

# Eastland Wins Many Events In District Interscholastic Meet

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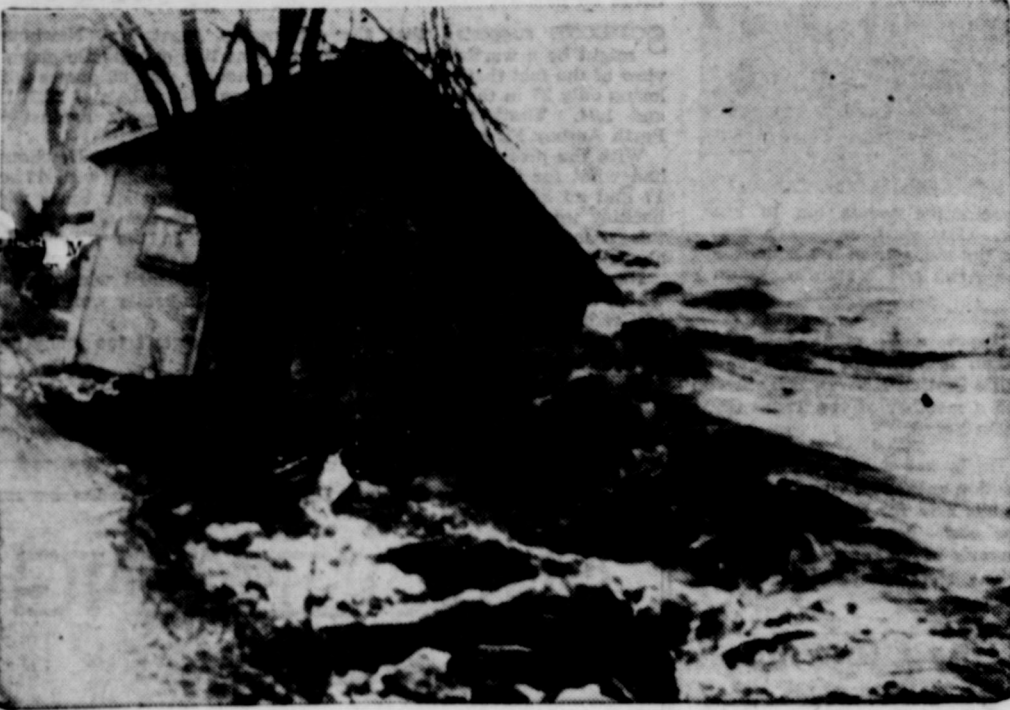
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# Truman For Forrestal's Air Force Plan

## Lake Waters Pound Shore



Raging waters of Lake Erie, whipped by a 40 mph northeastern wind, smash over a retaining dike and pound summer cottages at Reno Beach, Ohio. More than 100 families were evacuated and over 2,000 acres of land was flooded. (NEA Telephoto).

## Every Jersey Cow Owner In The County Invited To Attend County Dairy Show In Eastland April 20

"Every Jersey owner in the county is invited to exhibit or attend the Eastland County Dairy Show to be held in that city on Tuesday, April 20," according to L. E. McGraw, President of the Chamber of Commerce.

"Dairy possibilities in the county are unlimited when compared to other areas engaged in dairying," he said. The Eastland Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the first dairy show in the county in the past several years.

Entries on 41 different animals have already been received and it is expected that at least twenty-five more animals will be entered by show time. Several owners will have more than one animal entered in the show.

Those who have already filed entries for one or more animals include: Carson Woodall, Carbon; Joe Ed Reynolds, Carbon; W. T. Eaton, Ranger; James Ed, Joe Don and Jerry Buckley, Desdemona; Buford Ables, Rt. 1, Ranger; Gerald and Douglas Williamson, Morton Valley; Larry Tankersley, Morton Valley; Don Squyres, Ranger; Jimmie Dorsett, Gorman; Edwin Hattox, Alameda; Gene Campbell, Gorman; Ronald Jackson, Gorman; Harlis Logan, Alameda; Freddy Fox, Olden; James Horn, Olden; Edwin Aaron, Eastland; Elbert Rains, Eastland; Landon Jordan, Eastland; C. D. Simmons, Gorman; M. A. Clyatt, Eastland and Gene Trout.

A short program will follow immediately after the show on the day with several speakers on the program.

The Eastland Creamery in charge, assisted by Jack Gray and a number of his Veterans Vocational Agricultural teachers.

Exhibitors have been assured that they can remove the animals and take them home by the middle of the afternoon as it is only a one day show.

George I. Lane, Eastland County Farmers Home Administration official, will have charge of lining up the animals for the classes and he will be assisted by J. M. Cooper, County Agricultural Agent, H. J. Tanner, Manager of the Chamber of Commerce will be in charge of the loud speaker during the show.

Judges for the show include R. E. Bursleson, Dairy Specialist of the A&M College, Extension Service, and Elmo V. Cook, Taylor County Agricultural Agent, who formerly served in the same capacity in Eastland County.

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## Rites For U. G. Kinard Were Held Wednesday P. M.

Final rites for U. G. Kinard, 79, Eastland county pioneer who passed away Tuesday, were held Wednesday afternoon at the Pleasant Hill church with Rev. Lee Fields officiating. Burial was in the Pleasant Hill cemetery.

The deceased was born at Wills Point, January 28, 1869, and came to Eastland county at the age of 14. He had lived on the farm for the past 40 years.

He was married on Nov. 3, 1901, to Miss Ella Reeves in Cisco.

He was a good, influential citizen and a progressive farmer.

He is survived by his widow and seven sons, three daughters, two sisters, two brothers and a number of grandchildren.

### A CORRECTION

Through a misunderstanding a news item in Wednesday's Telegram stated that the Morton Valley High School Senior Class play would be held Friday night at the Eastland High School auditorium when it should have read Morton Valley High school auditorium.

The play, said to be a good one and one on which much work has been done by the class, is to be at 8:00 o'clock.

To assist in defraying the expenses of the play a small charge of 25 cents for students and 35 cents for adults will be charged.

## County Security Loan Quota Set At \$275,000

A quota of \$275,000 has been set for Eastland County in the Security Loan campaign, April 15 through June 30, Mr. Cyrus B. Frost, county Savings Bonds chairman, announced today after receiving the figure from the U. S. Treasury Department.

"This is the highest quota we have received since the war," Mr. Frost said, "but the threat that today's peacetime inflation offers to our personal and national economic security makes it vital that we achieve the objective. I have no doubt that this county can and will meet the quota."

He said that rapid progress was being made toward completion of the volunteer organization that will carry out the Savings Bonds solicitation in the county, but urged that individuals, clubs and organizations offer their services in the campaign.

"The United States cannot be strong unless we have a strong national economy," he said. "If the individual citizens of this and every county in the nation provide for their own financial security, it follows that the nation is strong economically. Widespread ownership of Savings Bonds by the people fights inflation, provides a guard against possible depression and allows for the sound management of our national debt. Money received from the sale of Savings Bonds is used to retire inflationary short-term government obligations which are held by banks and large corporations."

