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Move On For Western Defense Pact

H-D Club Prize Story Written By Mrs. Turner

The Expansion and Exhibit committee of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Council sponsored an expansion and exhibit contest during 1947. Each club submitted a story and score card. The story of Flatwoods Home Demonstration Club was given first place by judges, Loretta Morris and Mrs. Prentiss Jones. The story follows:

HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR 1947 CLUB WORK

By Mrs. J. S. Turner
I have been a member of Home Demonstration Club since 1924. I believe 1947 was by far the best club year. I have received so much help from club work in years past. I appreciate more than ever the things we are doing now. It enables us to do things for our community that we couldn't do otherwise.

We have that friendly fellowship in our club and get to know each other better and knowing each other better, we love each other more.

On account of sickness in the family, I was unable to attend the club for 2 or 3 months. There was sent to my home many cards of cheer and good wishes.

When I did get back they were telling us how to make pretty electric lamps from our old kerosene lamps. Each meeting was an hour of schooling. Then care of electric equipment, a cleaning cream for woodwork and kitchenware. Then we were taught how to make timbales, those dainty little pie things, so good with fruit and cream. A nice French dressing for salads, a lesson on serving simple foods in an attractive way.

Then there was the plan of social security for Farm Families. It brings us up to things we have always considered belonging to the higher salaried people. Then there was the sewing machine attachments we had and no one had taught us how to use them. A nice peanut butter dressing demonstration was given by a 4-H Club girl.

A trip to Cisco where the women's camp was held with a lesson on slip covers, splatter painting and other help.

In September we invited the Salem Club to visit us. All were dressed "tacky". We spent an enjoyable afternoon and Mrs. Marquardt attended our party (also in costume) and gave a demonstration on flower arrangements and party refreshments.

We also had a lesson on personal grooming and hand lotions. A demonstration on candy making, just before Christmas was very timely.

A nice Council Christmas party, where we met the ladies from other clubs. A Christmas party in Our Own Club for members and members, with a turkey dinner and exchange of gifts.

Sent Get Well and Sympathy cards, donated to the Red Cross and March of Dimes fund. All in all we have had a great year.

Dr. Kenneth Cowan Talks To Eastland Lion Club Members

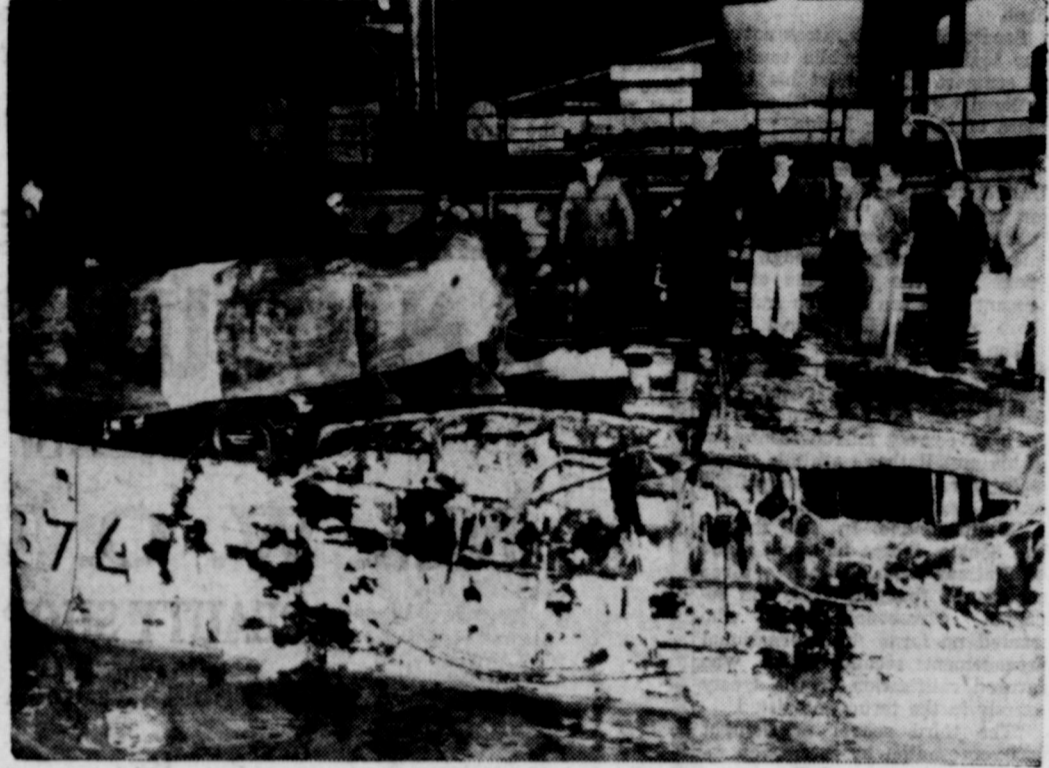
Dr. Kenneth Cowan spoke to the Eastland Lions' club Tuesday at noon, addressing the members on a subject of interest to men only.

