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Truman Reviews Five Years As President



RECEIVES FIRST HOME LOAN GRANT IN EASTLAND COUNTY—Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Medford, Star Route, are shown taking the first check advanced by the Farmer Housing Administration in Eastland County. Pictured handing the check to Mr. Medford, is Victor W. Post, Acting County Supervisor. The new Medford home will be built three miles west of Okra. (Photo by Lyon).

MEDFORD FAMILY FIRST TO RECEIVE HOUSING LOAN IN EASTLAND CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Medford of Star Route, Carbon, are the first family to receive a housing loan through the Farmers Home Administration in Eastland County. Their new home is to be built three miles northeast of Okra. The loan was closed April 12, and the construction is scheduled to begin in the near future.

the loan is taken as may be necessary to reasonably protect the government's investment.

Reeves Addresses Agriculture Group

"Seasonal growth of pasture grasses, the time of the year that each furnishes the best grazing, the importance of deferred grazing to increase root development, drought resistance, and seed production of various grasses," were the topics upon which Randall Reeves, past president of the Comanche Soil Conservation program, spoke Tuesday night at a meeting held in the Texas Electric Service Company Offices.

He also stressed the importance of a variety of grasses in pastures to assure year-long grazing. He pointed out the losses due to over-grazing in comparison to increased beef production by proper grazing.

M. A. Vann Files For Constable

Mr. M. A. Vann, Eastland, has placed his name in application for the office of Constable, Precinct 1, subject to the caucus of July Democratic Primaries. It marks the first time that Vann has sought a political office.

Wreck Victim Removed To Mt. Pleasant For Burial. Woman Still Unidentified

The body of Thad Earl Stretcher, victim of a double-death automobile accident three miles east of Eastland early Wednesday morning, has been removed to Mount Pleasant for burial, according to Sheriff J. B. Williams. Mrs. T. E. Stretcher, Levelland, wife of the deceased, accompanied the body.

approximately 35 years old, slender built with dark brown hair and eyes. She has a triangular scar which covers the area from her left eye brow and extending into her hair line. It is believed that the scar area covers a silver plate and there are indications that plastic surgery has been performed on the wound.

Still unidentified is the woman occupant of the pickup which struck a trailer-truck as the two vehicles entered the long curve just out of Olden. Stretcher was driving the pickup.

According to sources in McKinney, the woman's name is Mary and she is reported to have worked as a waitress in Big Spring, Colorado City, and Snyder. Anyone knowing a woman of this description is asked to contact J. B. Williams, sheriff of Eastland county. The body of the woman is being held at Hammers Funeral Home pending identification.

Russians Hold Up Two U. S. Military Trains

BERLIN, April 13 (UP)—The Russians held up two U. S. military trains one for 30 minutes and another for three hours during the night—the first interference with allied military trains since mid-March, U. S. officials announced today.

The officials said the trains were running between Berlin and Frankfurt. The westbound train was held Russian checkpoint at Marienborn, 110 miles west of Berlin, when Russian guards objected to the presence aboard of a Polish passenger.

The eastbound train was held up for three hours early this morning when the Russians objected to the presence of a Swiss national aboard. The train finally pulled into Berlin at 10 a. m.

Last March the Russians held up two military trains. A French tank car was impounded on one of them. The other train, a British military train, was delayed 45 minutes because the Russians objected to the presence aboard of a Yugoslav passenger.

Ever since, the Russians have been making close checks of western allied trains passing to and from Berlin and American and British military police have taken added precautions against illicit travelers.

Lover Of Mysteries Finds One In Home

DALLAS, Tex., April 13 (UP)—B. F. Lovelace likes to read mystery stories and last night he curled up with a book in his living room. At 10:30 p. m. he decided to undress and went into a bedroom. He placed his trousers on a chair and returned to his book. That was the beginning of a mystery in his own house.

Later, when he went to bed, he noticed his trousers were not where he left them, but he said he thought nothing of it. Today, he found muddy foot prints in the house. His purse, containing \$5, his car keys, and car were missing.

Police said a burglar sneaked through an open window, took the keys and purse while Lovelace read.

2 Boys Apprehended After Wrecking Car

Two youths who gave their address as Lamesa, were arrested here late Wednesday night after wrecking a car that was reported stolen in Dumas Sunday night. The two boys, Carrol Wayne Hollis, and Winnifred Boone, have been turned over to the sheriff of Dumas and are under custody there.

The automobile, a 1939 model Ford, was demolished.

Olden Seniors To Leave On Trip, Friday

Members of the Senior Class of the Olden High School and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Weaver, are leaving Friday for their annual senior trip. They plan to stay at the White Plaza Hotel Friday night.

They will go to Old Mexico, Corpus Christi, and return home by way of Austin, where they will tour the capitol and visit the campus of Texas University.

Seniors making the trip include Barbara Anderson, Carmen Alverado, Peggy Matlock, Edwina Martin, Marjorie Hendrick, Loyce Grubbs, Kenneth Holt, Bobby Don Langston, Bobby Warren, Bob Tyrone and Billy Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hilliard will also accompany the group.