## Eastland Meets Dublin In Game Here Sunay P. M.

Eastland and Dublin will meet in the first game of the season at Firemen's Field in Eastland Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. It will not be an official game but a seven inning practice game, and each team will really be playing to win.

The locals have been practicing for several evenings; they have all of their equipment including new uniforms and really getting in the spirit of the play.

Admission for the Sunday afternoon game will be only 25 cents while on league games the admission charge will be 25 cents and 50 cents.

Remember this is hard ball and all fans are urged to be present and give such encouragement as they can to the local team.

A cairn is a pyramid of rough stone used as a landmark or memorial.

## Additional Instruments Totalling Approximately \$2,390.00 In Value Greatly Needed By Eastland Band

By Mrs. J. C. Whatley  
At a meeting of the Band Booster Club Monday night, the Eastland High School Band presented a program composed of the numbers which they had played at the Interscholastic League contest held in Abilene recently. Director T. R. Atwood displayed the plaque which the band received for a first rating for beginning bands at the contest. Of the eight bands entered only two, Eastland and Snyder, received top rating. Eastland by a unanimous decision of the judges and Snyder by a vote of two to one.

Mr. Atwood explained to club members the requirements to be met before entering competition as a second year band next year. It will be necessary to add several new instruments to improve the tonal quality of the band. Instruments needed and approximate cost is as follows:

B flat bass horn	\$450.00
Bass clarinet	450.00
Alto clarinet	350.00
Baritone	365.00
Bass trombone	225.00
Bassoon	400.00
Set of tympanic drums	250.00
20 music stands	50.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2390.00</b>

These instruments are heavy and expensive and are not of the type which individual students would wish to buy. Students playing these instruments would pay a rental fee for maintenance. As Director Atwood plans to continue band classes throughout the summer, it is important that instruments be secured soon. Students should start lessons on them and be ready to meet requirements of a second year band by the opening of school in the fall.

The band already owns instruments valued at about four thousand dollars. These instruments, some of which are several years old, have been well cared for and are now in good condition. Funds for maintaining these instruments and for buying a flute and new music have been raised by the club this year. A total of four

## Miss Veda Sneed Chosen For The "Girls State"

Miss Veda Merle Sneed was elected to the "Girls State," by the local American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday evening at the regular meeting, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. Edna Hatcher.

The Girls State is a course in Americanism, in Government taught at the Bryan Institute in Austin, by the American Legion Auxiliary, with Mrs. Howard Hudgins as chairman.

The girl chosen has to be a Junior in high school and selected by the principal as one of the three highest averages in her class. Miss Betty Bumpass was selected as alternate to the "Girls State." Miss Sneed has accepted the honor bestowed upon her. The course is in June.

## Interior Of Eastland Bank Be Renovated

Contract for a general repair job for the interior of the Eastland National Bank building has been let to local contractors. The work is to get underway immediately and will consist of repainting and repainting the entire building.

It is stated that approximately \$1,000 will be expended on the work.

One who examines and corrects printed copy is a proofreader.

hundred and fifty dollars has been used for this purpose. Two hundred and fifty dollars has been spent on music for the band library this year.

Two instruments have been contributed to the band recently, a cornet by Hood King, and a trombone by Herbert Tanner. Many students have bought new instruments. Seventy students are now enrolled for band work.

At a meeting of the finance committee Tuesday night, it was decided to make a civic drive to secure funds to buy instruments. While the club can secure funds for maintenance by various projects, it will be necessary to have the full support of Eastland citizens in an undertaking of this size.

A good band is a matter of civic pride and Eastland has a splendid band. It is a growing band with new students added continually. The new instruments would be a permanent addition to the band both in musical quality and in the general appearance of the band.

Members of the finance committee of the Band Booster Club who are working diligently to build a bigger and better band for Eastland are the following: Finance Chairman, V. W. Chambliss; President, Hood King; Superintendent of Schools, W. G. Womack; Director T. R. Atwood; Neil Day; Mrs. Frank Hightower; Mrs. Hubert Jones; John Ernst.

Any of these people will be glad to furnish information about plans for the band.

## Thirty Killed In Erie Crash

SHANNON, Erie, Apr. 15, (UP)—Thirty passengers and crew members, including 19 Americans, were killed early today when the Pan-American Constellation "Empress of the Skies" crashed and burned while landing at the mist-shrouded Shannon Airport.

One American, Marc Worst, manager of the Lockheed Aircraft service at Shannon Airport, was the only survivor of the disaster. He escaped by climbing through a hole in the fuselage and suffered only a burned hand and shock.

Worst said the giant four-engine plane landed 50 yards short of the runway and hit a hay loft. It began to burn as it skidded along the ground and was a flaming inferno by the time it came to a stop, he said.

## P. T. A. School Is Well Attended

A large attendance was present at the First Christian Church Wednesday to hear Mrs. Charles Bustin, Jr., of Austin, who talked on procedure of the P. T. A. and conducted a school of instructions. Ranger City Council of P. T. A. South Ward, West Ward and Morton Valley P. T. A. organizations were present. Special guests were Mrs. Sautle Perlestein of Ranger, district vice-president, and Mrs. O. G. Lanier of Ranger, past vice-president and chairman of the Child Education of First District. A covered dish luncheon was served in the annex of the church. Mrs. Bustin had charge of the program.

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King Henry the VIII founded the Church of England.  
Great Britain's national ensign is nicknamed the Union Jack.

## CHILDREN AND ADULTS URGED TO HEAR TALKS

Man, Born Blind, Sees After 18 Years. To Talk At Schools

In keeping with its program on Sight Conservation, the Eastland Lions' Club will sponsor three appearances of a nationally known speaker in Eastland schools Friday.

The first appearance will be at the High School at 10:00 a. m. Friday morning, followed by a short talk at West Ward at 1:15 and one at South Ward at 2:00 o'clock.

The Lions club is expending \$100 or more on these addresses and is anxious that as many children and adults as possible, hear these lectures.

George Campbell, the man who will give the lectures, was born blind and was unable to see until he was 18 years of age when a series of operations gave him sight.

His talk, in which he tells of his experiences and impressions during the eighteen years before he was able to see, is not only interesting but may be of untold value to anyone, especially children, in understanding the real value of sight and what to do and what not to do to preserve the precious sense of sight.

## Disease Epidemic Threatens Bogota

BOGOTA, Apr. 15, (UP)—The failure of Bogotans to return to work after the bloody insurrection and a shortage of grave diggers threatened the city today with epidemics.

Meanwhile, the Inter-American Conference quickened its pace, taking up consideration of a joint chiefs of staff for the Western Hemisphere after agreeing on article one of the proposed Bogota pact.

The United States and some other countries wish the council to act as the chief authority in carrying out provisions of any military pact, but this is opposed by Argentina as a trend toward establishment of a super-state.

During the day the conference also will convene committee four, dealing with economic cooperation.

