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Floods Ravage Southern States



Waiting for an evacuation boat, an Ensley, Alabama, family sit patiently on the porch as they view their automobile which is almost completely inundated by flood waters. Three days of torrential rain caused the rivers to overflow banks and hundreds of families in Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee were forced to leave their homes. — (NEA Telephoto).

Mountain Top Rites Held For T. F. Johnson

Funeral services were conducted at 4:30 Sunday afternoon at Mountain Top for Thomas F. Johnson, pioneer Eastland County stock-farmer, who died from a heart attack Thursday evening while attending church services at Mission church in Cisco. Rev. H. L. Gilbert, Mountain Top Pastor, officiated assisted by Rec McCleskey of Rising Star and Rev. Leeman Anderson of Cisco. Wiley Gingham Bros. Funeral Home of Rising Star was in charge of funeral arrangements.

A native of Arkansas, the deceased had spent most of life in Eastland county. He and his wife, the former Miss Finn, were the parents of six children, two of whom and their mother, preceded him in death.

Surviving are three sons: Carl of Rising Star, Jim of Rising Star, and Blanton of Sacramento, California; and a daughter, Mrs. Bill Stephenson of Patricia. Also surviving are two brothers, E. Johnson of Cisco, and John Johnson of Fort Worth; three sisters: Mrs. Lee Hogan of Carbon, Mrs. Wiley Smith of Brownwood and Mrs. Lon Reed of Odessa, and seven grand-children.

Converted to Christianity early in life the deceased became a member of the Baptist church, later associating himself with the Pentecostal church in which he was a devoted worker and a member of the church in Cisco.

Burial was beside his wife in the cemetery at Long Branch.

Frost Damages Vegetable Crops

BY UNITED PRESS
The lower Rio Grande Valley and the Winter Garden area were blanketed with layers of frost today and vegetable growers feared that damage to crops may be extensive.

While temperatures were considerably warmer over most of the state than yesterday's seasonal lows, the cold wave pushed deep into the lower valley to send the mercury to 31.5 degrees at McAllen and 24 at Crystal City in the Winter garden section.

Scattered light frost was reported in the Brownsville area and a moderate frost was seen around McAllen.

4-H Winners Named

CHICAGO, Nov. 30 (UP)—The National 4-H Congress today announced 16 winners in food preparation, canning, and animal-raising competition.

The Congress awarded \$200 scholarships to each.

Those honored for food preparation included Nadine Blair, 18, Hamilton, Mr., and Dona Hendry, 16, Blackwell, Tex.

Winners of the animal-raising contest included Ewell Bickham, Jr., 17, Jackson, La.; and Harry Lee Schneider, 18, Seguin, Tex.

18-Year-Olds Still Eligible For Marine Corps

The Marine Corps is still enlisting young men of eighteen for a one year tour of duty, Master Sergeant William L. Poole, Marine Recruiter at the Eastland County Courthouse announced today.

Quotas for regular 3 and 4 year enlistments are being filled early in the month but the regular Marine Corps still has some openings for eighteen year olds and ex-Marines.

From 4 to 9 months of formal schooling are being offered to one year enlistees in the Marine Corps.

Service school facilities and quotas in both ground and aviation fields have been increased to allow a high percentage of young men to receive specialist training.

These young leathernecks will receive 10 weeks of basic training under the guidance of the best instructors in the Marine Corps, veteran non-commissioned officers especially trained for this work. Recruits then receive leave and upon return are assigned schools and duty as best suited to the inclination of the young leatherneck.

Schools are available in nearly all the fields of civilian and military endeavor such as: Clerical, Engineer, Ordnance Repair, Automotive Repair, Supply Clerical, Photographic, Electronics, Aviation, Cooking and Baking.

U. S. Navy Plane Wreck Located

ALGECIRAS, Spain, Nov. 30 (UP)—A U. S. Navy plane which had been missing a week on a flight from Gibraltar to Port Lyautey, in Morocco, was found crashed and burned in the mountains near here today.

The two crewmen and three passengers were burned to death. Their bodies were found in the wreckage.

Spanish search planes spotted the wreckage of the American plane, a twin-engine Beechcraft transport, yesterday and notified the U. S. Consul at Gibraltar. Ground parties reached the plane today.

The search parties were unable to identify the victims, since the bodies were burned badly, but an American traveler said he believed the passengers were U. S. Naval Commander Wendell H. Froling, his wife Catherine, and their 9-year-old daughter Marguerite.

Mrs. Thomas Judge, who was en route from Gibraltar to Madrid, said she had sailed with the Frolings from New York to Gibraltar. She believed they were from New Orleans, but that Froling recently had been stationed at the University of Rochester.

It was believed that the plane encountered a violent rainstorm, and struck the mountain peak in poor visibility.

Final Rites For Mrs. Burns Held November 24th

Mrs. Edna Elizabeth Burns, member of a pioneer Eastland County family, passed away at a Gorman hospital on November 22 and was laid to rest in the Simpson cemetery near Kokomo on November 24, beside two of her children. He home was at Olden.

Funeral services were held at Hamner's Funeral Home in Eastland with Claud C. Smith, officiating.

Mrs. Burns was born Elizabeth Jones on Oct. 11, 1873, in Limestone County, Texas. She married Walter Gillis and to this union four children were born only one of whom, Dan W. Gillis of Olden, survives.

Some years after the death of Mr. Gillis, the deceased married W. M. Burns, on June 25, 1911, who died in 1930. To this union two children were born as follows: W. M. Burns of Olden and Mrs. O. E. Estelle of Oklahoma City.

Among the survivors of Mrs. Burns are five brothers: G. W. (George) Jones of Eastland, E. H. Jones of Gorman, J. N. Jones of Abilene, D. H. Jones of Colorado City, and Richard Jones of Los Angeles. (The California brother was the only one of her family who did not get to attend the funeral. Two sisters, Mrs. W. J. McNeese of Carbon and Mrs. J. L. McGaha of Roby.

Three grandchildren and two two great grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Burns professed religion in early childhood and was a member of the Church of Christ. Her membership at the time of her passing being with the church at Olden.

Oregon May Train In Mineral Wells

MINERAL WELLS, Tex. Nov. 30 (UP)—Negotiations are under way for the University of Oregon football team to train in Mineral Wells the final 10 days before its appearance in the Cotton Bowl against Southern Methodist, it was learned today.

Mineral Wells, a resort center in rolling hill country, is about 80 miles west of Dallas, site of the New Year's Day classic.

It has an excellent football field and ample hotel accommodations and would afford the Oregon team a chance to work out in climate comparable to that in Dallas.

21 SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS



Wanna know a swell gift for a rabbit, Doc? Give him a brush to brush his hare!

Large Crowd Is Expected For I. Q. Benefit Show

The Promotion Committee for the Teen Canteen Benefit show in Eastland tonight has reported that a large crowd is expected at the High School Auditorium when the doors are opened for the I. Q. Jambooree, starring the former Dr. I. Q. of radio fame, now known in Eastland County as Father Jim McClain, and featuring a quiz program with hundreds of dollars worth of merchandise awards, cash and valuable prizes, and presenting as an extra attraction the music of the Eastland High School Orchestra, with Mr. Atwood, band director conducting.

The former radio star announced that most of the questions to be used on the quiz show will be built around local history, local personalities and local events. There will be a "mystery voice" recorded on wire recording of a voice of a citizen well-known to nearly everyone in the county, and each contestant will have an opportunity to identify the "mystery-voice" and be awarded the radio offered as a prize.

In addition to the "mystery-voice" feature there will be a Biographical Sketch of a famous Eastland County resident, a thought twister of local interest and a number of questions related to the business enterprises and folk lore of the county.

Tickets to the show have been made available at only 50c, the entire proceeds to go to the purchase of a building for the use of the Youth Canteen of the county. A choice section of seats is being reserved for those who will purchase tickets at the door for the show that begins at 7:30 tonight.

