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AROUND THE SQUARE
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We have never been able to see anything very funny when it comes to drafting our boys into the armed services. It is their patriotic duty, and most of them look at the problem in this manner. Yet they do realize that they are leaving home, jobs and loved ones and going "somewhere." Eventually they land in Korea and for several months all they have to do is face bullets and undergo privations and suffering. After that, if they survive, they may return to the States, and get an honorable discharge.

No, it is nothing funny about this, especially to the boys themselves.

We have looked at this situation and given considerable study to it, but it still appears sordid.

But today we got a little booklet from the office of Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state selective service director, and an effort is made to prove that army life is not so bad after all. It was written by W. Jack Lewis, and a copy (not printed at Government expense) will be sent to Texas boys prior to their call to report for examination.

In the forward this question is asked: "Will it be two years of last time, or two years of opportunity" for the boys who are inducted into the army?

The booklet does, in a way minimize, some of the disagreeable things, Lewis, who is a Chaplain, gives facts that are at least worthy of notice. Of course, he points out, army life is not necessarily bad. "You can live lower than a snake's belly and utterly ruin your life (not to mention other lives) in a couple of years with the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps. It all depends." It is up to the individual.

If you came from a background where you have known love of parents, companionship of good friends, the Love of God, and warmth of fellowship within a Church, you will continue to grow in that direction.

"If you do what comes naturally, and if you have no strongly rooted faith in God, and no solid basis for moral conduct, you may be proud not to do what everybody else is doing."

"Funny thing about wild oats, No sooner are they sowed than you start praying for a crop failure."

On the other hand you can associate with the better element in the service, and you will grow. You will learn to create good will for your country, the writer says, and in the end you will reap happiness and joy.

You will gain for every experience. Your faith in God will be increased, and your education will be improved. This all comes quite natural for the man who really wishes to be somebody.

You will be given special training and your knowledge will be increased.

And when you return home you will find a way resemble the slick-faced man of two years before. You will be a man, a real man experienced in caring for the perplexities of life. You will know what to say and when to say it.

And above all you will have a greater love for your country. You will be more patriotic, for you will have increased in love and knowledge as well as in stature.

When you consider things in this light, it seems to put a sugar-coating on a bitter pill.

Eastland Man Is Elected Head Of Pine Theatres Inc.

H. T. Wales has been elected president and general manager of Pine Theatres, Inc.

H. T. (Tommy) Wales and his associates are constructing an ultra-modern combination suburban and drive-in theatre in Longview.

Glynn L. Harris, architect, of Austin, has just completed the preliminary plans, and actual construction will start April 15th.

Mr. Wales has been manager of the Majestic Theatre in Eastland for the past few months, but has not been connected with the Majestic since March 26th.

Mr. Wales stated that his family will remain in Eastland during the remainder of this school term.

Jarecki Supply Sold To Cen-Tex At Breckenridge

Jarecki Manufacturing Company passed into history on April 3, so far as the Eastland branch is concerned. It is now the Cen-Tex Supply Co.

Jarecki Co. has been operating for a little more than 100 years, and has branches all over the United States. At first it was planned to sell the parent company, with all branch offices and stores, but this failed to materialize. Now the stores are being sold in separate units, after which the company will be dissolved.

The new owners, with offices in Breckenridge, will continue to operate in the future as Jarecki has operated in the past. No changes will be made in personnel.

Carl Angstadt, who opened the store here almost 35 years ago will remain as district manager. He came to Eastland in 1918, and is anxious that all his old friends and customers come by and visit him under the new set up. E. H. Everett and Joe Britain will continue with the new firm.

Jarecki had been in business for eight years when the first oil well, in the United States, the Drake in Pennsylvania, was brought in. In early days they took care of the needs for water well drillers, though today they specialize in equipment for oil, gas and refinery supplies. A one stop store for oil field drillers and workers.

Community Nite At Olden Is Set For April 14th

The Community Night program in Olden this month will be in charge of Mrs. Dick Yielding, and will be held on April 14th, at the high school auditorium.

The public is invited to attend, and a pleasant evening is promised.

Latest Records Made Available At Wilson's

Cecil Holifield of Midland former Eastland business man brings a record shop back to Eastland. The shop will be located in Wilson's Variety Store. Mr. Wilson, owner of the Variety Store has opened a Record department in his store in co-operation with Mr. Holifield for his Midland Shop.

Mr. Holifield's semi-monthly trips to market at Dallas assures Eastland customers of the current top hits, while they are hot.

Older numbers or special orders may be filled from Midland stock or direct from Dallas, Holifield stated.

Public Is Invited—

Band Concert Friday Night

The annual spring concert of the Eastland High School Band will be presented in the Eastland High School auditorium Friday evening, April 10, at 7:30 p.m.

The presentation will be under the direction of George Bledsoe, director of music, with Shorty Hendricks as drum major, Babeth Quinn as field marshal, and Patsy Simpson, Jane Ann Jernigan, Janice Little and Sylvia Sullivan as twirlers.

