richard Clay.

Funeral services were conducted last Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel by Bro.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met for a regular business meeting Monday.

Mrs. Norma Ferguson of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eulard Sharp over the week-end.

Mrs. Billy Ray Elder leaves Friday to join her husband in South Texas.

The Olden P. T. A. met for a business meeting and social in the high school cafeteria Thursday. The program was given by Miss Green's room, and a talk was given by Miss Allmon on Building a Firm Foundation. A bazaar will be held March 14 in the home of Mrs. Gay Hendricks. Refreshments were served to fifteen members.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fiddler visited in Cresson over the week-end.

Wayne Lingie and daughter Cecelia leave Friday to join Mr. Lingie in Louisiana where he is employed.

Mrs. Bob Lester's mother has been visiting her daughter here.

Mrs. M. G. Cartwright and son, Bobby, left Monday for Legion to visit her sister, Mrs. Harold Walker and Mr. Walker.

H. Keaton has been transferred to Lovington, New Mexico by the Magnolia Petroleum Co. Mr. White will replace him here.

Taylor Henley, for Bert Bennett, who passed away suddenly Tuesday night. Survivors include his widow and one son, Jack Bennett.

Those attending the Banker's Convention in Ft. Worth Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Donna David and Bill; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Seals; Misses Anna Lou Butler and Dertly Echols.

Mrs. Gussie Dowell, Mrs. Billie Blackburn and Mrs. Bertha Blitch of DeLeon attended Eastern Star here last Monday night.

Mrs. Carter C. Hart and baby of Ranger are visiting her mother, Mrs. Gene Baker.

Uncle Jim Blackwell is reported to be seriously ill at his farm home near Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Dennis and daughter, formerly of Moran, have arrived and are making their home at the Gorman Hotel. Mr. Dennis has accepted the position of Technician at the hospital, a place formerly held by Frances Barker.

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Staff Sergeant	115.00	74.75	129.38
Sergeant	100.00	65.00	112.50
Corporal	90.00	58.50	101.25
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So people peeked what they saw was workmen varnishing the station benches.

Cut In Public Debt Threatens Income Tax Cut

WASHINGTON—A bipartisan Senate move for a \$3,000,000,000 cut in the public debt today endangered proposals for a 20 per cent slash in personal income taxes.

Sen. William F. Knowland, R., Cal., predicted the Senate would adopt his proposal to guarantee \$3,000,000,000 for debt reduction from savings made in President Truman's new budget. He counted on the support of 15 to 20 Republicans and the overwhelming majority of Democratic senators.

Both sides conceded the vote would be close when the Senate takes a roll call on it—probably tomorrow.

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Sen. William F. Knowland, R., Cal., predicted the Senate would adopt his proposal to guarantee \$3,000,000,000 for debt reduction from savings made in President Truman's new budget. He counted on the support of 15 to 20 Republicans and the overwhelming majority of Democratic senators.

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