Announcers for the program are Earl Francis, John D. Harvey, Earl Conner, Neil Day and Oscar L. y e r j a. Promotion chairman James B. Lewis has announced that over \$200 in cash has been donated before ticket sales began, and that the total value of the merchandise awards runs in the hundreds of dollars. Sponsors who have donated to the program include Faircloth Service Station, Collins Dry Cleaning Co., Allen Texaco Station, Majestic Cafe, Burns Texaco Station in Olden, Modern Dry Cleaners, Macks Service Station, Meads Bakery in Abilene, Davis-Maxey Drug, Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., Burrs Store, Jack Muirhead Co., Perry Bros., Corner Drug, Willy Willys Furniture, Pullmans Store, Home Furniture Co., Coca-Cola Bottling Co., Eastland Furniture Co., Holifield Firestone Co., Piggly Wiggly Co., McGraw Motor Co., Clover Farm Store, Wilsons Variety, A. & P. Store, Texas Electric Co., Jim Horton Co., W. Q. Verner, Grimes Bros., Western Auto Store, King Motor Co., Carl Johnson, D. L. Houle Shop, Ed Wittrup Flower Shop, Eastland Drug, H. J. Heinz Co., Toombs-Richardson Drug, Koen Auto Service, Clyde Grissom, John Turner, Texas Lightweight Aggregate Co., Eastland Creamery, M. S. Long, John Harvey, S. W. Bell Telephone Co., Crowell Lumber Co., Ben Hamner, Johnny Aaron, Carl Hoffman, Joe Weaver, Cyrus Frost, D. L. Kinnaird, Virgil Love, Ed Freyschlag, Joe Stephens Printing Co., Eastland County Sheriff's Office, Monk Sign Co., Wade Massengale, Guy Parker, Fullen Plumbing Co., F. W. Graham Service Station, Lamb Motor Co., Connellee Hotel, Osborne Motor Co., Victor Cornelius, A. B. Cornelius, Eastland Telegram, Eastland High School.

Phone Strike Vote To Be Announced

FORT WORTH, Tex. Nov. 30 (UP)—Results of a strike ballot being taken by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. union workers in five states will be announced before wage negotiations are resumed Dec. 8.

GUEST SPEAKER



Railroad Commissioner Olin Culberson, above, was guest speaker before a joint meeting of the Eastland Rotary and Lions clubs meeting today at noon at the Eastland First Methodist church.

Olin Culberson Speaks At Joint Meeting Of Clubs

Olin Culberson, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, was the guest speaker today at a joint meeting of the Eastland Rotary and Lions clubs and spoke on Democracy.

Commissioner Culberson was introduced by Fred Brown.

Mr. Culberson said in part: In the rush, the hurry, and the competition for material gain that is now so pronounced in American life, I greatly fear the individual citizen is losing all sense of proportion and avoiding his responsibilities of taking a part in the conduct of his governmental affairs.

Under our form of government it is absolutely necessary that each individual concern himself in the preservation of the fundamentals of our representative form of government. If democracy is to survive this action on the part of the individual is absolutely mandatory.

Nothing in this world will ever destroy democracy so long as the people themselves will remain interested in and do their part toward assuring its safety; but if they leave that interest and that safety in any other hands but their own—nothing can save it. The founding fathers of this country very deliberately framed their government with the view of remaining the masters of it, and not of being mastered by it, and I am firmly of the opinion that they are not yet willing, if they will but stop to think to advocate that high responsibility in favor of a bureaucratic government.

If we will but renew our faith in the fundamental principles in which this great democracy of ours was founded and if we will but insist upon the preservation of the high principles which have brought us to our present state of power, we will pass on to posterity, this the finest form of government under which man has ever lived. If we neglect to maintain those principles and trade them off for materialism—a mess of pottage—there is no hope for its survival because the deterioration of any government always begins through and by the decay of its principles.

Guests at the luncheon which was held at noon in the basement of the First Methodist Church were members of the two clubs, visiting Lions and Rotarians from surrounding towns and oil men of Eastland.

Postoffice Pint-Sized

PLAINVILLE, O. (UP)—Plainville boasts a neat little brick postoffice believed to be the smallest new structure in the United States erected for postal use. The building measures 9 1/2 feet wide by 11 feet long. Four trains daily bring mail to this fourth class postoffice and four other take it away.

GOV'T PLANNING SWIFT EVACUATION; U S ORDERS DEPENDENTS TO MANILA

Texas Cattleman Halts Wild Steer At Stock Show

CHICAGO, Nov. 30 (UP)—An enraged steer which leaped a fence into the midst of terrified spectators at the International Livestock show was bulldozed and subdued last night by a heroic Texas stockman.

Police said the quick thinking and courage of Floyd Jenkins, 48, Fort Worth, Texas, cattle breeder, averted panic and possible death among the spectators.

Ten-thousand spectators were watching a demonstration of how a cowboy cuts out a steer from a herd. Suddenly the exhibition turned into a real life drama when the 800-pound Hereford yearling shied, ran toward the crowd and leaped the five-foot fence separating the spectators from the arena.

Jenkins, riding Sugar, a famous exhibition quarter horse, spurred his mount to the fence. Leaping from the saddle he cleared the fence and landed on the steer's neck. Digging his hands into the animal's eyes, he bulldozed it in true rodeo style, smashed its head against the fence to stun it, then led it subdued back into the arena.

Eastland Rites For L. H. Hurst Wednesday 3 P.M.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Eastland First Baptist Church for Luther Hays Hurst, 71, who died at 8:45 Monday morning at the West Texas Clinic at Ranger, after a few days illness. Rev. L. M. Chapman, pastor of the Eastland church, will officiate. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery with Hamner's of Eastland in charge.

Survivors include five sons as follows: W. V. and Pete of Eastland, Leo and L. W. of Odessa; and Greer of Seymour; four daughters as follows: Mrs. Herbert Morrison of Odessa, Mrs. Joe Patterson, Eunice, New Mexico, Mrs. Floyd Elkins and Mrs. C. W. Punderburgh of Eastland. A brother, Arson Hurst address unknown, and a sister, Seventeen grand children, three step-grandchildren and one great step-grandchild.

The deceased was born near Birmingham, Alabama, in 1877 and had lived in Eastland county since early childhood. He was a farmer until retiring a few years ago.

NANKING, Nov. 30 — (UP) — Chinese Communists began a pincers movement on Nanking today which appeared to doom Chiang Kai-Shek's capital to early capture — perhaps within a few days.

So urgent was the situation that the Chinese Nationalist government laid plans for swift evacuation, and the American embassy directed dependents to be ready to fly to Manila Thursday.

Shanghai, the Chinese city best known to foreigners and one of the world's great ports, appeared doomed also. Loss of Nanking would mean capture of the great port some 200 miles to the southeast within a matter of days or a few weeks at most, observers believed.

A Chinese official revealed that Nationalist planes and warships have been ordered to be ready to leave the Yangtze River and Shanghai harbor areas within 10 days for Formosa. All government departments were preparing to move, probably to Canton, some 800 miles to the south.

American military observers estimated only a few days ago that Nanking might be held as long as one or even

two months. But the speed with which Communist spearheads were driving on the city forced revision of this estimate.

Nationalist forces posted to guard the northern approach to the capital appeared to have been outmaneuvered, if not outfought.

The so-called "great victory" in which Nationalist forces beat off the Communist threat to Su-chow, 200 miles northwest of Nanking, appeared to have been arranged. Communist forces flowed around Su-chow, encircling it and cutting off nearly 150,000 Nationalist troops there.

Rushing southward along the Su-chow-Nanking rail line, the Communists were at the gates of Pengpu, 105 miles north of Nanking and the last bastion before the Yangtze and the capital. Reports from Pengpu said gunfire could be heard in the city, which was only thinly defended despite the arrival there of some Nationalist troops who escaped from Manchuria when that rich area fell to the Red Forces.

Communist spearheads meantime moved to the Yangtze both east and west of Nanking. Seventy miles to the east of the capital, which is on the south bank of the great river, Communist forces appeared to be feeling for a soft spot at which to cross the two-mile-wide stream.

Should they succeed in doing so in force, the Nanking escape route by river and railroad to Shanghai would be cut.

Neutrals in Nanking, including American officials, frankly feared a Communist uprising here as Red Forces near the city. The Communists were believed to have a strong fifth column here, prepared to set off rioting and street fighting. U. S. officials directed American citizens to come to the embassy and be prepared to remain there if trouble should break out suddenly.

American Marines were on guard at the embassy and at the home of U. S. Ambassador J. Leighton Stuart.

"It is hopeless to speak of saving Shanghai and Nanking, or anything north of the Yangtze for several hundred miles inland from Shanghai," one military expert said.

"There is still time for Chiang to get his planes, his ships and his government offices safely moved. If he moves south far enough, perhaps to Canton, and reorganizes vigorously with new American aid, there may be a chance to turn the tide before the Communist control all China."