Mrs. A. H. Johnson, visited the club for a few moments and announced the Cancer drive which is getting underway, asking that the members of the club give every assistance possible to this worthy cause. She stated that Neil Day had consented to act as Eastland chairman for the drive. Mrs. Johnson left immediately after making her announcement, which was the first item on the program.

President Theo Lamb asked the members of the committee appointed some weeks ago to work on a program for next Tuesday's meeting, which will be at night instead of at noon, the usual time, to meet him after the meeting.

The U. S. Marine Corps was founded Nov. 10, 1775, in Philadelphia. Its first commandant was Maj. Samuel Nicholas.

Explosion Aboard Destroyer



One man was killed and six seriously injured in an explosion aboard the U. S. destroyer Duncan, 200 miles west of San Pedro, California. The Duncan was enroute to Pearl Harbor, and is shown here as it returned to port at Los Angeles. (NEA Telephoto).

Delinquent Tax Sale of Property Well Attended

An unusually large crowd attended the tax sale of delinquent real estate held at the Eastland county courthouse Tuesday. The sale, which was held at the south entrance to the courthouse, opened at 10:00 a.m. and was completed at 3:55 p.m.

Included in Tuesday's sale was property at Eastland, Olden, Carbon, Gorman, Desdemona and a few pieces scattered over the county.

Sheriff B. Williams' office stated this morning that the amount of the sales had not been totaled at that time and the total amount received was not known. He stated, however, that the total would be available later in the day.

FBI Finds No Disloyalty On Doctor's Part

WASHINGTON—The FBI, it was understood today, has found no evidence of personal disloyalty against Dr. Edward U. Condon, noted atomic scientist accused by Congressional investigators of associating with Russian spies.

Usually reliable sources said FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover advised Condon's superiors in the Commerce Department last May that there was no indication of misconduct in his associations.

Two Candidates File For Places On City Ballot

Two candidates, W. W. Linkenhogger and Herman Rushing, have filed applications with City Manager Earl O'Brien for places on the ticket for the Eastland Municipal election to be held Tuesday, April 6.

Miss Drago Showing Some Improvement

Miss Wilda Drago, who is in a San Angelo Hospital, and has undergone three operations there, is reported as showing some improvement.

She is eating normally and has called for a radio in her room. However Miss Drago's doctor regards her condition as critical, as she is very thin and very weak.

ANSON C. OF C. TO SPONSOR SINGING MEET

ANSON, March 3.—James C. Hestand, manager of the Anson Chamber of Commerce announced Tuesday that plans for the 55th Annual Jones County Singing Convention, to be held this year on April 4th, the first Sunday in April, at the Anson High School Auditorium, are in the process of being completed. The first convention was held in 1893 and has been held somewhere in Jones County every year since that date, with Anson being named the permanent home of the organization in 1942, and the site of the annual convention.

Arrangements are being made for a record crowd for this second convention since the war. This program draws the largest crowds of any meeting of its kind in the state, with more than 4000 having attended on several previous occasions. This convention, as in the past, is being sponsored by the Anson Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce is making every effort to contact all organized choirs, quartets and individual singers to urge them to be present. However, if any group should not be contacted, we ask that they consider this as an invitation to attend. All out-of-county singers will be guests of the Anson Chamber of Commerce for lunch.

County officers of the convention are: Fred Bennett, Stamford, President; A. L. Stell, Brownfield, vice-president; Mrs. Raymond Day, Anson, Secretary. Local arrangements will be handled by the singing convention committee of the Anson Chamber of Commerce, assisted by A. B. Thompson and Jack Wilson.