Penmican is a prepared food used in the polar regions.

## EASTLAND ENTRIES WIN MANY 'FIRSTS' AT DISTRICT MEET

Eastland High school entries in the District Interscholastic Meet held last Friday and Saturday won many "firsts," including first in track and field, first in tennis, first in one-act play, first in ready reading in senior division and third in declamation in high school junior division.

Such events as have already been held were: Tennis and all literary events held at Comanche, Friday, April 9; track and field events were held at Gorman last Saturday.

The softball event is to be held next Saturday at DeLeon. The winners in such events as go further than the district meet will contest in the regional meet to be held later in Abilene.

Following are the contestants from Eastland schools, the events won, time, etc.

**TRACK - FIELD EVENTS**  
100 yd. dash—Jim Smith first, Time 10.8; Jim Mathews, second, 22.0 yd. dash—Jim Smith, first, Time 23.6.  
200 low hurdles—Kenneth Benham, 3rd.  
440 yd. dash—Billy McFarland, 1st, Time 57.2.  
440 yd. relay—Eastland High, 1st, Time 47.8.

## George Campbell



BORN BLIND  
NOW SEES!

Born blind, but now sees after 18 years of darkness, will give three lectures Friday at Eastland schools, (story on page one.)

## Judge Delays Verdict In Case Of John L. Lewis

WASHINGTON, Apr. 15, (UP)—Federal Judge T. Alan Goldborough today deferred until Monday his verdict in the contempt case against John L. Lewis after the government argued he was guilty of criminal and civil contempt "beyond a reasonable doubt."

In its final arguments, the government said it was "crystal clear" that both Lewis and his United Mine Workers union had committed contempt by not obeying an April 3 court order to send the miners back to work "forthwith."

The defense contended that the government has failed "completely" to establish a case of civil or criminal contempt.

Lewis ordered his miners to return to work last Monday—nine days after the court ordered him to do so—but half of them are still out.

The miners who are still idle apparently have been waiting to learn the outcome of the contempt case. Goldborough's decision to delay a verdict until Monday seemed to make it unlikely that there would be full-scale mining this week.

A Pyrric victory is one gained at too great cost.

## OPPOSED TO 70 GROUP AS PORPOSED BY CONGRESSMEN

WASHINGTON, Apr. 15, (UP)—President Truman today opposed the growing drive in Congress for a 70-group Air Force.

At his news conference, Mr. Truman strongly supported the program submitted to Congress by Defense Secretary James Forrestal. This, Mr. Truman said, is what he wants.

Forrestal proposed bringing the present 55-group air force up to full strength.

Air Secretary Stuart Symington and high Air Force officers want to start building a 70-group air force. This proposal has found strong support in Congress.

Brushing aside the misgiving of officials, many House members are demanding that \$522,000,000 be added to \$2,376,000,000 provided for the Air Force and for naval aviation in a bill awaiting a House vote today.

Mr. Truman told his news conference that he could not account for the differences between the Air Force recommendations of Forrestal and those of Symington and the air general.

The President said Forrestal presented what Mr. Truman felt was a well-balanced and economical defense program. It represents the administration viewpoint, he said, and it is the one he wanted Congress to pass. Altogether it totals \$14 billion instead of the \$11 billion previously budgeted for fiscal 1949.

Meanwhile, the American Legion told Congress that if it okays a bigger Air Force and the draft, but buries Universal Military Training, it will only invite "periodic security crises."

## Morton Valley High School Play Friday At 8 P. M.

The Senior Class of Morton Valley High School will present their class play, "The Show Must Go On" at the Morton Valley High School auditorium Friday night at 8:00 o'clock.

The Eastland High School band, directed by Conductor Atwood, will furnish music before the play and between acts. Also between acts of the main show there will be stunts by the Morton Valley Junior class and other students.

A small admission charge of 25 cents for students and 35 cents for adults will be charged.

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**Rolling Pin Stands Test**  
WATERVLIET, N. Y. (UP)—A rolling pin, at least 100 years old and possibly nearer to 200, is the prized possession of Mrs. Joseph Case. Fashioned of solid cherry wood, the rolling pin once belonged to Clara Barton founder of the American Red Cross. Mrs. Case, a great-great niece of Miss Barton, still uses it to roll out pie crusts and cookies.

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**A Page from the Past**  
BY FRANK A. JONES

**70 Years Ago Today**  
From 17's of this newspaper of April 15, 1929:  
Judge Arthur Edward Firm'n, 70, attorney for more than 50 years died at his home in Ranger Sunday afternoon. He is survived by his widow two sons, Albert E. Firm'n of Dallas and Phil M. Firm'n of El Paso; one daughter Mrs. Evelyn Currey of Los Gatos, California, and a brother, Albert E. Firm'n of New York. His son, Albert E. is a well known sculptor; his brother Albert, is postmaster of the Brooklyn post office. His father and mother were born in England and Judge Firm'n's brothers were born there.

**Cupid Bows Out**  
ENGLISH, Ind. (UP)—Circuit Judge S. Morris Wilson though he would play Cupid when he set St. Valentine's Day to hear testimony on three divorce cases, but Cupid would have none of it. One of the attorneys had another case for that day, another was not prepared for trial and the third was ill. All three cases were postponed.

**Eastland County was visited** by a severe hail storm Sunday afternoon—most severe at Lake Cies—stones were described as being as large as hen eggs. In Eastland no damage was done.

**Doris Ladd Johnson of Eastland** made the honor roll for the winter term of Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

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### Aged Water Wheel Services Suburb

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (UP)—In these times of modern municipal pumping stations, 200 suburban residents here still get their water supply from a plant where an aged water wheel is the chief source of water.

The 57-year-old water plant, one of the world's smallest utilities, is operated by Charles Russell, who uses no meters and charges his customers according to rates set in 1891.

The pumping unit is a 12-foot water wheel below a dam in Lambertson creek. The power wheel operates pumps which push water from three wells into a 50,000 gallon storage tank on high ground nearby.

In cold weather, russen chops the ice which forms on the flume, cutting off the flow of water over the wheel. In dry periods Russell uses gasoline engines for pumping or taps into a standby connection from the city's water supply.  
Russell charges old customers a flat \$1 fee a month; new rates are slightly higher—\$4 every three months.

May, June, July and August are the only months not containing the letter "P".

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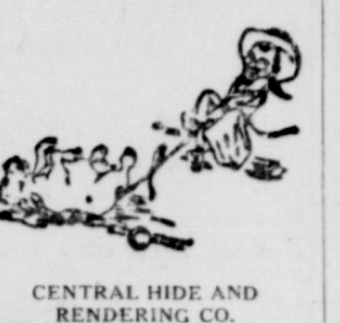
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### Obituary Collection Fills 36 Volumes

CLINTON, N. Y. (UP) A Hamilton College freshman, Alfred K Hamner, Jr., collects obituaries. His dormitory room is filled with 36 volumes.

