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POLL REVEALS JOHNSON NOW IS AT THE TOP

The Texas Surveys of Public Opinion, recognized non-partisan poll of Texas sentiment on matters of public interest, reported Lyndon Johnson has climbed to the top of the vote percentage column in the senate race in a copyrighted article released for statewide publication this week.

Joe Belden, editor of the surveys, said that last-minute statistics from interviewers all over the state showed that the figures for Johnson had risen from 9.3 per cent of the total indicated vote (fourth place) to 26.5 per cent (first) since May 4. To use this impartial editor's own words about his own poll:

"The tabulation of this poll just completed by Texas Surveys of Public Opinion left no doubt that Lyndon Johnson had achieved a remarkable rise from a young

No Mike for Mike



Michael J. Quill shouts loud enough from a flag-decked soapbox to forego need of public address system at open air mass meeting of transport workers' union in New York. Quill, T. W. U. president, demands higher wages for subway workers.

Pressure Cooker Shortage Is Due Over The Nation

COLLEGE STATION—If you have a pressure cooker, your biggest contribution to defense may be keeping it safe and in working order and using it for a more abundant food supply.

Because the country's supply of virgin aluminum is being used for defense needs faster than it can be produced, there may not be "any aluminum pressure cookers available in 1942," one manufacturer and dealer has written to Mildred Horton, vice director of the Extension Service and chairman of the Texas State Nutrition Committee.

Companies manufacturing their cookers from virgin sheet aluminum have been particularly hard hit this spring, since the only metal available has been scrap or "secondary aluminum." Now, even scrap supplies are not obtainable.

A recent statement from the consumer representative on the national defense commission explains that "although it appeared some time ago supplies of aluminum in the form of scrap would be made available to the manufacturers of cooking utensils, it now develops that supplies may be restricted to a much greater extent than hitherto foreseen. Since the defense needs are increasing much more rapidly than production, it appears secondary scrap metal will be taken over for defense needs. While it may be that a pool of material may be set up for emergency use, this does not mean any of this will be made available to the manufacturers of consumer goods."

Olden 4-H Boy Purchases a Jersey

F. L. Spurlen of the Olden 4-H Club, who has been very successful in the hog business, has purchased a registered Jersey heifer from Joe Shelton of Brownwood.

Defense Bond QUIZ

Q. What is a U. S. Defense Savings Bond?
A. This bond is proof that you have loaned money to the United States Government for national defense. Your bond bears interest at the rate of 2.9 percent a year, if held to maturity (ten years).

Q. Why should I buy Defense Bonds?
A. Because money talks. To dictators it speaks defiance. To friends of freedom, it says, "Here's my hand!"

NOTE—To purchase Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank, or write for information to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C.

A. J. Ratliff To Head the R.M.A. In The Ensuing Year

A. J. Ratliff was elected president of the Ranger Retail Merchants Association meeting Monday, and Lester Crossley was elected vice president of the organization.

Commission Meeting Postponed One Day

The regular weekly meeting of the Ranger City Commission, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until Wednesday, it was announced today by E. T. Eubank, city secretary.

Firms Sponsoring Bathing Beauties For Review Here

Merchants and business men and women of Eastland are responding with enthusiastic approval towards sponsoring entries to the fourth annual bathing review to be held Friday night. Young women of Eastland as well as this entire section will be asked to answer the call of those who wish to sponsor them and can do so with dignity and also feel that they are cooperating with the event to make it a complete success.

The following have given the committee their assurance that they will cooperate in the instance: Lyric Theatre, Carl Johnson Dry Goods, Walters Grocery and Market, La. Fonda Beauty Shop, Post Office Grocery and Market, Burden Sinclair Station, Harvey Chevrolet Company, Muirhead Motor Co., J. C. Penney Company, Veleta Beauty Shop, Burrs Department Store, Piggly Wiggly, Harrison Grocery and Market, Mrs. Mack's Beauty Shop, The Men's Shop, Club Cafe, The Fashion Shop, Altman's, Modern Dry Cleaners & Dyers, Castleberry Feed Store, Jim Horton Tire Service, King Ball Motors and Howaris Flower Shop.

Others will be contacted and it is evident that we will have more entries this year than ever.