Members of the quartet are Bill Kendrick, Pierre Kendrick, Shorty Kendrick and Hershel Rains. Pianist is Mrs. J. H. Kendrick and manager is J. H. Kendrick.

SAYS COUNTRY IN FINE SHAPE; WANTS CREDIT

By Merriman Smith
United Press White House Reporter
WASHINGTON, April 13 (UP)—Harry S. Truman in a review of his first five years as President said today that the country is in fine shape and that he deserves the credit.

The President told reporters that employment, business and agricultural conditions are better than they have been in a long time.

And looking to the future, he said he is hopeful for continued improvement in international relations. As of now, Mr. Truman said, he can see nothing serious in the matter with this country.

Yesterday marked the start of Mr. Truman's sixth year as chief executive. Today, at his 222nd news conference, the President said his first five years had been rather difficult but that the country is still on its feet.

The President spoke slowly and deliberately as he thought back over the tumultuous years since the death of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt on April 12, 1945.

There is some unemployment, the President said, but more people are at work in this country than in any other country at any time in history.

He said that if reports from Wall Street may be believed, business conditions are also the best in history. And, he added, the position of the farmer is excellent, surpassed only by the all-time peak year of 1948.

Mr. Truman's anniversary dissertation was touched off by a question, "are the first five years the hardest?"

He said this country came out of World War II easier than any other war in U. S. history. ADD SAYS — BANNER . . .

He said it is easy for some to give no credit to the position of this country. It would have happened if a moran had been on the job, if some of the press is to be believed, the president added.

But he said he thinks the Chief Executive can take the credit and he certainly intends to do that.

In his first news conference in the capitol in more than a month, Mr. Truman made these points on immediate matters:

1. He didn't think it possible for him to libel Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, R., Wis., as Sen Robert A. Taft, R., O., has charged. McCarthy instigated the investigation of Communists in the State Department. The President dismissed Taft's defense of McCarthy and criticism of the administration as part of Taft's effort to win re-election in Ohio.

2. He said he personally ordered the Federal Grand Jury investigation of crime in Kansas City. The Grand Jury, Democratic boss Charles Biraagie and his lieutenant, George Gargotta, were slain by gunmen last week. Mr. Truman said it was up to the Justice Department to decide whether the FBI should investigate the slayings.

3. The fair employment practices bill—which Southern Democrats don't want—will be taken up in the Senate after it approves another year of Marshall Plan aid. He said there is no point in bringing up FEPC now and delaying the foreign recovery program by a filibuster.

4. He had no comment on the alleged clash between an American and a Russian aircraft.

During his discussion of national conditions, a correspondent for some New England papers (May Craig) challenged Mr. Truman's assertion that the farmer is in better shape than he has been at any time since 1948. She asked the chief executive how he justifies this statement, in view of problems caused by farm surpluses.

Mr. Truman said the solution to surpluses lies in the Brannan Plan, which has been before Congress for a year.

The Future Homemakers of America will present their style show and Skit at 7:30 P. M. Friday in the auditorium of the Eastland high school, and Miss Loretta Morris, sponsor, said and invited the public to attend.

The Ranger FHA chapter have been invited to participate and a reception will be held for them following the show.

Eastland merchants are furnishing an array of the latest spring fashions for the group of girls to model, Miss Morris said. They will also model garments they have made in the home economics class.



CHARLES McHAN
Manager



J. L. BEGGS
Assistant Manager



R. S. McCORD
Ranger Representative



JACK GARY
Cisco Representative

Singer Sewing Machine Company Opens Store Here Saturday

Saturday, April 15, is the date that has been set for the opening of the Singer Sewing Machine store in Eastland, according to Charles McHan, manager. Featuring a complete line of machines and accessories, notions, fashion

aids, courses in sewing, and renting and the repairing of machines, the store is located at 115 Lamar Street.

To serve as assistant manager is J. L. Beggs, Eastland. Other persons assisting in operating the store are Raymond McCord, Eastland, Jack Gary, Cisco; Mrs. E. V. Slover, Miss Fern Justice, and Mrs. Ruth Guyton; all of Eastland.

McHan, formerly of Brownwood, has been with the Singer Sewing Machine Company for over a year. He has served the past six months as assistant manager in the store in Brownwood.

Assistant manager Beggs was the Singer representative of the Eastland area for the past seven months.

McCord will serve as sales representative for Ranger and the eastern part of the county, while Gary will serve Cisco and the western section.

Mrs. Glover will be sewing instructor, Miss Justice, bookkeeper and Mrs. Guyton will be in charge of the service department.

The store has been completely remodeled throughout and is capable of serving the every sewing need of the Eastland trade territory.

Lee Horn Reports 3 Saddles Stolen

Lee Horn reported to the sheriff's office that someone stole three saddles from his barn Wednesday night. The saddles, one of them new, were in the barn at 6:30 p. m., when Horn milked.

The thief tore a storm screen from a window and removed the property between the hours of 6:30 p. m. and 6:00 o'clock Thursday morning.

