



21 ARRESTED IN LIQUOR RAIDS

SEEN OR HEARD

Air conditioning weather is here. The weather is breaking records all over the state, right and left. We are glad to see it come. Life is more enjoyable in warm weather in our opinion, others probably do not think so, but that's one thing you can still gripe about without being subversive and getting the government on your neck.

As most of you have probably heard, the sheriff and some of his helpers, along with other law enforcement agencies have been quite busy over the county. Just what the result will be is not known.

They tell me when you dance you have to pay the fiddler. Where there is a supply in anything—there must always be a demand. Or it is not economically feasible to have a product in your possession. That comes again to the thought that there is two sides to everything. If there was no demand for liquor, there would be no supply.

Of course the sale of intoxicating beverages in this county is strictly not in accordance with the law. Therefore the sheriff has made efforts to see the law enforced, or possibly a penalty paid for not abiding by it.

A couple of jugs must have fell out of the sheriff's car on the way back to Eastland. We have had reports of dog poisoning in town.

One instance we know of was a small dog that was a child's pet, and very dear to the heart of that child. The dog was taken to a veterinary who confirmed suspicion of poisoning by looking at the dog's stomach.

Evidence of poison was found in a piece of meat.

Can't people realize that some small child could just as well get that poisoned meat as the dog?

When you start kicking someone's dog around you sure better know what you're doing. The man we talked to was very unhappy and would like to get hit two-bits worth of the person who would stoop so low as to use poison.

If you are being annoyed by neighbor's animals, the best thing to do is see the neighbor, and try to straighten the thing out like white men, instead of barbarians, by using poison.

Too many people in this county agree with Governor Shivers on his political idea of an unstructured delegation to the national convention for him to be as wrong as some would have us think.

Possibly the good governor has a trick or two up his political sleeve for the presidential nomination. We have been told that he was chairman of the southern governor's alliance for fourteen states. Which would give him some influence with 144 delegates from those places, a lot of horse trading could be done with that many delegates.

They agree with that policy in this county at least. The county delegation goes unstructured.

County politics should start getting warmer with the approach of July. Some of the candidates are getting in the race, a few are getting out, at least one forgot to file after announcing, and everything should be pretty lively for a month or so.

We just glanced at a calendar and saw that Mother's Day is creeping up on us this next Sunday. We better start robbing our own piggy bank to get our shopping done.

Mrs. Brewer Of Route 1, Injured In Fall Friday

Mrs. J. T. Brewer of Route one fell Friday at her home, breaking her left arm and hip. She is in a very serious condition in the West Texas Clinic.

Mrs. Brewer is the mother of Mrs. DeWitt Young of Ranger. Four of Mrs. Brewer's other five children are at her bedside.

For Good Used Cars (Trade-ins on the New Olds) Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

YOUR NATIONAL GUARD



SUPPLY SECTION OF Service Battery 648th Armored Field Artillery Bn., with WOJG Homer L. Coady, SFC. Alton W. Walker, Sgt. Earl Keller, Sgt. Joseph M. Nash, Recruit Jack D. Petree, and seated at the desk, SFC. William T. Arthur. The members of the supply section are issuing clothing and equipment, part of the initial allowance each man is given upon enlisting as a member of the unit.

Shivers Forces Control County Convention; Republicans Choose Delegates To Support Eisenhower

The five-vote delegation to the State Democratic convention in San Antonio, May 27, were chosen at the Eastland county convention here Tuesday. They are to go unstructured.

Governor Shivers' group were in almost complete control all during the convention. The District Court room was comfortably filled, though not more than half the group was active, voting delegates from the various county precincts.

The two and one-half hour meetings was far from being dull, though there were no bodily attacks. Verbal attacks broke out all during the meeting. Ranger and Rising Star delegates, at least a portion of them, were opposed to unstructured delegates, though they were very quickly voted down.

Early in the meeting, after delegates had been seated, the subject of resolutions came up. Seems as though most all delegations brought one or more resolutions. Some wanted to read them all. Others felt that "most of them would be duplicated, so a committee on resolutions was appointed. This action was taken after considerable verbal clashing.