Waller At Group Meeting Of J. C. Penney Managers

J. L. Waller, manager of the Eastland J. C. Penney Company store, left Tuesday for Brownwood where he went to attend a meeting of J. C. Penney store managers from eleven stores.

The meeting, which will be Wednesday and Thursday, will be at the Brownwood hotel.

Food Prices Up

NEW YORK (UP)—The index of wholesale food prices in the week ended March 2 showed its first rise since Jan. 13, advancing nine cents to \$6.70. Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., reported today.

Earl Meets Earl

COLUMBUS, Ind. (UP)—Earl Hogan placed Earl Hogan in jail. One was a deputy sheriff and the other a man wanted on a check fraud charge.

Nursing College Head To Visit Eastland School

Miss Lucy Harris, dean of the Harris College of Nursing, Fort Worth, is due to visit the Eastland High School at 1:00 p.m. Monday, March 8. Harris College of Nursing is associated with Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

The purpose of Miss Harris' visit is to interest high school or college girls in nursing as a career.

Dr. R. A. Springer To Address Baptist Brotherhood Meet

It was announced through the Eastland Baptist church that on March 8, regular meeting night for the local Brotherhood, Dr. R. A. Springer has been secured to speak to the men.

J. D. Pittman, Brotherhood president, has extended an invitation to the men in the other churches in the association to be present to hear Dr. Springer. It is pointed out that every man will enjoy hearing this address.

Church School Is Sponsoring Child Nursery

Suzannah Wesley Class of the First Methodist Church is sponsoring a nursery at the Church during the morning worship services. Mrs. J. L. Roper will be in charge of the children.

Children from 18 months to five years of age are eligible for staying in the nursery while their mothers are attending the services. Mrs. Frank Crowell teacher of the class announces. The nursery will not be equipped to handle smaller babies.

Rites For Kin Of Eastland Woman Held In Ft. Worth

Funeral services were conducted at Robertson-Muller - Harper, Funeral home in Fort Worth Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. for Mrs. Eliza Umbrenhour, maternal grandmother of Mrs. Dr. L. C. Brown of Eastland, and mother of Mrs. R. L. Parker of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Umbrenhour lived at 1644 Westmoreland Place in Ft. Worth. She was a member of the Magnolia Christian Church.

Deputies, Police To Be Charged With Mutiny

By United Press

PRAGUE—The interior ministry announced today that two parliamentary deputies and an unspecified number of police, all National Socialists, would be charged with implication in an attempted mutiny against the state.

Deputies Ota Hora and J. Cizek were arrested last week despite their parliamentary immunity, but were released later the ministry of information reported. They were expected to be re-arrested soon.

The charges dealt with alleged incitement of policemen at a meeting Feb. 13 to approve a resolution which the interior ministry termed "incompatible with the duties of military service."

The ministry statement said the policemen had confessed that they approved the resolution and that they had been charged with "suspicion of the crime of mutiny." Their specific intentions were not disclosed.

Eastland Folks In Hospitals Doing Nicely, Is Report

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Gordon were in Fort Worth Tuesday visiting Eastland people in the hospitals in Fort Worth. Rev. Mr. Gordon says "Joyce Ellis, daughter of Mrs. Martha Ellis and who is in Harris Methodist Memorial hospital, will undergo surgery Thursday for a growth on her neck. The 11 year old child is suffering from a rheumatic heart and a very nervous trouble."

J. E. Lewis and C. W. Hoffmann, in Harris hospital, are doing fine.

Mrs. Pat Crawford who has gone through the Clinic is returning home today.

Mrs. Tom Lovelace, who has gone through the Clinic, will return home Thursday.

Dr. L. C. Brown, who is in All Saints hospital for clinical analysis, is about the same. Mrs. Brown and daughter Miss Julia have been with him and Tuesday Jack came to see his father.

Eastland Lions To Have Special Tuesday Night

The Eastland Lions will not meet at noon next Tuesday, which is their usual hour, but will meet at their usual meeting place at 7:30 p. m. when a special program will be given.

The program will be in honor of those members of the Eastland club who have been members for 25 years. It will also be Ladies' Night and members are invited to bring their wives, sweethearts or lady friends.



A twenty-months-old baby died when this car collided with the truck at left background. The car rolled over three times, landing on its back after leaving the highway, 61 miles south of the Tennessee, Mississippi State line. (NEA Telephoto).