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Kokomo Guages .90 Inches Of Rain

Rainfall in the Kokomo community gauged .90 inches, according to Hershell Harbin, the largest amount of rain to fall in this area up till Wednesday evening. Other reports include Flatwood with .80, Ranger with .75, and Eastland with .50. Clouds and more rain are in prospect.

Comanche Trail Council Shows Large Increase The Past Year

Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, covering an area of eight counties, showed an increase of 33 and one third percent, both in membership and leadership last year. The council now stands in the top bracket of membership for the entire region nine.

Comanche Trail Council now served more than 1850 with scouting benefits in the council area. In addition there are 532 registered scouts who act as volunteer Scout Leaders. The professional staff has been increased with the addition of another Field Executive in the South District and an office worker who is employed on a half-time basis makes facilities possible to get more boys into scouting and more scouting into boys.

Eastland, which is part of the North District of the council, has recently organized three new scout units. Two of these are Cub Packs catering to boys in the eight nine, and ten years old bracket. These units are sponsored by the First Methodist Church of Eastland.

THE WEATHER

By United Press
EAST TEXAS — Cloudy and occasional rain this afternoon and tonight. Cooler in the North and extreme East portions. Friday cloudy, occasional rain in the Northeast portions and near the upper coast, and continued cool. Moderate East to Northeast winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS — Mostly cloudy. Occasional rain from the Pecos Valley Eastward and in the South Plains this afternoon and tonight. Friday partly cloudy, warmer in the afternoon.

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KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (UP)—Bill, a woolly sheep, got tired of his job at General Hospital and went for a stroll. Authorities gave chase and returned him to his work, which was supplying blood for Wasserman tests.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

By United Press
Yesterday's Results:
Texas League
Tulsa 8, Dallas 2.
Oklahoma City 4, Fort Worth 2.
San Antonio 9, Beaumont 4.
Houston at Shreveport, postponed, rain.
Longhorn League
San Angelo 11, Ballinger 2.
Roswell 6, Odessa 3.
Sweetwater 6, Vernon 5.
Big Spring at Midland, postponed, rain.
Rio Grande Valley League
Harlingen 4, Brownsville 1.
Corpus Christi 18, Robstown 5.
Del Rio 12, Laredo 4.
Donna-Weslaco 12, McAllen 11.
Gulf Coast League
Galveston 4, Port Arthur 3.
Jacksonville 3, Lufkin 2.
Crowley 6, Lake Charles 2.



HEADS INDIAN AFFAIRS—Dillon S. Myer of Falls Church, Va., above, has been appointed by President Truman to the job of taking care of America's Indians. Upon confirmation by the Senate, Myer will become commissioner of Indian affairs.

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One Hurt In Harvard Blast

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 13 (UP)—A dynamite bomb blasted a Harvard Dormitory early today, slightly injuring one student. The bomb exploded on the window sill of a first-floor suite in Thayer Hall.

Robert W. Dobbie, 21, of Allentown, Pa., was injured when glass fragments showered on his bed.

The blast ripped the window panes and frame from the casing and narrowly missed three other students studying five yards away.

Harvard Police and local authorities said a lead pipe, a dynamite cap and traces of black powder found near the scene led them to believe it was a dynamite bomb. Students in bathrobes and nightclothes gathered from surrounding dormitories as a black billow of smoke lifted from the scene. Even as they collected, a fire cracker exploded in Lowell House, six blocks away.

Yard police said they were lured from the scene by a telephone call from an unidentified source who complained that the gates to Thayer Hall were locked.

Harvard officials theorized the explosion was a prank. Dobbie complained: "I don't know why anybody would do this to me."

Rooneys Have New Baby Boy

HOLLYWOOD, April 13. (UP)—The wife of actor Mickey Rooney gave birth to a seven-pound three-ounce boy at San Fernando Valley Hospital last night.

Mrs. Rooney is actress Martha Vickers. The baby was named Ted.

Rooney has two other sons, Mickey Jr., 5, and Timothy, 3, by his second wife, Betty Jane Rase.

Rooney and Miss Vickers were married June 4, 1949.

Rio Grande Valley League
Harlingen at Brownsville
Laredo at Del Rio
Corpus Christi at Robstown
Donna-Weslaco at McAllen
Gulf Coast League
Jacksonville at Lufkin
Port Arthur at Galveston
Lake Charles at Crowley

The drop in per capita farm income—last year was the first since 1938, according to the federal Department of Agriculture.

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GOLDEN CORN	3	303 CANS	49c
CATSUP		14 OZ. BOTTLE	23c

SUGAR 79c
10 LBS.

DIAMOND GREEN BEANS	2	No. 2 cans	25c
PINTO BEANS	2	303 cans	19c
CHICKEN OF SEA TUNA FISH		6 1/2 oz. flat can	35c
LIPTON'S TEA		1/4 Lb.	29c

CUT UP FRYERS LB. 59c
WILSON'S KORN KING BACON LB. 39c

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FOR SALE: Bargain new saddle, T. J. Greenwood, 201 High St., Eastland.
FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1940 Plymouth 2 door sedan. Call 726-W.