With the credentials, and resolutions committees out of the way, the group approved two resolutions brought in by the committee. The first was to send an unstructured delegation to San Antonio, and the second a resolution which might be called an "economic" resolution of a general nature. Eastland voters wants the world to know they are sick and tired of wasteful spending, the creation of more and more new federal offices, commissions and committees, calculated to be administration "vote getters". Jones pays the freight and James is getting rather weary. In no uncertain words the F.E.P.C. was denounced.

The regulars were denounced as being Dixierats, by members of the Loyal Democrat group. One speaker in answer to this charge, enumerated all the "bulls" that have been made during recent years, and said that because honest Democrats want to correct these errors they must be branded Dixierats. "If this is true," he said, "Thank God for the Dixierats."

One individual wanted to know what a Dixierat is. He was told that a Dixierat is anyone who doesn't agree with you.

From the very beginning the Regulars were in control, and the following delegates to the State Convention were chosen: Cyrus Frost, Eastland; Helen Crawford, Cisco; W. B. Pickens, Eastland; Frank S. Perry and Keith White, both of Gorman. Alternates are W. J. Arnsby, Cisco; Pat Thomas, Ranger; Jack Frost, Eastland; Oscar Lyster, Eastland and Elso Ryan, Long Branch.

Cyrus Frost served as permanent chairman and Mrs. John Love, secretary.

The Republican convention was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. A fair representation was present, and their four

delegates will be sent to the State Convention, instructed to support Eisenhower.

Conservative Democrats in Texas are riding in the lead buggy today as a result of yesterday's county conventions, and their leader, governor Allen Shivers, is doing the driving.

Yesterdays Democratic conventions were the second defeat the Shivers Element has handed the states "Loyal Democrats." And the governor's campaign for 52 unstructured, unpledged delegates to the national nominating convention in Chicago is fast being realized.

Senate Expected To Pass Bill On Mine Safety

WASHINGTON, May 7 (UP)—Senate Democratic leader Ernest McFarland expects the Senate to pass new mine safety legislation this afternoon or tomorrow.

The pending bill would allow the secretary of the Interior to issue safety regulations for coal mines and would provide enforcement power.

Under present law, inspectors of the Federal Bureau of Mines can make recommendations for improving coal mine safety, but the federal government has no power to enforce the proposals.

The West Frankfort, Illinois, mine explosion, which killed 119 men last December, spurred the Senate Labor Committee to approve new mine legislation last winter.

The entire Senate considers the bill today.

Vandals Destroy Our City Markers

Most people are proud of what little our city has in the way of improvements. And most of us tend to avoid as much trouble as possible. But that's not the case with some of our residents.

The city officials heretofore have made known that vandals were breaking the city street signs, defying law and order and destroying public property put on each street as guides. The markers are not only torn down by the lawbreakers, but are maliciously rendered unusable for their intended purpose.

The police have made an appeal to you as law abiding citizens to aid them in halting this destructive pastime of our evil minded fellows.

The police have had several leads on who is doing this damage, and they hope in the near future to bring the full process of the law against the offenders.

Dean Of MIT Charged In Lingerie Raid

A 51-year-old dean at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology appeared in district court yesterday to plead for leniency for 17 college students accused of invading Radcliffe College on a lingerie raid.

But Frederick Fassel's pleading didn't get very far, and he now faces the same charges. Police identified the dean as a leader of the raid and also claim he dropped a bag of water on them. The president of MIT says it's obviously a case of mistaken identity.

VFW Meeting Thurs. Nite

The Ranger Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet Thursday evening at the VFW Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Commander Fred Masley has agreed all eligible members of the post to attend. He especially, wants all persons interested in a memorial service at the meeting. This very important matter will be discussed.

Poor Land Wears Out Faster Than Better Type Soil

Good land stands up best; poor land wears out fast. Abandoned land is usually a sign of failure; either the land has failed or a farmer has failed.

Land is usually abandoned because of one or two reasons. Either because of financial failure of the farmer, or the physical failure of the land. In most cases the physical failure of the land is caused by poor land being put under cultivation.

Land under agreement with the Upper Leon and Brown-Mills Soil Conservation Districts is graded according to how much care it needs to keep it productive. The grading is made on the basis of the land's physical condition, such as its depth above the parent rock, its surface texture, its position (whether flat or sloping), and its present erosion. These conditions present permanent limitations to the land. There are also temporary limitations found in most soils. These are: low amount of organic matter, plow pans near the surface, ability to take in and hold

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Marine Corps Commissions For Students

T-Sgt. Wims of the local Marine Recruiting Station at Abilene announced today that Eastland County area male college graduates and seniors will have an opportunity to earn commissions in the Marine Corps this summer.