But Hamner isn't morbid. He says the obituaries serve a purpose. He believes they are the most concise and cheapest biographical and reference material on famous people available.

His prize item is a George Washington burial notice which appeared in the Ulster County Gazette in 1800, shortly after Washington's death the preceding December.



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### Small Town Hits Larger One With Self-Made Boom

By Glenn Martz  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WESTHOPE, N. D. (UP)—This little prairie town of 500 is experiencing its biggest building boom in history. The reason is that one of its leading citizens was fined for a traffic violation in a nearby city.  
Howard Henry, local wheat grower who made a modest fortune on his 3,000-acre ranch during the past few lush crop years, drove into Minot, 60 miles away, to do some shopping.  
Minot had just installed a new

parking meter system.  
Henry drove up to the curb, got out and took a nickel from his pocket for the meter. Just then a friend hailed him.  
Still clutching the coin, he stopped to chat.  
"You'd better put a nickel in that meter," advised the friend. "A cop is putting a tag on your car."  
Henry walked over to the patrolman and tried to explain.  
"Tell it to the judge," the patrolman snapped.  
Henry did. But the judge said: "One dollar fine. Next case."  
On his way home Henry plotted revenge.  
Minot, he mused, had been getting a lot of business from Westhope's trade territory. Its business men had been selling laundry services, plumbing supplies, automobiles, farm machinery and a thousand and one things to Westhope residents. Folks in the small town even went to Minot to see their favorite movies.  
Henry decided to match Minot, business for business, in his home town. He put it up to other business men in Westhope. They liked the idea and agreed to work on it.

Presently the secretary of state at Bismarck received a bulky envelope from Westhope. It contained six applications for charters of incorporation:  
A \$20,000 jewelry store.  
A \$120,000 cafe.  
A \$130,000 hotel.  
A \$20,000 theater.  
A \$25,000 heating and plumbing fixture store.  
A \$5,000 insurance agency to serve Westhope's insurance needs.  
A laundry and dry cleaning plant had been established last fall. It cleans clothes which used to be picked up by trucks of Minot firms.  
Henry says the next step is a building to house a bakery.  
Henry financed his enterprises with money made in wheat and

flax grown on his nearby fields. He took Westhope's ablest war veterans in on his venture. He placed a veteran at the head of

each enterprise, selling each a share whereby he could pay the debt out of annual net profits. "I may go broke," Henry says,

"but I'll have a lot of fun." All the buildings are now nearing completion—modern fireproof structures equipped with the lat-

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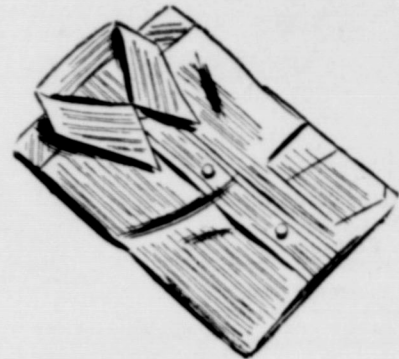
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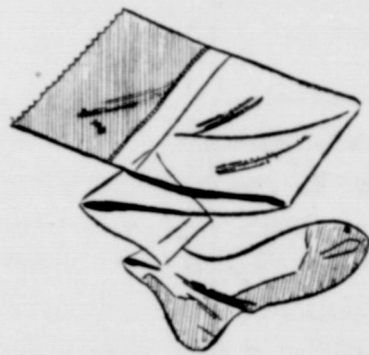
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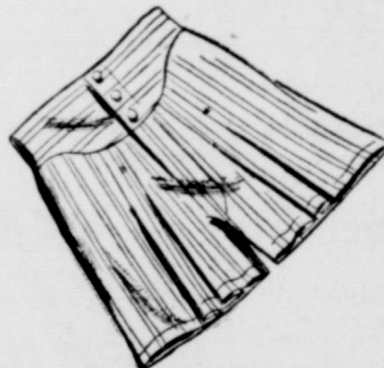
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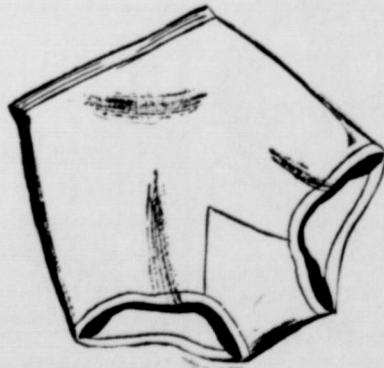
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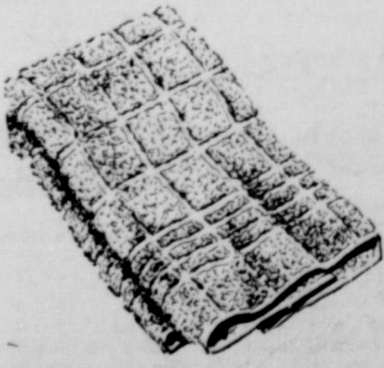
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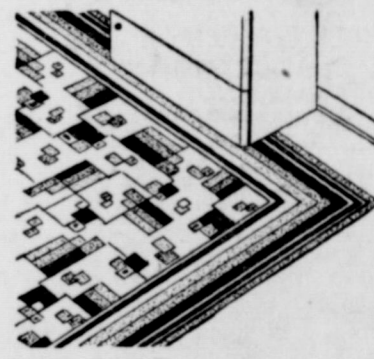
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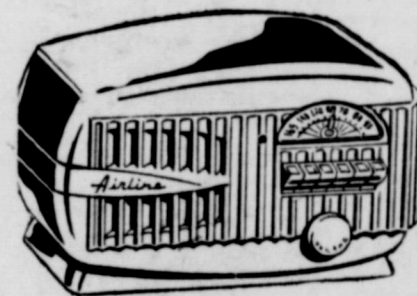
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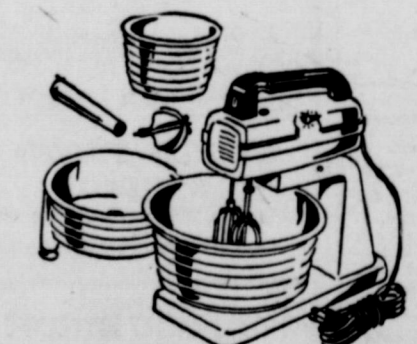
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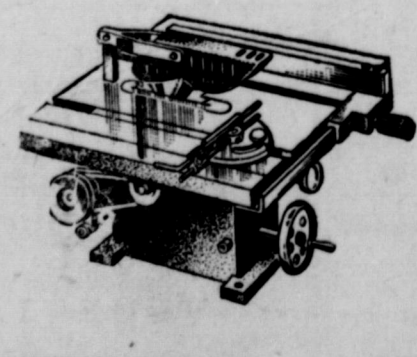
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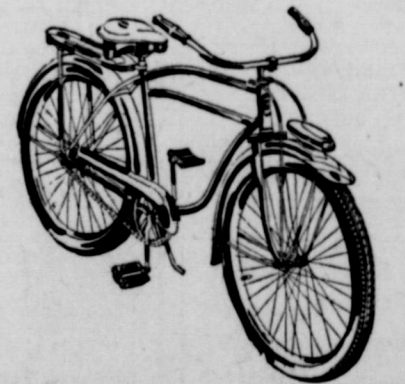
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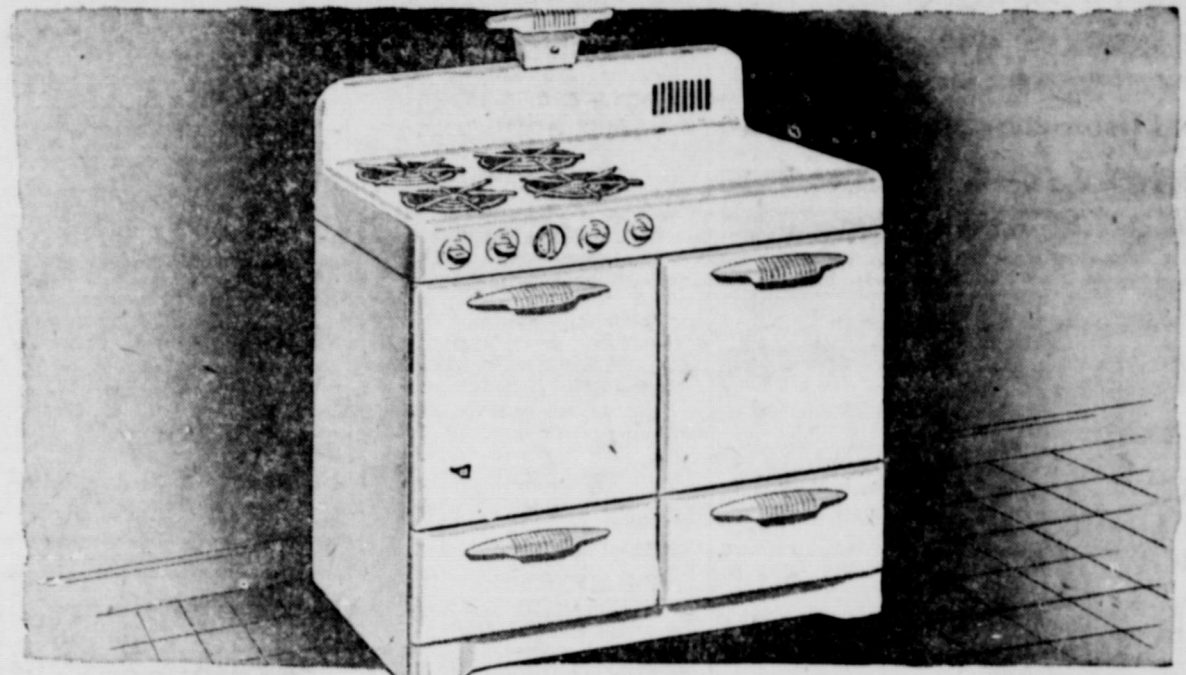
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Ladies if your beauty depends on your face powder, women in 4,000 B. C. probably looked as well as you do.