W. J. Peters, chairman of the Boat Races states that his end of the entertainment is taking shape where some real thrilling fast races are on schedule with Breckenridge, Mineral Wells and Brownwood entries with fast boats assured. This event will be held at the Eastland Lake at 10 a. m., Friday.

Car Is Stolen In Ranger Monday

Chief of Police Lee Ames of Ranger was notified late Monday night that the automobile belonging to Leslie Hagaman had been stolen earlier in the night.

County Motorcade To Attend A Rally for Lyndon Johnson

A motorcade of nearly 100 Eastland county cars, headed by delegations of approximately 25 cars each from Eastland, Cisco and Ranger, left this afternoon for Fort Worth, where Eastland county boosters will attend a Lyndon Johnson rally.

4-H Club Boys Are Growing Peanuts

For the past two weeks the assistant county agent has been visiting 4-H Club demonstrations and reports that in spite of the bad weather most of the boys have their peanuts and grain sorghums planted, but in most cases need some more fair weather as the crops need working badly.

Dairy Industry In Texas Booms

AUSTIN, Tex.—The Texas dairy industry continues to boom, according to current reports of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Today's Tip On Keeping Cool



With the thermometer soaring to record high for the year, one might ape the monkey and find relief. In Philadelphia, where the temperature was also high, this zoo chimpanzee used a cake of ice to beat the heat.

4-H Dairy Cattle Judging Team To Compete At A.&M.

The Eastland County 4-H Club Dairy Cattle Judging Team, which will compete during the short course at A. & M. College, went to Brownwood this week and spent the day judging at Shelton Bros. dairy.

According to John A. Wright, assistant county agent, the boys spend a day very similar to the one they will spend in the contest. They judged eight classes of dairy cattle and gave two sets of reasons.

Registration Day Is Tuesday, July 1, 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Tuesday, July 1, is Registration Day throughout the Nation. On this day young men becoming 21 years of age since last Registration Day, which was last October 16th, will register for service in the United States Army.

In Eastland County the men will register at the County courthouse in Eastland and registration will begin at 7:00 o'clock a. m. and continue until 9:00 p. m. or until all are registered.

Stevenson And Senator Add To Humor In Senate

AUSTIN, Texas—Lt. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson helps keep the Texas Senate on an even keel by injecting a little humor when the going gets tough.

He let one storm wear itself out by interrupting to have captions read on bills sent to the Senate from the House. As the bills were read, the Lieutenant Governor assigned them to the appropriate committees.

Home Defense Guard Company of Ranger Is To Be Inspected

Major Dawson of the 17th Battalion, Home Defense Guard, of Stamford, and his staff, will inspect Company B, Home Defense Guard, of Ranger tonight.

Men At Air Base Are Also Farmers

By United Press
OGDEN, Utah—Army authorities consider adding a general course in agriculture to training of new air corps enrollees.

Board Meets

The Eastland County Commissioners are sitting this week as a board of equalization. The board convened Monday.

Gov. O'Daniel TO SPEAK AT CISCO WED. A.M.

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel will speak at Cisco Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the interest of his campaign for the seat in the United States Senate made vacant by the death of Senator Morris Sheppard.

It was announced that Governor O'Daniel will speak on the Cisco City Hall lawn and that he will have his Hill Billy band with him and that his daughter, Miss Molly, and his two sons, Mike and Pat, will also be with him.

The governor is scheduled to speak in Eastland at 10:15 a. m. while on this tour of this section. Many of his supporters from this and other sections of the county, are planning to attend the meetings.

Mattress Program In County Has Now Reached 1213

Latest reports on the cotton mattress demonstration program in the county indicate that 1213 have been delivered to the Eastland County families. Of this number 297 have been made during the month of June.

Altogether, 1846 families have made application for 2408 mattresses and comfort making materials. These families are being assisted in making mattresses and comforts by more than 408 local workers. Each family has two members work on mattresses.

Eastland County mattresses are a part of the 392,123 mattresses completed in the State through June.

The mattress program has been delayed because of lack of cotton. The last shipment was only half of the original order. Just as soon as the cotton arrives in the county it will be delivered to the larger centers and work started. The larger centers are to be in the schools and gymnasiums of the communities and we have to complete the work before the school term starts. All centers will be taken care of at the very earliest time possible.

Advice On Using Cotton Stamps Is Offered By A.&M.