COUNTY GIVES \$2195.29 TO DIMES FUND

By United Press

A total of \$2195.29 was raised in Eastland county for the March of Dimes, according to County Superintendent Carl Elliott, who acted as chairman of the campaign in the county.

The breakdown of the figures as to the amount raised in each community is as follows:

Eastland, \$251.47; Ranger, \$548.51; Cisco, \$793.61; Olden, \$28.42; Rising Star, \$289.25; Pioneer, \$3.89; Gorman, \$157.82; Carbon, \$21.81; Desdemona, \$22.14; Scranton, \$54.79; Morton Valley, \$18.58; Bullock, \$5.00; Total, \$2119.59.

One-half of this amount will be forwarded to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and the remaining half will stay in Eastland County to be expended for aid to victims of the dread disease, polio, according to R. V. Galloway, Chairman of the Eastland County Chapter for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. One such case is now being taken care of out of the local funds.

Both Elliott and Galloway express their appreciation for the fine work done in the various communities, and both are elated over the results of the campaign, inasmuch as no direct solicitation was made, except possibly by the school children of the county.

Special appreciation is extended for the cooperation received from the teachers and students of the schools of the county, as this was the source of most of the funds.

Police Of Three States Search For Two Bandits

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—Two youthful bandits boarded a bus 20 miles east of here last night and took \$568 at gunpoint, overlooking a \$1,500 bankroll one passenger stuffed into seat upholstery.

Police in three states were alerted and a description of the holdup men was broadcast today.

The holdup occurred at 9:45 P. M. last night near Arlington, Tenn. when Driver T. L. King stopped his loaded Greyhound Bus on the regular Memphis to Nashville schedule to pick up the pair on the roadside.

Soil Expert Glum

MOUNT BERRY, Ga. (UP)—J. W. Stone, farm superintendent of Berry College, said in an address that if Russia or any other country wants to attack the United States, it should wait 100 years. "By that time," he contended, "we will all be starving to death, if we continue to lose our top-soil at the present rate."

Pattern For Tragedy

Two buildings were wrecked by the blast of the barrel of explosives. It was hurled from a stolen army truck into Stanton Street near the old municipal building.

Ambassador Resigns
WASHINGTON (UP)—Czechoslovakian Ambassador Juraj Slavik today resigned in protest over the Communist coup in his homeland.

WOULD AIM AT DEFEAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION

By United Press

WASHINGTON—Sen. George of Georgia agreed with Republican senators today that Congress will approve an income tax cut of between \$4,500,000 and \$5,000,000,000.

But he declined to speculate on whether such a bill would muster in both the Senate and House the two-thirds majority necessary to override the anticipated veto by President Truman.

George is the ranking Democratic member of the Senate finance committee which is holding hearings on the House-approved, Republican-sponsored \$6,500,000,000 slash in personal income taxes.

The trimming on the House bill George predicted, would be done by having the percentage cuts on tax rates. The House bill calls for percentage reductions ranging from 30 per cent in the low income brackets to 10 per cent in the higher brackets.

Finns Demand Pact With Soviet

HELSINKI—Finnish Communist leaders called on President Paasikivi today and demanded that negotiations for a treaty of friendship and military alliance with Russia be started immediately.

The demand was made after reports that Paasikivi had informed Russian Minister L. Gen. G. M. Savonenov that Finland cannot sign any treaty giving Russia the power to use the Finnish army anywhere in case of war.

"There is no reason for delay in handling this important matter," K. L. Kulo, chairman of the Democratic Union, said after the conference.

Ku Klux Klan Demonstrates Against Proposal

WRIGHTSVILLE, Ga. — The Ku Klux Klan demonstrated against President Truman's civil rights proposals here last night.

Apparently the marching of 280 Klan knights in full regalia and the burning of a 15-foot cross on the courthouse lawn had no connection with a local Democratic primary today.

Dr. Samuel Green, of Atlanta, Grand Dragon of the Klan in Georgia, made the only speech. He denounced the civil rights program and urged his 2,000 listeners to stronger opposition of enactment of federal anti-lynching, anti-JimCrowsism, and anti-poll tax legislation.

Bomb Blast Kills 11, Injures 16

JERUSALEM—A 400-pound barrel bomb exploded outside the former municipal building in the Arab quarter of Haifa today, killing 11 to 17 persons and wounding 16 to 50.

