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### Men 'Sit Out' Tel Aviv Air Raid



While the sound of the air raid siren wails through Tel Aviv, these two men, left sit at a sidewalk cafe table, apparently decided to "sit this one out." The woman and children, though, scurry for shelter from the Egyptian planes which have bombed the Israel city occasionally. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent E. F. Ilani.)

### Porter Concludes Senate Race

Houston, Tex. Nov. 1 (UP)—Jack Porter, Republican candidate for the U. S. Senate, wheeled back into home territory today for a giant home-coming rally and a final radio address set for 9 P. M.

Although the candidate's headquarters predicted victory for Porter today, they made no mention by what majority he would grab the senate seat.

Porter's own view, expressed in a formal statement Sunday, was that he would defeat Democratic nominee Lyndon Johnson "2 to 1".

Porter's backers will meet at 8:30 P. M. for a pre-broadcast rally in the auditorium of radio station KHT in downtown Houston.

### Rites Pending For Mrs. Jenkins Who Died Sunday

Funeral arrangements were pending today for Mrs. R. H. Jenkins, about 50, who died in the Ranger General Hospital early Sunday morning. The body is at Hamner's in Eastland.

Survivors are the husband and about four or five children. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins reside between Cisco and Rising Star and operate a country store.

### CAPTAIN'S ACTION HALTS MAJOR SHIP DISASTER

NOFOLK, Va., Nov. 1 (UP)—The captain of a coastwise steamer today was credited with saving the lives of all but one of his 59 passengers when his ship crashed into a fully-loaded oil tanker in heavy fog off Old Point Comfort early yesterday.

But Capt. E. H. Eaton, whose frantic maneuvering of the "District of Columbia" kept her from smashing straight into the tanker and setting her 106,000 barrels of gasoline afire, sobbed that "now I've got this woman's blood on my hands."

The dead woman, who was crushed in her stateroom when the vessels collided, was identified as Miss Marian E. McWhorter, 24, of Atlanta, Ga.

Three others were injured. They were listed as Lindwood Sartorius, 43, of Washington, D. C.; Nelson H. Walton, 50, Arlington, Va.; and Earl F. Duke, 41, Norfolk. They were reported in "fair" condition today at a hospital here.

### TEXAS GOP'S EXPECT TO END STATE DEMOCRATIC DOMINANCE

BY UNITED PRESS  
How Texans will vote in tomorrow's general election appeared today to be the big question mark. But the Texas Republican party — virtually a nonentity since the state's electoral votes went for Herbert Hoover 20 years ago — still clung to high hopes.

And the state GOP has most of the metropolitan press in the Lone Star State behind it.

Today's Dallas Morning News claimed that Texas Republicans "will make their greatest inroads on Democratic Texas in 20 years" in the general election.

At the same time, the News, in a front page editorial, reiterated its support of the Republican ticket: Tom Dewey for president, Earl Warren for vice pres. and Jack Porter for U. S. Senator from Texas.

While Republican leaders talked in terms of carrying the state in both the presidential and senatorial races, the News editorial ticket would lead in a fifth of the state's 254 counties.

The newspaper saw the State's Rights Party as a harmful factor to the GOP chances in Texas, saying the third-party movement might prevent Republicans from making the gains that were "in the books for them" by cutting into the anti-Truman vote.

Meanwhile, most of the big-city papers in Texas were lined up for the underdog Republicans.

The Houston Chronicle, published by former Roosevelt cabinet member Jesse Jones, departed the Democratic party in favor of Dewey and Warren.

The Houston Post likewise turned away from President Truman and Sen. Alben Barkley, while the Houston Press cast the die for the three Scripps-Howard papers in Texas — The El Paso Herald-Post and the Fort Worth Press — by going Republican.

The San Antonio papers, the Light, the Express and the Evening News, turned thumbs down on the Democrats and the Dixiecrats.

The two exceptions to the rule were the Dallas Times Herald and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

The Times Herald remained an ardent supporter of Lyndon Johnson, the Democratic nominee for the Senate, over Republican Porter. They had taken no definite stand on their presidential race, however.

Cooler weather was headed for Texas today, as showers fell across the northern portion of the state. The Weather Bureau, promising that the approaching cool front would produce "nothing sensational" said the precipitation belt thus far was confined to an area lying north of a line from Lubbock to the Dallas-Fort Worth area. Amarillo reported the heaviest rainfall of .77 of an inch Lubbock had .09, Childress .01 and Clarendon .17. Rain continued to fall early today at Amarillo, Childress and Clarendon.

Intermittent showers fell during the night in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area, but the rainfall was not of measurable proportions.

The showers were expected to move southward ahead of the cool front, which was due to move in to the west and central portions of Texas late tonight or early tomorrow.

Unseasonably warm temperatures prevailed over Texas yesterday, with warm Gulf breezes sending the mercury as high as 88 at Alice and Victoria. The lowest reading was 65 at El Paso.

Temperatures tonight were expected to drop to near 40 degrees in the northern Panhandle and near 50 in the north central area.

### THE WEATHER

EAST TEXAS — Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, with scattered showers in the east portion. Partly cloudy and not quite so warm tonight. Tuesday, fair and mild.

WEST TEXAS — Generally fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. No important change in temperatures.