PROGRAM

March "Air Waves" Olivadoti
"Folk Song Suite" Vaughan Williams
1. March "Folk Songs From Somerset"
2. Intermezzo "My Bonny Boy"
3. March "Seventeen Come Sunday"

"Blue Tango" Anderson
Cornet Solo "Trumpeters Lullaby" Anderson
Juan Smith

March "Emblem of Unity" Richards

THE EASTLAND HIGH SCHOOL STAGE BAND
(First Appearance)

March "Storm King" Finlayson
"American Folk Rhapsody" Grundman
Clarinet Solo "Adagio Religioso" Mozart
Richard Jones

"Four Episodes" Morrissey
1. March
2. Evening Song
3. Waltz
4. Samba



FOR TENTH YEAR—Marie Wilson, for the tenth consecutive year, has won an award for her shape. The American Physical Culture Association said Miss Wilson has "the most provocative and exciting figure of any woman in the public eye." On being presented with the group's annual award, the actress said, "I've learned that a small sweater can do big things for a girl."

J. A. Littleton To Be Buried

J. A. (Jim) Littleton, for many years a resident of Eastland, but more recently of Rising Star, passed away in San Angelo at 8 p.m. Thursday, following a severe stroke.

Mr. Littleton was formerly connected with the Citizens National Bank here, and has many friends in this city. He also has a brother, Lee Littleton, who lives here at this time.

Deceased was a former member of First Baptist Church in Eastland.

The funeral will be in charge of the Hamner Funeral home, and they have gone to San Angelo today for the body. Funeral services will be conducted from the Funeral Chapel Friday afternoon at 4 p.m. after which burial will be made in Eastland cemetery.

Funeral arrangements are still pending.

Farm Bureau Meet Set For Next Thursday

A county-wide meeting of the Eastland County Farm Bureau will be held next Thursday, April 16, at the Scranton high school gymnasium, it was announced today.

Time for the session has been set at 7:30 p.m., and all board members and their families are urged to attend. Farm Bureau members also are invited to bring guests to the meeting.

CIVIC LEAGUE AND GARDEN CLUB RENDERING SERVICE IN CITY'S CLEAN-UP DRIVE

Eastland's Clean-Up Week has been quite successful so far, thanks to the Civic League and Garden Club for their supervision. By the close of this week Eastland will have had a new "face-lift."

We have had considerable to say about this campaign, and have been watching it very closely. The women have made very little noise, but their working committees have certainly done a good job.

In conversation with the City Manager, Wednesday, we learned only one thing—the women have been getting action. "It will take us another week or ten days to remove all the rubbish that is ready to go," said Mr. Heck.

There may be a few individuals that have not done their part, but it is not too late to begin now. Cut your yards, pile your trash and let the City haul it off free of charge. This drive or campaign will close Saturday.

'Share-The Fun' Winners Named

Miss Agnes Baylor, Cisco 4-H Club girl and Robert Bell, of the Scranton 4-H Club won top honors in the 4-H Share-the-Fun Festival held Saturday in the Eastland high school auditorium before more than 250 cheering spectators.

These two youngsters will represent Eastland County at the District Festival in Stephenville on May 16, in an effort to reach the State Finals at A&M in June.

Miss Baylor's act, a reading called "The Three Stories" won the blue rosette by scoring 285 of a possible 300 points. Robert Bell's "I Need a Shave" scored 260 points.

The McKinney Trio, Nancy, Donald, and Beryl, of Rising Star was third with a score of 255 points.

Other blue ribbon winners were a Minstrel Act by Ray Rodgers, and J. T. and Marcus Horn of Olden; a Negro play by Don Jobe and Robert Pell of Scranton; and "A Record of Wild Bill Hiccup" by Madeline Justice, Lavonda Jordan, and Reba Campbell of Carbon.

Red or Class B Ribbons were given to the following: Robert and Ronnie Bostick; Betty Weaver, Robert Bell, Anna Jean Whitton, Sandra Taylor and Dot Gibbs, Judy Chick, Alvis Rodgers, Drucilla Townsend and Maedean Collins, Joy Dunlap, Clyde Rankin and Jamie Stamie.

Class C Ribbons went to Paula Douglas, Elizabeth Fox, Betty Ann Laird and Caryon Moore, Wanda Martin, Marcell Underwood, Ann Mangum, Corynne Benton, and Nancy Norris. Jerry Anderson and Kenneth Welch. Cindy Fox and Nicki Nelson, Carol Phillips and Gay Ann Daskevitch. Joyce Ann Redwine and Jean Elaine Lisenbee, Gatha Sue Thompson, and Judy Carylyn Poe, and Jerry Douglas and Dan Jobe.

Baseball To Be Discussed, Fire Hall Thursday

An effort is being made at this time to get our local baseball teams organized, and a meeting for this purpose will be held at the fire hall Thursday night, at 7:30 p.m.