COLLEGE STATION—Families of growers who will soon be receiving stamps for compliance with the supplementary cotton program can make their stamps stretch a little farther over the budget if they do some planning in advance.

The best approach is for the family to sit down together and take an inventory of the cotton goods on hand, then last needs for cotton clothing and for household cottons. Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist, and Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement, both of the A. & M. College Extension Service, say that when the inventory and the list are made, the stamp allotment should then be proportioned wisely between clothing and household needs.

Whether families are buying clothes or articles for the home, the specialists say these pointers will help spend cotton stamps wisely.

Be sure to take your list when you go shopping.

If you don't know the prices of things you need, get them. Don't hesitate to ask questions. Read carefully all the labels on the articles you buy.

Remember that good quality material generally means a saving since it lasts longer and stands hard wear better.

Don't let a "bargain" lead you into buying something you don't really need.

If you buy goods at sales be sure to check the price and quality with values offered regularly and in other stores.

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Lamb Feeding Is To Begin In Fall

Plans are being made to start a 4-H Club lamb feeding program in the fall by the use of peanut hay and home grown grain as the only feeds.

This program is open to any 4-H Club boy who has the above feeds. If the boy is interested in feeding and doesn't have the money at the time the lambs are bought, a loan with a low rate of interest will be arranged for him, being payable when the lambs are finished and sold on the market.

The plans are now that the boys start out with lambs weighing from fifty to fifty-five pounds of the ramboillet breed and feed them about 120 or 130 days. When the feed period is up the boys will bring their lambs to Eastland for shipment and at the same time a show probably will be arranged and then the lambs will be shipped to Fort Worth.

Boys in the lamb feeding program will accompany their lambs to market and will get a free supper that night and a place to stay. They will see their lambs sold on the open market the next morning and go through the packing plant in the afternoon.

According to John A. Wright, assistant county agent, there have been about 100 lambs spoken for and he hopes that several more will be wanted.

Navy Taking Over Hiring Machinists In Shipyards Area

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—The United States Navy took over direct hiring of machinists for the struck San Francisco Bay Shipyards today, despite protests from labor leaders that such tactics were "strikebreaking."

There was no rush for jobs, however, when the civil service boards, supervised by the navy, were set up at the major yards affected by the 46-day strike of American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations machinists.

The machinists have been on strike for higher wages for double overtime pay.

Men At Air Base Are Also Farmers

By United Press
OGDEN, Utah—Army authorities consider adding a general course in agriculture to training of new air corps enrollees.

For men of the air corps unwittingly joined a "back-to-the-land" movement when the war department acquired 1,600 acres of farmland near here for its new Utah general depot—ultimate military supply center for the entire West.

Officers and men of the 7th Bombardment Group were pressed into service cutting hay and picking strawberries when harvest time found the army with a farm on its hands—and no farm hands.

NAZIS AND RUSSIANS MAKE COUNTER CLAIMS UPON WAR SITUATION

Officers Who Will Conduct The Election

Following are the election judges for general and special elections appointed by the County Commissioners at their February term and who will judge the Special United States Senatorial election to be held Saturday, June 28:

- Eastland No. 1: L. A. Hightower, H. E. Lawrence, P. L. Parker and D. G. Hunt.
- Eastland No. 2: Ed T. Cox, J. F. McWilliams, Mrs. E. B. Bradley, and Oscar Wilson.
- Ranger No. 3: F. E. Langston, J. L. Turner, J. F. Dreinhof and C. E. May.
- Ranger No. 4: E. H. Hodges, Leslie Hagaman, A. H. Powell and Mrs. R. J. Taylor.
- Cisco No. 5: W. W. Wallace, C. L. Gilmore, W. R. Huestis and Kent Ward.
- Cisco No. 6: Fred Grist, A. D. Starling, S. E. Shokley, and W. R. Ivie.
- Rising Star No. 7: G. E. McDonald and Lee Henry.
- Rising Star No. 8: J. F. Robertson and A. W. Armstrong.
- Pioneer No. 9: Doss Alexander and L. C. Cash.
- Alameda No. 10: Mrs. S. Bishop and Jim Grice.
- Kokomo No. 11: J. C. Donaldson and Davis Parker.
- Carbon No. 12: M. V. Crossley, W. A. Tate, T. H. Dingler, Devos Dover and J. E. Gilbert.
- German No. 13: O. D. Brogdon, Z. O. Mehaffey, E. H. Jones and Don Moorman.
- Long Branch No. 14: Henry Reed and Tom Poe.
- Okra No. 15: P. O. Burns and E. M. Earp.
- Seranton No. 16: Arthur Bailey and W. W. Sawyers.
- Nimrod No. 17: Ed Townsend and W. M. Compton.
- Olden No. 18: C. O. Bragg and E. J. Allen.
- Dothan No. 19: L. D. Donaway and E. L. Hazelwood.
- Romney No. 20: Dan Gryder and L. C. Reed.
- Mangum No. 21: R. L. Smith and Nat Gray.
- Pleasant Hill No. 22: Ike Ramsey and R. L. Tucker.
- Staff No. 23: M. O. Hazard and Allen Crosby.
- Cook No. 24: J. F. Reynolds and Joe Bailey Hunt.
- Tudor No. 25: W. P. Gaest and W. H. Jackson.
- Desdemona No. 26: L. E. Clark and C. A. Skipping.
- Sabanna No. 27: Edwin Erwin and Z. W. Green.

