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## Train-Truck Crash Takes Ten Lives



A truck loaded with farm workers was struck by a train at a crossing near Harlingen, Texas causing the death of ten and injuring 15. This photo, taken shortly after the accident, shows the force of the impact which turned the truck into a mass of twisted steel. (NEA Telephoto).

## Texans Lag In Bond Purchases

With only one more week to go in the U. S. Treasury's Savings Bonds current promotion, Texans are lagging far behind in the goal of \$33,000,000 in Series E Bonds. The campaign extends through July 4th and Texans will have to average more than \$3,000,000 per day to reach the goal, according to Treasury reports.

Incomplete reports from the 254 Texas counties show that only \$9,000,000 has been invested in E Bonds since the campaign began June 6th. This represents an increase over previous sales, but is far behind the pace expected during the promotion. A total of \$13,525,776.75 has been invested in all types of U. S. Savings Bonds. Although reports so far indicate that Texas may not reach \$3,000,000 quota, said Nathan Adams, Chairman of the Texas Advisory Committee on Savings Bonds, "the amount invested is encouraging since it does show so many Texans are interested in backing their future. It also shows that a great many Texans are interested and are taking a part in curbing inflation by investing a part of their savings in Savings Bonds."

"The object of the Treasury's promotion is three-fold," Adams continued. "It is designed to help curb inflation by removing surplus cash from scarce markets. It is to encourage each individual to build a financial reserve for his future security. It is to spread the national debt by having the greatest possible number of citizens buy and hold Savings Bonds."

"The Advisory Committee is calling on every County Chairman in Texas to put forth every effort to help reach the Texas quota. We are also asking every individual to buy at least one extra bond during the remaining days of the campaign. With a last minute effort, the Committee believes that Texas can go over the top in this first peacetime drive by the Treasury."

## LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH — Cattle 600, calves 300. Dull and weak. Beef steers and yearlings scarce. Common and medium cows 8.50-11.50. Better kind scarce. Good killing calves 15.00-16.00.

## O'Daniel Will Fillbuster OPA Extension Bill



Senator W. L. O'Daniel, left, gathers up his material as he prepares to enter the Senate Chamber and carry out his threatened filibuster to prevent the passage of the OPA extension bill. His secretary, D. Roland Potter, hands over more material. (NEA Telephoto).

## FAT SHORTAGE MAY REVIVE U. S. WHALING

WASHINGTON (UP) — The world-wide shortage of fats and oils may bring a boon in the once flourishing whaling industry. Soap manufacturers and other industrial users of fats would like to see the United States resume large-scale whaling and regain the dominant place it held in the days of the sailing ships.

Norway is the leading whaling nation, but even her activities are limited. Britain is the only other country to resume whaling since the end of the war, but even to a lesser extent than Norway. The greatest obstacles to revival of the American whaling industry are lack of equipment and the relatively lower operation costs of the Norwegians.

The United States probably could send out a few whaling factories—the ocean-going processing plants—but lacks the killer ships which bring the whales to the factories.

American operators before the war tried using Norwegian killer boats with their own factories, but ran into legal difficulties that made the arrangement economically unattractive. The government ruled that use of Norwegian killers made the catch a "foreign" product and therefore subject to a three-cent-per-pound excise tax on whale oil in addition to a customs duty of six cents a gallon.

If American operators decline to put out their own whaling fleet industrial oil users hope that these economic barriers can at least be lowered to permit greater imports from Norway.

The recent conference of the United Nations Food and Agriculture organization recommended a step-up in whaling during the current fats and oils emergency. It urged modification of the international whaling agreement to permit more abundant catches and greater co-operation in providing technical equipment and trained personnel.

## Capt. John Bray In Phillipines

17, June, 1946 — Capt. John T. Bray, of Fort Worth today celebrates his 3rd month as Provost Marshal of Clark Field in the Phillipine Islands.

Bray, a veteran of the Texas National Guard, entered the Army one month after Pearl Harbor. Rising quickly to sergeant, he was given charge of all athletic and recreational activities at Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Arizona. While there he built one of the first obstacle courses in the United States.

In December, 1942, he graduated from Miami, Florida, Officer Candidate School and won the class athletic trophy. Stationed at Atlantic City, New Jersey, he gave physical training to inductees and later commanded a squadron of combat returnees.