Those who are in any way interested in baseball this season, are urged to be present, so that plans may be discussed. This includes managers, coaches and team sponsors, as well as players. Remember the time and date.

Water Rate In Eastland Is Reduced; Cut Means Saving Of Approximately One-Half

Runoff Vote To Determine Cisco's Mayor

A runoff election will be held at Cisco on Tuesday, April 28, to determine who will be mayor of Cisco.

Although nearly every eligible voter turned out Tuesday in the city election, the mayor's race ended in a tie.

Incumbent Mayor G. C. Rosenthal and Police Commissioner Joe Britain each received 401 votes in the race for mayor. The total votes, considered to be unusually heavy, was 804.

City officials agreed Wednesday morning to hold the runoff election later this month.

Britain is an incumbent city commissioner with one year left to serve—if he does not win the mayor's race.

If Britain wins the mayor race, it will be up to the City Commission to appoint someone to fill his unexpired commission term.

Cloudy, Cooler Weather Due Eastland Area

Partly cloudy and cooler weather was forecast for the Eastland County area today by the U. S. Weather Bureau.

A slight dip in temperature was expected for tonight and cooler weather was due for Friday, according to the report.

This afternoon's top mercury reading is slated around 80 degrees, and Friday's high will be in the bottom 70s.

Tonight's low — between 45 and 50.

Although possible showers for East Texas and the South Central region of the state were forecast by weather me, no hint of rain in this vicinity was given in the current weather communication.

The West Texas forecast: "Partly cloudy and colder Thursday night and in all except the Del Rio-Eagle Pass area Thursday, Friday partly cloudy and cool."

SINGING CONVENTION TO ATTRACT GREAT CROWDS

Singers from all over Texas will begin flocking into Eastland Saturday in order to make it possible for them to attend all sessions of the Eastland County Singing Convention, first of which will be held Saturday night at the Eastland high school auditorium.

Judge R. L. Rust has received replies from several individuals, from distant points, and man, are planning to be here. A message from Austin today stated that two cars of singers from that city will be present, and that at least one of the cars will arrive Saturday afternoon. There are two excellent quartets there, and it is possible that both will be in Eastland.

There have been a number of acceptances from Dallas and Fort Worth. Young county will likely have a delegation, as well as many other nearby counties.

Nothing has been left undone to assure the success of the convention.

The Eastland County Convention has always been popular, and some wonderful conventions have been held. If you enjoy good singing you'll want to be present.

In order to care for Eastland church-goers, the noon-day meal will be served just as soon as they have time to get home, grab their baskets and reach convention headquarters. It is to be an all-day affair, with dinner on the ground.

It is highly probable that the Robert Arnold quartet will be on hand. Also two Eastland quartets are expected to take part.

HARRISBURG, Pa. — A deputy game protector became suspicious recently when he noted two bear cubs staggering through the woods in a south central county. He found a small quantity of "moonshine" mess was on a stream bank nearby.

Baptist Revival To Start Friday Night, April 10

First Baptist Church revival services beginning Friday night, April 10th, will have Mr. Norman Fromm of Fort Worth as director of music and the pastor, C. Melvin Ratheal will do the preaching.

The Sunday School will meet by department, with the departmental superintendents leading and will have a short period of devotion and prayer each night from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. and the evening worship services will begin at 8:00 each evening. Those who sing in the choir are asked to meet with Mr. Fromm each evening in the fellowship room to work on numbers to be used during the revival.

The morning services will be held at 7:00 a.m. daily. These services have been thus set so that those who work regular day hours might be able to attend, and that the school teachers and pupils might have the opportunity to attend.

The sermon topic for Friday night will be "The Redeeming Christ," Saturday morning, "Christ the Water of Life" and Saturday night, "The Honour of

Eastland City Commission

T&P Officials Open Abilene Station Today

Fifty Texas & Pacific railway officials, headed by W. G. Volmer of Dallas, president, are in Abilene for the formal opening and dedication of the remodeled passenger station.

After a luncheon at which Volmer will be the main speaker, the dedication program will take place at the station, remodeled at a cost of \$90,000.

T&P's first depot, a box car, was opened in Abilene Feb. 28, 1881, and the company held the first sale of Abilene lots March 15, the same year.

The remodeled Abilene station was originally built in the early 1900s.

Final Report Given—

MOD Campaign Totals \$8,415

Eastland Countians contributed a total of \$8,515.71 to the 1953 March of Dimes drive, according to a final report issued early Thursday by Mrs. J. A. Bates of Ranger, county chairman of the recently staged fund-raising effort.

Total expenses for literature and supplies — including \$126.45 carried over from the 1952 drive — totaled \$393.61, Mrs. Bates said.

The net proceeds, after all expenses were deducted is \$8,022.10.

Half that amount — \$4,011.05 — is retained in the county for the use of the Eastland County group, and the other half is being sent to the national headquarters of the Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"I want to take this opportunity," Mrs. Bates said, "to thank everyone who made a contribution to this highly worthy cause and also to express my appreciation to the various community chairmen and volunteer workers for the wonderful job they accomplished during this drive."