# U. S. Investigates Brutal Killing Of American Economic Official

### Music In "The Light Eternal" To Be Featured

Miss Estelline Broyles, director of "The Light Eternal" local talent production being staged under the auspices of the Quarterback Club at the Eastland High School Auditorium, November 3rd and 4th, states that an enthusiastic cast and chorus is at work daily to make this the finest presentation ever staged in Eastland.

Another outstanding feature of "The Light Eternal" is the beautiful music that is used. A chorus has been assembled, and has started rehearsals in preparation for the staging of this drama. Robert Clinton will be the director.

A most impressive scene in "The Light Eternal" is that part of the Nativity high lighted by the visit of the Angel to Mary. The part of the angel is played by Betty Ferguson while Wanda Williams plays the role of Mary.

This scene is followed by the appearance of the angel in the fields where the shepherds were keeping watch over the flocks. The roles of the shepherds are played by Cyrus Miller, Wayne Jackson, and Billy McFarland. The closing scene is the portrayal of the Nativity of the birth of Christ done in a blue light, in authentic costume.

The grand finale of the production is something that will be well worth the price of admission alone. The entire cast of characters appear on the stage in a grand finale while the chorus sings "We've a Story To Tell To The Nations." Never before has there been such an array of authentic and beautiful costumes of ancient time gathered together on the local stage.

### Restrictions On Enlistment Of 18 Yr. Olds, Lifted

Lifting of enlistment restrictions on 18-year old men for service in the Army and Air Force for 1 year tour of duty was announced today by the Army and Air Force Recruiting Station in Eastland.

As a part of the recent Selective Service legislation, Congress authorized the enlistment of 125,000 18-year old men in the Army and Air Force to receive 1 year training at a station close to home and prohibiting assignment to overseas theaters. Such men will be automatically exempt from draft call which requires 21 months service.

Men from this area enlisting for 1 year will go to the 2nd Armored Division at Camp Hood, Texas for Army training or to Sheppard Field at Wichita Falls for Air Force training.

All 18-year-olds interested in this short term enlistment and all those who will be 18 soon are urged to go to the Recruiting Station at 311 West Main Street in Eastland and file application before quota restrictions are again placed on this type of enlistment.

### Open House At Poe Floral Is Largely Attended

A huge crowd attended the second anniversary of Poe Floral Shop Saturday. Mrs. Poe stated more than twice as many people over last year attended.

Each guest was presented a cake, bulbs and a rosebud, by Mr. and Mrs. Poe. The shop was attractively decorated for the occasion. They were assisted by Mrs. Zerial and their daughter Margie June.

The world-wide oil industry was started in Pennsylvania with "Drake's Folly," a 25-barrel-per-day well near Titusville.

### Dewey Election To Shelve Israel Issue Till Jan 20

PARIS, Nov. 1 (UP)—United Nations Delegates believed today that the Palestine issue might be shelved by the General Assembly until after Jan. 20 if Gov. Thomas E. Dewey wins the presidential election tomorrow.

Diplomats said such a postponement was inevitable unless Dewey, in event of victory, clarifies for the assembly his views on a final Palestine settlement and on commitments made before Jan. 20 by the present American delegation.

If no decision on Palestine is reached in this special session of the General Assembly, these sources said, a special Assembly meeting probably would be called for February or March at Lake Success, N. Y.

It was hoped, however, that a Republican victory would be followed by a strong statement making clear that Dewey would stand committed to decisions taken here before his inauguration Jan. 20.

American delegates were certain some kind of emergency improvisation would be made in the American delegation here if Dewey is elected.

It was expected that John Foster Dulles, believed slated for secretary of state if Dewey wins, would be given nominal control of the delegation's policies on major issues. Secretary of State George C. Marshall would remain titular chief of the delegation.

### Social Studies Class To Hold Election Nov. 2

In teaching the duties and responsibilities of citizenship in a practical way, the Social Studies classes of Mrs. H. H. Hardeman in Eastland schools, will hold a general election, Tuesday, November 2. "Official Ballots" have been printed for the Democratic, Republican, States Rights and Progressive parties, with the names of candidates for all national and state offices listed.

"Poll Box" receipts, residence requirements, etc., will be required. A sealed ballot box has been provided, election judges, clerks, tally sheets, etc., and other officials have been selected.

Regular election procedure will be followed.

### 6th Dist. Pythian Sister To Meet In Eastland, Nov. 15

Final plans are being made for the convention of the sixth district, Pythian Sisters, which will meet November 15, in Eastland at the American Legion Hall.

The sixth district is composed of the Temples of San Angelo, Brownwood, Baird, Abilene, Breckenridge and Eastland, and additional guests are expected, including Alice, Cherb, of Amarillo, grand chief of the Grand Jurisdiction of Texas, and Fannie Gordon of Dallas, Supreme Junior of the Supreme Jurisdiction of Pythian Sisters and other Grand and Past Grand Officers of Texas.

The afternoon session will be a school of instruction presided over by Blanche Nicols, district deputy grand chief, with Eastland officers opening the meeting in form. At 6:00 p. m. a banquet honoring the grand chief will be held.

The evening session to open at 7:30, will include memorial services, initiation for both knights and ladies and fancy drills.

### OFFICIAL REPORT HOLDS RUSSIANS RESPONSIBLE FOR VIENNA SLAYING

### Search Still On For Lost Plane

LUBBOCK, Tex. Nov. 1 (UP)—Lt. C. J. Fuhrmann of the air rescue service said today two leads were being followed in the search for a private plane with four persons aboard, missing on a flight from Oklahoma City to Denver City, Tex., since Oct. 23.