During 1945 Bray, already a captain, played end for the Camp Davis, North Carolina, Air Force football team. He came overseas in January 1946.

Captain Bray, who stands six-foot three and weighs 220, was heavyweight finalist in the Texas Golden Gloves back in '37, all-state and when he played at Ranger High, captain of the freshman grid team at Texas Tech at Lubbock, and All-Texas Conference for two years running. The conference honor was won at Fort Worth's Texas Wesleyan College. It became his alma mater in 1938. He was assistant coach at Wesleyan coach at Carrollton High School in Dallas, and first-string end on the Paterson, New Jersey, Panthers.

Captain Bray's wife Elizabeth and his mother, Mrs. Louetta Bray live at 1100 St. Louis Avenue, Fort Worth.

## PFC. WESLEY HOOPER WITH FIRST CALVARY NOW IN JAPAN

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN JAPAN — Private First Class Wesley B. Hooper Eastland is now serving with the famous 1st Cavalry Regiment, in the present occupation of the Nippon Capitol. Overseas 16 months, Hooper is a member of the 7th Cavalry Regiment. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon with two stars for Leyte and Luzon, American Theater Ribbon, Philippines Liberation, Victory Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, and the Occupation Ribbon.

As a civilian, Hooper was a Clerk for the Western Auto Association, and he entered the Army in August 1944.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Hooper are residents of 506 South Dougherty St., Eastland.

## Truman Reaffirms Full Confidence In B. M. Baruch

NEW YORK (UP) — President Truman today reaffirmed full confidence in Bernard M. Baruch, U. S. Representative on the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission, and said "I have been following and shall continue to follow your work with the closest attention and with every hope and prayer for its success."

The Commission met today as a working committee-of-the-whole to begin drafting global controls designed to limit the use of atomic power to peaceful ends.

The largest cotton plantation in the world is at Wilson, Ark., in the Mississippi River delta.

# Congress Urges Truman To Sign OPA Extension

## DE NICOLA IS NEW ITALIAN PRESIDENT

ROME (UP) — Henry De Nicola, 65, Naples Jurist, was elected president of the newly established Italian Republic today. The Election of De Nicola to the Presidency by the Assembly followed an agreement among Italy's three biggest parties to support him. The decision was reached in Separate Parliamentary Caucuses of the Christian Democrats, Socialists and Communists. The Government of Premier Alcide De Gasperi was expected to resign within a few hours, clearing the way for a new three-party government probably under the premiership of De Gasperi.

## Cotton Insects Cause Concern

Cotton leafworms which have now appeared in the State along with boll weevils, which continue to be favored by weather conditions, are causing no little concern to the cotton growers, states F. L. Thomas of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A&M College of Texas, College Station, Texas.

The first leafworms of the season were found in Cameron, Jim Wells, and Willacy counties on June 7, 18 and 21 respectively by federal workers of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine. This finding, recently confirmed, means that moths maturing from this brood of worms should be laying eggs about the first of July and that the second generation worms may be expected anywhere in the Southern half of the State within the next few weeks.

The first cotton insect survey report issued this year by the Bureau shows that the weevil infestation in Caldwell, Hays, Lavaca, and San Patricio counties was 32 per cent by June 22 compared with 37 per cent at the same time in 1945. In the vicinity of Waco, the infestation last week was to seven times greater than that for any similar period in the past five years.

Flea hoppers have increased in the lower coastal area and have appeared in damaging numbers in Bell and Hayes counties.

Cotton plants will be attractive to bollworm moths when they transfer to cotton fields and the probability is great for considerable damage by this pest a few weeks hence in Central Texas.

## 'Be Alive On The Fifth' Is Slogan For The Fourth

CHICAGO (UP) — The 20,000,000 vehicles expected to pack the nation's highways this Fourth of July may roll up the greatest mileage ever recorded for one week end, but may also exceed any previous death toll in accident history, the National Safety Council predicted today.

"More travel, a long-awaited vacation season in full swing, worn-out tires and cars, run-down highways and a carefree attitude that often becomes a careless attitude" all add up to a higher death toll, President Ned H. Dearborn said.