FRANK CASTLEBERRY NAMED AS COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Keeble Rites Held At Mingsu This Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucille Tennis Keeble, 42-year-old Mingsu resident, were held at the Methodist Church in Mingsu this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. C. A. Wilkerson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Strawn, officiated, and interment was in the Old Gordon Cemetery with Triplett Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Keeble's survivors include the husband of Mingsu; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison of Mingsu; two brothers, Leonard Harrison of Gordon and J. D. Harrison of Mingsu; three sisters, Mrs. Mabel Heatherington of McCamey, Mrs. Frank Kostina of Mingsu and Mrs. Lois Butler of Kermit; and several cousins, including Mrs. Lily Appligate of Ranger.

Gorman Peanut's Fertilizer Plant Sale Announced

The Gorman Peanut Company, Gorman, Texas, announces the sale of its machinery and equipment out of its fertilizer plant to the Falls City Fertilizer, Inc., Grand Island, Neb., to be moved as soon as possible.

Mr. Melvin Shell, president of the company, announced that he contemplated no reduction in personnel and that the building would be used for storage of peanuts and other commodities. New equipment and methods for handling peanuts as they are purchased from the farmer in the fall are being installed which will insure a saving of time and money to the farmers and truckers.

In order to move its stock of fertilizer by May 1st, the company has announced a reduction in price.

HEADS UP!
Here comes the New Rocket OSBORNE MOTOR COMPANY, Eastland, Texas

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DOG'S BEST FRIEND
GREENSBORO, N. C.— Dog-catcher Gray Fulk is popular with the hounds. He sold Hobo, a Spitz-like dog twice only to have Hobo return to the pound and try to get back in his cage. The record is held by Butch, a white German Shepherd. Six times people have bought Butch from Fulk and six times Butch returned to the pound.

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GOVERNOR, HOUSE, SENATE BACK LEGION DEAL



"Korean Veterans' Appreciation Week," sponsored by the American Legion the week of March 15 to 22, has full backing of Governor Shivers who issued a proclamation, and the House and Senate of the 55th Legislature which passed a joint resolution. Above are George S. Berry, Lubbock, sponsor of the House resolution; Mayor R. C. Gussman, Bay City, chairman of the Legion's committee for the event; Governor Allan Shivers; Speaker of the House Reuben Senterfitt; and Senator Rogers Kelly, Edinburg, who sponsored the Senate resolution.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

Ed Parks had to undergo surgery this week as the result of injuries sustained in a fall.

BUY SEVEN-UP



BY THE CARTON

Mrs. Bill Townsend and sons, Bradton and Cliff, of Baton Rouge, La., are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Reed.

Mrs. Wayne McIntosh of Grandbury, is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts and Brenda.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore of Fort Worth, visited this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Echols.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abel of Oil Center, N. M., are visiting here with the Hugh Abels and R. Joiners.

Mrs. R. H. Abel, who has been a bed patient in her home for a month, is able to be up again.

Mrs. Raymond Joiner was in

Fort Worth for a few days this week. She has been taking treatments for her feet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Warden and children of Kermit, and Mr. and Mrs. Chat Parri of Lamesa, visited this week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Warden. They also were visitors in the Nina Lohman home. Mrs. Warden returned home with them for a few days visit.

Visitors in the Ethel Keith home a part of this week, were her daughter, Mrs. Pug Guthrey and Mr. Guthrey and Karen from Kermit. They also visited the Roy Guthrey

family.

Mrs. Marjorie Brown of Dallas, visited over the Easter holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown.

A-Je Billy Paul Lewis of Amarillo was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis, this week end.

The spring revival closed at the Methodist Church Sunday, with a dinner on the ground. The Baptist revival began Sunday, April 5, and will continue through the 12th.

The latest report is that Mrs.

Joe Quinn is improving in the Temple hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Northcutt of Rising Star, and Mrs. Dub Roy-

holds and daughter, spent Friday with the Northcutt families.

Mrs. Andrew Marine and children spent Monday night with the Northcutt families.

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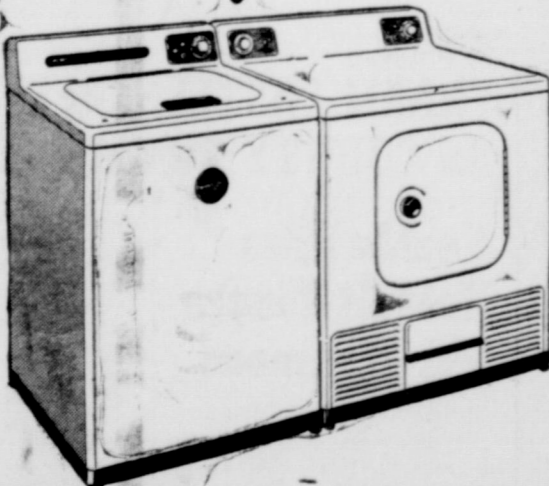


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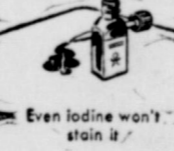
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NEWS FROM OLDEN

The Olden High School banquet sponsored by the F-T-A, was held on the roof garden of Hotel Connelley in Eastland, last Wednesday evening. Something more than 40 young people attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norton of Dallas, were recent visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Norton.