Unofficial sources reported today that Hitler's eastern armies had smashed across 80 miles into Lithuania, and are now within 45 miles of the Latvian capital of Riga.

Scandinavian reports indicated that the Nazi blitz operation was being aided by Lithuanian rebels, who have revolted and are attacking the Russian troops from the rear.

There was no confirmation from Russian or German official sources. In Ankara it was rumored that the Russians, contrary to Nazi reports, were imitating the Nazi technique and had launched several slashing offensives into the German lines. No names of places where the attacks were supposed to have occurred were given.

DNB, the official German news agency, claimed that German troops had killed several hundred Red Army troops and that several thousand had been captured. The location of this engagement was not given, either.

The agency claimed that a Russian armored division had been smashed by Nazi bombers as it was being drawn into battle positions, and added that it was "obvious" that the Russians were unable to halt the German offensive.

There was no confirmation from Moscow of the Nazi advance into Lithuania and the detailed reports from Scandinavia of the Lithuanian uprisings. The accounts appeared to be Nazi-inspired. It was claimed that the revolt broke out in Kaunas, capital of Lithuania, and Vilna, apparently shortly after the Nazi attack started. German troops were said to have entered Kaunas, aided by Lithuanian rebels, who prevented the Red troops from destroying strategic bridges.

Reports from Swedish and Finnish sources indicated that a big naval engagement had been fought Monday night and early Tuesday morning in the Gulf of Finland, but there were no details.

Allied forces in Syria, acting under orders from Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain to press occupation of the country at full speed, were rapid by pushing upon the vital Syrian centers.

No counter attacking operations were mentioned by the Soviet high command, which said that the Russian lines were holding, except at Brest-Litovsk and at two points opposite the Eastern Prussian frontier.

Negro Questioned In Sadistic Murder

TEXARKANA, Ark., June 24.—Police from three states today questioned George Washington, 32-year-old negro, regarding various crimes, including the sadistic murder of wealthy Mrs. R. J. O'Dwyer, Jr.

Mrs. O'Dwyer was killed by someone who sneaked into her bedroom here last July. The murderer crushed her skull with a part of automobile axle, slashed her body with a knife and almost decapitated her.

VFW May Favor a Lend-Lease Plan For The Soviet

FORT WORTH, June 24.—Tom Carter of Lubbock, state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, today predicted that the organization, here for its annual encampment, would endorse lend-lease aid for Russia in its fight against Germany.

"Personally," he said, "I'm for anything that would destroy Nazism and I believe that's the way all the veterans here think."

Eastland Man's Father Is Dead

Olney Black of Eastland left last night for Los Angeles, after receiving word of the death of his father, George E. Black, there.

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Debunking Defunct Funk Bunk

To do to the world what Germany is trying to do to it requires many kinds of men. It requires street brawlers like Rudolf Hess to overawe physical opposition and beat helpless minority people into a bloody pulp. It requires wily intriguers like Von Papen to beguile diplomats. It requires traitors to their countries, like Quisling. It requires masters of manipulation of the mass-mind, like Goebbels. It also requires at least one oily but respectable voice to assure everyone that all this is being done for their own good and for the good of all the world. Such a voice is that of Dr. Walther Funk, the shrewd "economic brain" of the Reich. His mission is to appeal to business men throughout the world in an effort to assure them that all Germany wants is prosperity for all, and that dealing with the economic colossus she is trying to set up will be pleasant and profitable for the rest of the world.