## Hospitals Receive Cut Flowers

Cut flowers used as decorations for the Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night were evenly divided and sent to the Ranger Hospitals this morning.

The smallest class ever graduated from Oklahoma A. & M. College was the class of 1897, which had but three members.

## C OF C BANQUET THURS. NIGHT

One of the largest crowds ever to attend an annual Chamber of Commerce banquet heard Hon. Mark McGee of Fort Worth, last night as he pulled wisecracks and jokes at a number of local citizens, and others from neighboring towns, which kept the audience in an uproar throughout his preliminary remarks.

However, when the address took a serious turn he still kept the interest of the crowd and his address was well received. "Let's give the government back to the people," was the main point in his talk.

"We have won the war and don't know what to do about it," he stated. "All average citizens believe in God, the Church and school, but we want the government as near home as possible, and when a man offers himself for a public office, ask him how he stands on these vital questions. We have let the government get out of control and he centered in Washington among bureaucrats and bureaus. Let's get it back. While the government has given us funds, we have enjoyed what we thought was prosperity, with the government paying men not to work and not to produce, in fact there has been a penalty put on production," he stated. "Soon they will come down here and set up state boards. Quit saying 'yes' everytime the government wants to give you something."

The returned veterans came in for a share of praise and the public for some criticism in that they can't get their old jobs back and can't get material to find homes.

The crowd was much larger than was expected and more seats had to be arranged for before the meal proceeded and the tables and auditorium were beautifully decorated.

Hall Walker, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who acted as toastmaster, gave a resume of the accomplishments of the Chamber of Commerce, calling attention to the new industries of Ranger that the Chamber had helped to secure and told of the activities and expectations. He acknowledged with thanks, floral offerings from the City of Eastland, and Mayor Victor Cornelius and wife, of Eastland, and thanked all committees and individuals who had helped make the banquet a success.

Numbers rendered by the girls trio composed of Loeta Ussery, Mary McHenry and Frances Ann Eubank and accompanied by Frances Ruth Hagaman were one of the features of the program. Music by Jimmie Metcalf's seven-piece dance band was enjoyed extracting one-third more wax powder than wasteful hand beating methods produce. Carnauba (pronounced car-now-ba) is the most valuable of all vegetable waxes, notes the National Geographic Society.

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## Nominations Sent To Senate

WASHINGTON (UP) — Martin G. White of Texas was nominated today to be Solicitor of the Interior Department.

President Truman also sent the Senate the nomination of J. Wyatt Page to be Texas State Director of Selective Service.

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Truman today sent to the Senate the nominations of 9,800 temporary officers for regular army commissions.

Russellville was the Confederate capital of Kentucky during the Civil War.

## Next Few Weeks Most Critical For Mortorists

WASHINGTON — Between now and next October will in all likelihood prove to be the most critical period for mortorists since the war, in the opinion of Lee Moran, executive vice-president of the National Automobile Dealers Association. This is true, he pointed out, because of the mounting difficulties in the parts situation.

"While the labor shortages in the plants of the leading producers have come to an end," he said, "the difficulties facing the suppliers of parts have become increasingly grave. The result is that for the first half of this year, total production of automobiles and trucks will probably run considerably less than one-half of the output during the same period of 1941. During a recent week, production dropped down to 35,000, while for the same week in 1941 it was more than 125,000. It is not surprising then that the word now is going around that prospective car buyers have only a very slightly better chance to get a car today than they had on V-J Day.

"Meanwhile, the crucial parts situation is going to make it much more difficult to keep cars in service. When we consider that most of the cars today are around ten years of age it stands to reason that in many of these old cars are parts that are pretty well worn. And it is to be remembered that when any part wears out there is no certainty when a substitute part can be obtained."

"To help meet this emergency, the National Automobile Dealers Association is urging all owners of cars to have their vehicles given a thorough inspection as often as once a month. Skilled mechanic can discover hidden defects in cars which, if taken in hand at once, will keep the vehicle in service and perhaps even prevent some frightful accident. This is the only way that owners of cars and trucks can make their situation less precarious, during the next four or five months."

The machine age is coming to Brazil's big carnauba wax production industry. Machines developed during the war are described as extracting one-third more wax powder than wasteful hand beating methods produce. Carnauba (pronounced car-now-ba) is the most valuable of all vegetable waxes, notes the National Geographic Society.