Visitors last Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Dick Yielding were Mrs. Joe Langdon, Breckenridge, Mrs. Oral Fox and son of Kermitt, and Mrs. Philley, mother of Mrs. Langdon, of Abilene.

Mrs. W. L. Baker left Monday morning for Temple, where she went through the clinic on Tuesday.

Mrs. Lou Crank, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Dafferon, visited Mrs. Nettie Fox last week.

The first, second, third and fourth grades, along with their teachers, Miss Allman and Mrs. Day, enjoyed an Easter egg hunt last Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Truman Bryan, with the PTA sponsoring. Refreshments of cold drinks, cookies and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding have as their guests this week, their daughter, Mrs. Joe Crawford and Jody, from Ulysses, Kan.

Visitors over the week end in the D. O. Moffett home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson, and Mike, of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Rae Elders and son of Oklahoma, and Johnny Marlow of Electra.

Mrs. Guy Hendricks, Dorothy and Marjorie, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Marlow, last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Berch and daughter spent the holidays in Electra with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McCotter and family attended the Easter pageant in Dallas Sunday. They also visited relatives while there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Denney and son spent the week end in Electra, with relatives. They joined Mrs. Denney's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LaBuff from Piedmont.

Storm Warning No Reason For Public Panic

A tornado warning does not necessarily foretell an actual twister, the Atlanta Weather Bureau advises.

Noting that "considerable unnecessary concern" has been shown over tornado warnings in the South, the bureau said some clarification was in order.

Two types of warnings are released by forecasters. The first is announced when weather conditions are ripe for tornado development. A second warning is released when an actual twister is spotted.

"There is no reason for persons to become panic-stricken when an initial warning is issued," the bureau spokesman said, "but certain precautions should be taken."

These include taking occasional glances at the western sky, since tornadoes usually move in from the west, and keeping tuned to a local radio station.

Weathermen point out that tornadoes, unlike hurricanes, are sudden storms that cannot be accurately forecast. The best that modern weather forecasters can do is pinpoint areas where conditions are favorable to development of the dreaded twisters.

TIP FOR MOTORISTS
HARTFORD, Conn.—State Motor Vehicles Commissioner Charles F. Kelley has a tip that might save lives. Interior lights should be turned on as well as parking and tail lights when a car stalls on the road at night. Tests have shown that interior lights often silhouette a car for approaching drivers better than exterior lights.

CALL 601 FOR CLASSIFIED AD SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers of Pampa, spent several days with Mrs. Rogers' sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Crone and son, of Breckenridge, were guests in the Carl Crone home Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Yielding and daughter, Mrs. Joe Crawford and son, left Monday morning by train for Grand Prairie, for a visit with Mrs. Granvel Nabors and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Whatley of Purkburnett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sellers, Sunday.

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Social Calendar

April 9th—Alpha Delphian, Woman's Club, 3:00 p.m. Mrs. D. J. Fiensy, leader.

April 10—Annual Spring Concert of Eastland High School Band, 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium.

April 11th-12th — Eastland County Singing Convention. Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck Chrmn for Arrangements.

April 11—5th grade mothers, South Ward School Bake Sale.

April 12th—Las Leales Club. Twentieth Anniversary Tea honoring Mrs. James Horton, 2:30 p.m. Miss Jessie Lee Ligon, chairman.

April 13th—Exemplar-Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Lejeune Horton, Hostess.

First Christian Combined Circle Meeting. Mrs. James Watson Pres.

April 14th—Zeta Pi-Beta Sigma Phi-Marene Johnson Johnson Hostess.

April 14th—Home Maker Class Social Supper, 7 p.m. Mrs. O. L. Hooper, 506 S. Daugherty, hostess.

April 15th—Music Study Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m. Dragoos Studio. Mrs. F. L. Dragoos chairman.

April 16th—American Legion, 7:30 p.m. Freddie L. Bleck, Con.

April 16th—Thursday Afternoon Study Club, Woman's Club 3:00 p.m. Mrs. E. R. Townsend, leader.

April 17th—Father Son Banquet-First Methodist Fellowship Hall.

April 20th—Las Leales Club, Woman's Club, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. W. Q. Verner, leader.

April 23rd—Alpha Delphian Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m. Mrs. J. A. Doyle hostess.

April 25th—Beta Sigma Phi, Home Coming, Mrs. Bill Collings.

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April 27th—Beta Sigma Phi, Exemplars, Mrs. W. W. Walters, president.

April 28th—Zeta Pi-Beta Sigma Phi-Mrs. Truman Brown hostess.