THE WEATHER

East Texas — Fair this afternoon and tonight, not so cold in east and south portions tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness, occasional rain in extreme south portion. Moderate east to south-east winds on coast.

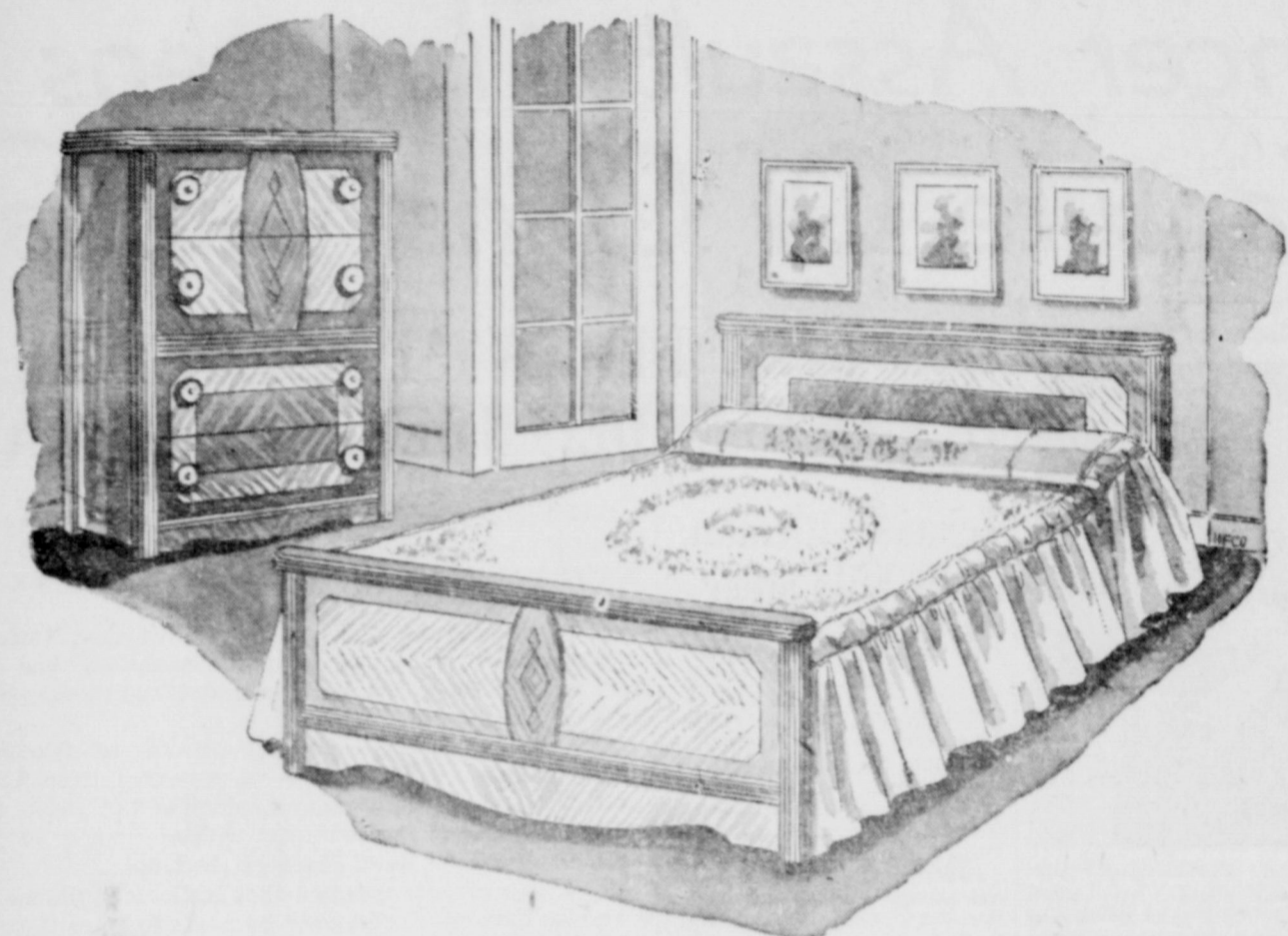
West Texas — Fair this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature.

4-H Club Leadership Winners



The 1948 winners of the 4-H Club Leadership program hold the trophies presented to them at Chicago. Left to right: Alvin G. Davis, 21 of Post, Texas, boy winner; Edward F. Wilson, donor of award; and Alice Gilliam, 20, of Newport, Arkansas, girl winner. — (NEA Telephoto).