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## 'Pappy' Boyington Vs. Lucy Malcolmson



Mrs. Lucy Malcolmson, nearest camera, is shown as she appeared in San Diego to deny charges of Lt. Col. "Pappy" Boyington. Boyington said Mrs. Malcolmson had taken \$9,300 which he had allotted to the care of his children. Boyington broke his engagement with Mrs. Malcolmson January 3, 1946, and soon after married Miss Frances Baker who is shown with him as they appeared in court. (NEA Telephoto).

## PLANS SET TO FIRE GERMAN V-2 ROCKETS

WHITE SANDS, N. M. (UP) — Plans were set today for the firing of German V-2 rockets 100 miles into the air at noon, MST. It was announced by Lt. Col. Harold Turner, Commander of the White Sands Proving Grounds. The rockets were scheduled for test-firing yesterday but the test was postponed when oxygen pumping units froze and freed all the available oxygen. A new supply was obtained at E. Paso, Texas, Turner said.

## Mrs. J. H. Adams Funeral Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Jim Adams who passed away in a local hospital, June 28 will be held Saturday afternoon at 4:00 at the First Baptist church with Rev. David C. Ham officiating. Interment will be in the Evergreen cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth's Funeral Home.

Mrs. Adams was born in Colorado City, Texas, June 4, 1913, and had lived in Ranger for one year. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ranger. Survivors include her husband, Mr. Jim Adams, of Ranger, one daughter, Miss Mary Lou Adams of Ranger; three brothers, Louis Mills of Odessa, Leonard Mills and Rober Mills of Ranger; four sisters, Mrs. J. C. Adrian of Fort Worth, Mrs. George O. Bolton and Mrs. Fred LeMay of Ranger and Mrs. A. T. Hammond of Colorado City; and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mills of Ranger Route 3.

## Warne Makes Inspection Tour

AMARILLO, Tex., (UP) — William E. Warne, assistant Commissioner of the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation in Amarillo, recently for an inspection tour of district irrigation projects got a little fed up with the way everything in this part of the country including Warne's automobile uses water.

In fact, a very disgusted Mr. Warne pulled into Amarillo after a 200-mile jaunt from Altus, Okla., irrigation projects. Warne had to stop to fill his car radiator no less than 21 times on the trip to Amarillo from the Sooner city. Heat of the day plus a malfunction of the engine teamed up to give him an almost incessant chore of filling 'er up.

## Russia Springs Surprise Demand

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## THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Temperature for the last 24 hour, ending at 8:00 a. m. today: Maximum 93 Minimum 71 Temperature at 1:30 p. m. today: Maximum 90 Minimum 80 Hour's Reading 87

## Congressional "Big Four" Say "This or Nothing"

WASHINGTON (UP) — Administration leaders in Congress today urged President Truman to sign the OPA extension bill when it reaches him.

Senate Democratic Leader Alben W. Barkley, Ky., said he and the other three of the congressional "Big Four" had urged President Truman to sign the measure "on the ground that it is this or nothing."

Quick passage of the OPA extension bill was expected, following the collapse earlier this morning of the one man filibuster of Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel, D. Tex., against it.

Sen. Elmer Thomas, D. Okla., an opponent of OPA opened today's debate on the legislation. He said he was under no illusions that anything he would say would affect the final vote.

Thomas charged that the Truman administration has no interest in the farmer.

Congressional leaders said President Truman did not indicate whether he would sign or veto the measure.

"The President asked us down here in good faith for us to give him our best judgment on the bill," Barkley said, "and we gave it to him."

## Marshall Making Effort To Save Peace In China

SHANGHAI (UP) — Gen. George C. Marshall was reported today to be making a drastic last-minute effort to save the Nationalist-Communist peace talks from a stalemate with less than 48 hours before expiration of the truce which may plunge China back into civil war.

Reports from Nanking said that Marshall is bending every effort to achieve at least an agreement in principle which will avert a renewal of hostilities between the Nationalists and Communists.

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The Russians refused to agree to the maintenance of the present British control of the colonies for the next 12 months. The Ministers decided last week to put off for a year a decision on the disposal of the colonies, and established the committee to plan their administration during the year.