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WANTED: Swift's feed dealer in Eastland, write or call Swift and Co. Oil Mill, Brownwood, Texas.
WANTED—Yard work. John Seay. Phone 685-J.
WANTED: Roofing work. Stafford Roofing Co. "For Better Roofs". Box 1267, Cisco, Phone 465.

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Notice-Masons
Regular meeting Eastland Lodge 467 A.F.&A.M., Thursday, April 13, 8 P. M.
T. H. Landon, W. M.
V. E. Vessels, Sec.

NOTICE—Art supplies, lessons. Jessop Studio.

Political Announcements
The following have announced their candidacy for the various offices in the coming elections of 1950.

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COUNTY TREASURER
JOE COLLINS
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H. A. (Hiram) McCANLIES

FOR SHERIFF
J. B. WILLIAMS
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JOHN C. BARBER
J. F. (Frank) TUCKER

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Precinct No. 1
T. E. (Ed) CASTLEBERRY
(Re-election.)
HENRY V. DAVENPORT

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COUNTY JUDGE
P. L. CROSSLEY
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Porter Woods, Serving an unexpired term. Candidate for 1st full term.
M. A. Vann.

News From GORMAN

By Buena Van Winkle

A record high was recorded in Sunday School attendance at the First Baptist Church Easter Sunday. There were 374 recorded on the regular attendance record in addition to those who came too late to register.

Lt. and Mrs. Bill Bettis, Shepard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls visited their parents, Mrs. Ethel Harrell, and Messrs. McMillan.

Bill Brogdon of Baylor Medical School, and Bob, Texas University visited their mother, Mrs. Marcela Brogdon, business manager of the Blackwell Sanatorium.

John Tom Harris visited his wife and relatives. He is from Texas A&M College.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickey Broom and son Rex, from Clyde, were visitors over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and son, Johnnie, of Crane, visited with Mrs. Webb's father, Dr. Jackson.

Carolyn Harrell, John Tarleton student, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hines, Oklahoma, were in the congregation of the First Baptist Church Sunday. Their son is the pastor of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards of San Angelo, were visiting their son, Stoker Richards and family over the holidays.

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Ed and Mrs. Wyatt had as guests their daughter and son-in-law of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Barron had as guest, their niece Patsy, from Monroe, Louisiana.

Uncle Ben Wood is up and about again. He has been confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Gray are having a new home erected. It is located on the DeLeon highway.

Mrs. Robinette and youngest son Eddie, were visitors in Gorman last week. They are former residents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Boykin, Dallas, Mrs. Anson Little, Lubbock and Mrs. W. T. Graham, were at the bedside of Mrs. J. W. Mounce during her recent illness. Mrs. Mounce underwent surgery and her condition is reported improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson have moved to their new home in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bibby were recent visitors in Corpus Christi.

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They were at the bedside of Mrs. Bibby's brother who was ill. Soon after their return to Gorman, the brother suffered a relapse and passed away.

The Methodist Church observed Christening Day Easter Sunday. The following children were christened—Linda Lou, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D. V. Rodgers; John Wayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Snell; Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirk; and Mary Carolyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Othell Clark.

The First Baptist Church is holding a revival this week in conjunction with the simultaneous revival being held by the Baptist convention in churches from the Mississippi River to the West Coast.

The Mack Underwoods have had as guests Mrs. Underwood's sister, Mrs. Maude M. Smith and Mrs. Smith's son, Billie and family from Dublin.

Building news in Gorman. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Walkergare rebuilding their down-town home. Also rebuilding are Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon. Mr. Baze, contractor from Desdemonia, is in charge of construction.

Cliff Acrea has added a new room to his house and completed other repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Underwood are building a large dog house.

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LEGAL NOTICE

In the estate of Mary Louise Kleiner, et al, Minors.
No. 5022 In the County Court, Eastland, County, Texas.

To all persons interested in the above minors or their estate: You are notified that the undersigned guardian has, on the 13th day of April, 1950, filed with the County Clerk of Eastland County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make a certain oil, gas and mineral lease on that certain real estate belonging to such minors, described as follows:

An undivided 21-48 of 1-4 interest in and to the following described tract of land, to-wit: The East 260 acres of the following described 320 acres of section 33, B. B. B. & C. R. R. Company Lands, in Jones County, Texas:

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Thence North 1 deg. 15 min. East 1191 and 1-4 vrs. a cedar stake for corner in the N. B. L. of said Section 33;

Thence South 89 deg. 45 min. East 1541 and 1-4 vrs to the place of beginning, which application is now on file with the County Clerk of Eastland County, Texas, reference to which is here made for more particular and complete description of said land. That P. L. Crossley, Judge of the County Court of Eastland County, Texas, on the 13th day of April, 1950, duly entered his order designating the 21st day of April, 1950, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., in the County Court Room of the Court House of Eastland County, Texas, when and where such application would be heard, and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

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Woman's Page

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Scale Runners Music Club Meets Wednesday In MacMoy Home

Members of the Scale Runners Juvenile Music Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. MacMoy, with their daughter, Pat as hostess.