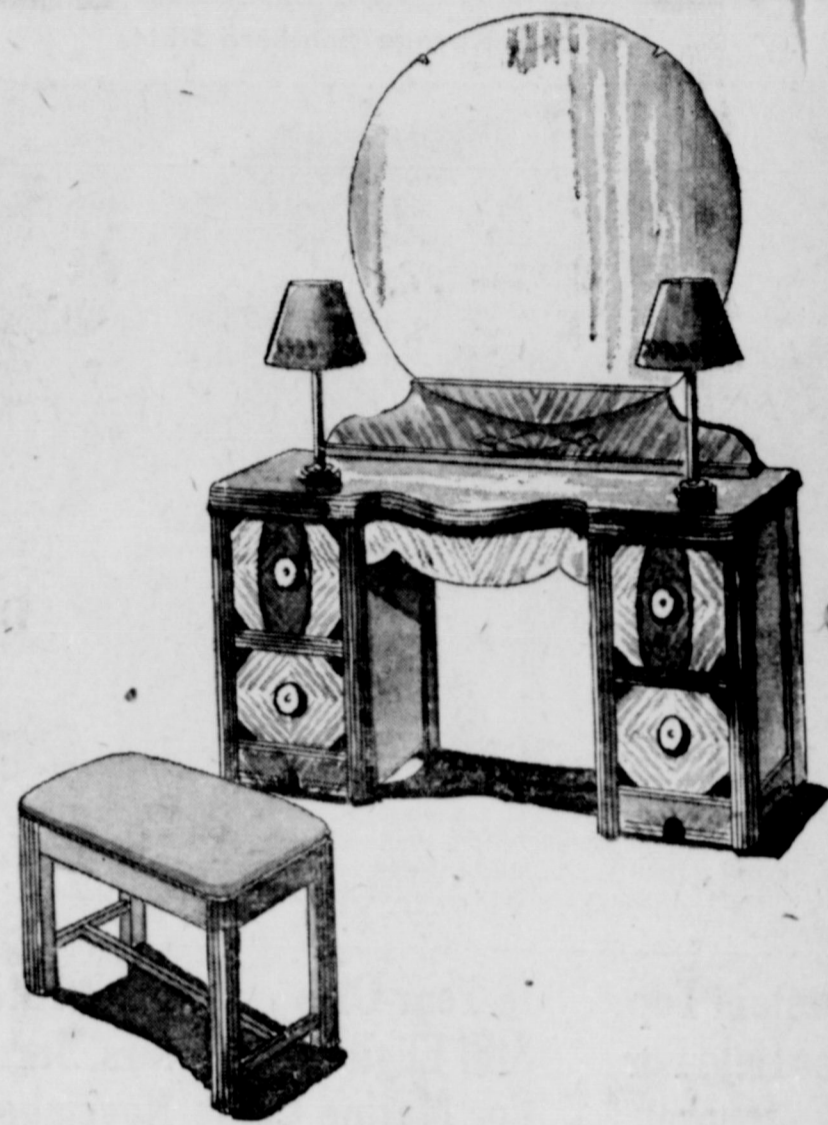
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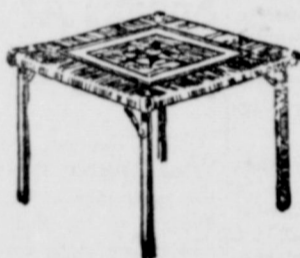
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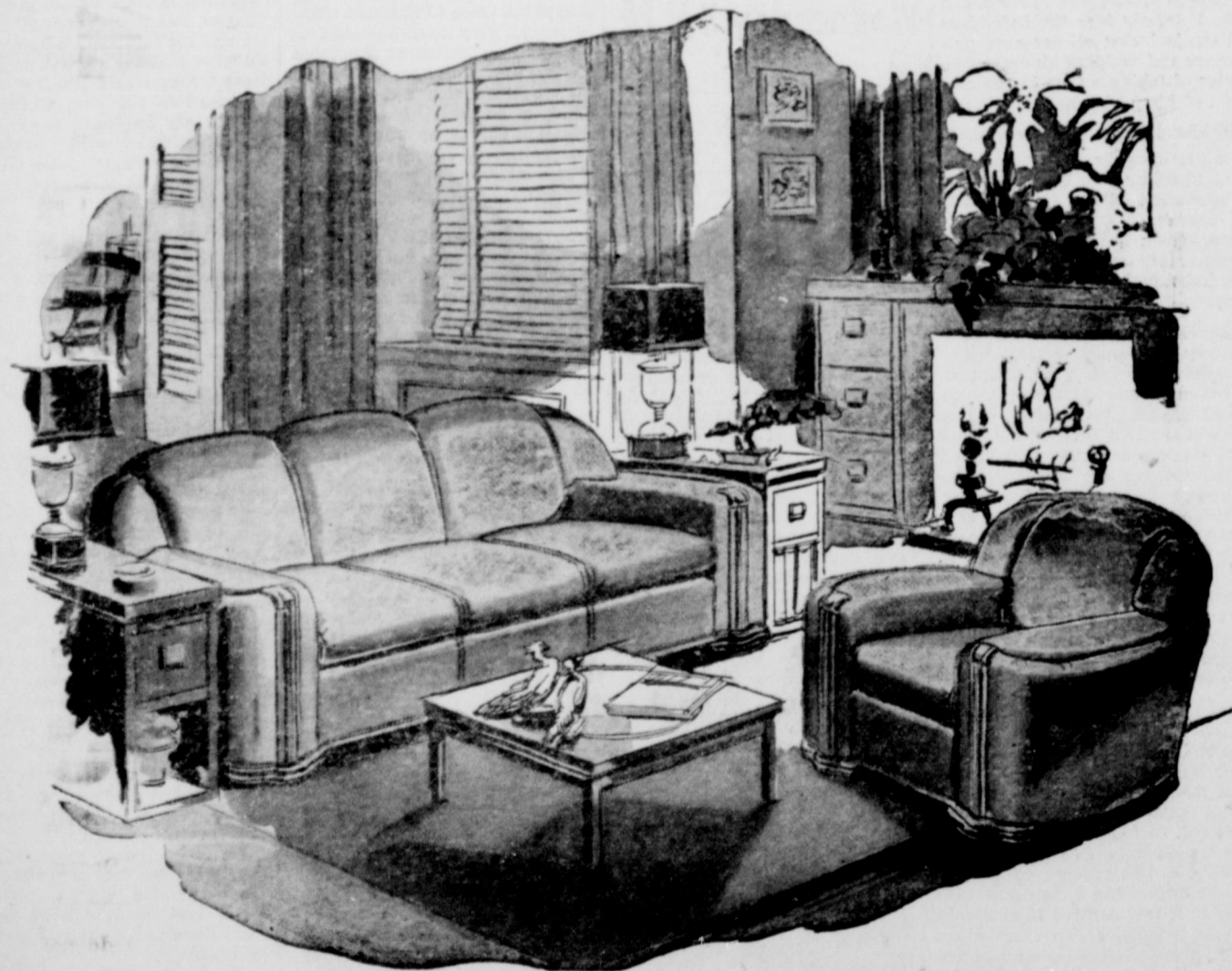
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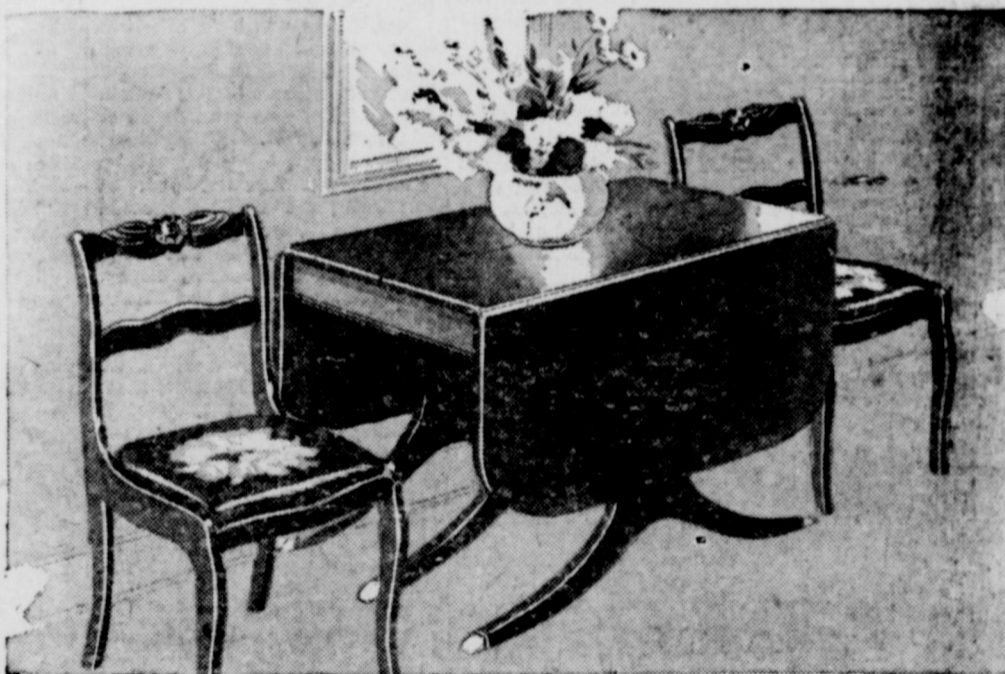
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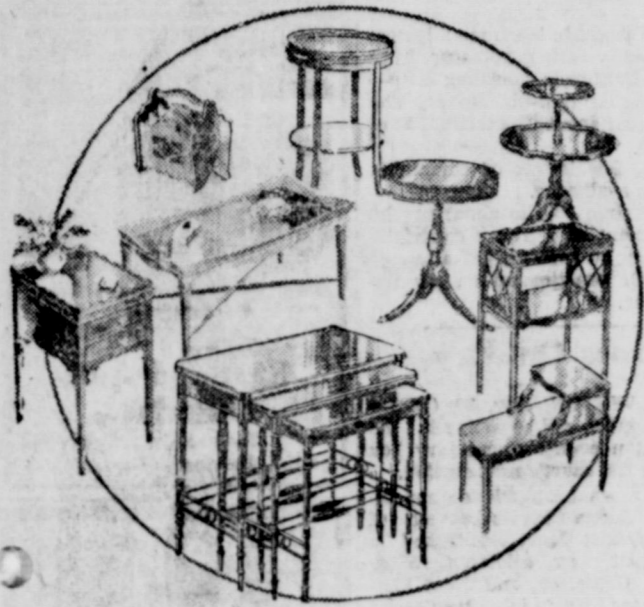
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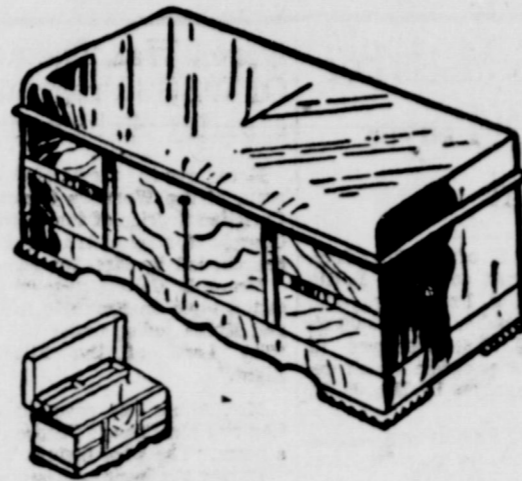
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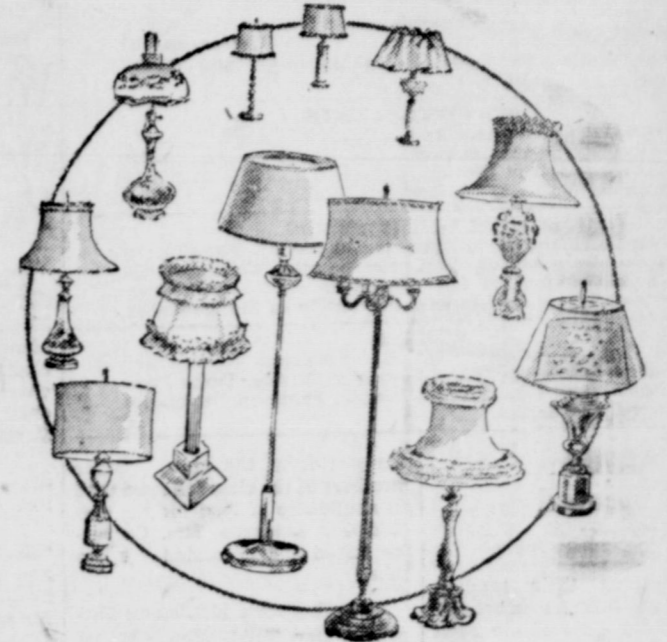
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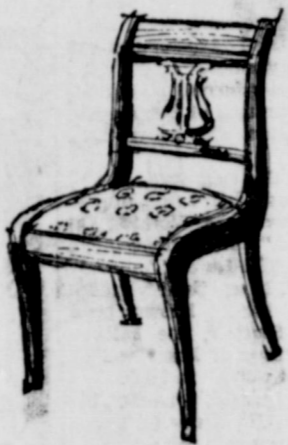
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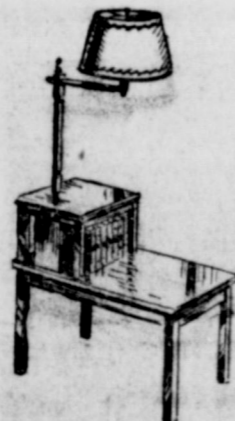
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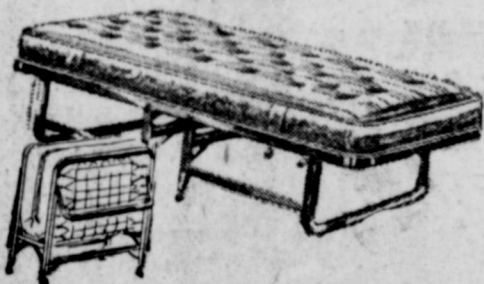
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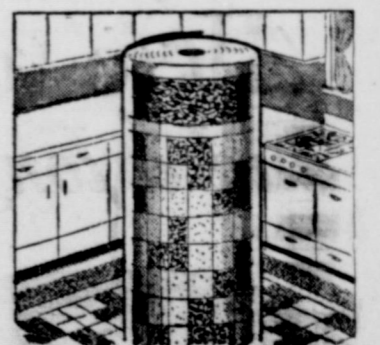
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Mrs. Smitham Complimented On Birthday