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### NEWS FROM Eastland

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Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Hanning are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parsons were Cisco visitors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oberen and small daughter, of Bay Town, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Williams, West Plummer St.

J. A. Copelen has returned from a two weeks' trip spent in California, with one of his daughters and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Samuels, of Austin, were here last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Timmons and Mr. and Mrs. D. Samuels. Neal and Nan are attending the University.

Mrs. Virginia Woods and daughter, Jennie, of San Antonio, spent last week with Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Root. Miss Jennie remained for an indefinite stay with her grandparents.

George Wilkins, Jr., and wife, of Gladewater, are here on a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkins, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hill of Goldthwaite, were here last week-end working in the interest of Dr. Homer P. Rainey, candidate for Governor. They are ex-state University students and Mr. Hill has just returned from the United States Armed Forces and is taking up work again at the University.

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Mrs. J. A. Deutch, of Chicago, is visiting her son, Russell Turner and Mrs. Turner on South Bassett Street. Mr. and Mrs. Turner make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Taylor.

Miss May Taylor returned Wednesday by air from New Orleans, where she visited her sister, Mrs. R. T. Cortis, the former, Miss Fay Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Bennett and little daughter, George Ann, of Midland, were here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard, who accompanied them to Dallas for a visit with J. W. and H. D. Beard and their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Noland, formerly of Odessa, have moved to Eastland and are residing on South Connellie Street. Mr. Noland is employed at the Leon Plant of the Texas Electric Service Co. He is a returned veteran of the Army Air Corps and before entering the service was employed in a Civil Service position at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson, 206 South Walnut, had their children home this past week-end and this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace L. Hooper, of Abilene; Mrs. Billy Jack Daffern and husband of Galveston and Russell, Russell who has been attending the State University, will return to Austin Monday after a week at home. Hooper is attending Hardin Simmons, Abilene.

Harold Munn, of Taft, recently discharged from the Navy after two years service, is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Kirby, South Lamar Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stegl Hill, of Houston, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Sallie Hill on South Bassett and other relatives. Mr. Hill is with the Humble Oil and Refining Company, Houston. They formerly lived here and owned a home, 401 Oaklawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus B. Frost were in Ft. Worth first of this week.

Billy Frost is here between semesters at Texas University. His wife and baby, Julie, have been staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Cisco. They take turn about with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Frost and her parents.

Petty Officer Floyd Styron, of San Diego, is here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox.

Mrs. Mary Styron, Midland, was a guest of Mrs. Cecil Cox over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rhodes, who are visiting his mother, Mrs. H. W. Eddy, and Mr. Eddy, at Greenville, Pennsylvania, writes relatives that they are having a grand time. Sunday June 16, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy had a wedding turkey dinner for the couple. The wedding cake, a white three tiered, was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. Rhodes, the former Miss Yonetta Mehaffey wrote her people they would stay until after August 20th as that was Gene's birthday and they were going to celebrate the occasion there.

Mrs. W. H. Patterson left Monday for Abilene to enter Scoggins Beauty school. Mrs. Patterson is the former Rosa Mae Bishop.

Willard Matthews and his family, of Angleton, visited his mother, Mrs. John Matthews, from Monday through Thursday of last week. They were enroute to Ft. Worth for a visit.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bryant, of Lamesa, daughter of Mrs. John Matthews, North Walnut street, 2240 5th Avenue, and is residing there.

Berford Jones, wife and three children, were here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones North Seaman, recently.

Mrs. F. F. Morrow, of Gorman, spent Sunday here with her sisters, Mrs. Tom Haley and Mrs. A. M. Allen.

Mrs. C. C. Worley was in Dallas Monday and Tuesday, buying merchandise for the Eastland Furniture store, and visiting their son and daughters, who are attending a singing school in Dallas.

Mrs. Lon Chandler, of Weatherford, and her daughter, Mrs. Zora Shultz, of Luling are here visiting Mrs. Chandler's only brother, C. H. Mahaffey and Mrs. Mahaffey, on Cisco highway.

Miss Patsy Sparks has returned from the State University. Miss Sparks will be a senior at the fall term. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Sparks, her mother, and her brother, Dick.

Bob King, of Kilgore, is visiting Dick Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks.