One report, and Fuhrmann emphasized it was a rumor, was that the wreckage of a plane had been spotted in the Roaring Springs vicinity, the second that a plane was seen flying west of Guthrie, Tex., in King County about 11 A. M. last Thursday heading into a thunderstorm.

The air rescue service entered the search last Friday for the plane occupied by R. G. Rapp, president of the Denver Producing and Refining Co., of Oklahoma City, his production superintendent, L. S. Tunks, and Tunk's wife and the pilot, B. B. Parr.

The Civil Air Patrol put some 60 planes into the search Saturday and Sunday and continued today to help the air rescue service unit from Biggs Field, El Paso.

The missing plane last was reported officially in the Wichita Falls area where weather conditions were asked.

### Eastland Bank To Observe Tues. As Holiday

The Eastland National Bank will not be open tomorrow which is election day. Patrons are reminded of this fact in order that they may make arrangements for change and take care of any other emergency business matters with the bank.

The Eastland post office will not be closed on election day, but will be open for business as usual as will also the Eastland city hall.

Sir Barton, who won the Kentucky Derby in 1919, was the first horse to win the "triple crown," — the Derby, the Preakness and the Belmont Stakes.

### Sleeps And Lives Through Fire

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VIENNA, Nov. 1 (UP)—American and Austrian authorities investigated today the death of American Marshall Plan Official Irving Ross who was reported officially to have been "most brutally murdered" by four Russian soldiers.

U. S. authorities said no formal protest would be made to the Russians until all facts concerning the incident had been obtained from witnesses.

They said the slaying occurred shortly after midnight Saturday at Inzersdorf, a Soviet-occupied suburb of Vienna.

Ross, a special assistant to William H. Giblin, chief of the economic cooperation administration mission to Austria, was allegedly abducted by the Russians, bayoneted and beaten to death. A female companion, Anna Sutkenina was reported to have been thrown unconscious from the car by the soldiers.

The official report of the incident from American and Austria officials is as follows:

Ross and Miss Sutkenina were driving near the edge of the British and Soviet sectors of Vienna about midnight when they were stopped by a Russian jeep carrying the soldiers.

Two Russians with guns drawn stepped to the car, brutally beat Ross on the head with gun butts and forced him to drive in the direction of Soviet headquarters at Baden, the girl said.

On the way, Ross and the girl offered resistance.

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### J. K. Hughes To Drill In North Co. County

A company which was one of the foremost factors in the development of the great Mexia oil field a quarter of a century ago, has entered the district surrounding Eastland, which is now in the midst of a revival of oil activities.

The J. K. Hughes Oil Company of Mexia will drill a deep wildcat in north Comanche county, two miles north of the one-time boom town of Sipe Springs, in an area where some 300 shallow wells were drilled, back in 1919 and 1920.

The wildcat is the No. 1 E. O. Watkins, 330 feet from the north and west lines, Sec. 40, D. & D. A. survey, rotary, 3,500 feet.

Balancing of new corn with other rations will help to keep up the resistance of swine and ward off such diseases as pneumonia, cholera, and enteritis.

A flash fire roared through a Chicago apartment building people screamed, fire engines clanged — but Henry Peters slept for an hour through the uproar. Finally awakened, he managed to escape, but still looks dazed and half asleep as he talks to reporters. — (NEA Telephoto).





JACK PORTER AND HIS FAMILY



Jack Porter of Houston, former Democrat who is making an amazing race for the United States Senate on the Republican ticket, is shown with his family during the last week of the campaign. In the rear are James W. Porter, and Marjorie, his son and daughter-in-law. Mrs. Porter is on Mr. Porter's left and their two grandchildren, Jack, 3 1/2 years old (left), and Hope, 5 1/2 years old (right), are in front. Mr. and Mrs. Porter, natives of Parker County, have been married 31 years.

NEW WHITE POWDER BOON TO CAN-OPENING FEMALES

By Barbara Bundschu United Press Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (UP)—A simple white powder that tastes like the inside of your mouth one minute and a juicy red beet steak the next is working magic today for the American cook.

"It just makes things taste more so," explains Victor Bergeron, the "trader Vic" of an Oakland California restaurant. Bergeron claims the powder will make a one-hen broth taste like there had been at least six chickens in the pot. Or a weak pan gravy turn out redolent of the meat it's supposed to accompany.

The Chinese discovered it centuries ago, Bergeron says, and it's apparently the main reason Chinese mixed vegetables taste like individual celery and carrots and peas instead of like vegetable soup. The American product is known technically as sodium glutamate or vegetable protein. It's made from what's left of the sugar beets after the sugar is taken out, according to Bergeron.

To prove its power, Bergeron suggests you take a tall glass of

water and add one drop of creme de menthe. That'll taste just like water, he says. But add a pinch of powder and, according to Bergeron, you can taste the liquor—not full strength to be sure, but enough to know it's there.

Bergeron recommends the powder particularly to pep lackadical gravies and sauces and generally make existing flavors stand out in a dish. It is listed as an ingredient in almost all his own mixed-ingredient Chinese dishes.

Fighters Battle Forest Fires

LUFKIN, Tex. Nov. 1. (UP)—Weary firefighters were hard-put today to bring under control flames that raged in timberlands in three East Texas counties.