So the plausible Dr. Funk is out with another of his frequent efforts to reassure an alarmed world. As usual, there is just enough truth in what he says to make it persuasive. And as usual the basis and the conclusions are as false as a shotglass in a clip-joint.

Excessive nationalism, extreme autarchy, border trade barriers, says Dr. Funk, were part of the cause of economic collapse before the war. Right. No use trying to reconstruct the world on the same principles that led to its collapse, he insinuates. Right.

With all due respect to a big-shot banker and a man who probably knows more about economics than we do, we are tempted to make a rude, derisive noise at this point.

What "co-operation"? What "equal partners"? The kind of "co-operation" that France and Italy and Bulgaria and Hungary and Rumania—yes, and Russia, are now giving Germany at gun point? The kind of "equal partners" that Mussolini and Hirohito and Quisling and Darlan and Franco and Michael and Boris and Pu Yi and Wang are to Hitler?

No, thank you. It may be, and it probably is necessary to remake the international economic mold of the world. But it is not going to be done at gun point, against the world's will, and exclusively according to the design of Adolf Hitler, or even that of Dr. Funk.

The eminently respectable Dr. Funk probably never clubbed a Jew in his life, probably never shot down a single man or woman standing in defense of their homes. But the economic blueprint extended in his immaculately-gloved hand is hard to read, somehow, smudged and smeared—Great Heavens, man look out there! That's blood!

LONGFELLOW'S HEROINE

HORIZONTAL

1 Exiled heroine of Longfellow's poem.

10 Sacred interdiction.

11 To hoard.

13 Pitcher ear.

14 Mug.

15 Cubic (abbr.).

16 Coterie.

17 Unopened flower.

18 Merriment.

19 Electrical term.

20 To name.

21 Sustained.

22 Electrified particle.

23 General principles.

24 Red flower.

29 Crevice.

30 Bow of light.

31 Eccentric wheel.

32 Purple flower.

33 Toward sea.

34 Hour (abbr.).

35 A wonder.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

PROG TAILS RANA
RED LINES INSURED
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SLATES N SESEL
HERON MAW CARBOR
EVEN COLOR DIAL
SILORA FROG SKI
GOLDEN FROG ANEW
TALE TIT MESA
LEADING

VERTICAL

1 And.

2 Valleys.

3 To border on.

4 Wooden peg.

5 To depart.

6 To extol.

7 Little devil.

8 North.

9 Edible.

10 Divers.

11 Young bear.

12 She.

13 She finds him at.

14 Wrath.

15 Her native land is also called.

16 Canoe paddle.

17 Bearing cirri.

18 Diverse.

19 To succor.

20 Twin crystal.

21 Obscure.

22 Wild hog.

23 Folding beds.

24 Half.

25 Fowl disease.

26 Musical syllable.

27 To make lace.

28 Postscript (abbr.).

29 Toward.

36 Congruous.

37 Fenced in.

38 Vulgar fellow.

39 Musical note.

40 Unique.

41 Building site.

42 Beverage.

43 Place of egress.

44 Butter lump.

45 Soft cap.

46 Those who speed.

47 Nova.

48 Nova is the scene of the poem.

49 For her fiancé.

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ALLEY OOP

WHILE ALLEY OOP AND HIS FRIENDS ABOARD A PIRATE SHIP SEARCH FOR OSCAR BOOM...

STOLE MY MAGIC BELT, HE DID, TH RAT... BUT I'LL KETCH 'IM!

I DON'T LIKE THIS BUSINESS, OOP!

WE FIND THE SCIENTIST ON ANOTHER SHIP, ITS CAPTAIN TERRORIZED BY HIS PRISONERS CLAIM TO BEING THE GHOST OF BLACKBEARD THE PIRATE...

YOU BLACKBEARD? IMPOSSIBLE!

OKAY! JUST WIGGLE AN EYEBROW AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS

HAW HAW!

WHICH, IN HIS OVERTAXED MIND, BOOM MORE THAN HALF BELIEVES HIMSELF TO BE.