J. E. Sparks, 80, father of Frank Sparks, is in Mineral Wells recovering from an operation on his eyes. He was accompanied by Mr. Sparks.

Mrs. Lillian Furse, 104 E Valley has her sons at home now. Austin H. Furse has been attending the law school at the State University and Robert G. Furse returned Monday from Yale where he is working on his B. A. Degree.

Mrs. Earnest Halkias underwent a major operation at the General Hospital in Ranger Tuesday. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Basham, of Houston, were here this week. They formerly lived here on West Patterson street. Mrs. Basham is employed with the Veterans Administration and Mr. Basham is in the wedding business.

N. P. McCarny, manager of Burrs Store, and his wife have returned from a week's vacation with his brothers and sister in Grenola, Kansas, and Carmen, Oklahoma. His niece, Mrs. Charlene Liebion and Miss Sallie Logsdon, of Grenola returned with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fairbairn of Odessa, are here visiting her sisters Mrs. Frank Day Hillcrest.

and Mrs. W. A. Martin, South Seaman. Mr. and Mrs. Fairbairn are former Eastland residents.

Mrs. Ida Harris, Gilmer street, had her children home this week. They are as follows: Buck Harris, wife and son, Len Harris, of Balinger. Mrs. Rubie Broome and son, Stanley of Fort Worth, and Mrs. C. H. Deere, of Breckenridge.

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- 10 acres, 6 room house, fully modern
- 40 acres, unimproved
- 81 acres, 8 room house, fully modern, good outbuildings, close in
- 758 acres some improvements
- 2 good lots on Young street
- 2 good lots, one acre each, on Highway 80, close in
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FOR SALE — Paint and Wallpaper. Jack Williams, 1006 Young Street.

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FOR SALE — 4 room house and grocery store and service station with 3 pumps. D. C. Hughes, 5 miles south of Eastland.

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### NOTICE

"FOR long term farm and ranch loans, see Fred Brown, Eastland National Bank, Eastland, Texas."

Turtles Make the Boat NEW YORK (UP)— Three turtles plodded down the gangplank on a ferry due to cross the Hudson River, but they missed the boat when an attendant swept them off with a broom to keep them from being crushed by automobiles.

An hour later the turtles were back, still determined to get across the river. The attendant relented, took the turtles aboard and turned them over to a group of Boy Scouts who promised to release them in a park on the other side.

Coffee drinking increased during the war, despite a 37 per cent drop in world coffee production and the fact that many European countries could get very little coffee.

### Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the Democratic primaries.

### FOR CONGRESS

17th Congressional District of Texas  
William W. Blanton  
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T. E. Castleberry  
Earl Blackwell

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Charlie Bobo

### COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Homer Smith

## HOOVER SEES CARELESSNESS FACTOR IN CAR THEFT RISE

(Last in a series of dispatches discussing crimes that affect the average person, and suggestions by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover on how to combat them.)  
By Fred Mullen  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON (UP)— FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover reported an alarming rise in automobile thefts and attributed the increase in part to carelessness of owners. Police records, he said, show a 33 per cent rise in auto thefts for the first three months this year, as compared with the same period in 1945.



The federal government was authorized to fight auto thefts by the National Motor Vehicle Theft Act of 1919, which makes it a federal offense to transport a stolen car overstate lines or national boundaries. This act was amended last year to include airplanes.  
Under this law, the FBI between Oct. 29, 1919, and Dec. 31, 1945, recovered 91,315 cars, valued at \$55,789,599.  
The number of auto thefts is greater in October than in any other month of the year and follows the seasonal trend of robbery. Last year, 50 per cent more cars were stolen in October than in January, the low month.  
Motor vehicle thefts are not confined to pleasure cars, but extend to trucks and buses. Only recently a Grayhound bus was stolen in Minnesota.