The Texas Fire Service reported a total of 67 fires raging yesterday. Since Jan. 1., more than 350-thousand acres of woodland has been burned over—enough timber to build 23,000 five-room homes.

Engine failure late yesterday afternoon forced Pilot P. R. Wilson to make an emergency landing on a highway and left only Pilot Pete Singleton on fire spotting patrol, the forest service said.

About 80 per cent of all hardwood flooring in U.S. homes is oak.

734 Texas Men To Be Called To Service In Dec

AUSTIN, Tex. Nov. 1. (UP)—A December selective service call of 734 men from Texas will mean that 3,600 draft age men will take their physical examinations this month, state selective service headquarters announced today. The state call for November is 670 men.

Maj. Gen. K. L. Berry, state selective service director, said that the first inductions under the new selective service act will take place Nov. 29 and 30.

Physical examinations for registrants during November will be made at armed forces joint examining and induction stations at Amarillo, Austin, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Houston, Lubbock, El Paso, San Antonio and Texarkana.

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Dead Man Smiles, Was Only Fooling

FORT WORTH, Tex. Nov. 1 (UP)—A "suicide" is coming back to life today in the city jail.

He is a 39-year-old caretaker in a downtown office building. Last night, he called his wife and told her that if she did not agree not to contest the divorce he is seeking, he could commit suicide.

She refused. He fired a .30 caliber rifle into the floor and dropped the phone.

The hysterical wife called the police. They found the "victim" alive and smiling.

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

BY UNITED PRESS HOUSTON, ex., Nov. 1 (UP)—Murder charges faced Joe Leal, 36, today, in connection with the Saturday night stabbing of a 26-year-old Latin-American. Jose A. Moncivals was stabbed four times, and then ran more than a block before collapsing on a street corner. He was dead upon

arrival at a hospital. Leal admitted attacking Moncivals after the two had argued in a cafe. He was charged with murder before special justice H. L. Harrison.

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 1 (UP)—The Harris County drought was temporarily relieved early today when Houston had its first rainfall in 22 days. The precipitation only a sprinkle, started at 1 A.M. the weather bureau reported, and continued intermittently until 2:30 A.M.

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 1 (UP)—An auto-truck collision east of here early today claimed the life

of William D. Rutledge of Houston and seriously injured a four-year-old boy.

The child, Frankie Morris Huggins, riding on the rear of a truck owned by his parents, was thrown from the vehicle. He suffered leg injuries and a possible skull fracture.

The University of Illinois football team got its name "Illini" from the tribe of Indians for which the state was named.

Fire is the leading cause of all disasters and catastrophes in the United States. The American Red Cross reports that fire is responsible for more disaster relief calls than all other causes combined.

VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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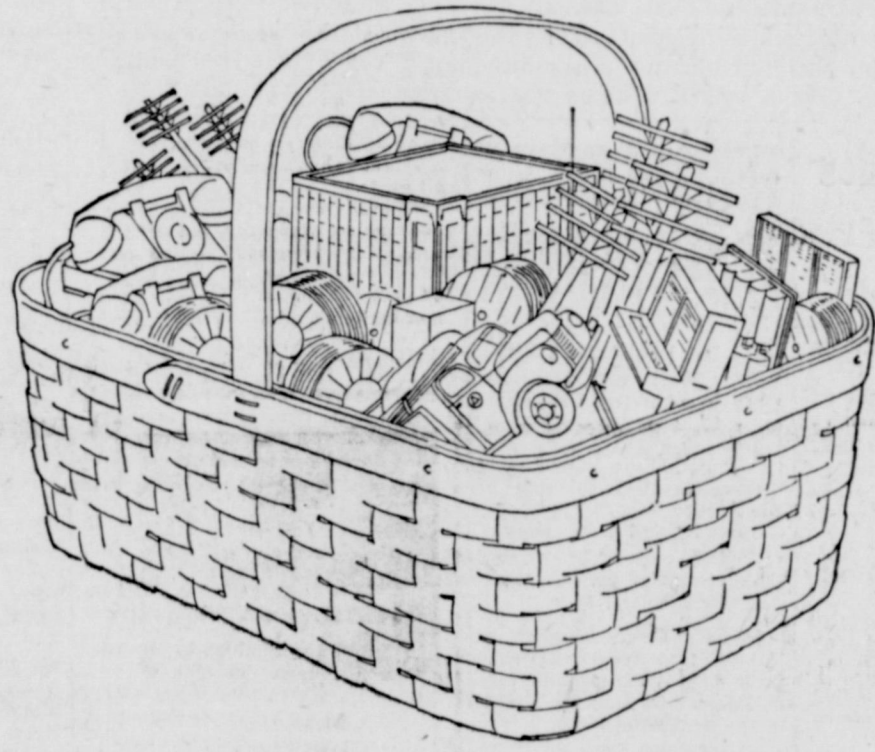
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BY FRED HAMON



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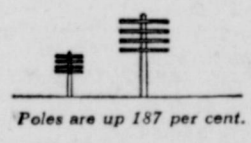
BY V. T. HAMLIN



The telephone company's cost of living in Eastland has gone up, too!

When the telephone company goes to market today, it finds, just as you do, that the cost of living has gone up.