BY HARMAN

IGNORANT OF THE MAGIC BELTS POWER, BOOM WISHED IT AROUND HIMSELF. HE NOW STRUGGLES TO GET OUT OF IT...

OH, HOW DID I EVER GET THIS BLASTED THING ON? IT'S CUTTING ME IN TWO!

OW! I CAN'T STAND IT! IT'S KILLIN' ME!

OH, I WISH IT WAS OFF!

WELL, I'LL BE...? BY GADDERY IT'S OFF! NOW HOW THE...??

WHEW!

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RED RYDER

By Hamlin

WHILE TRYING TO RECOVER FROM HIS WOUNDS, RED RYDER AND HIS GANG, RED RYDER, LEAD BY SHANGHAI BOON, CHINA BOUND STEAMER.

THEY WEIGH LIKE A TON!

OH, THE CONBOY AND INJUN KID IN THE HOLD, WE'RE SAILING!

AND PULLING ANCHOR, THE CHINA BOUND STEAMER HEADS TOWARD THE GOLDEN GATE FOR THE OPEN SEA.

"GANG, CAP'N? BARBARY PETER WILL BE MIGHTY GLAD IF THEY DON'T GET BACK!"

AND PULLING ANCHOR, THE CHINA BOUND STEAMER HEADS TOWARD THE GOLDEN GATE FOR THE OPEN SEA.

FRECKELS AND HIS FRIENDS

THAT CAR'S FOLLOWING US, ALL RIGHT, JUNE! NO MATTER WHICH WAY I ZIG, IT ZIGS TOO!

I BET THEY KNOW WE HAVE THAT \$1700 FROM THE DANCE!

CAN YOU SPEED UP AND OUT-DISTANCE THEM?

IN THIS TIN-TYPE WE COULDN'T OUT-DISTANCE A ROLLER SKATE!

MAYBE I COULD SCREAM AND ATTRACT SOMEBODY'S ATTENTION!

WHOSE ATTENTION? THERE'S NOBODY AROUND!

OH, GOSH, THE MOTOR'S SPUTTERING, FRECKELS! WHAT'S WRONG?

I THINK IT'S DYING, JUNE--- AND IT'S LEAVING AN ESTATE OF \$1700!

SPLIT SPT-SPUTT

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and
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TRAIL BLAZER 6.27

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SIZE	DELUX	DELUX	TRAIL	TRAIL	TRAIL
	TIRE	TUBE	TIRE	TIRE	TUBE
4.75-19	\$6.95	\$1.35	\$4.39	\$.89	
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5.50-17	8.45	1.65	5.49	.95	
6.00-16	9.45	1.70	6.45	1.00	
6.50-16	11.25	2.10	7.19	1.00	

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Satin Baseball Cap **19¢**

Your choice of several brilliant colors! Large visor! 6-piece crown! Save now!

Your Choice! Softball or Bat **38¢**

Reduced! Inseam ball has fused kapok center! Bat is made of golden ash with tape grip!

4-Ball Croquet Set **1.98**

For outdoor fun and exercise! Polo-type mallets... handy wood rack! Save in this sale!

Popular "T" Shirt **24¢**

Ideal for sports-wear! Closely woven combed cotton! All white... snug-fitting! Save!

Pint Size Vacuum Bottle **69¢**

Keep liquids hot 24 hrs., or cold 72 hrs! Rust-proof case! Quart-Size Vacuum Bottle... **1.18**

Gallon-Size Picnic Jug **98¢**

Keeps liquids hot or cold 8 to 10 hours! Enameled steel case, earthenware jug. Save!

4 Day Sale Price!
Motor Oil Reduced!

In Your Container **7c Qt.**

Wards regular Commander Quality... tough... was-free! Here's GOOD lubrication at the lowest cost!
8-quart treated can... **56¢**
(Prices include Fed. tax.)

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Kiwanis Chief



One noon this week Kiwanis members from Pomona to Peoria sit down to lunch with a new international president as their chief. He is Charles S. Donley, above, of Pittsburgh, elected at Atlanta convention.

Just a Bit Personal ...