An official announcement said 11 were killed and 16 injured seriously all of them Arabs. Later private reports said the casualty toll reached 17 dead and 50 injured.

Authorities tentatively identified the bombers as members of the Stern group of the Jewish underground.

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Cattle 1400. Active, strong, spots higher. Slaughter steers and yearlings 23-27. Few to 28. Beef cows 16.50-21. Sausage bulls 15-20.
Calves 400. Active, strong to 25c or more higher. Good and choice slaughterers 24-27. Medium and good stockers 20-25.
Hogs 1100. Butchers 50c to \$1 lower. Sows and stockers weak and lower. Top 23.50 for good and choice 190-280 lbs.
Slaughters. Most sows 16.50-17. Stocker pigs 11-16.50.

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY
"Buckaroo From Powder River"
With Chas. Starrett, Smiley Burnette
The Telegram has tickets for Miss Bobbie Lane and one to see "Carnegie Hall," Thursday (Please clip the above program from this newspaper and present it with federal tax at Majestic box office.)

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in an informal letter to this correspondent:

"In the autumn of 1943 we were very 'thin on the sea' owing to withdrawal of ships for the North African landings. At the same time we had important convoys going to Australia over the Indian Ocean and damn little cover for them.

"So, to keep the Japs pinned to the Andaman Islands, Sumatra, etc., we staked a dummy sortie of the Eastern Fleet into the Bay of Bengal.

"To give it additional color we sent a PBY (Catalina flying boat) out on a 'reco' with instructions at a certain time to make a report of an enemy fleet using a self-evident code which we knew the Japs could interpret immediately.

"This signal from the PBY was to be repeated by the Indian coast wireless stations and then, after an arranged pause, one of the stations was to call up the PBY, break into plain language and say, 'Dry up, you bloody fool! You are reporting our own fleet.'

"After that there was to be complete silence to suggest someone had blundered.

"As the PBY's report indicated a substantial sized fleet, though not outside the range of possibility, we hoped the Japanese would react.

"So far as we could judge they certainly did, as all the Japanese

Duck Proves Egg Laying Ability

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Myrtle, a temperamental duck with amazing powers in the egg-laying line has proved a virtual gold mine to a Dallas family in these days of high-priced eggs.

The fat and impudent little mallard duck, who began her career on this earth as an egg on the banks of a Dallas county stream, goes her tame kinmen one better—she lays two eggs daily.

Her owner, Mrs. Sam W. Roland, said that Myrtle's egg-laying ability first came to light during the laying period last year—from Feb. 1, to mid-June. Although she only had two ducks, three eggs showed daily in her back yard.

Then it was discovered that Myrtle was the duck with unusual ability.

Chemists Aiding San Angelo In Livestock Tests

ABILENE, Tex. (UP)—Chemists at Hardin Simmons University are working with the San Angelo City Health Department to determine if the deaths of several head of livestock was caused by lead poisoning.

Hiram R. Arrant, professor of chemistry, said data on analysis of contents of some of the animals' stomachs have been sent the San Angelo department, but did not reveal the findings.

Red dye for silk is made into a powder from seeds of euphorbia, known as wurris.

stations got very busy indeed. "That was how we had to fight the war in 1943 and I can assure you we would have much preferred HAVING those dummy ships in fact and giving the little a good kick in the guts."

Sen. Lodge Blazing His Own Trail In U. S. Foreign Relations Policy

By Harry W. Frantz
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON (UP)— Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., Massachusetts Republican, is blazing his own trail on foreign policy, but not from any lack of respect for the celebrated grandfather whose name he bears.

The present senator is a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and is taking a prominent part in examination of witnesses on the Marshall Plan. Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge, Sr., was chairman of the same committee in the fateful days when the Senate rejected the Versailles Treaty and the League of Nations Covenant.

Senator Lodge, Jr., does not see any logic in the public tendency to compare or contrast his international views and activities with those of the elder Lodge.

"My grandfather always tried to serve the vital interests of the United States, and that is what I am trying to do," he said when queried. "Of course, the national interests change through the years, and the problems of the present time are not the same as those after the first world war."

The senator said his grandfather had at times been politically "maligned," and that it was painful to him. He had many times tried to correct misrepresentation of his grandfather's attitude, especially in regard to the Senate fight on the League of Nations.