By June 1 the expanding Marine Corps will enroll a total of 1,000 officer candidates, according to Sgt. Wims. Candidates begin their training July 14 at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Virginia.

Married or single College graduates between 20 and 27 years old are eligible for the program. Seniors who will graduate at the end of the current semester also are eligible, but must apply before the June 1 deadline.

Married men will receive family allowances as soon as their candidate training begins.

Candidates successfully completing the 10-week training course will be commissioned second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve. Following this they will receive five additional months of specialized officers' training, also at the Quantico Base which is located 35 miles south of Washington, D. C.

Sgt. Wims said that the necessary application forms are available at the recruiting station. He stated that it would be advisable for prospective candidates to apply as soon as possible.

It was also announced that members of organized or volunteer Marine Corps Reserve units may apply if they meet the requirements.

Boaen Rites At 2:00 P.M. Today

Funeral services for James Boaen, who died early Tuesday at Ranger hospital were conducted from the First Methodist church here, at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. J. Morris Bailey, pastor, had charge of the services. Interment was made in Eastland Cemetery.

Mr. Boaen had been employed by the Texas Electric Service Co., for about 11 years, and was well known in Eastland.

Survivors include his widow, two sons, Verle and Wynne, five brothers, J. W. Boaen of Mead, Okla., Cliff of Bloomington, Cal., Looney and Covey Mead of Coaltion, Cal., and one sister, Mrs. Pearl Almond of Bloomington, Cal.

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Thirty-First Atomic Blast Is Exploded

Atomic scientists set off history's 31st known nuclear explosion this morning at 6:15 a.m. CST with the most brilliant flash yet seen at the Yucca Flat proving ground in Nevada.

No troops took part in the test blast but a group of military observers was on hand as usual to observe the atomic explosion.

It was the 17th nuclear device to be tested at the Nevada site and momentarily blinded observers 45 miles away.

Taft And Russel Take Delegates In Ohio And Florida Primaries

Taft and Russell head the names on the primary lists today.

It is Senator Robert Taft in Ohio, and Senator Richard Russell in Florida.

Taft swamped Harold Stassen in the Republican ballot, took all of Ohio's 56 delegates to the Republican presidential convention, and passed Eisenhower in the race for nominating votes.

It's Taft's greatest victory of the campaign. With more than four-fifths of the precincts reporting, the vote cast for Taft delegates-at-large was more than three million greater than Stassen's who received. Taft delegates-at-large polled almost four and a-half mil-

lion votes to about one million, 350,000 for Stassen's delegates.

According to Taft's headquarters in Washington, the Senator now has 161 delegates to the GOP convention, or two-thirds of the 604 needed for nomination. However, the United Press tabulation gives Taft 330 delegates and Eisenhower 291.

In Florida, Senator Russell handed Senator Estes Kefauver the Tennessee's first defeat in a presidential popularity poll. However, the former crime committee chairman apparently prevented Russell from winning a decisive victory.

As it was, Russell didn't take a clear-cut lead in the primary

Summer Weather Breaks Records Over State Tues.

Summer weather has hit Texas in a big way. There wasn't a place in the state yesterday with a high temperature of less than 85 degrees and Pecoside, deep in the Big Bend country in southwestern Texas, had a scorching 104 degrees.

A new high for a May 6th was set in Dallas with a high of 92 degrees yesterday. And today's record mark of 88 degrees is almost certain to fall, too. Weathermen say it will be just as hot throughout most parts of the state as it was yesterday.

The only rain reported in the state yesterday was at Amarillo, which had one-twentieth of an inch. The outlook today calls for widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers in the Panhandle and South Plains regions.

The mercury got down to 62 degrees during the night at Dallart, the maximum low for the state.

Ranger College Netmen Defeat CJC Tuesday

The Ranger Junior College tennis team defeated opponents from Cisco Junior College Tuesday evening on the Ranger courts.

Benny Skinner of Eastland, playing for RJC, defeated Bob Womack of CJC in a singles match, 6-2, 6-4.

Gene Gilley of Weatherford and RJC, defeated Jimmy Spaulding of Cisco in one set, 6-3.