Complimenting their teacher, Mrs. N. L. Smitham, members of the Friendship class of the First Christian Church, had a surprise birthday luncheon Monday at noon in the home of Mrs. Smitham in Hillcrest.

Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, president of the class entered the home with a large white frosted cake all decorated with sunshine yellow and blue, just behind her was Mrs. Eugene Day with a Bible which was

the gift from the class. Other members of the class followed with an abundance of food for the covered dish luncheon. Mrs. Carpenter baked and decorated the cake.

Attending were Mesdames: Carpenter, Day, Todd, Winnie Wynn, E. E. Wood, Clara Wingate, Christine Beskow, T. A. Bendy, Fred Maxey, L. C. McNatt, J. R. Gilbreath, Ewing Baker, and honoree. Calling in the afternoon were Mrs. J. C. Koen, Mrs. Homer Williams and her mother Mrs. Horn.

Proves Her Point

SALEM, N. H. (UP)—The town's one-man police force should be expanded, Mrs. Anne M. Noyes argued at a board of trade meeting. The next day, Mrs. Noyes who operates a meat market, had evidence to support her argument. Her butcher shop had been broken into and looted of cash and food.

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W. M. S. Meets For Week Of Prayer Program

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met for the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer program, Monday, November 29 at 10:00 o'clock. Mrs. J. F. Goldson was in charge of the program which opened with a prayer by Mrs. H. F. Vermillion.

Mrs. E. M. Pritchard gave the devotional for the morning session.

The subject for the day was, "Mission Work in Foreign Fields and How This Work is Helped by Our Lottie Moon Christmas Offerings and Our Prayers." Parts were given by Mesdames: J. H. Hart, Prudie Brashiers, Frank Lovett, and Dorset, concerning our mission work in Japan, Mexico and Latin America.

Prayers were given by Mesdames: L. D. Harris, Brown and Vermillion. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

Rev. L. M. Chapman gave the devotional for the afternoon session, with parts given by Mesdames: Vermillion, Jess Siebert, W. C. Fielman, Harris and Winston Boles, concerning mission work in Nigeria and a part of the Christmas story.

A prayer was given by Mrs. Lovett with Mrs. Brown giving the closing prayer.

Present other than those already mentioned were: Mesdames: J. L. Waller, Lewis Barber, Victor Edwards, L. D. Williams, Holmes, Howard Upchurch and Miss Susie Naylor. The W. M. S. meets next Monday at 1:30 p. m. at the church for prayer service and business meeting.

Business Women's Circle Meets, Has Mexican Supper

Monday night, November 29, the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Miss Christine Garrard, 608 West Commerce, for a Mexican Supper and business session. The opening prayer was offered by Mrs. Lorene Crawford. After the delicious supper, a short business meeting was held and such bus-

Korea Was Theme Of WSCS Program Monday Afternoon

Korea was the theme of the program of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, Monday afternoon at the church, led by Mrs. Ina Bean.

Mrs. Bill Walters gave an interesting topic on Korea in the past and Korea today, under the title, "The Land of the Flickering Light."

Mrs. Annie Day gave the devotion and Mrs. Tonsie Johnson read a poem, "The Door Swings Wide". During the business session conducted by Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president, plans were discussed for the Christmas party and the serving of two banquets in the near future.

Present were, Mesdames: H. L. Hassell, M. B. Titsworth, W. G. Marquardt, O. O. Mickie, Tonsie Johnson, Annie Day, L. C. Brown, W. F. Davenport, J. A. Doyle, C. B. Frost, John D. McRae, E. R. Townsend, C. G. Stinchcomb, Milburn S. Long, O. M. White, Margaret Welch, Frank Castleberry, W. M. Haymes, Walters, B. O. Harrell, Ida B. Foster, Ed F. Willman, T. L. Fagg, W. H. Mullings, J. M. Perkins, A. G. Gleason.

Beta Phi Sorority Dined At Coffee Shop Monday Eve.

Public Safety Drive was the principle topic for discussion at the meeting of the Beta Phi Chapter of Epsilon Alpha, Monday evening when the chapter dined at the Connelle hotel coffee shop.

Mrs. Crosby Hammons, who is the proud mother of a daughter was extended a warm welcome on her return to the Chapter.

Present at the meeting were Mesdames: Everett Plovman, O. B. Shero, Lynn Lovelace, Johnie Aaron, Crosby, Hammons, Johnie Craig, and Jackie Morton, Misses: Clariece Carter and Helen Lucas.

ness as the Thanksgiving Basket, the Christmas Party, and an offering of \$230 was made for the Sun Beams.

Those present were: Mrs. Mildred Amis, Miss Florence Barber, Miss Sammie Bisbee, Miss Verne Allison, Miss Betty Jo Carroll, Mrs. Lorene Crawford, Mrs. Wynelle Durden, Mrs. Hazel Green, Mrs. McBea, the hostess, Christine Garrard, and her mother, Mrs. Garrard.

Personals

Mrs. Gurney and daughter, Miss Fern, of Cisco were shopping in Eastland Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Williams and daughter, Wanda, spent Sunday in Ft. Worth with Mrs. Horn's sister, Mrs. Webb.

Mrs. J. F. Collins and Mrs. Joe Stephen were Fort Worth visitors recently.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Wood were their children Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mayfield of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon B. Roth of Breckenridge, Miss Naomi Wood of Abilene Christian College and Glen Wood of Cisco Junior College.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer were Mrs. Ruth Speer and two daughters, Jane and Kay of Port Neches and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hines of Fort Worth. Mrs. Speer and Mr. Hines are sister and brother of Mrs. Plummer.

Mrs. W. C. Whaley who returned home Sunday from Harris hospital in Fort Worth, is doing nicely. Mrs. Whaley underwent major surgery two weeks ago.

J. M. Cooper who is in the West Texas Clinic in Ranger is doing fine, Mrs. Cooper said Tuesday, (this morning.)

Miss Helen Lucas was a guest of Mrs. Leola Clere in Big Spring from Wednesday of last week through Sunday. Mrs. Clere is an aunt of Miss Lucas.

Glen Wood was in Arlington Thanksgiving and over the past week-end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mayfield and attended the wedding of Miss Marilyn Perkins and Eddie Murrell Rusk, both of Arlington, who were married at the Presbyterian church, Saturday evening. The couple are friends of the M. A. Yields.