While you buy food, clothing, and fuel, the telephone company fills its market-basket with poles, trucks, cables and copper wire. Here is what has happened to the cost of these items since 1940:

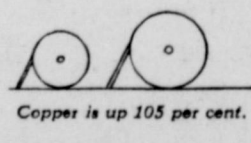


Poles are up 137 per cent.

A telephone pole that cost \$6.30 in 1940 now costs us \$18.11!

Trucks are up 80 per cent!

Copper wire, up 105 per cent! Lead is up 240 per cent!

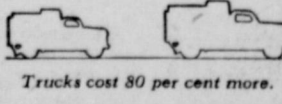


Copper is up 105 per cent.

In addition, the payroll—more than half the cost of furnishing telephone service—is more than four times as high in Eastland today as in 1941.

Yes, telephone revenues are up, too, for there are more telephones in use today in Eastland than ever before.

But expenses have risen faster than revenues, and the telephone company is operating the Eastland exchange at a loss. We are not collecting enough money for telephone service in Eastland to pay the actual cost of furnishing the service.



Trucks cost 80 per cent more.

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FOR SALE—C-88 E. Special Texas Form oil and gas lease.—Daily Telegram, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Two well-secured vendor Lien notes. S. E. Price. Phone 426.

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PIPE FOR SALE: 5000 ft. 2-inch pipe. 3000 ft. 3-inch upset tubing. In a little 6-inch. Three 125-barrel tanks. Marvin Hood. Phone 108-J, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Complete set office furniture. Marvin Hood. Call 108-J.

FOR SALE: Model B John Deere with planter and cultivator in good condition, \$1400. 5-disc one-way on rubber, good condition, \$235. Ford Tandem disc, \$135. Albert R. Harris, Cisco, Rt. 1.

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  - 5 room new and modern, 4 lots, furnished, now \$3500.
  - 4 room furnished on pavement \$3000.
  - 6 room duplex furnished, ideal location, on pavement, \$2500 will handle, \$6500.
  - 3 room, 4 lots, \$1050.
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# EASTLAND TELEGRAM BY SPECIAL SPORTS WRITER

## RANGERS VS. COYOTES IN HOMECOMING BATTLE

BY MARVIN GROSS  
Homecoming fans at the Ranger Junior College shin-dig will have a double feast come Saturday evening—a get-together supper in the school cafeteria and a peek at the high flying Rangers, winging along on a four game winning streak toward a conference championship.

The Rangers have three obstacles who can toss a detour their way—Weatherford, Decatur and Hillsboro. But Yarbrough is looking no further ahead than to Saturday's Weatherford ball game. The Rangers topped a non-conference foe—Navarro in their last outing but showed a glaring pass defense weakness.

The Coyotes of Weatherford haven't done anything to cause much of a disturbance in football circles this season. In fact a mediocre Hillsboro outfit rapped the meek Coyotes 30-0. And Navarro did a similar job on the same boys.

The Rangers should be closer to full strength than they have been in the past few games. First string guard Edwin Crum is about ready to take up where he left off and Ben Bitch should be ready to see some action. But Claude Neeley and Lee Ligon are still lacking peak condition and may continue their bench warming duties.

The Rangers are due for a tough week of scrimmage drills. Yarbrough wore smiles after the Navarro squeak but realizes there are some chinks that must be filled in the pass defense armor. Bill Reed of the Navarro Bulldogs tossed 16 bulleseyes in 27 tries—an average that usually wins football games.

While in the main, line play was good against Navarro, Reed at times, was given half a day to spot a receiver. And once the 134-pound bombshell spotted them he didn't miss.

The local passing game, used in moderation was .500 success-

ful, with four completions in eight attempts. Two of Junior Arterburn's heaves went for scores—to Howard Frazier and to Dale Jones.

Although full credit probably wasn't given, the punting of Bobby Gene Williams went along way toward the Rangers' victory. Bobby had a 36 yard average in five punts but one effort saved the Rangers from being placed in a dangerous hole. Punting from his own 35 on last down, Bobby received a high pass from center and with the Navarro line charging like rockets a kick seemed an impossibility. But Williams somehow got the foot to the ball and booted a 50-yarder out of reach of Bill Davis, Navarro safety man, or not to back up against the

Whether they have any desire passing of Reed once more, the Bulldogs may have to undertake that distasteful task again. The Bulldogs look like sure winners in their conference zone and if the Rangers come through, the two clubs will have to do it all over again.

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## MUSTANGS RATE STRONG CHOICE TO TAKE CONFERENCE HONORS

By Ed File  
United Press Sports Writer  
DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 1 (UP)—Southern Methodist University's defending champions may take over undisputed leadership of the Southwest Conference this week as the spirited gridiron race hits the home stretch.

The Mustangs and Baylor's continually surprising Bears remained the only undefeated teams to day as the schedule turned into November and Baylor will find itself the underdog in the top game of the week—against Texas at Waco.

SMU, which stymied the Texas Longhorns' title hopes with a convincing 21-6 victory parade at Austin last Saturday, will play host to the Texas Aggies in Dallas and only an upset of the ranked order could keep the Mustangs from chalking up their third straight inside the conference.

Rice and Arkansas collied at Little Rock in the week's other game, but with both clubs out of the running for the title, the game will narrow down to one of personal interest.

Texas Christian will be idle, giving the Horned Frogs a two weeks rest before the game against Texas.