Youth played a major role in automobile thefts last year. Hoover said statistics showed that 61 per cent of the thefts were committed by persons under 21.  
He said that no ironclad rules could be set down to prevent auto mobile thefts, but that there were several methods by which the opportunities to steal cars could be greatly reduced. He made these recommendations:  
1. Don't leave your car unattended, with the keys in the ignition.  
Even for emergency purposes do not leave keys on sun visors or in such places where they can be readily obtainable by a thief making a quick search of the car.  
2. If you think your car is being followed by another, do not go directly home. Instead, stop where you see a policeman or a large group of people, or drive to the nearest police station.  
3. Do not leave your car with the windows down. Many car thieves are adept at re-wiring ignitions.  
4. When purchasing an automobile make sure that the title to the car is in good order.  
5. Have some private or secret marks on your car that you can identify it in case it is stolen and the motor and serial numbers are altered. Note any stains, repaired upholstery and parts damaged in accidents. These are excellent identifying marks.  
6. When putting your car in the garage, lock the car as well as

These suggestions, Hoover said

### ON TOWERS' SCREEN



A scene from one of the pictures playing at the Tower theatre Friday and Saturday, "Boston Blackie's Rendezvous" which is a first run picture in Ranger. This picture will be shown on the same program with Buster Crabbe in "The Kid Rides Again."

are not all-inclusive, but a good over-all rule to remember is that any carelessness on your part leaves an open door and an invitation for thieves to steal your car.

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By Merrill Blosser  
GEE! MRS. KANE WOULDN'T IT BE GRAND IF YOU HAD A LABORED PLACE TO MAKE YOUR DOUGHNUTS? I SAY REALLY ROOMY KITCHEN!  
IT WOULD BE LOVELY... BUT THAT WOULD BE TOO MUCH FOR ME TO EVER HOPE FOR!  
WHERE DOES THIS PIPE GO?  
AND WHERE DOES THIS PIPE GO?

Freckles and His Friends  
WHERE SHALL I PUT THIS SINK?  
AND WHERE DOES THIS FLOOR PLAN GO?  
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO GET ALONG WITHOUT YOU KIDS... BUT I'D SURE LIKE TO TRY!

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By V. T. Hamlin  
SHE'S PULLING ME BACK ONTO MY WIFE!  
TYP AN' SHE'LL ACT LIKE NOTHING HAPPENED, RYDER!  
TROUPER!  
DUT YOU BELIEVE WHAT I SAID WHEN I SAID SINKS ARE MORE PLACE FULLER IN RANGE?  
I SEE... LARAMIE JOE!

Alley Oop  
GAT LONG-NOSED CROOKS IN THAT WAGON? I SAW HIM RUN IN THERE!  
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By Fred Harmon  
HERE! TH' CASH BOX—TAKE IT—TUCK IT—IT'S ALL YOURS!



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### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson and children, Martha Nan, John Lee, and Tommy, accompanied by Mrs. R. M. Davenport and daughter, Miss Alice Ray, left Ranger today to make their home in Dallas.

Mrs. J. R. Reid of Borger has been the guest of Mrs. Thames.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hunt have been called to East Texas due to the death of an uncle of Mrs. Hunt.

Mrs. Nellie Bynum has received word that her son, Cpl. Leon Willingham is in a hospital somewhere in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wylie of Hobbs, New Mexico, formerly of Ranger, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jensen have returned home after a month's trip spent in Omaha, Kansas and Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie White and Mrs. Long of Texas City and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bagwell of Galveston were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White.

Jerry Don and Brenda Sue White of Dallas and Nancy Beth Quinn of Eastland are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White.

### NEWS FROM

#### Cheaney

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Compton and son, Joe, of Bossier City, La. were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler over the week end.

Miss Theolita Miller of Lubbock is a visitor in the home of Mrs. Ann Lane.

Miss Genevieve Baker of Coffeyville, Kansas, is spending her vacation in the home of Mrs. B. B. Freeman.

Fred M. Ferrell, who has been in service for the past four years, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell.

Duane Tucker of Artesia, New Mexico, is spending the week with relatives in Cheaney.

Mrs. Dimon Uratis and daughter, Diane, of Beaumont spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Griffith.

### Murder Suspect Arrested In California



Sheriff E. J. Kennison, left, is shown booking Verhes Newton, 24, in the Auburn, California jail, after he was apprehended near Lake Tahoe, California. Newton, center, subject of a nation-wide search, is suspected of the claw-hammer murders of his two infant daughters and of assault with intent to kill his wife, who were found in a lonely ravine near San Mateo, California. (NEA Telephoto).

Mrs. John Love has returned to her home from a visit spent in Big Spring with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Smith.