The program opened with ensemble singing of America, and a series of piano solos followed. Banjo Song, Sue Stoker, a duet was played by Linda Huckabay, and Beverly Moser. "Waltzing Leaves" by Jean Pipkin, "By Starlight," Julia Lynn Inzer, "Picturics," Jane Howell Helen Taylor gave an article on sight reading. Pat MacMoy played "Rose Time". Betty Jo Westfall played "Viennese Melody" and Linda Huckabay played "Chimes." Gayle Kilgore played, "Hop O My Thumb", and Clayton Stoker played "Swans on the Lake", followed by "Skater's Waltz" and "Minuet in G", played by Helen Taylor.

A refreshment plate was served to Lou Ann Corbell, Helen Ruth Flowers, Helen Taylor, Betty Joe Westfall, Ella Joy Walker, June Howell, Jean Pipkin, Julia Lynn Inzer, Sandra Taylor, Gayle Kilgore, Sue Stoker, Linda Huckabay, Beverly Moser, Danny Tankersley, Clayton Stoker, Dickie Corbell, Carol MacMoy, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, counselor and Mrs. MacMoy.

The group will meet next on Wednesday, May 2nd in the home of June Howell, North Lamar St.

Mrs. Hart Has Covered Dish Supper Monday

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. L. W. Hart, 1313 South Seaman Street, for mission study and covered dish supper with the business women of the church as guests.

Following the supper the hostess gave the devotional. Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold in her talk on displaced persons told of the problems of the new and old Americans.

The Auxiliary prayer was repeated in unison. The group will meet Monday April 24th at 9.30 A. M. at the Church for the monthly Bible Study.



CRIME IS ON THE UP AND UP—Newchart above, based on the new annual report of the FBI, shows the upward trend of crime in the United States in 1949, as compared with 1948. Total increase in crime for the whole country was 4.5 per cent. This represents a 4.2 increase in city crime and a 4.8 increase in crime in rural areas.

Joy SS Class Meets In Lucas Home

Members of the Joy Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Helen Lucas for a covered dish supper and a short business meeting, presided over by Miss Lucas, president.

Following the business meeting the group attended the revival services.

Present were Verne Allison, Georgia Graham, Rita Fox, Edith Allison, Carolyn Moore, Rea Rowe, Flo Barber, June McKee, Helen Lucas, and guests Miss Eleanor Bielefeldt, new Eastland resident, and Mr. and Mrs. Lucas and their house guests, Mrs. Frank Valentine, and Mrs. Oscar Stetson.

Last month the hostess was Rita Fox and the next month the group will meet with Miss Carolyn Moore, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. R. Owen.

E. T. McKelvain returned Tuesday from Pecos, where he has been employed.

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Mrs. Johnson Honored On 82nd Birthday Here

Mrs. Jennie Ann Johnson was the honoree Saturday at a birthday party honoring her on her 82nd birthday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Wallace and Mr. Wallace.

The beautifully decorated birthday cake holding 82 white candles centered the table, which was laid with a white lace cloth, and later was served with fruit punch to her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, gathered here to honor her during the Easter holidays.

The honoree received a number of useful gifts and enjoyed an Easter egg hunt on the lawn and participated in the indoor games.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Euel Harlow, and three children, of Glascoe, Ky., visited here Wednesday in the home of his uncle, L. C. Harlow and Mrs. Harlow, enroute to Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. L. A. Scott is at her home here, doing nicely and is able to have guests following a major operation performed in a Ft. Worth hospital last week.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lucas have as their guests this week, Mr. Lucas' sisters, Mrs. Frank Valentine of Nacogdoches and Mrs. Oscar Stetson of Uvalde.

Miss Eleanor Bielefeldt, new Eastland resident, is employed here as X-Ray Technician at the Caton and Cowan Clinic and is making her home at 310 South Lamar Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hart has as Easter holiday guests in their home their three sons, Eddie, Don and Walker Hart, all students at Texas Tech at Lubbock.

L. C. Harlow accompanied his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Jones to her home in Longview Monday. Mrs. Jones had been the Easter holiday guest here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow.

Mr. Harlow will also visit his son, J. G. Harlow in Dallas before returning home.

The FBI reports that 1,763,290 major crimes were committed in the United States last year, or one every 18 seconds.

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Finance Plans Considered At Meeting Of CHDC Council

Plans on finance were discussed Wednesday afternoon at the meeting of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Council in the Commissioners Court room.

Mrs. Marcus Grieger, chairman presided and heard plans from each of the seven clubs represented. The standing rules of the council were read and accepted. Miss Ethel Woodard, Home Demonstration agent read a letter of appreciation from Mrs. Jack Frost, thanking the council members for their help in the recent Red Cross drive. She announced that Home Demonstration Week will be celebrated the week of April 30 to May 6. All clubs were asked to prepare a special program for that week.

Announcement was made that the Bass Lake Club of Gorman are sponsoring a cake show, May 27th for Eastland and Comanche Counties. An entry fee of 50 cents will be charged, with prizes given.