SMU provided to the doubtful against Texas that it had the makings of becoming the first team in conference history to win the title two peacetime years in a row. It played heads-up football to capitalize on Two Longhorn fumbles and had the defense to stop a powerful Texas running attack that moved relentlessly until it got within reach of the

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goal line.  
It was again Doak Walker and Gil Johnson in the starring roles for SMU. Walker increased his individual scoring total to 70 with two touchdowns and three extra points, while Johnson bounced back from his disappointing showing against Santa Clara to break Texas' back with pin-point passes.

Baylor failed to display the caliber of ball against TCU that would indicate it is in a class with SMU, or Texas, for that matter, but the Bruins are going to have to be considered as long as they keep winning.

## Pla-Mors Raise Loop Advantage Beating Houston

BY UNITED PRESS  
The Kansas City Pla-Mors, perennial front-runners in the United States Hockey League, were pulling away from the field today.

The Pla-Mors won their fifth game of the young season with out defeat last night as they turned back the Houston Huskies 6-2

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and stretched their point total to 11, three ahead of Houston and Fort Worth — the southern bracket leaders — and four ahead of St. Paul, the runner-up club in the northern sector.

Fort Worth's Rangers climbed into a tie for the southern division lead with Houston by turning back the Dallas Texans 6-4, marking the sixth loss in eight starts for the lowly Texans.

The Tulsa Oilers defeated St. Paul 5-4 in the only other game played last night.

All teams will be idle until Wednesday night when Kansas City invades Dallas for a lone game. The Pla-Mors shift to Fort Worth Thursday night for one of three games that night. Tulsa plays at Omaha and Minneapolis at St. Paul in the other two.

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**Susan Steele Bible Class Has Luncheon**

Members of the Susan Steele Bible Class of the First Methodist Church assembled at the Fellowship Hall of the church Thursday noon for a covered dish luncheon and regular monthly meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Bond were guests and Rev. Bond gave the invocation. Following the luncheon of many good eats, Mr. Bond gave an interesting and inspirational talk followed by a song fest of hymns and Christmas Carols.

During the business session Mrs. Tonsie Johnson, president, presided over the meeting. Mrs. May Harrison gave the devotion.

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**New Comers' Club Meets With Mrs. Churchman**

The "New Comers" Club met in the home of Mrs. D. J. Churchman, 301 North Daugherty Street, Wednesday afternoon. The home was attractively decorated with Halloween colors.

Business was discussed and plans were made for a Thanksgiving buffet supper. Meeting with the Club for the first time was an English war bride, Mrs. E. T. Duggan, who came from near Liverpool England.

Mrs. Duggan gave an interesting description of the ways and customs of the English people, in comparison with the American people, which was very interesting.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Meses Bea Rhea, K. F. Smith, J. N. Smith, W. L. Brewer, Richard May, J. R. Powers, Ivon Wallace, Freta Hicksey, Bulah Monk Charlotte Allen, E. T. Dugan, S. W. Flournoy, J. D. Barker, W. D. Beggs and hostess Mrs. Churchman.

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**Man Trapped In Wrecked Car Is Critically Hurt**

ARLINGTON, Tex. Nov. 1 (UP)—Tom Reddy, 23, was in a critical condition in a Fort Worth hospital today after spending six hours in his overturned automobile.

A tire blowout was blamed for the accident which occurred about 1 A. M. The car overturned in a 12-foot ditch on highway 80 two miles west of here.

Reddy broke the glass in one of the car windows with a tire tool and crawled out. He was unable to attract attention and because it was raining, he crawled back into the car. This morning, two unidentified men saw the car and called an Arlington ambulance.

He suffered cuts on both legs and arms, a cut on his chin and a possible back injury.

**Sheriff Ready To Take Embezzler**

CLEBURNE, Tex., Nov. 1 (UP)—Sheriff Houston Walline today was prepared to arrest Edgar J. Williams, 39, charged with embezzling from the Citizens Banking Company of Joshua where he had been employed for 15 years.

District Attorney John A. ... es, Jr., said Williams called the sheriff from his attorney's office and told him to come and get him. Williams had been sought since Thursday when embezzlement charges were brought against him by Mrs. Tom Crowder of Joshua, niece of the late Angus McMillan and executrix of his estate. McMillan was owner of the Citizens Banking Company.

James said there ... federal charges against Williams, because the firm was organized as a business concern rather than a bank. James said that a check has shown that more than \$38,000 had been taken from the bank.

**Waco Leader Dies**

WACO, Nov. 1 (UP)—Funeral services were scheduled to be held at 4 P. M. today for Albert T. Clifton, 69, prominent Waco financier and industrialist, who died Sunday in a Waco hospital.

Earlier this year Clifton was chairman of the board, president, vice-president or director of 21 corporations. He recently resigned the chairmanship of the First National Bank of Waco.

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CLEBURNE, Tex. (UP)—Nov. 1 (UP)—Future Farmers and 4-H Boys will receive 17 jersey heifers Thursday, bringing the total to 90 given them under the Cleburne rural youth dairy program.

The program was started a year and a half ago by the Cleburne Rotary Club.

Recipients of the animals must breed them to a registered bull and return the first heifer calf to the program. Then it is awarded to another boy.

**Sorority Held Regular Meeting October 26th**

Tuesday October 26 at the Clubroom of the American Legion hall Zeta Pi chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi met for the regular session. Mrs. Mattie Doyle, president, opened the meeting with the ritual.