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Presbyterian Women Meet At Church Monday

The Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary met at the church at 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 6. The meeting opened with the singing of hymns followed by prayer by Mrs. J. Leroy Arnold.

After a short business session the study of the Bible was taken up by Mrs. C. E. Johnson, whose subject was from the first chapter of Colossians, "Has Your Life Really Been Changed?"

The meeting closed with prayer from the Year Book of Prayer by Mrs. L. W. Hart. Those present were Mmes. C. M. Oakley, C. W. Mayo, C. E. Johnston, L. W. Hart, R. L. Cooper, and J. LeRoy Arnold.

Children's Story Hour Held Sat. At Woman's Club

Mrs. Robert Perkins assisted by Miss Dorothy Perkins of Midland, entertained the children with stories from Mary Poppins and Cat Stories, Saturday morning at the Woman's Club.

The story hour, sponsored by the Thursday Afternoon Club is held the first Saturday of each month.

Children attending were Dale Ratheal, Delton and Jimmy Moser, Harvey Harris, Willie and Bobby O'Steen, Terry Harris, Sally Perkins, Kay Poe, Terry and Marsha Treadwell, Stevie Perdue and Judy McMillian.

NEWS FROM CHEANEY

The sermon topic at the Sunday morning service at the Cheaney Church of Christ was, "A Challenge to the Church." A welcome is extended to come hear these gospel lessons each Sunday.

This community heard with regret the passing of Mrs. Jane Sparger in the Ranger hospital on Friday, Aunt Jane, as she was so

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often called by everyone, had been an Eastland County resident for the past sixty-five years in the Salem community and Desdemona, where she was laid to rest in Howard Cemetery.

Mrs. Ben Freeman entertained her Sunday School class with an Easter egg hunt Saturday afternoon. These class members were: Helen and Charlene Blackwell, Gay Nell, Don Blackwell, Rita, Jessie and Jerry Underwood, Edwin and Virgil Blackwell, Roy Gene Ainsworth, Dwight, David and Donald Rogers and Sonny Hale. Loresta Love was ill and unable to attend.

Easter Sunday dinner was a festive affair in the Will Underwood home, with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Underwood and Mrs. Morris Underwood and family, from Ft. Worth, all enjoying the day together.

Miss Berie June Blackwell, of Lubbock, spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blackwell.

News has been received of the death of John Langerak on March 27, in San Francisco. He was the husband of Mrs. Ollie Ainsworth Langerak, sister of Monroe Ainsworth, of Cheaney.

Lillie Gayle and Rita Ann Blackwell were guests of their cousins, Helen and Charlene Blackwell, on Sunday.

Mrs. Nell Hester, Gary and Randy, visited in the Ben Freeman home Saturday.

The Elite "42" Club has a social meeting on Friday night of each week. Members are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Red Hale. Last week the group met with the Curtis Blackwells.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman, Mrs. J. H. Freeman and Mrs. Jennie Kimbrough visited in the Frank Weekes home in Ranger on Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Perrin was hostess to a miscellaneous wedding shower on Friday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Billy Highsmith, who were married recently in Ranger. Co-hostesses were Mmes. Lamar Perrin, John Love and Carl Highsmith. The table was laid with a linen cloth, centered with an attractive arrangement of spring flowers. Games of "42" were played and refreshments were served following the opening of the gifts. About fifty persons attend-

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Raymond Case and son, Bill, of Carlsbad, N.M. and Walter George Alvis, of Odessa visited in the Bill Tucker home Saturday.

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NEWS FROM CARBON

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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bunton and son of Texas City, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bunton of Ranger, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangum last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boles of Sundown, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne.

Supt. and Mrs. H. L. Mullins and son, spent the week end in Beaumont, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Murray and son of Moran, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughn over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Clark returned home Saturday from a visit with their children in Brenham.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richardson and family of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Richardson, Jr., and family of Weatherford, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Richardson.

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Rev. and Mrs. Cullen Hawkins of Big Lake, visited her mother, Mrs. C. M. Burnett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wyatt of Levelland, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield and daughter of Bartlesville, Okla., visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield, and her mother, Mrs. A. C. Underwood. Mrs. Underwood returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Geo. Jones visited in San Antonio, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trimble and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Johnnie Trimble, and her father, H. R. Gilbert and Mrs. Gilbert.

Pvt. Carrol Hogan who is stationed near El Paso, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan, last week end.

James Guy of Snyder, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Guy.

Miss Blanche Yarborough who is teaching in Odessa, spent the Easter Holidays with her father, E. R. Yarborough and Mrs. Yarborough.

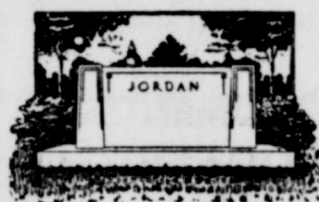
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Reed and family of Fort Worth, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reed last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kent Gilbert of Dallas, were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins and children of Waco, visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins.