Mrs. Thelbert Jones and daughter, Jean, were visitors in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Kholley of Midlothian has returned to her home after a visit in the Love home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jed Blackwell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell Wednesday.

### New Warner Comedy

#### Makes Local Debut

#### On Friday at Arcadia

"Janie Gets Married," Warner Bros.' sprightly successor to the original "Janie" who made her initial and refreshing screen appearance a couple of seasons back, makes its local debut at the Arcadia Theatre on Friday with a top notch cast headed by Robert Hutton as her bewitched bridegroom.

With the same excellent company of veteran supporting players, including Edward Arnold, Ann Harding, Hattie McDaniel, Dick Erdman and others, the new film is concerned with the tribulations encountered by Janie in her first turbulent year of marriage, and the complications which ensue when GI buddies (female as well as male) stop off in Horntville to spend some time with Dick, recently discharged from the Army.

Directed by Vincent Sherman, "Janie Gets Married" was produced by Alex Gottlieb from an original screen play by Agnes Christine Johnston. The film's characters are based on those created by Josephine Benthon and Herschel V. Williams, Jr. in their stage play, "Janie," as produced by Brock Pemberton.



Once a leading French cinema star, hailed as a "second Garbo," Corinne Luchaire is pictured above after a Paris court sentenced her in 19 years of "national indignity" for her part in entertaining Nazis during the German occupation. Her father was recently executed as a collaborationist.

### Naval Air Reserve

#### To Begin National

#### Peacetime Program

GLENVIEW, Ill. — Thousands of Naval pilots and enlisted men, former combat airmen who have returned to civilian life, again associate themselves with the Navy Monday, July 1, when the Naval Air Reserve peacetime program for national air security is activated at 22 Naval Air Stations throughout the nation.

The national peacetime program for these men, who will spend approximately one day a week in refresher flight training, will be participated in by more than 6,000

Naval pilots and more than 20,000 enlisted men.

Open house will be the order of the day on all the 22 Naval Reserve air stations on Sunday, June 30. Additional information on the program will be given in a nation wide broadcast over the CBS network Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m., EST, with ranking Navy officers and movie star Wayne Morris, one of the Reserves who will be participating on the program.

Air groups, which will furnish the flight personnel for inactive units of the fleet will be kept in training on these stations so that in the event of another national emergency a potent Naval air striking force will be available within 30 days. Made up entirely of Reserves on inactive duty, the Naval Air Reserve will provide a "second team" of "minutemen" to back up the regular units of the fleet.

Strategically located throughout the United States to serve the largest centers of population the air stations are situated in every section of the country. These stations are:

- Squantum, Mass.; New York, N. Y.; Willow Grove, Penna.; Anacostia, D. C.; Norfolk, Va.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Miami, Fla.; Atlanta, Ga.; Grosse Ile, Mich.; Glenview, Ill.; Columbus, Ohio; St. Louis, Mo.; Memphis, Tenn.; New Orleans, La.; Dallas, Texas; Olathe, Kans.; Hutchinson, Kans.; Minneapolis, Minn.; San Diego, Calif.; Los Alamitos, Calif.; Livermore, Calif.; Seattle, Wash.

Men who participate in the regular part-time duties will be enlisted in the Organized Reserve of the Navy and will be paid on the basis of their rank and rate for the time they serve.

In addition there will be a large group of inactive Reservists who will serve in the Volunteer Re-

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### White Horse Show

#### Lives Up To Name

NAPER, Neb. (UP)— Among shows giving entertainment in the Mid-west this summer is the White Horse Ranch show, the result of 25 years of line breeding of Arabian Morgan and Spanish-Morocco horses.

When Cal and Ruth Thompson, owners of the famous White Horse Ranch in northeast Nebraska, started planning the show in 1918, they sold all their horses other than albinos.

Now all animals, including dogs, cats, turkeys, chickens, horses, and goats, are the same color. All horses sold by the ranch are trained, serve without pay. They will not be on a definite schedule and will report whenever possible to participate. Included will be both officers and enlisted men.

The stations where the Air Reserve program will be in operation are manned by stationkeeper personnel. Reserves on active duty, who enjoy the privileges of active duty in the Navy but still are not subject to transfer to other stations.

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