Mrs. R. D. Estes was program leader on "The Next Voice You Hear." Mrs. Frank Sayre gave the subject of Miracles of the Bible. Mrs. Estes led a round table discussion on the bible. The program was concluded with Mrs. Pat Miller singing the benediction.

**Personals**

Guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Jones over the past week-end was Miss Beth Peterson of DeVine, who is attending Abilene Christian College. Miss Peterson was a neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Jones when they lived in DeVine nine years ago, and this is the first time they have seen her since.

daughter, Doris, of Monahan's visited in Eastland over the past week end. Mr. and Mrs. Landry formerly lived in Eastland.

Samuel McDuffey, employed by the Texas Electric Service Company attended the Homecoming at Texas Tech, Lubbock, over the week-end. Mr. McDuffey rooms at the home of Mrs. Ida Foster.

Hershall Self spent the past week-end in Fort Worth.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Annie Seaburn from Tuesday of last week until Wednesday was her sister Mrs. Harry Francis of Skellytown.

Bobby Blair of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Blair.

Mrs. S. L. Bourland who accompanied a group of girls to Lubbock to visit Margaret Bourland and attend the homecoming at Texas Tech report a grand time.

Mrs. Blanche Nicols returned recently from a visit to Denton and Dallas where she was a guest at the conventions of the Seventh and Tenth districts of Pythian Sisters, respectively.

Frank Mangum of Carbon was in Eastland today. He has just returned from a several days visit to Galveston and the coast country. He says they of course have lots of water down there but that it is not where it is needed most of this time. Much of the country he visited is extremely dry and has been for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis Jones and little son, Eddie, of Longview, spent the past week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harlow of 205 South Walnut.

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## Area OIL News

### EASTLAND COUNTY—Gorman Area. October 30th

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Feldman and Pardo No. 1 Cooper Grocery have rig up and are setting surface pipe.

Commercial Production Co. No. 1 J. C. Burns made 82 barrels under a 10-64 inch choke.

Commercial Production Co. No. 5 J. A. Hirst will acidize Saturday, using 1000 gallons.

Haynes B. Ownby have set tanks on the No. 1 Lindley and will work this hole. This is the north-quarter of section 52 H&TC

Commercial Production No. 2 Roy Parker acidized Friday and are swabbing and cleaning up. There is a good showing of oil in this operation now, whereas before it was decidedly all gas.

Dalport No. 2 Wood have finished the drilling operation and moved the rig off Friday. They are waiting for a completion unit now, before finishing off the well.

Commercial Production No. 2 J. C. Burns drilling at 1000 feet. Commercial Production No. 3 J. C. Burns with Langford Drilling Co. as contractors are drilling at 800 feet.

National Cooperative Refinery Association No. 1 Krell—machinery moved in last night (Friday night) and they are working away now at completing the operation, according to Mr. Hamilton who is here to see the completion job for the Coop.

## Fort Worth Livestock Report

FORT WORTH, Nov. 1 (UP)—(USDA) Livestock:

Cattle 5000; strong, spots higher. Movement slowed by sharply higher asking prices. Good and choice steers and yearlings 25.00-30.00, top for load 1105 pound steers. Common and medium steers, yearlings and heifers 17.00-23.00. Medium and good beef cows 17.00-19.00, few higher, canner and cutters and common cows 10.00-17.00. Bulls 14.50-19.50. Stocker steer yearlings 17.50-25.50, stocker cows 14.00-18.50. Stocker steers 23.00 down.

Calves 2300; fully steady to strong, spots unevenly higher, particularly on stockers. Good and choice slaughter calves mostly 21.00-24.00, common and medium 16.00-20.00, culls 13.50-16.00. Stocker steer calves 26.00 down, heifers mostly 23.00 down.

Hogs 1200; butchers and sows mostly 50 lower than Friday's average, feeder pigs steady good and choice 190-280 lbs 24.25-24.75, 140-185 lbs, 23.00-24.75. Most sows 22.00-23.00. Feeder pigs 23.00 down.

Sheep 4000; active, strong. Medium and good slaughter lambs 21.00-23.00. Few small lots to 24.00, cull and common 15.00-20.00. Medium and good yearlings 15.00-18.00. Cull, common and medium wets

## Booties for Well-Dressed Cuties



Shown in London are these booties for evening wear, featuring Spanish lace frilling around the ankle. The black satin booties were displayed at an exhibition at Grosvenor House.

## RAIN DISSIPATES DEADLY FOG IN PENNSYLVANIA

DONORA, Pa., Nov. 1 (UP)—A "God given" rain today dissipated the deadly cloud of smog which settled over this Pennsylvania milltown over the week-end, killing at least 19 persons. But doctors warned that an epidemic of pneumonia might follow in the wake of the disaster.

At least 50 of the 600 persons stricken were hospitalized at nearby East Charlerio and New Eagle. Five of those were in critical condition and were put into oxygen tents.

Several hundred persons, most of them elderly people with asthmatic or heart conditions, were advised to leave the city until the smog cleared up entirely. Most of those who died were between 62 and 75 years old. All had chronic asthmatic and heart conditions, coroner L. C. Gray said.

Dr. William Rongaus, a member of the Donora board of health, blamed the death-dealing smog on poisonous gases from the American Steel and Wire Company's plant.

"I feel certain that the gases from the zinc works are responsible for it," Dr. Rongaus said.

Officials said the smog was rapped over the city by layers of cold air which prevented the poisonous gases from escaping into the atmosphere.