University of Texas Pharmacy Professor W. F. Gidley says there isn't much basic difference between the Egyptian siren's face powder and that used by women of today.

Face powders in 1948 may be finer and more sterile, smell better and come in a variety of colors, but Egyptian hieroglyphic translations from the year 4,000 B. C. indicate that women were busy with their powder puffs, or the Egyptian equivalent, even then, he says.

Soapstone or talc was, and still is, the base for most powders. Cleopatra probably put hers on in its pure form, and it would have been a little gritty compared to highly refined present-day brands, but it served the same purpose, according to the veteran pharmacy professor.

Prof. Gidley, who has taught a cosmetology course for several years, says primary variations in powder now are in color and odor and lovely packages, and these differences influence the price.

**Eastland Couple Celebrate 50th Wedding Date**

Observing their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 11, were Mr. and Mrs. D. Luther Harber, 301 North Green Street, Eastland. Open house was held from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. with their following children as hosts. Mrs. Luther Shen of Port Worth, Mrs. Bill Baker of Memphis, Tenn., Bah Ballard of Borger, Carl Harber of Borger, "Salty" Harber, Eastland.

Four generations were present, four grandchildren and three great great grandchildren. One hundred guests attended the open house.

Mrs. Grace Suttle of Ft. Worth presided at the register. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The table, laid with a linen lace cloth, was decorated with bridalwreath and flanked with candles in crystal candelabras. Mrs. P. L. Parker ladled punch from a cutglass bowl, and Mrs. W. W. Walters served the gold bride's cake.

Many friends sent flowers and gifts to the couple and many old timers were in attendance. An unexpected guest was Mr. Harber's brother, Greene Harber and wife of Abilene.

Others from out of the city present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Curry, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy King and children, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Fonia Fry, Breckenridge; Loss Bennett and two daughters, Gorman; Dick Woods and wife, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard of Staff; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johns and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walker and daughters, Fort Worth; Bob Ballard, Borger; Mrs. Carl Harber, Borger; Luther Shean, Fort Worth; Bill Baker, Fort Worth and P. L. Woods, Olden.

**Personals**

Mrs. Susie Hearn has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Pounds, her husband and little daughter, Diane, of Tulsa, Okla. While there, Mrs. Hearn visited Claremore where she enjoyed a trip to the Will Rogers Memorial Shrine. She also saw the "Train of Tomorrow."

Bruce Butler has just returned from a veterans hospital at McKinney where he went for a physical check-up.

Edith and Nelson Allison, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allison and who are attending Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, visited their parents here over the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner have returned from Tucuman, New Mexico, where they have a bottling business.

Joyce Pearson entered the Eastland hospital Wednesday for medical treatment.


Mr. and Mrs. Dave J. Fiensy have returned from Kansas where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Fiensy's brother.

ma Maupin, Fannie O'Brien, Sallie Allen, Lillie Gann, Otis Millican, Alice Chrisman, Grace Reed, Alta Rhyne, Bessie Richardson, Cordie Squyres, Jane Throne, Dorothy Capers, Frances Everett, Mandy Hallmark, Otis Kernell, Anna Mae Sherman, Mary Walker, Viola Chappel, Millie Thompson, Elizabeth Elliot, Lona May, Cora Gann, Cliffie Harris, Tenie Jordan, Susie May, Julia Maxwell, Gertie McDaniel, Grace Moore, May Speer, Willie Mae Warden, Bertha Webb, Mable Greer, Frankie Houston, Johnnie Parker, Loreese Seaburn, Willema Amster, Stella Grishy, manager of the local plant; Herndon J. Norris president of the company and his secretary Margaret Wright both of Los Angeles, California.