First prize will be a service for six of Rogers silverware. Second prize will be a lace tablecloth, and third prize, a set of mixing bowls. The group were asked to send entry fee to Mrs. D. J. Jobe at Gorman.

During the recreation period Mrs. Dee Clements led a quiz. About 20 members were present.

Cowboys in Wyoming received wages of \$25-\$35, horse wranglers \$25 to \$40, and cooks from \$20 to \$50 per month with board in 1832, the University of Wyoming archives department reveals.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS
By United Press

HASKELL, Tex., April 13 (UP)—Mrs. Johnnie Farrar, 38, was free today after a jury acquitted her of murder in the fatal shooting of her husband at their farm home between Rochester and Rudd last Feb. 14.

The two-day murder trial ended last night in 39th district court. Farrar died of a bullet wound in the abdomen after he threw beer bottles in a drunken attack on his wife.

AMARILLO, Tex., April 13 (UP)—Amarillo authorities today held John Asman of Springfield, Colo., for Utah authorities.

Asman, who was charged with burglarizing an Amarillo hardware warehouse early Sunday, confessed yesterday to the robbery of a packing house at Johnson, Kan., and a gas appliance store at Vernal, Utah.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 13 (UP)—Caso March promised today to unveil about May 6 the picket-fenced, three room mobile cottage from which he plans to conduct a "front porch" campaign for Governor of Texas.

Mounted on the rear of a flat-bed trailer, the white house will be the "home" for the former law school professor and five other persons during the campaign. They will sleep, eat, talk and travel in it.

DREAM GIRL—Baring her shoulders between a stiff collar and a strapless bodice is Audrey White, London model, who was chosen as "the girl every man dreams about." Millions of Britons know Audrey as the girl on the dentifrice posters.

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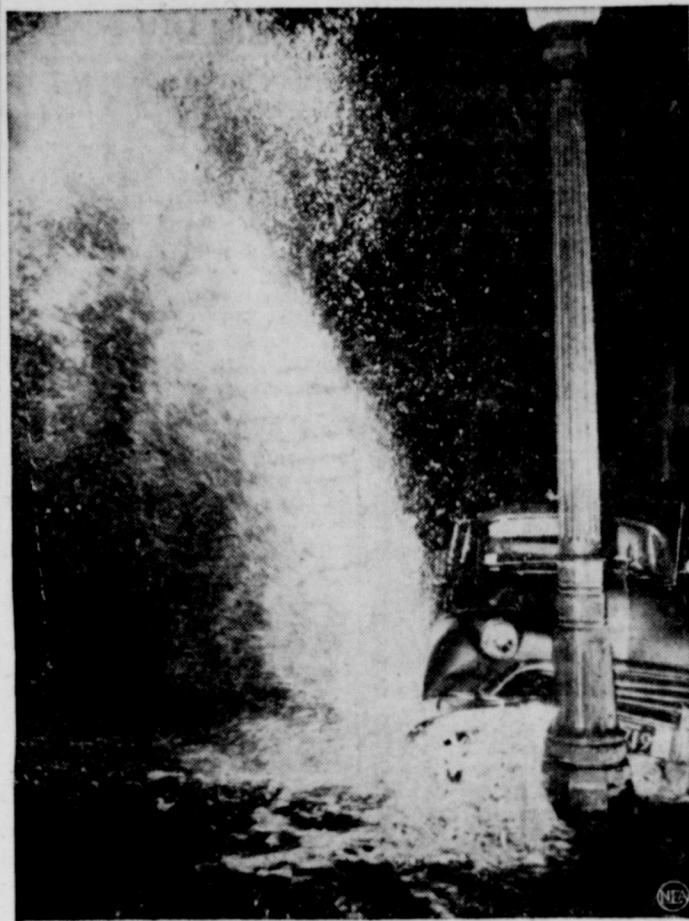
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"If I get beat, at least I'll get beat comfortably, surrounded by all the conveniences of home," March commented.

A sodded yard will even be provided for the campaign caravan, made of March, three fiddlers, a ventriloquist and a truck driver.

RAYMONDVILLE, Tex., April 13 (UP)—If there were tears shed here today, they must have been tears of joy. It was onion Fiesta time.

Willacy county residents thronged into Raymondville for the hanging in effigy at 4 P. M. of a character known as T. (for Thrip) Gripping Gloom. Following that ceremony on the courthouse lawn, homage will be paid through Sunday to the Onion upon which the county bases much of its farm economy.

A fireworks display tonight will be climaxed by the crowning of the Queen of Noino, which happens to be onion spelled backwards.

Parades, beauty contests and barbecues will be part of the 17th annual celebration. The County's new water outlet, Fort Mansfield,

is to be officially dedicated Saturday. Carl Crawford, veteran Oklahoma aviator, will attempt 2,000 flying loops Saturday to break a record of 1,633 loops set in 1928.

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Says Navy Could Take Any Steps To Collar Subs

AUSTIN, Tex., April 13 (UP)—Some 800 delegates registered today for a three-day conference of the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Assn.

A theme of "techniques in supervision" was announced for the meeting, sponsored by the University of Texas and the State Department of Education.