Senator Lodge, Jr., said that in the Senate debate on the League of Nations there were three schools of thought: first, the so-called "irreconcilables," who wanted no form of international arrangement; second, those who favored ratification of the treaty exactly in the terms submitted.

"The third school of thought was represented by those who favored ratification of the treaty with reservations," he continued. "It was to this group that my grandfather belonged. The 'irreconcilables' wanted nothing to be ratified. The advocates of the League as presented also wanted nothing unless they could have the original draft.

Any reader of the debates will see that the partisans of all three schools of thought were earnest and in good faith.

"If you seek to personalize the blame for the United States not becoming a member of the League, you will have to overlook the record. You will have to overlook the fact that on March 19, 1920, 24 of the President's followers voted against ratification of the treaty with ratifications. If they had voted for ratification we would have become members of the League."

Rabbit Unscathed But Hunters Suffer

RHINELANDERS, Wis. (UP)—Two boys came home from their rabbit hunt with most of the pellets in their legs.

Neil Pence, 12, lined up a cottontail in his sights and pulled the trigger. A dozen pellets lodged in the legs of Duane Freund, 16. The shock cause Duane to pull the trigger, an dive pellets went into Neil's legs.

They gave up shooting rabbits for the time being.

Banner Convention Year Expected In N. Y.

NEW YORK (UP)—This city in 1948 will have the largest number of conventions it has had since 1939, the World's Fair year.

Approximately 650 conventions will be held here, it was estimated by Royal W. Ryan, executive vice-president of the New York Convention and Visitors Bureau, Inc.

They gave up shooting rabbits for the time being.

How Phantom Fleet Fooled Japanese

By Harold Guard & United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON (UP)— Admiral of the Fleet Sir James F. Somerville, war-time commander-in-chief of the British Eastern Fleet,

still chuckles over a ruse he employed to fool the Japanese Fleet in the Indian Ocean during the grim days of 1943.

This is the admiral's own version of the incident, as recounted

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FOR ONCE, SHAKESPEARE DON'T SAY IT, BUT I SAY I WE SHALL ENDEAVOR TO GIVE SATISFACTION!

YEA, BEAN!!

RED RYDER BY FRED HARMON

WILL LENNON PULL THROUGH, DOCTOR?

CAN'T SAY FOR A FEW DAYS, RED; IT'S A MIGHTY NASTY BULLET WOUND!

I CAN PUT HIM UP IN MY SPARE BED ROOM, TILL WE KNOW!

TELL HIM NOT TO WORRY ABOUT HIS LITTLE GIRL, LETTY! SHE'LL BE AT MY RANCH!

WE NOT KNOW PALEFACE CUSTOMS, BOILING MAD! THEY ARE STRANGE!

PRINCESS FIRELY SAY TO SHOW THEM GOLD!

ALLEY OOP BY N. L. HAMLIN

THREE WISHES, HAH! SEEING AS HOW I'VE JUST LOST A BAG OF PRECIOUS JEWELS— I WISH FOR A DIAMOND AS BIG AS A WASHTUB!

ANE, MASTER SO BE IT!

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WANTED — Dead animal removed free. Call Eastland 288. Brownwood Rendering Company.

WANT TO RENT—5-room house. Phone 102.

WANTED TO BUY — Apartment size electric or gas refrigerator. 220 South Oak.

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FOR RENT — New floor sanding machine. Call us for estimate. Hannah Hardware and Lumber. Phone 70.

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LOST — at Ringling Lake Saturday evening, fishing tackle box with artificial lure, sinkers, hooks, etc. If found please call 730-W. Reward. Louie Corbell.

FOUND

Found—Pair of glasses at Tournament at Olden High School. Leather case, no name. Strong lenses. Owner may have by paying for this ad at Eastland Telegram.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

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Eastland



BY FRANK A. JONES

19 Years Ago Today

From files of this Newspaper of March 4, 1929:
 The following named persons composed the 88th district court grand jury charged by Judge Elzo Ben: Carl Boucher, Olden, named as foreman; Ed T. Cox, Eastland; Will Tate, Carbon; Jess McCann, Cisco; T. L. Laster, Nimrod; H. S. Childers, Rising Star; Ralph Bradshaw, Cisco; W. J. Jones, Ranger; Herman Rushing, Desdemona; J. T. Killingsworth, Ranger; W. G. Pounds, Ranger and L. A. Martin, Cisco.