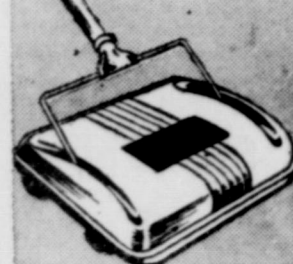
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**V. F. W. Auxiliary Meets Friday Night At 8.00 O'clock**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet Friday night, April 16, at 8:00 p. m. at the V. F. W. Hall on the east side of the square.

All members and ladies who had sons, husbands, fathers, daughters or brothers in service on foreign soil during time of war are invited to be present.

**Mrs. Henderson Entertains Church Circles At Home**

Circle No. 5 of the First Christian Church were guests in the home of Mrs. E. K. Henderson, President of the Woman's Council, Monday Evening, April 12th.

Plans were discussed for a General Council meeting to be held next Monday at Mrs. Henderson's for members of all Circles. Mrs. Wittrop will give the devotional for the evening.

Those attending were Mrs. N. L. Smitham, Miss Johnie Hightower, Miss Marjorie Van Hoose, Mrs. E. L. Wittrop, Mrs. Fred Maxey, Mrs. J. B. Johnson and Mrs. W. Q. Verner.

Pirates usually flew a black flag known as the Jolly Roger.

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The Walter Duncan Family.

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Mr. Norris gave an interesting talk on production, which was very inspiring to the employees. Ensemble singing of America and old familiar songs were sung.

Present were: Paula Mae Flourney, Gertrude Williams, Dausie Hogan, Nina Hastings, Florence Mitchell, Cloy Grubb, Lellah Harn, Ocie Bethany, Lillie Brannon, Virginia Clemmer, Lillie Dunlap, Georgia Graham, Ruby Falls, Stella Gray, Turner Mae McBee, Loretta Cagle, Ramon Creighthead, Gerelene Langlitz, Bertha Owen, Dorothy Parson, Flossie Smith, Lona Abbott, Vel-

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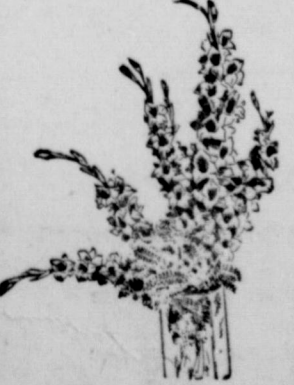


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### News From Olden And Community

George Riley went to Lubbock Friday for a check-up. He was advised by his doctors to take a few weeks rest.

The foundation is being run and Mr. and Mrs. Stark plan on moving to their home South of Olden, soon.

Mrs. George Riley, Peggy Matlock, Marjorie Hendricks, and Barbara Dick are planning to attend the Icecapades in Ft. Worth this week.

Mrs. Wince Graham and little daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Holt the past week.

Mrs. H. G. Horton and son have returned to their home after spending the winter in South Texas.

Coach Thompson and a group of boys were enroute to Cross Plains Friday to take part in track meet. In Rising Star they had a collision with another car. No one was injured.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keith of Stephenville April 7. Mrs. Keith was formerly Marcelle Kuhn, of Olden.

Mrs. Willie Bockman is visiting friends in DeLeon. Mrs. Brockman has been ill in the hospital for six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sims have gone to Kermit and Odessa for a visit with their children.

Sympathy is extended the family of Mr. John Yelding who passed away Monday afternoon.

The ladies of Baptist W.M.U. met Monday for Royal Service program. Mrs. George Riley was in charge.

Gordon defeated Olden in a hard baseball game Monday.

J. L. Kuhn visited with Mrs.

Kuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keith and his granddaughter in Stephenville over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Langlitz attended the singing convention held in Eastland Sunday.

Sonny Stark has the mumps.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Walter Duncan of the Staff community Tuesday. Mrs. Duncan was an aunt of Mr. Carl Butler.

C. A. Howell of Breckenridge was in Olden Tuesday visiting friends.

Mrs. George Briggs of Barstow, Texas, visited her sister, Mrs. Setta Jarrett over the week-end.

Jean Williams, student at John Tarleton, spent last week-end at home.

Mrs. Nell Dannihoo of Guthrie, Okla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. G. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gibbs, parents of Mrs. Stella Jarrett, and Jack Cawthon, brother-in-law of Mrs. Jarrett, spent Sunday in Olden.

John H. Jarrett of Beaumont visited his folks over the week-end and Mrs. Jarrett accompanied him back.

Dick Wynn was visiting with friends Tuesday. He is a student of Cisco Junior College, and will finish this year. He plans to attend El Paso School of Mines next year.

Mrs. W. W. Matador is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oline Burns.

Clifford Merony was married to Miss Norman of Odessa Saturday afternoon by Justice Woods at Eastland. They visited relatives and friends then went back to Odessa.

Mrs. Tobe Griffin had word this morning that Mr. Griffin had gone to work at Hobbs.

Funeral services were held in St. Louis for Frank Dalton April 14. He was son-in-law of Mr. A. J. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brewer of Brady visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Roberts.

Mrs. A. E. Cushman accompanied Alice Joyce and Jimmie Everett to San Angelo to attend the Sixth District Competitive Music Festival. Both received good ratings.

### Uranium Believed Used By Romans

COLUMBUS, O. (UP) — Roman glass makers of the early Christian era are credited with the first use of uranium compounds.

### Morton Valley P-T-A Met On Tuesday P M.

The Morton Valley P. T. A. met in the school auditorium in its regular meeting at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Josie K. Nix, President, presiding. It opened with a song, "Old Black Joe," with Mrs. Frances Cooper leader and Mrs. Prentiss Jones at the piano. Mrs. D. D. Franklin led the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Prentiss Jones was in charge of the program. She gave some skits from the Senior Play which is to be given Fri. night. Then her music class sang several Spanish songs, with Mrs. Jones at the Piano and Verna Wheat directing. Edith Hazard gave a musical reading. The Price of Prejudice was the topic for the day. It was brought by Mrs. Charles B. Harris.

The installation of officers was as follows: President, Mrs. J. W. Harrison; Vice President, Mrs. Jossie K. Nix; Second Vice President, Mrs. P. L. Wheat; Third Vice President, Mrs. D. D. Franklin; Secretary, Mrs. Berton Tankersley; Treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Westfall; Reporter, Mrs. Charles B. Harris. Afterwards, the group sang "America The Beautiful."

Those present were: Mmes. Berton Tankersley, C. R. Westfall, J. W. Harrison, Jossie K. Nix, D. D. Franklin, W. E. Tankersley, T. L. Wheat, R. E. Beck, W. J. Graham, C. E. Beck, P. L. Crossley, Prentiss Jones, Charles B. Harris, and Mr. Charles B. Harris.

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PITTSBORO, Ind. (UP)—This little Hendricks County community in the heart of Indiana has a population of 510. But Do. O. T. Scamahorn has delivered 4,000 babies in Pittsboro and the immediate vicinity in 40 years of medical service.

Dr. Earle R. Caley of the Ohio State University chemistry department, said that a compound of uranium was found by Oxford University chemists in analyzing glass recovered 40 years ago during excavation of an Imperial Roman villa on Naples Bay.