Among the speakers will be Dr. Dan Patterson of the U. S. Office of Education, Washington, D. C.; Robert Koopman of the Lansing, Mich., Department of Public Instruction; Dr. Kate Wofford, professor of Elementary Education at the University of Florida, and Dr. Harold D. Drummond of Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn.

Philadelphia recently dug up some tree trunk water pipes which had served as a water main for more than 200 years.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13 (UP)—If a Navy ship should find any Russian submarines off the California coast, it may "take any steps" to bring them to port, Adm. Russell Stanley Berkey said today.

Berkey, who is enroute to Washington to take over duties as the Navy's chief of information, said, however, that any foreign ships must be within the three-mile limit.

"Inside territorial waters, an American vessel could take any steps to bring a submarine to port," he said.

But outside the three-mile limit, international law calls for an exchange of identifications.

Berkey told a press conference he heard many reports of Russian submarines operating off south-east Asia during the two and one-half years he commanded the seventh task fleet in the western Pacific. However, he added he had "no actual knowledge of any authentic submarine operations by a foreign nation in that area."

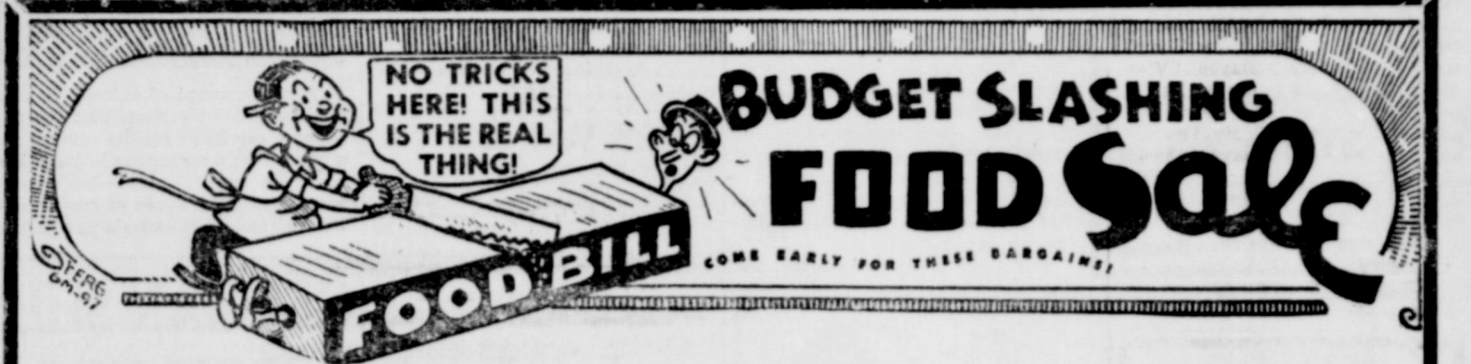
In discussing the current submarine scare off California, Berkey reminded newsmen of recent navy maneuvers off Okinawa in which fleet planes had contact with a "submarine" for a half hour. Then it surfaced as a full-grown whale.

Muskrat No Mystery

DAVENPORT, Ia. (UP)—Police captured a "strange animal" which had been reported "exciting dogs in the neighborhood," then turned to the humane officer, Henry Reimers, to solve the mystery of what they had caught. "That's no mystery," Reimers said. "It is just a muskrat. The mystery is how it got so far from the river."

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By United Press
 Jupiter Pluvius paid his respects to West Texas today and farmers and ranchers hoped he would stick around for a while.

But thus far, the weather picture was only a promise of what is needed. The rains, while good in some areas, were not scattered enough. Most of the downfalls were from Dallas westward to Big Spring, with very little north or south of that area.

There was still no moisture in the Panhandle or in Wichita Falls where the farmers need it the most.

Most crop observers agreed that two to three inches of downpour are needed before the dry grounds of North Texas will be able to nourish the crops.

North Texas crops still can be saved by a good soaking rain, while in another two weeks or so, it will be too late.

Dallas county agricultural agent A. B. Jolley said that April is the most critical month of the year for the North Texas farmer. A drought any other time is not nearly so bad, he said.

"This is the critical month because it is the month that crops get started," Jolley said. "We needed two to three inches of moisture quick."

The North Texas farmer must have rain for his wheat, onions, clovers, grain sorghums, corn, pasture grasses and cotton, he said. The onion crop is probably the hardest hit. Planters kept out of their fields during January because of wet weather. Now they find their late-planted onions drying up in the soil.

But there were some hopes for

continued rains over the state. The East Texas forecast was for occasional rains this afternoon and tonight, with occasional rains in the Northeast portions and near the upper coast Friday. The West Texas forecast was for occasional rain from the Pecos Valley Eastward and in the South Plains this afternoon and tonight.