15 Years Ago Today

From Files of This Newspaper of March 3, 1933:
 The program for next Trades Day in Eastland, which is next Monday, will include features not heretofore presented at an Eastland Trades Day. One of these features will be for women only and one for men only. The contest for women will be a cracker eating contest and that for men a cigar smoking contest. In the contest for women the contestants are to mount their horses at a certain point, ride to another point, dismount, eat a certain number of crackers, remount their horses and ride back to the starting point and whistle, the contestant whistling first will be awarded the prize. In the contest for men the contestants will mount their horses and ride back to the starting point. The man who arrives first at the starting point with his cigar smoking will be awarded the prize.

Mrs. J. A. Stover has been seriously ill with influenza but is improving.
 C. D. Wood of Ranger was an Eastland visitor yesterday.

A committee of which George Brogdon of Eastland is a member is handling applications for loans from the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation to Eastland county farmers.

In keeping with the times and the interest in the presidential inauguration comes an interesting item of the recent letter received

by Mrs. J. H. Caton of this city from Mrs. John N. Garner, wife of the vice-president, elect, in which Mrs. Garner thanked Mrs. Caton for a gift to vice-president Garner of a handsome gold collar button. The Garner family and Dr. and Mrs. Caton were friends five or six years during the residence of the Catons in Detroit, Texas, the home of the Garners, and Dr. Caton was the intimate friend of John N. Garner.

Mrs. W. P. Leslie left this morning for Colorado, Texas, to visit friends and will return next week. During her absence Mrs. W. A. Martin will substitute as chairman of the Civic League committee on gardening.

The Eastland County Beauty Pageant, held at the Connellee Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, closed with Miss Evelyn Hearn being chosen as Miss Eastland County. She was presented a handsome silver loving cup, the trophy. Miss Macon Yonce of Ranger was chosen first Maid of Honor to Miss Eastland County, and Miss Lucile Brogdon of Eastland, chosen as the second Maid of Honor.

University Men Demand Brains Plus Beauty

CHICAGO (UP)—De Paul University men demanded brains as well as beauty in a contest to pick their dance queen, "Miss I. Q."

The fifty-five entries in the contest represent the nine colleges of the university and as well as curves, complexions, and comeliness, all have intelligence quotients from 120 to 135.

"She has to be able to cook and be interested in making a home, too," said Jack Berry, a member of the judging board.

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Newspaper Award Be Made In April

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—An award for the most outstanding "community service" performed during the past year by a newspaper of the South Texas Press Association will again be made by the South Texas Chamber of Commerce, Col. Ray, Leeman, executive vice president, has announced.

The annual award of a plaque will be made at the April convention of the press association in San Antonio.

Mrs. W. A. Salter, Kerrville, chairman of the contest committee of the press association, which

promulgates rules and judges entries, wrote Colonel Leeman that the community service award of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce is the most coveted trophy an dthe competition for it is most keen.

Last year's winner was George H. Atkins' Beeville Bee-Picayune. Preceding that Art Kowert's Fredericksburg Standard received the award.

Woody wool is manufactured from pine leaves in Breslau and is used for insulation or wadding.

Air France has taken over the Invalides Station in Paris as an air terminal capable of handling 800 passengers an hour.

The Groundhog Day legend started with the Pennsylvania Dutch, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

A caravanserai is an Eastern inn where caravans rest at night.

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Miss Mathews, Mr. McNurlen United In Rites At Merkel

Miss Norma Lee Mathews and Bill M. McNurlen were married recently at Merkel. The ceremony was performed by Mrs. D. H. Cobb.

After the wedding trip to Old Mexico they are making their home, temporarily, in Ranger. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Mathews of Eastland and the groom is the son of Mrs. Pearl McNurlen of Ranger.

New Arrival
Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Freeman of Beaumont, formerly of Eastland, are the parents of a baby boy born February 22 named David Stephen. Weight at birth was six pounds and seven ounces. Mrs. Freeman will be remembered as the former Miss Opal Brawner of Eastland.

Personals
Mrs. Jack Frost was an Abilene visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Little and children Johnne and Penne left first of the week for Graham.

where they will make their home. Mr. Little will be a football coach in the High school in Graham.

Mrs. W. B. Pickens accompanied her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hutchinson, who has been in a Dallas hospital for treatment, to Hot Spring, Ark., recently.