Earlier scientists believed that the presence of a small amount of uranium in the glass was merely accidental, Dr. Caley said. He, however, believes that since it was common practice for ancient glassmakers to add chemical compounds such as those of cobalt, the uranium compound was intentionally employed to give the glass a pale green color.

The ancient workers undoubtedly had no idea of the true nature of the uranium compound, although they probably recognized it as a peculiar and distinct mineral substance, Dr. Caley said.

### NEWS FROM LONGBRANCH CARBON ROUTE 1 Mrs. G. W. Stowe, Cor.

LONG BRANCH, April 14 — Among those who attended the County Singing Convention at Eastland Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Britt Dudley; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Mitchell; Misses Lucille Furr, Vesta Leigh and Mary Alice Bohannon, Elizabeth Anne Wright and Messrs. Elvis Vaughn and Ace Howard.

Mrs. Z. H. Been from Carbon is visiting in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Been.

Mrs. M. M. Carter of Carbon was a week-end guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herby Carter, and attended services at Long Branch Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Been drove over from Carbon and attended the morning and evening services here Sunday, and helped to put on a good B.T.U. program before the church hour.

Those attending the singing at Eastland Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford, Mr. and Mrs. Doss Cozart and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Right who had been dinner guests of Mrs. Genoa Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Curtis from the Cook community were here for the preaching services and B.T.U. Sunday night.

C. M. Burnett and G. W. Stowe were business visitors at Carbon Saturday.

A. R. Hastings made a business trip to Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Dudley spent Sunday at Long Branch and Pleasant Hill returning to their home in Cisco after attending church here Sunday evening.

Kathryn Smoot and Jimmy Mae Bohannon were converted at the evening service, the former offering herself as candidate for church membership.

Rev. Windle Lee preached two good sermons here Sunday, and

an illustrated story of the conversion of Paul and Silas in the Philippian jail was given by Mrs. Lee at the close of the B.T.U. program.

Mrs. H. E. Reed is sick at her home here.

Dowie Hendricks from Rising Star visited in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker and attended church at Long Branch Sunday.

J. E. Smith and Miss Kateryn from near Pioneer visited in the W. O. Melton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker were shopping in Rising Star a few days ago.

The date for the summer revival has been set for Friday night, August 20 when Rev. Windle Lee will conduct the preaching services with local talent for the

song services. Henry is the church chorister.

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### Eastland County Towns & Communities

(Editor's Note—The following is taken from the forthcoming book, "History of Eastland County," by Ed T. Cox.)

#### CISCO Continued

The First Methodist Church at Cisco was organized in a log cabin in the year 1880 by the Rev. Lamb Trimble, M. V. Mitchell and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Walton were the entire membership.

Mr. Mitchell was steward and treasurer. The log cabin is supposed to have been the same in which Calista Green taught the first school in the community, at Red Gap. When Cisco was founded, the church moved to town. In the interim Rev. Andrews had served as circuit rider and John Lane as steward.

Rev. Elijah Mills is said to have been the next minister to lead the church and it was during his term of service that the little church, supposed to have been made up of about twenty members, held its meetings in the frame or box house which was also used for school purposes.

Shortly afterwards, under the leadership of pastor John A. Walter a small church building was erected on the site of its present house of the Cisco Station. In 1890, John A. Wiseman was in charge. He seems to have been followed as pastor by T. C. Ragsdale, under whose leadership the structure was enlarged but was destroyed by the cyclone in 1893.

As in the case of other churches in Cisco, the congregation was not to be denied a place of wor-

ship and soon began a new one which was a credit to the congregation and the town. This building cost around six thousand dollars and a parsonage was erected at an approximated cost of twelve hundred dollars. The membership at this time was about three hundred.

The present home of the body was begun under the pastorate of Rev. Humphrey Lee in 1918, is a beautiful and well arranged edifice and cost around eighty thousand dollars.

Those who have served following Rev. Ragsdale are:

R. F. Dunn	1894
J. H. Chambliss	1895-96
S. W. Turner	1897-98
E. Hightower	1899-00
S. J. Vaughn	1901-03
J. R. Henson	1904-07
B. W. Dodson	1908-09
W. H. Doss	1910
K. P. Barton	1911-12
J. E. Crawford	1913-14
J. M. Wynne	1915
E. L. Loyd	1916-17
Humphrey Lee	1918
L. N. Stuckey	1919-21
H. B. Watts	1922
L. A. Webb	1923
S. J. Rucker	1925
P. T. Stanford	1926-27
F. E. Singleton	1928-29
H. D. Tucker	1930-31
O. O. Odum	1932
F. L. Turner	1933
W. H. Cole	1934
J. I. Patterson	1935
-In 1880, in addition to Cisco Station there was also a Cisco Cir-	



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cuit, supplied by Rev. R. B. Vaughn who probably served in that capacity through 1903. In 1907 this service was called a Mission and M. J. Vaughn is said to have been in charge but in 1910 it was called a circuit under the care of I. N. Anderson but reverted to mission standing in 1912 which it maintained until the creation of the Twelfth Street Church in 1920 with C. E. Wilkins in charge. Rev. Wilkins was succeeded by U. S. Sherrill in 1921; H. B. Ellis, 1923; J. B. Weathers, 1925; W. L. Connell, 1926; R. T. Capps, 1928; O. A. Morton, 1930; Victor Dow, 1931; B. W. Gramer, 1933; A. B. Armstrong, 1934; Preston Broxton, 1936; R. H. Heiser, 1940.

Cisco Mission is said to have had a membership of 206 in 1915. Cisco Mission is again mentioned in 1936 and as having Bedford Chapel associated with it.

The house of worship of the twelfth Street Church was valued at \$7,000 and its parsonage at \$1,200 in the conference report of 1936.

John T. Yeargin was sent by the Cisco Methodist Church as a messenger to the General Conference in 1882, the Reverend John Lane in 1886 and J. M. Williamson in 1898.

(To be continued)

Truffle are underground fungi liked by pigs.

### Great Britain, Hard Up For Labor Gets 100,000 European Refugees

By Homer Jenks  
United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON (UP)—The Labor government has brought almost 40,000 Communist-hating eastern European refugees to Britain in the last 10 months to help in this country's desperate struggle for survival and recovery.

Altogether, 100,000 will be brought here from displaced persons camps in Germany and Austria. They may provide the margin between success and failure in Britain's "feed ourselves" and "export or die" production programs.

Most have come from the Ukraine, from the former Baltic republics of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania and from the former Polish Ukraine. They were caught in their homelands by the German invasions of 1939 and 1941. Some were taken to Germany as "slave labor." The others fled before the advancing Red Army rather than come under Communist rule.

There were peasants, doctors, machinists, teachers, students and clerks—a cross-section of the population of eastern Europe united mainly in their despair and hate of both Communism and Nazism.