Rains reported up to 6:30 A. M. at the U. S. Weather Bureau included: Burleson, 1.98; Mineral Wells, 1.38; Big Spring, 1.14; Decatur, 1.08; Abilene, 1.01; Fort Worth, .95; Carrollton, .86; Dallas, .63; Ozona, .60; Del Rio, .47; Lubbock, .45; San Angelo, .32; Palestine, .25; Tyler, .24; Lufkin, .11; Presidio, .07; Bryan, .06; Austin, .04; Laredo, .01; Junction, .01; and traces at San Antonio, Clarendon, Childress, Dalhart and Midland.

Dalhart was the coolest place in the state last night with a low of 30, while Brownsville recorded the highest minimum at 70. Presidio was the warmest yesterday with 90 degrees and Texarkana and Dallas tied for the coldest maximum with 64.

Want Water Fluorination

PORT WORTH, Tex., April 13 (UP) — The Fort Worth district dental society today planned to recommend to the city council a water fluorination project to reduce tooth decay.

The system was explained here earlier in the week by a state health department dental official, and would cost an estimated 9 to 13 cents per person.

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GERMAN SHIP REPORTS DEBRIS IN BALTIC SEA

By Robert Musel
 United Press Staff Correspondent
 COPENHAGEN, Denmark, April 13 (UP) — A German ship reported today that it had sighted airplane wreckage Monday in general area of the Baltic Sea where a U. S. Navy plane disappeared Saturday after allegedly being fired upon by Soviet fighters.

The official Moscow newspaper Pravda said the missing Navy Privateer was the four-engine military plane which Soviet fighters intercepted Saturday 13 miles inside Soviet Latvia.

The Soviets contended their fighters fired on the American plane only after it fired first. They said the plane flew out over the Baltic. American authorities said the Privateer was unarmed.

The report that airplane wreckage had been sighted in the Baltic Sea Monday was relayed to search headquarters at Copenhagen's Kastrup Airdrome by police at Alfredeisen in Northern Sweden.

Bernhard Revens, first mate aboard the German steamer Juno, told Alfredeisen police when his ship docked today that he sighted the wreckage at 2 P. M. (6 A. M. CST) Monday 90 miles Northeast of the Danish Island of Bornholm, between that island and the Swedish island of Oeland.

This spot is about 200 miles from the Soviet Naval Base at Levaya (Libau or Liepaja), near which the Soviets claimed their fighters intercepted an American military plane Saturday.

Revens said he also had heard what sounded like engine noises at 4 A. M. Monday (9 P. M. Sunday CST) in the same area, but American sources doubted the noises could have been from the missing

American plane as its fuel would have been exhausted before then.

Revens said he spotted the following debris Monday:
 An airplane cabin, between seven and 13 feet long. Wooden poles, about four inches thick, apparently connected by a paper-like substance.

Biscuit boxes, around which 50 hungry seagulls were circling.

Search headquarters directed four planes to the area to investigate.

The debris first was reported found 200 miles East of Bornholm, but this later was corrected to 90 miles. The original position would have put the wreckage off the Soviet Latvian coast, where the missing plane apparently was intercepted by Soviet fighters.

Danish sources suggested that only the anti-Communist underground in Latvia could supply the real story of what had happened to the Privateer and its crew of 10.

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SIX BURN TO DEATH, ANOTHER KILLED IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

By United Press
 Six persons burned to death in Texas traffic crashes late yesterday and last night and a seventh victim died in another related accident.

The worst smashup occurred near Kountze in the piney woods of East Texas, when three large trucks tangled on U. S. Highway 69.

Four persons met fiery death when two of the big vehicles burst into flames at the moment of impact. The lone survivor was the driver of the third truck.

The dead were identified as: Inglebert Bob Lightfoot, 48, Liberty, Tex., driver of a heavy construction truck of the Duke Bros. Contracting Company, Livingston.

Edward J. Cruise, about 19, also of Liberty, a passenger in Lightfoot's truck.

Roscoe Grayson, about 45, Muskogee, Okla., driver of a milk truck.

Dolores Irene Kline, Home address unknown, whose mother lives at Tacoma, Wash. The Kline woman, officers said, was in the milk truck.

The survivor was J. T. Reynolds of Kountze, driver of a loaded log truck. He aided firemen from Kountze and nearby Silsbee in fighting the blaze.

The second flaming wreck happened at Lubbock when a light pickup vehicle skidded into a trailer-truck. Two high school youth riding in the smaller vehicle were burned to death.

They were Scott McCoy, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McCoy, and Lowell Leon East, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer V. East. The elder East is vice-president of the Lubbock National Bank.

About 50 minutes later, a passenger car skidded into a truck near the scene of the accident.

Mrs. Blanche Dysart, about 56, of Lubbock was thrown from the automobile and killed when run over by the truck.

Police say traffic was heavy in the area at the time as hundreds of curious flocked to the scene of the earlier accident.

Truman Admits Ordering Kansas City Cleanup

WASHINGTON, April 13 (UP) — President Truman said today he personally ordered the federal Grand Jury investigation of crime in Kansas City where two chief witnesses before the Grand Jury, Charles Binaggio and George Gargotta, were slain last week.

The president declined to tell a news conference, however, whether he would order the FBI into the Binaggio slaying. He

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said this is a matter for attorney General J. Howard McGrath to determine.

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