Hamner's ambulance carried Ben F. Lynch to the Veterans hospital in Dallas today. Mrs. Lynch accompanied him. Mr. Lynch, a veteran of World War II, was gassed during the war and suffers from rheumatism caused from the gassing, and has been quite ill.

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OUT OUR WAY
At our house, Spring is in the air.

We've mowed grass, cleared out flower beds, dug around the trees, cut out dead branches, and are getting ready to whitewash the back fence. The grape arbor is waiting to burst into green leaf, and the dog has dug up nearly every bone he buried during the Winter.

Spring is almost here . . . at our house.

How about yours?
Out our way, the japonica is already blooming. The dark pink blossoms are lovely to behold. We have some bird houses up with "Rent Free" painted on them and the birds are swarming in and out the doors, fighting to beat the band. There are two single bird houses and an apartment house. The birds are busy carrying in twigs and straw.

Many of the neighbors are busy about Spring too.

I love an old fashioned flower garden. I haven't much room, but every available space is filled with roses, or flowers of some sort.

Do any of you have any violets or big, old fashioned Hollyhock plants? If you do . . . be a good neighbor and let me know about them. Tell me where you live and I'll come-by and swap you a flower I have for some of yours.

This is a good world we live in you and I.

Let's be good neighbors.

The Quartermaster Corps procured more than 70,000 different kinds of articles for the Army during World War II.

Soil Conservation Subject Of Study At A. & M. Meeting

Members of the Texas State Soil Conservation Board met on the campus of Texas A&M College with officials of the college this week in an effort to determine what part Texas A&M is able to play in working cooperatively with the 145 soil and water conservation district supervisors over the state of Texas, said D. W. Williams, vice-president for agriculture of Texas A&M College.

The place of the College with respect to the question of stabilization and building of the soils of Texas through the 145 established soil and water districts of Texas was clearly outlined by President Gibb Gilchrist in an interview with Horace K. Fawcett, chairman of the state soil conservation board.

In the interview Mr. Gilchrist said that the "A&M College of Texas is sensitive to the needs and desires of the farmers and ranchmen of this state. Texas A&M College and its personnel are committed to do the educational phases of the soil and water conservation program. They are to assist the supervisors in any and every way possible to do everything we can to more quickly solve the problems of soil and water conservation. Furthermore, it is the definite policy of Texas A&M College to cooperate with all agencies in a sound and unselfish program looking to the benefit of agriculture."

Gilchrist went on to say that since the job of the college is educational in nature, its representatives are expected to work with district supervisors of the soil conservation districts in an educational way to advance the whole program.

In response to Gilchrist's statement, Fawcett answered: "It is a responsibility, and we are charged under the state soil conservation law to bring the assistance of the various agencies both federal and state, to the elected supervisors of soil conservation districts, and through them to the farmers and ranchmen of Texas in their effort to stabilize and build the soil. This program might be well termed an inventory of conditions as it relates to the soil. Then they follow with a well defined plan of work in which they determine what shall be done and how it shall be done. Our meeting here with the A&M College has been very satisfactory. A definite, clear cut understanding as to the part the college will perform in assistance to these districts has been arrived at, and I am confident that great progress will result."

Besides Fawcett, other board members included Walter W. Cardwell, Luling; C. M. Caraway, DeLeon; J. P. Martin, Martinsville; and Sid Payne, Tulla.

Main Street's Pet Goes To Squirrel Heaven

ITHACA, N. Y. (UP)—Peter, the pet gray squirrel of the city's main business street, is dead.

He was struck and killed by an automobile near his tree home.

Peter, who came to the city when the hunting season opened last fall, found a hole in an elm tree across from August Oldroyd's store. The little squirrel used to stand on his hind legs and look longingly at large displays of nuts in the store window. Oldroyd began supplying him daily.

Peter has left a cache of 10 pounds of nuts to any other deserving squirrel.

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Prepare Soil Now For Spring Gardens

The spring garden situation is running a little behind schedule in soil preparation due to the recent unfavorable weather the past 30 days, says J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A&M College, and most gardeners have not been able to get their soil ready at the right time. January's weather brought soil temperatures down pretty low, and in many localities the soil is extremely wet.

At the first chance, when the sun warms up things a little, the soil should be plowed into beds; wait several days, then rebed to increase warmth of the soil, and to aerate the soil through plowing.

Commercial fertilizer should be applied seven to ten days before

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