Dr. A. K. Wier has as his guests his sister, Mrs. J. C. French and Mr. French of Hollywood, Calif., and his niece, Mrs. Lee Gardner, of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. D. T. Wier who recently underwent major surgery at a San Antonio hospital, is reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

FLYING CADETS HERE

A group of 11 U. S. Army Flying Cadets, in training planes, landed at the Ranger Airport this afternoon, on routine maneuvers. They were reported to be from the Brady flying field.

The average number of new mortgage loans made per bank was 10 and the average new mortgage made was for \$2,730.

Texas Banks Have Made Big Number Of Loans In State

NEW YORK. — Twenty-five per cent of the banks in Texas made more than 557,000 loans totaling \$609,000,000 to business firms and individuals throughout the state during the second half of 1940, according to the semi-annual survey of bank lending activity made by the Research

Council of the American Bankers Association.

The A.B.A. loan survey was participated in by 207 Texas banks, or 25 per cent of the 832 banks in the state.

These 207 banks reported that they made between July 1 and December 31, 1940:

388,067 new loans totaling \$288,382,707.

167,092 renewals of loans totaling \$315,012,133.

2,084 new mortgage loans totaling \$5,689,865.

557,243 loans, \$609,084,705.

The survey showed that business firms in the state used less

than half of the "confirmed open lines of credit" maintained for their use on the books of banks. A total of 30 banks in the larger centers of the state reported that they carried on their books \$77,540,450 in "open lines of credit offered to and kept available for regular borrowers for use as needed by them. Of this amount \$34,883,420 or 45 per cent was used. The average number of new loans made per bank during the six months period under review was 1,875 and the average size of loan was \$743. The average number of loans renewed per bank was 807 and

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Society Notes

Legion Auxiliary Meets

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the Legion clubrooms Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Routine business was transacted with committee chairmen giving reports. The Sick Committee reported that 15 visits had been made during the last period and that flowers had been sent in one case. Plans were made to hold a short memorial service for a deceased member.

A report on the Blue Bonnet Girls' State meeting held at Baylor University in Waco was made by Miss Lonelle Herring, who was chosen by the local auxiliary as their delegate.

Reports were also given by the delegates to the 17th district convention held last week-end at Stephenville. Delegates were Mrs. L. R. Herring and Mrs. Bob Hansford.

Mrs. Herring, president, appointed the following to serve on the nominating committee which will report at the next meeting: Mrs. Con Hazard, Mrs. A. H. Powell and Mrs. Hansford.

Methodist Young People Entertained
Two of the classes of the young people's department of the First Methodist Church held a joint entertainment at the Eastland City Park, Monday night. Following a swimming party a picnic lunch was served.

Special guests included the teachers, Arthur Deffebach, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Mrs. R. C. Edwards, superintendent of the Young People's Division; Rev. R. C. Edwards, Miss Gloria June Carter, Mrs. Arthur Deffebach and children, and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Bible Study Club Meets
The Bible Study Club of the First Christian Church met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. L. R. Herring. The lesson which was taken from the last chapters of Romans was led by Mrs. H. B. Johnson. The meeting was opened by a devotional and prayer given by Mrs. Herring.

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W. S. C. S. Has World Outlook Program
A program taken from the World Outlook was presented Monday afternoon when the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at the church at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. George Nicholson was leader for the program which was opened by a prayer offered by Mrs. I. N. Griffin. Mrs. C. E. May discussed the Congo pygmies and Mrs. L. H. Flewelen spoke on the Navajos of New Mexico. "Serving the Boys at Camp Shelby" was the subject of a discussion by Mrs. Nicholson. The devotional was given by Mrs. C. C. Coalson. The assembly singing of a hymn and a prayer offered by Mrs. A. J. Hatliff closed the meeting.

Ladies Bible Class Meets
At the regular meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church, the third lesson in a Bible course was taught by Mrs. Wesley Mickey.

Following the lesson plans were made for the care of the needy and a collection taken for a shut-in.

W. M. U. Has Royal Service Program
A Royal Service program was presented before the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church when that group met at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Alma Jackson circle was in charge of the meeting with Mrs. Arthur Murrell serving as leader and giving the opening discussion. Mrs. L. L. Bruce spoke on one phase of the subject for the afternoon and a vocal solo was sung by Mrs. Walter Davis accompanied by Mrs. Wilmet Simpson. The program was dismissed with a prayer offered by Mrs. Lee Mitchell.

Following the program a short business meeting was held after which a social hour was enjoyed.

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