Red Men Red Faced DURANT, Okla. (UP)—The faces of 25 Indians were really red here after they got lost in the woods they are traditionally supposed to know. Even their excuse was pale—they got lost after they relied on a white man to lead them back from a tribal council weiner roast.

Weed tree stumps do not respond to poisoning as they lack a complete circulatory system to spread the poison.

CARD OF THANKS

May we express our appreciation and thanks for your many kind expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Ada Burns. May God bless each of you is our prayer.

DAN W. GILLIS,
D. W. BURNS
MRS. O. E. ESTELLE

He Learned The Hard Way But Won't Trample Texas Toes Again

By Harman W. Nichols
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 (UP)—The eyes of Texas are upon me, and darn near every eye has a dagger aimed by way.

It's all on account of a story I wrote. It was supposed to be mainly about the Washington, D. C. pro football team's theme song, "Hail To The Redskins." I said it was a steal from a lot of other tunes. It is. But I made the mistake of starting the yarn off with the allegation that "Eyes of Texas" is a theft, too. And is, so far as the music is concerned.

What I should not have said, though, is that the song is the state anthem. It is not. Or that anybody wearing a 10 gallon hat or a 6 1-2 gallon one ever claimed the music was original.

The Longview, Tex., News Journal came out with a scorching editorial. It suggested that had I looked at page 114 of the Texas Almanac I would have learned that the state song is "Texas, Our Texas."

The News-Journal editorial writer also guessed that I'm probably wearing a red face. He's a good guesser.

Another snip came from radio station WFAA. The announcer called me a "Furriner."

The station referred the curious to Mr. Ed Nummalls of San Angelo, Tex., the "man who copyrighted the song."

Mr. Nummally said sure, like I said, the music had something to do with "I've Been Working On The Railroad," and "I've Been Working On The Levee."

"But," Mr. N. continued, "those tunes were hardly known until John Lang Sinclair, the beloved author of "Eyes of Texas" wrote the immortal words" in 1903.

The song, he said, correctly, belongs to the University of Texas. Mr. Sinclair wrote the words on a slip of brown wrapping paper. Mr. Sinclair composed it for a minstrel show in Austin.

the first two members of their race to serve on a grand jury in Galveston county at the same time. On previous occasions, one negro has served on the jury.

There are several instances on record of voracious bluefish that have driven schools of menhaden on to the shore until they were piled up knee deep.

In 1936, after a long drawn-out scrap, the words were copyrighted in the name of the Student's Association of the University of Texas.

That ought to teach me a lesson. I've made a little good-natured fun of the California sunshine; ditto—the Florida rain—in season. The Minnesota snow. The dustbowl of Kansas.

I got few letters of complaint. But no avalanche.

Next time I write about any infringement of a Texas copyright, you may be sure I'll get a lawyer first. Or practice up on my six-shooting.

Negroes On Jury

GALVESTON, Nov. 30 (UP)—Two negroes will be sitting in the Galveston county grand jury box during the court's next session.

A three-man commission appointed by Judge Charles Dibrell of 56th District Court established a precedent by selecting Wiley White, Galveston, and John Martin, Texas City, to join other grand jury members.

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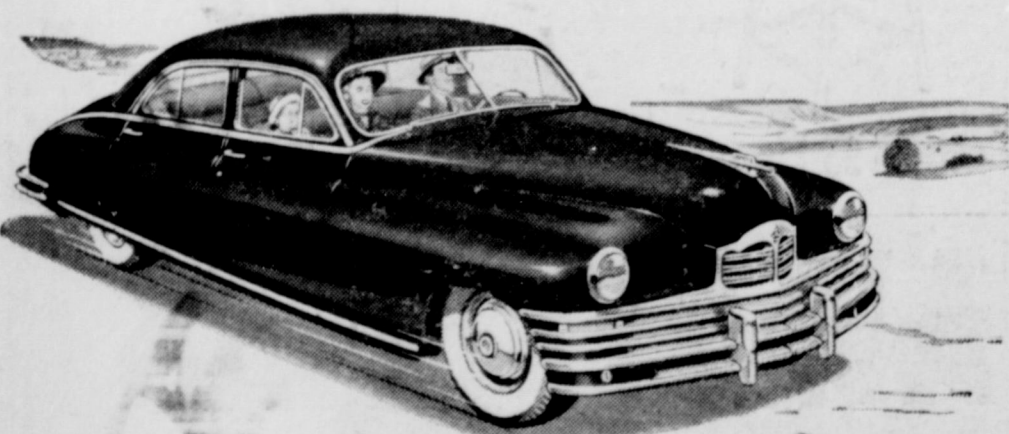
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EASTLAND COUNTY

Lone Star Producing Co. No. 3 G. W. Daniels, E offset to Kleiner Mississippi production 2 mi NE Cisco, 330 from S and 1,100 from E line of N-2 Sec. 81 Blk. 4 H&T Sur. 4,250 R.

Operator: Lone Star Producing Co., 1915 Wood St., Dallas.
Contractor: Standifry Fryer Drilling Co., Dallas.

Lone Star Producing Co. No. 1 Mary L. Phillips, try for deeper pay in old well 1 1/2 mi NE Cisco, 660 from N and 703 from W line Sec. 80 Blk. 4 H&T Sur. Depth not specified, but due to be Mississippi and possibly Ellenburger.

Operator: Lone Star Producing Co., 1915 Wood St., Dallas.

Remarks: South offset to Kleiner Mississippi production.
R. W. Fair No. 1 Kent et al, discovery offset 6 mi. NW Rising Star, 330 from N and 479 from W line Sub. 13 T. J. Fennell Sur. H. 3,600 R.

Operator: R. W. Fair, Box 689, Tyler, Texas

J. R. Dockery No. 1 John Aaron wildcat 2 1/2 mi SW Eastland, 330 from S&E lines Sec. 4 Blk. 3 H&T Sur. 3,000 R.

Operator: J. R. Dockery, Cleveland, Texas.

Lone Star Producing Co. No. 6 J. E. Kincaid A. 2 mi N Cisco (11-8-48) Gauged 256.08 bbls 42 gvtly oil in 22 hrs through 24-64 choke with 740 lbs on casing and 70 on tubing from 348 perforations in Mississippian reef at 3,904-80.

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Griffin A. Kirk field location 3 1/2 mi E Gorman, 330 from S and 717 from E line of B. I. Griffin tract in Wm. DeMoss Sur. 2,900 R.

Operator: Coast Oil Corp., Box 489, Alice, Texas. (Petroleum Bldg., Eastland.)

Sessions & Kirk No. 2 J. C. Wood, 2 1/2 mi E Gorman (11-8-48) Gauged 124 bbls 41 gvtly oil in 24 hrs through 16-24 choke with 520 lbs on casing and 200 on tubing from 24 perforations at 2,790-2,835.

CALLAHAN COUNTY

Harley Sadler No. 1 Helen Wood, production offset 2 mi N Clyde, 150 from N and 660 from E line Sec. 68 BBR&C Sur. 2,000 C.

Operator: Harley Sadler, Fulwiler Bldg., Abilene.
Contractor: L. H. Choate, Cisco.

Fowler Farm Oil Corp. No. 1 Aradie Morriset, Morriset pool extension try 6 mi NW Clyde, 150 from S&W lines of SE-4 Sec. 68 Blk. 14 T&P Sur. 2,000 R.

Operator: Fowler Farm Oil Corp., 367 Majestic Bldg., Ft. Worth.

Ungren & Frazier et al No. 1 W. E. Milliron A. 6 mi SW Clyde (11-22-48) D&A 1,668, no shows.

STEPHENS COUNTY

L. C. Harrison No. 3 Henry Compton B. W offset to Ellenburger production 17mi SW Breckenridge, 443 from S and 1,263 from E line of N W-4 Sec. 12 OAL Sur. 4,500 R.

Operator: L. C. Harrison, 1517 Commerce St., Dallas.

Star Oil Co., Inc. No. 1 Robert Jackson, wildcat in old production area 5 mi E Frankell, 1,320 from S and 660 from E-line Sec. 77 Blk. 4 T&P Sur. 3,000 R.

Operator: Star Oil Co., 2310 Mercantile Bank Bldg., Dallas.
Contractor: Mars. Drilling Co., Dallas.

Fred M. Manning, Inc. No. 2 Louisville Trust Co., SE offset to production 15 mi SW Breckenridge, 1,263 from E&S lines TE&L Sur. 2,253, 4,200 R.