Brooks Gilbert, who is attending Louisiana Tech, has returned to his classes, after visiting his mother, Mrs. Allie Gilbert.

ACRES OF DIAMONDS
CHICAGO — About 9,000,000 carats of industrial diamonds were used in the United States last year. George C. Payne, Chicago regional director of the U. S. Department of Commerce, said the same amount will be needed this year for sharpening the cutting edges of machine tools and in grinding machine parts.



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The box is filled level with a mixture of one-third finely shredded and thoroughly moistened peat, one-third sand, and one-third styrofoam (which aerates the mixture so well that it cannot be over-watered). Plant cuttings, two

or three inches long, are placed in this mixture and treated with any plant food.

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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

A revival meeting will begin here at the Baptist Church Wednesday evening, April 15, and will continue through April 19. There will be no evening services except on Sundays. The pastor, Rev. Clifford Hampton from Brownwood, will do the preaching, and Rev. H. D. Blair of Cisco will conduct the song services. The public is invited to attend these services.

Mrs. C. L. Henderson was visiting in Gorman, Tuesday.

T. E. Pope was in Eastland and Ranger on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Anson Little and Johnny, from Slaton, were visiting with the J. L. Littles and J. W. Mounce from Tuesday until Friday.

John Pope of Fort Worth, was a guest recently in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope.

J. W. Mounce and Wayne White were in Gorman Wednesday on business.

Spring Cleanup: Time to Get Rid of Rats

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Good sanitation demands the removal of rubbish piles of all kinds, because they afford protection for hiding and underground breeding. Lumber and firewood should be piled on racks at least one foot from the ground—never directly on the ground. Insofar as possible, feed of all kinds should be protected.

Corn cribs, granaries, cellars, homes, warehouses, and other buildings should be ratproofed to keep the rats out. Bulletins which describe ratproofing methods may be obtained from the local health officer or county agent.

Baiting is the third and most effective blow in the Spring anti-rat campaign. Outstanding among the available poisons is warfarin,

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing had been making some improvements on their home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little visited in Eastland Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing had as their guests for supper Saturday, their son, Rev. Ellis Hilliard from Comanche.

Mrs. Sam Fonville and Earl from Desdemona, were the guests of Mrs. Fonville's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard Sunday.

Mrs. Anson Little accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. W. Mounce, were in Ranger Wednesday, where they visited with Mrs. Zona Griffin who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were guests Saturday of their son, Maurice Hazard and family in

Eastland.

Rev. Clifford Hampton of Brownwood, filled his appointment here Sunday morning. There was no service Sunday evening due to rain. Bro. Hampton and wife were dinner guests of the Wayne Whites.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Boykin and Jean from Dallas, were the week end guests of Mrs. Boykin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Eastland, were visitors Sunday afternoon in the home of their parents, The M. O. Hazards and R. A. Parkers.

The W. W. Lee family from Fayetteville, Ark., visited with Mrs. Lee's parents, the L. G. Poyells, last week.

The J. C. Foreman family from Olden, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Foreman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby, Sunday afternoon.

The Gene Woods family has moved from Eastland to the Porter Woods farm in this community.

We had a fine rain here Sunday, which was greatly appreciated by farmers and ranchers.

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Painting Tips Save Time and Money



"Good paint, properly applied, does double duty for the farmer," says Arthur W. Stuedel, president of the Sherwin-Williams Co., and the marshals some impressive evidence to back up that belief. "Paint protects buildings against the ravages of weather," he points out, and actually increases property values because well-cared-for buildings are always worth more than run-down structures. For best results, paint should be carefully chosen and applied in the right way. First rule to remember is that the cheapest paint is not necessarily the least expensive. The real cost of paint is determined by how long it will hold up before repainting is necessary. "Weathered" paint, scientifically formulated to resist excessive chalking, color fading, checking and loss of gloss holds up as many as four, five or six years. Thus the cost-per-year is considerably lower than that of paints with a shorter life span. Correct application is as important as the paint itself. Paint stays put longer when applied to a properly prepared surface. It does not pay to skimp on the amount of paint. The coat of paint, after all, is all that stands between the wood

PREPARE THE SURFACE before you paint: (1) Remove loose, flaking and blistered paint with wire brush and scraper. (2) Re-putty window sash, if needed, after removing loose putty. (3) Seal open joints with caulking material. (4) Load brush properly, dipping into paint about one-third bristle length, tapping off excess on insides of can. (5) Hold brush comfortably, use long sweeping arm strokes.

and the weather. A too-thin coat can be as useless as a silk shirt in a snowstorm. As a final precaution, Stuedel urges farmers to "read the label before you use the paint. The few minutes that takes can save hours of effort."

INSIDE BIRD 24
Bird Populace Change Places

Some feathered housekeeping places are changing hands down on the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge on the Gulf Coast, according to reports to the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

The shifting occurred unusually early this year, reports state, with the estimated 80,000 waterfowl on the refuge setting the pace undoubtedly because of open weather northward. Even the giant Whooping Cranes presumably are poised for their long hop to the far north although they usually remain until mid-April.