Britain, starved for manpower, offered them a chance to start life anew with announcement of its "Westward Ho!" scheme for displaced persons physically fit and between 18 and 50 who were willing to enter essential work.

The first batches of refugees arrived by ship from Germany in April, 1947, and still are flowing into this country at a rate of 1,000 a week. By mid-January, 37,512 had arrived—27,668 men and 9,844

### Perpetual Motion Machine Vanishes After Life Work

By Henry Minard  
United Press Staff Correspondent

SEATTLE (UP)—Somewhere in the Northwest today there is a machine which represents a half million dollar investment and half the life of Peter Mollow Ivanoff.

Ivanoff worked for 30 years in his \$300,000 Seattle machine shop to overcome friction. But he would have bristled with indignation if you asked him, "And how's your perpetual motion machine coming along these days, Ivanoff?"

"He called it a co-motional motion machine," said Lawrence Vick, devout disciple of the brilliant Bulgarian, who died here in February, 1945.

"He wasn't a failure—he had something, I'm sure of it," Vick said.

"You could walk into his shop, twirl a shaft of a multi-gear gadget. And you couldn't hold the other end of the shaft with a Stillson wrench."

Today, Vick offers his 20 years experience as machinist with Ivanoff to any engineer who is willing to continue where the Bulgarian left off.

"But it would be much easier if we could find that machine," he said.

Ivanoff, having no living relatives, bequeathed his plant and

which refused even to take fellow British or Irish workers into their homes were receiving the refugees.

The language barrier rapidly is being overcome. Many of the Baltic refugees already spoke English and others are learning quickly.

Factory managers found the refugees eager to learn and work. Some refugees, unaccustomed to factory work, found it hard to adjust themselves at first, but patience by all concerned saw them over the difficulties.

None of the refugees was permitted to bring his dependents at first because of the housing shortage, but that is being remedied. The first dependents were brought here in December and more are coming at the rate of about 100 a week. It will be many months before all families are reunited, however.

But the success of the scheme is shown by the fact that only 40 refugees have gone back to Germany. Ten were sent back as unsatisfactory. The others could not bear further separation from their families.

machine to several Vancouver, B. C., residents who had subsidized his work with cash gifts. Vick said he thought the frictionless machine was gathering dust in some Vancouver warehouse, but the 14 trustees claim the machine is still in Seattle.

"Ivanoff ignored the guffaws and chiding of professors who referred him to basic physical laws when he began his experiments," Vick said.

But finally—after 50 years work—he was ready to unveil his invention and a large electrical company sent an engineer to conduct tests.

"A battery of meters was attached and voluminous notes were taken," Vick said.

"The last meter was read. Immediately the engineer signed an affidavit claiming the machine free of friction."

But the engineer was signing his own dismissal notice. "The company fired him on the spot, accusing him of wrongly connecting a meter," Vick said.

Vick, however, believes the en-

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### Airport News

The flying game 33 years ago: We picked up a 1915 equivalent of Life Magazine the other day to learn that "flying was here to stay," and the ladies were cutting their own hair if not overly-cute curls in flying machines, which were all new and fang-dangled.

The first woman to fly in an airplane was Madam Cherch Peller, a French sculptress. She took a three hundred yard hop in with Monsieur Delgrance at Turin, Italy in the year 19'3. Five years later the initial Kittyhawk flight, The Vois's machine rose to the staggering height of six feet.

Madam Cherch wore a lace blouse, a black satin skirt with the new look, and a yachting cap. Monsieur le pilot glared baillifully from beneath a king-sized mustache and sported a handlebar mustache of singularly un-aerodynamic appearance.

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Madame de la Roche, France's first licensed woman pilot was a glut on for punishment. After two serious crashes in her Farham bi-plane, involving broken shoulders, dislocated arms and legs, and numerous other serious injuries, she was still enthusiastic and going strong.

The helicopter altitude record for 1908 was set by the Cornu helicopter. It had twin rotors of three blades each and a four-wheeled landing gear. The record breaking altitude was twenty inches.

The 1908 Bleriot monoplane featured a fuselage (they called it chasis in those days) constructed of steel tubing, and a four-bladed propeller.

The imaginations of French and British military leaders were staggered beyond belief when reports of a pistol duel between French and German pilots over the German lines came in. (And it all started out with a little harmless aerial brick-tossing.) The core of this 1915 aerial battle—no hits



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no errors. Said top men in the "brass" section, "Not even the leaders who declare war can be safe any more."

#### The Flying Game 33 Years Later:

Airplanes still seem to be new and fang-dangled. The commonest objections to flying one yet hears today—"impractical," "Too dangerous," "A passing fad." "It's too new, let it grow a while," while over head four-engine giants: drone from city to city with the regularity of trains and buses—in good weather and bad. Next week's article along with the news will give you a high-spot picture of what has come out of the past twenty years of private and commercial aviation, with emphasis on light planes.

This week's high spots of airport news, thirty-three years later names recent enrollees in the flight school. Mrs. Denton Helmstetter of Ranger plans to commence flying this week. Her husband, Mrs. Helmstetter of the Ranger Fire Department, owns and flies a Piper Cub, which is kept at the Eastland Airport.

J. L. Isobel, also of the Ranger Fire department, began his flight lessons under instructor Roger Kohlstadt last week.

Alvis R. Cavanaugh of Gorman enrolled in the GI flight school for the Commercial Pilot course. He took his first ride from this field last Friday.

Everett Plowman says fishing and flying have a lot in common and accordingly enrolled in the Commercial Course. He received a private license here last year.

Dr. M. M. Murdock, with an eye on the future, took his first instruction ride for a private license Sunday. Flying doctors who own their own planes number high among today's private plane owners.

### Texas & Pacific Depot Here May Get Overhauling

Eastland's Texas & Pacific railroad depot may get a general repair and paint job within the next few months.

At a meeting of the Eastland Lion's club this week when two representatives of the railroad company were on the program, the matter of the needs at the company's Eastland depot was brought up by Lion Donald Kinnaird.

While the company representatives in Eastland at that time, were not connected directly with the department through which matters of this nature are handled, they promised to see that the matter was brought to the attention of the proper department heads.

It was pointed out by Kinnaird that gas should be installed at the depot for heating purposes, that better lighting should be provided

ers. M. F. Mathis of Fort Worth flew in Tuesday, on a business trip, in his Ecoupe.

Oil executives from San Antonio made an overnight stop in Eastland with their twin-engine Cessna, looking to business interests in Gorman. They came in Tuesday afternoon.

Odd Fact: The distance between Eastland and Dallas is 120 air miles. The Douglas Skystreak could make the trip in 12 minutes, or less with favorable wind conditions.

and that a general repair and paint job was badly needed, on the entire structure.

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Abilene, April 23 and 24.

The group will feature Western ballads and old-fashioned hoedowns. Master of ceremonies for the program will be Whit Giddens, junior student from San Diego, California. Mary Lo Sears will give an exhibition of rope-twirling and Carolyn Hannah will sing and play a solo on the accordion.

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