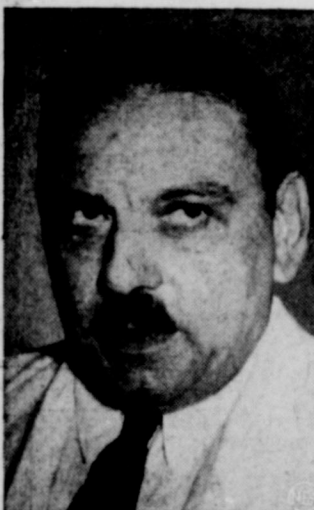
The zinc works, the city's principal industry, halted smelting pending an investigation by local and state authorities.

Supt. M. M. Neale said they were cutting zinc and coal smoke to a minimum.

An official of the CIO steelworkers union said "if the plant is to blame we'll close it."

The fog continued to hang over Donora today but the rain apparently washed the deadly gases out of it. There was no difficulty in breathing and Elizabeth Ostrander, secretary of the board of health, said calls for aid halted as soon as rain began to fall yesterday afternoon.

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# TO THE VOTERS Of Eastland County:

On Tuesday, Nov. 2, our county will decide whether or not we will permit the legal sale of 4 per cent beer in those precincts where it was formerly permitted.

In 1943, the Texas Legislature rewrote the Texas Liquor Control Law, and placed severe restrictions around the sale of beer in counties where legal control is in effect. It placed almost unlimited discretion in the hands of the County Judge as to who would be granted a beer license, as well as the location of any such license. It placed added restrictions and penalties as to hours of sale and to whom sales could be made. For instance, sales to minors result in severe suspensions or outright cancellation of the license by the Liquor Control Board. Sales must stop at midnight on week days and cannot be made before 1:00 P. M. on Sundays.

The Legislative gave the cities the right to further regulate hours of sale, but not to extend them beyond the hours given above. Incorporated cities have the power to zone the sale of beer in any manner they see fit, and to confine its sale to strictly business districts.

The sale of legal beer brings license fees to the Federal County, City and State governments. Legal beer pays millions of dollars annually to the State and Federal governments. For example, the October report of the Liquor Control Board shows that the State alone collected in revenues from the sale of legal alcoholic beverages sold in Texas during September 1948, the sum of \$2,378,354.05.

State law provides that three-fourths of these State revenues be paid into the Clearance Fund (from which Old Age Pensions are paid,) and one-fourth to the State Available School Fund.

Remember, the bootlegger pays no taxes or license fee and sell his products to anyone who has the money, no matter what his age or condition. He has no license to protect.

Nearby wet counties are attracting business which rightfully belongs to Eastland County merchants and farmers. Our citizens go there, but beer and many other things in these towns.

We sincerely believe that we should vote for legal beer and that conditions would be much improved under our present strict State Laws. We have formed ourselves into a Legal Control Committee, not only for the purpose of seeking to legalize the sale of beer, but to offer our help to our officers and the community in seeing that its sale is kept under wholesome conditions.

We hope you will join us by voting for legal sales next Tuesday by scratching the bottom lines on your ballot.

Sincerely yours,

# EASTLAND COUNTY Legal Control Committee



# Attention Eastland County Voters

## We Are Told That That Legal Sale Of BEER Would Be Beneficial To Eastland County —YOU BE THE JUDGE—

### REASONS FOR VOTING AGAINST THE SALE OF BEER

1. Because legitimate business would suffer through waste of money on Beer.
2. Because Beer would impose additional burdens upon the taxpayers-additional officers would be needed to patrol and enforce regulations.
3. Because legal sale of Beer would help the bootlegger, giving him better opportunity for-sale-of-whiskey.
4. Because Beer drinking and Beer selling should not and cannot be raised to a position of respectability.
5. Because Beer is a temptation to our youth. Beer causes juvenile delinquency.
6. Because Beer breeds bad company. Alcohol and organized vice go hand in hand.
7. Because Beer makes drunken drivers.
8. Because Beer creates "Joints" that insult the virtue and modesty of good women.

### REASONS FOR VOTING FOR THE SALE OF BEER.

1 TO SELL BEER

2 TO DRINK BEER

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**CONCLUSION; 8 GOOD REASONS 'AGAINST' 2 SELFISH REASONS 'FOR'**

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**SOME QUESTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ANSWERED BY THE 'WETS'**

**WHO**

Is The Legal Control Committee Of Eastland County Asking For Beer To Be Sold in Our County? Does It Represent The People Of Eastland County Or The Breweries? When Was It Organized? Where Was It Organized?

- \* DO YOU KNOW -- THE EFFECT OF ALCOHOL ON THE DRINKER?
- \* DOES BEER KEEP POVERTY FROM THE DOOR?
- \* DOES BEER KEEP HOMES PEACEFUL AND KIND?
- \* DOES BEER MAKE A MAN A BETTER DRIVER?

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THE LIQUOR INDUSTRY IS UNSCRUPULOUS. WE BELIEVE THE BREWERIES ARE BEHIND THE MOVEMENT TO LEGALIZE BEER IN EASTLAND COUNTY. DO NOT BE MISLED BY LAST MINUTE DECEITFUL WET PROPAGANDA.

# VOTE AGAINST LEGALIZING THE SALE OF BEER NOV. 2.

**Eastland County United Drys**