Operator: Fred M. Manning, Inc., 1312 Electric Bldg., Ft. Worth, Own rig.

The Texas Co. No. 2 W. T. Moore, 8 mi W Breckenridge (1-20-48) Gauged 57.84 bbls 40.3 gvtly oil in 24 hrs on pump from 72 perforations in Caddo lime at 3,350-38.

Kadane-Griffith Oil Co. et al No. 3 Davis A. 12 mi E Albany (9-6-48) gauged 133.14 bbls 42 gvtly oil in 24 hours with 2%

water on pump from Ellenburger at 4,430-152.

E. H. R. Sabens et al No. 2 Ross Elliott et al, 6 mi NE Moran (10-4-48) Gauged 34 bbls 42.8 gvtly oil in 24 hrs through open tubing with pressures not gauged from Lake sand at 3,679-84. Lake sand discovery.

EASTLAND COUNTY—
November 29th

T. A. Walters No. 1 Brown have set pipe after having gone to the Ellenberger at 3213 feet. However, they bottomed under the Marble Falls and intend treating that structure.

Luling Oil and Gas No. 1 Rumph are running casing at 2900 feet. They drilled through the Marble Falls at this depth.

Luling Oil and Gas No. 1 Moate are perforating from 2840-2830 feet.

Commercial Production No. 1 Park Drilling out the cement on the squeeze job Monday.

Commercial Production No. 5 J. C. Burns is still WOC. They will perforate, in all probability, Tuesday, an drave hopes of not having to use an acid treatment.

Coast Oil No. 3 A Griffin are fixing to run jeep and set pipe at 2818 feet.

D. D. Feldman No. 1 Cooper Grocery are waiting on tanks. They treated the last of the week using 3000 gallons of acid and the well is capable of at least 85 BBLs, according to Mr. Winfrey, who is seeing after the finishing off operation.

R. H. Patterson No. 1 Davis drilling at 1800 feet.

B. F. Gilchrist is moving in for a shallow test to the Strawn at a possible depth of 1800 feet on the Johnson tract about 2 miles North of Eastland.

Potter and Alsbrook No. 2 Kleiner drilling at 2000 feet.

St. John No. 1 Whitesides took a drillstem test from 2742-2754 with no show to speak of. They are drilling ahead.

Hearings Slated
In Oil Close-Ins

AUSTIN, Nov. 30 (UP)—Judge Charles O. Bettis was to hear three suits today in the opening round in injunction suits against the Texas Railroad Commission's close-in orders against alleged flare gas wastage.

Hearings will continue through the week in Judge Bett's 98th District Court.

Hearings set for today included suits by the Humble Oil & Refining Co., concerning production in the Eljerina - Canales - Blucher field, Kleberg and Jim Wells counties; Flour Bluff Oil Corp. and two others in Nueces county; and Sterling Oil Company and five others in the Heyser Field, Calhoun and Victoria counties.

Also scheduled for this morning was a hearing in 53rd District Court on a plea by Humble Oil & Refining Co. for a temporary restraining order to block the effect of the close-in order, which goes into effect Wednesday, Dec. 1.

Humble and the Gulf Oil Co. filed suits Monday against the commission's order, bringing to 17 the total of suits brought against commission close-in order.

Humble's suit was directed against an order affecting the Conroy field in Crane and Ector counties. Hearing on Gulf's suit, against an order affecting the Coldsmith Field in Ector County, was set for Dec. 6.

In another action Monday, Judge J. Harris Gardner of the 53rd District Court granted a temporary restraining order to the McElroy Ranch Company. This marked the third temporary restraining order granted thus far, allowing continued production beyond the Dec. 1 deadline set by the commission's order. Trial of the suit was for Dec. 4.

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Educator Urges New Tideland Legislation

HOUSTON, Nov. 30 (UP)—A leading educator today was advising certain coastal states to petition Congress for protective tideland legislation.

Dean Robert G. Storey of Southern Methodist University, said the Supreme Court's recent decision on the controversial question of who owns tidelands could influence the federal government into claiming other natural resources.

Storey, president of the Texas State Bar Association, was principal speaker at the annual banquet of the 42nd annual convention of the National Association of Attorneys General.

He blamed "a major accumulation of power at Washington" for the Supreme Court ruling which said the federal government owned the rich tidelands off the California coast.

"If the Congress does not pass the necessary legislation to right this judicial wrong, does it not follow that the same principle might enable the federal government to take charge of other minerals and natural resources of our states under the theory that at one time they were a part of the sea?" he asked.

Earlier yesterday, J. Tom Watson, Florida's attorney general and president of the association, recommended creation of a legal bureau in Washington to advise the states in advance on "grasping legislative proposals."

Things Could Be Worse
LAWTON, Okla. (UP)—Maybe things in this "inflationary" day aren't so bad after all, young Lawtonians have decided after hearing recollections of a pioneer woman, Mrs. Abe Farch remembers when she came here in 1901, water was sold from wagons at 20 cents a bucket. Ice cost 10 cents a pound.

More than 8,500,000 acres of land are included in the big timber areas of New Mexico.

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Lufkin Fire Loss Set At \$500,000

LUFKIN, Tex., Nov. 30 (UP)—A fire which raged for almost three hours before being brought under control by a re-inforced Lufkin fire department early today caused an estimated \$500,000 in damages to the Perry Five and -10-Cent Store and other business firms.

The fire first was spotted by police radio squad car at 4:30 A. M., and firemen said it had made considerable headway before they arrived. It was destroyed at the worst fire in the history of this lumber-district city.

The building, located in the city, housed the home office of the Perry Brothers Variety Store, a chain of some 50 five-and-ten-cent stores operating in Texas. Also located in the building were law offices, medical and dental offices, a drug store, and insurance agency and a Montgomery Ward order office.

Records of the variety chain, located in the home offices on the third floor, reportedly were destroyed when the roof of the three-story building fell in. The local five-and-ten-cent store, located on the ground floor, was gutted. Damage to other offices principally was confined to water and smoke.

Firemen were handicapped by the cold and a lack of water pressure. Their early efforts, police chief George Powell said, were confined mostly to keeping the flames from spreading to other portions of the city.

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Golden Gate Bridge Has 107th Suicide

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30 (UP)—The Golden Gate bridge listed its 107th suicide today.

A man identified as G. H. Derr, 51 climbed the railing of the ramp leading to the bridge from the San Francisco side and plunged 75 feet to the ground yesterday afternoon. A passing motorist notified highway patrolmen, who found the body.

Dredging Bids Due

GALVESTON, ex., Nov. 30 (UP)—Bids on a dredging project for five miles of the Houston ship channel, from Baytown to Lynchburg, will be opened here Thursday.

U. S. District Engineers have estimated the cost at \$250,000. The job, designed to restore the channel to its normal 34-foot depth will be completed in about 75 days, engineers believe.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:

Eunice Allen to Magnolia Petroleum company, oil and gas lease.
F. H. Brandstetter to Marvin C. Brandstetter, warranty deed.
B. J. Bourland to The Public, proof of heirship.
James A. Beard to G. T. Coldiron, warranty deed.
Claude Bell to Union Life Ins. Co., release of oil and gas lease.
H. E. Baker to N. T. Mulloy, release of oil and gas lease.
Claude D. Brooks to Annie Taylor, warranty deed.
Royce L. Boyd to Charles S. Sandler, deed of trust.
Bankers Life Co., to John D. Barefield, partial release.
Bankers Life Co., to Frank L. Walker, partial release.
John D. Barefield to State of Texas, right of way.
W. E. Barron to Edward Brown, deed of trust.
W. R. Bennett to The Public, affidavit.
J. W. Cawley to L. M. Abel, quit claim deed.
C. E. Chambliss to W. H. Ezell, oil and gas lease.
G. W. Cooper to W. H. Ezell, oil and gas lease.