As the northern nesting species leave the vast Blackjack Peninsula protectorate, some of the room they vacate is taken over by other birds which winter in the far south and summer on the coast. Conspicuous among the birds due to begin summer housekeeping at the refuge are the Roseate Spoonbills which leave about mid-October for deep Mexico, Central America and Honduras. These exotic birds usually concentrate about this time of the year on a few ancestral coastal nesting areas, including small islands of Aransas refuge, Galveston Bay and San Benito. One favorite place is Carroll Island, off Aransas, which the National Audubon Society protects with a special watchman in the summer.

Julian Howard, manager of the Aransas Refuge, said the departure of the Whooping Cranes is very

mysterious. They begin disappearing, apparently moving out at night, he said. Howard's maximum winter census count was 21 Whoopers.

Mobil Lab Is Fighting Crime

CAMP GORDON, Ga. — The Army's newest weapon for its war against crime is a mobile labora-

tory equipped with latest devices for examining evidence. The crime laboratory—a 35-foot trailer truck based here—is a modern schoolroom for soldiers learning to investigate possible sabotage or other crime at Army installations.

Manned by seven technicians, the lab has a chemical analysis laboratory, a photographic darkroom, equipment for identifying fingerprints, firearms, and docu-

ments, and telephone and radio communications equipment.

The lab section for identifying firearms, documents and fingerprints is equipped with a photomicrographic camera which reproduces pictures of minute writing or engraving. It also has a bullet recovery tube, a padded container from which bullets can be extracted easily.

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CANINE CUSHION
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — Mrs. Anna Weiner reported to police that her \$11,800 Persian lamb coat was stolen. Detective Gus Fauer investigated and found no sign of forcible entry at her apartment, but, looking under a bed, he saw her pet cocker spaniel curled up on the coat.

BABIES LIKE IT LIKE THEM

Early Neglect Add Big Toll Of Diphtheria

Diphtheria is a disease of neglect, declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. If all babies, beginning at three months of age, were taken to a physician or clinic for immunization against diphtheria, the infant deaths from this disease would cease. Such immunizations may be given in conjunction with whooping cough and tetanus vaccine for triple protection.

Diphtheria occurs most frequently in early childhood. It is caused by a germ that grows in the nose and throat and throws out a toxin or poison into the blood stream. This poison may attack the heart muscle or it may cause a paralysis known as peripheral neuritis.

Diphtheria is a dangerous disease for a child to have and it is highly infectious to other children. It starts with a sore throat, fever, and sometimes croup and hoarseness.

Adequate immunization early in life is the main defense against diphtheria. It helps the body build

up immunity against the dangerous malady.

About a year after completion of the initial triple immunization against diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus a booster injection may be given and another at four to six years of age. Some physicians advise a further injection at nine to ten years of age.

Although the death rate from diphtheria has been markedly reduced in the past twenty years, infants were unsafe without immunization. It is only when all babies are immunized early in life that the conquest of diphtheria will be accomplished.

WHO OWNS OREGON?
PORTLAND, Ore. — Oregon considers itself a sovereign state, but a survey by the natural resources committee of the National Association of Manufacturers shows 52.7 per cent of the state's 61,664,000 (m) acres are owned by the federal government.

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Fine Arts and Hobbies were combined in a most interesting program, Wednesday afternoon for members of the Civic League and Garden, their guests, and presented by Mrs. Art Johnson.

Mrs. Johnson called on several persons in the audience to show their hobbies and Mrs. Harvey Basham, Percy Wilkins and W. L. Holmesley responded. Mrs. Basham's coppercraft framed plaques and Mrs. Wilkins' original hand-painting were appreciated by the group, as was Mrs. Homesley's

preparation for their mounting.

Mrs. H. M. (Johnny) Hart, also presented by Mrs. Johnson, talked on Ornithology, which is the care and study of birds. She displayed charts and had with her several cages of the Parakeets she and Mr. Hart have in their aviary here. The cages of colorful birds added to the decorations of spring flowers used by the hostesses.

Mrs. Hart's interesting talk covered the history, care and breeding of the birds.

Jan Jay Smith, playing "Trumpeter's Lullaby" on his trumpet, accompanied at the piano by Alice Joyce Cushman, completed the program.

Mrs. Samuel Butler, president, presided over the business session, during which she had read communications from several of the representatives of the state government in regard to the club's letter on the raise in pay for teachers.

Reports were heard and Mrs. Butler presented Mrs. Frank Castleberry, program chairman, who in turn presented Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, hostess chairman for the tea that followed the program. Mrs. Dabney introduced the following members as her afternoon's committee: Mmes. Ben Hamner, Ed Witttrup, W. E. Brasher, Jack Chamberlain, W. P. Leslie and Leon Bourland.

Mrs. Dabney had prepared a driftwood and rock arrangement, placed upon a table, a hobby which blended with the afternoon's theme and was viewed with much interest.

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