C. P. Chick to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust.
Carbon Ind. Sch. Dist. to Eastland National Bank, deed of trust.
C. L. Casey to D. E. Mitchell, release of deed of trust.
H. S. Childress to Roy D. Payne, oil and gas lease.
Dewey Cox, Jr. to Dan Childress, quit claim deed.
Donald S. Chalk to J. W. Stover, warranty deed.
A. A. Craighead to The Public, proof of heirship.
W. T. Dillin to Loss Woods, correction deed.
Dallas Credit Corp. v. H. D. Gorham, et ux, abstract of judgment.
Lois A. Dunn to N. A. Redwine, warranty deed.
Ben R. Day to Mrs. Jessie Martin, transfer of vendor's lien.
John Layton Eppler to Winifred Toombs Eppler, MD.
W. H. Ezell to Tex-Jersey Oil Corporation, assignment of oil and gas lease.
W. H. Ezell to E. A. Ellison, assignment of oil and gas lease.
W. H. Ezell to R. W. Fair, assignment of oil and gas lease.
J. M. Flourney to Charles J. Kliner, MD.
Addie Ferris to Mrs. Effie Loyd, warranty deed.
Federal Land Bank of Houston,

to Elbert Duggan, release of deed of trust.
T. C. Fambro, Jr. to State of Texas, right of way.
J. W. Gressett to E. W. Weisbard, deed of trust.
T. A. Graves to Roy D. Payne, oil and gas lease.
N. C. Gailley to State of Texas, right of way.
L. E. Gray to C. B. Pruet, warranty deed.
W. G. Hampton to W. H. Ezell, oil and gas lease.
A. A. Huntington to The Public, proof of heirship.
J. U. Johnson to Raymond E. Fugua, assignment of oil and gas lease.
J. T. Jobe, to D. J. Jobe, power of attorney.
W. R. King to The Public, proof of heirship.
P. C. Larkin to Roy D. Payne, oil and gas lease.
Lone Star Gas Co., to Homer Platt Brelsford, release.
R. C. Morris to R. Kamon, oil and gas lease.
W. R. Morris to Emma Foster, transfer of vendor's lien.
J. J. Mulloy to Magnolia Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.
Fred K. Moseley to Federal Land Bank of Houston, transfer of assignment.
Carrie L. Moore to C. A. Waters, contract.
Bill Moody to The Public, ce will John A. Middleton to The Public, proof of heirship.
L. H. McCrea to J. M. Flournoy, MD.
J. A. McNeely to W. A. Stiles, oil and gas lease.
E. O. McClain to State of Texas, right of way.
John A. Nowlin to The Public, ce probate.
Lola Nowlin to W. H. Ezell, oil and gas lease.
T. A. Nunn to J. H. Requa, deed of trust.
Troy B. Powell to Bill Bledsoe, warranty deed.
Mrs. Ben Parker to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
William H. Price to John Askew, assignment of oil and gas lease.
N. A. Redwine to Lois A. Dunn, deed of trust.
Dorothy Rushing to Clyde C. Craig, release of lease.
Truman E. Robertson to J. B. Courtney, quit claim deed.
W. S. Ray to Roy D. Payne, oil and gas lease.
J. F. Robertson to Roy D. Payne, oil and gas lease.
Frank Robason to L. E. McGraw, quit claim deed.
Bettie Barlow Stamps to T h e

Public, ce probate.
A. J. Slaughter, Jr., to J. A. Schlueter, lis pendens notice.
James H. Snowden to C. J. Ryan, assignment of oil and gas lease.
James W. Smith to Floyd L. Smith, warranty deed.
James H. Snowden to Joseph A. Zack, assignment of overriding royalty.
State of Texas to C. U. Connelley, ce probate.
Roxie Theous to Peter G. Theous, quit claim deed.
Roxie Ann Theous to Peter O. Theous, release of vendor's lien.
Ben Tandy to E. H. Tandy, power of attorney.
J. C. Timmons to J. U. Johnson, oil and gas lease.
J. C. Timmons to The Public, affidavit.
Dee Thompson to W. H. Ezell, oil and gas lease.
J. A. Trigg to C. P. Chick, warranty deed.
Trout-Hansen Prod. Co. to Ben D. Clower, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Mrs. Latha Woods to R. Q. Marshall, correction deed.
W. B. Wallace to C. C. Adams, royalty contract.
L. A. Warren to J. F. Schlueter, assignment.
H. R. Wyatt to S. W. White, warranty deed.
Mary L. Winston to B. J. Winston, warranty deed.
E. H. Woodley to Kerr-McGee Oil Ind., oil and gas lease.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
The following couples were licensed to wed last week:
Lowell Don Smathers to Doris Lavonne Box, Ranger.
Dewie Hughes Chambers to Mary Louise Morris, Rising Star.
L. J. Fleming to Fay Dillard, Cisco.
Walter Calvin Hardy to Wanda Ruth Nay, Rising Star.
SUITS FILED
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
M. P. Herring, Jr., v. Rose Herring, divorce.
Henry Seale v. J. B. Williams, damages, etc.
A. J. Slayter v. J. A. Schlueter, et al, to remove cloud from title and for damages.
W. D. Wright v. Frances Wright, divorce.
W. T. Booth v. Lone Star Producing Co., damages.
G. K. Denniston v. Eua Wm. Goodfellow, annulment.
Mollie E. Barefield v. Cecil B. Barefield, divorce.
Donnie L. Grimes, et al v. J. B. Herring, suit filed.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS
The following orders and judgments were rendered for the 91st District Court last week:
Clyde Wright v. Frances Ione Wright, judgment.
W. T. Booth v. Lone Star Gas Company, order of dismissal.
Ruby Wood v. Clark Wood, judgment.
Lois Hazard v. Wm. Hazard, judgment.

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LINDY BERRY OVERALL SW OFFENSIVE LEADER

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 30 (UP)—Lindy Berry, Texas Christian's all-purpose back, stole the show in the final Southwestern Conference individual offensive statistics by grabbing off the rushing and total offense titles and finishing third in the passing department.

The hard-working Horned Frog field general, who handled the ball on 325 offensive plays accounted for an overall total of 1,489 yards, made of 783 picked up on 190 rushing plays and 706 on 61 pass completions out of 135 attempted. Oddly enough, he threw no touchdown passes.

His overall gains placed him more than 500 yards ahead of his nearest competitor — a surprise finisher, Gil Johnson of SMU.

Johnson, who led the loop in passing with 1,026 yards on 78 completions out of 128 thrown, had a net rushing total of minus 56 yards for a net overall of 970 yards. The sharp-shooting passer was thrown for losses only seven times during the season for 80 yards in setbacks, but had one running gain of 24 yards. Nine passes were good for scores.

Paul Campbell finished second to Johnson in passing with 893 yards picked up on 59 out of 135, five of which for touchdowns.
Ray Borneman of Texas wound up in second place in rushing with 700 yards, climbing past Clyde Scott of Arkansas, who was idled by injuries the final two games and finished with 670 yards.

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Top pass receiver was TCU's Morris Bailey with 344 yards on 29 catches, followed by Charles Wright of Texas A&M with 33 yards on 25 completions and Ross Pritchard of Arkansas with 296 yards on 17 catches.

Doak Walker of SMU boasted the best punting average, 42.1 yards on 35 kicks. Gordon Long and Harold Cox, both of Arkansas, trailed with averages of 40 and 36.5 yards, respectively.

Bears Rest Up For Bowl Clash

WACO, Nov. 30 (UP)—The Dixie Bowl-bound Baylor Bears started a two week vacation today from their practice field.

But the Bears will return Dec. 13 to start training for their New Year's game at Birmingham, Ala., with Wake Forest, the Baptist terror of the Southern Conference.

Baylor officials said the eBears came out of their 7-7 tie with Rice last Saturday without any new bruises.
Halfback Dudley Parker, who fractured his jaw in the Mississippi game early in the season, was given considerable praise yesterday for his performance against Rice.

Parker accounted for more than half of Baylor's yardage on the ground against the Owls. He appeared briefly in the SMU game two weeks ago, but made his first full duty appearance Saturday since being injured.

Ponca City, Okla., is observing the 200th anniversary of the location of the first white settlement in what is now Oklahoma. It was established 200 years ago by French fur traders.

Rice And Ponies Launch Campaign

BY UNITED PRESS
Rice and Southern Methodist, two of the better-liked clubs in the Southwest Conference basketball race, open their seasons tonight with hopes of getting away to a better start than did the Arkansas Razorbacks last night.

Arkansas was no match for the Phillips Oilers at Bartlesville, Okla., as the potent semi-pro club rang up a 58-40 victory with a last half spurt. The collegians were within four points of the Oilers late in the first half, but couldn't keep the pact and trailed 27-17 at half time.

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Rice journeys to Huntsville against Sam Houston State, while SMU plays host to Texas Wesleyan in Dallas.

Some of Africa's forests are so thick that most animals cannot live in them, and only reptiles, monkeys and birds exist there, the World Book Encyclopedia notes.

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