In doubles, Skinner and Gilley of RJC playing Spaulding and Womack of Cisco defeated them 6-4, 7-5, giving the Ranger netmen a grand slam for the meet.

A return engagement will probably be played between the two teams teams this week. And Professor R. L. Willis of RJC stated that the matches would be played on the Eastland courts. Prof. Willis coaches the RJC netmen.

Ranger Airman Gets Promotion

Airman Second Class A. McMinn, son of Weston E. McMinn of Ranger, Texas, was recently promoted from the rank of Airman Third Class according to an announcement by Colonel T. P. Gerry, Commanding Officer of the 11th Bombardment Wing, Heavy at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, Texas.

Aze McMinn, a veteran of 3 1/2 years service with the Air Force, attended Ranger High School during 1945 and 1946. His present duty assignment is Instrument Specialist on B-36 Type Aircraft in the 11th Maintenance Squadron and he resides at 429 Roberts Cut-off Road, Fort Worth.

Strawn Soldier Gets Promotion

Bobby Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones of Strawn, and a brother of Mrs. Maxine Dennis of Lubbock, has been promoted to sergeant.

Sergeant Jones is in Korea, where he has been for the past six months.

Sheriff And Liquor Control Group Stage County-Wide Liquor Raid

Sheriff Frank Tucker and his deputies, aided by members of the Texas Liquor Control Board, staged a county-wide liquor raid Tuesday. More than 20 individuals were arrested. Some were charged with sale, some with possession and still other with possession and sale, of intoxicating liquors.

Fourteen officers took part in the raids, and arrests were made in Cisco, Eastland, Olden, Ranger and Dasdemona. Officers began unloading the group at the courthouse during the Democratic convention, and for a time it appeared that there would be three conventions going at one time. The Democratic convention, a Ministerial association group which had met in the County Court Room to discuss law enforcement with reference to liquor violations, and possibly a called meeting of "liquor dealers." They didn't meet, however. A few went to jail and others were released on bonds of \$500. At this time all have made bond with two exceptions.

Sex and color made no difference. Those arrested were men and women, white and black, and most of them didn't show any great nervousness.

Case after case of liquor and beer were brought into the courthouse and stored in a large vault at the sheriff's office. The office today throws off an odor suggesting a brewery, and when one woman passing down the lobby stated that she smelled whiskey, she was told that she had a good "smeller," and she did smell whiskey, and lots of it.

Thirty ones are wondering what will happen to the cold beer that was brought in. Will it be flat when it gets warm? What will the sheriff do with it? Is re-cooled beer fit to drink?

Some of the defendant will face only one charge, while others may face two or three. Arrests made yesterday may be cause for some fifty indictments, it is said.

The new 2-way radio recently installed in the Sheriff's office, played a leading part in the various raids.

Pittman Makes Statement To County Voters

My formal announcement to the citizens of Eastland County for office of County Treasurer.

I was born in Falcon, Arkansas on February 26, 1892, and am therefore, 60 years of age. I moved to De Leon with my parents in 1895, and to Eastland County in January 1907. My father settled on a farm 7 miles southeast of Eastland, Texas, where we farmed until I was 21 years old. He then moved to Carbon, and I was married in Carbon Texas in 1904. The greater part of my life has been spent in farming about 2 miles west of where my father settled when we came to Eastland County. I have been continuously engaged in farming since 1929, until about 2 years ago when I moved to Eastland, I have two sons living in Eastland who hold responsible positions.

This is the first time I have ever asked the people of the County to entrust me with a responsible elective office. I have tried to live the kind of life and rear the kind of family that would cause my friends to believe that I merited such a position. Should you, the people desire to hire me, by voting for me, and lending me your help, I shall do my best not to disappoint you. I have many friends throughout the county and it will be my purpose to see every citizen and voter of the county before election, but if I should fail to do so, please take this statement as a personal solicitation of your vote and influence.

Realizing the fact that this is your business, and you alone have the power, with your vote, to hire one for this important position, I wish to state now that if you so select me, I shall at all times recognize that the office belongs to you and invite you to visit the office frequently. You will at all times receive friendly, courteous service and any help, assistance or accommodations that is in my power to render.

Thanking you very much and trusting that you can support me I am,

Respectfully submitted
J. H. Pittman

Union Pickets Sinclair Here

The Sinclair Pipeline Company of Ranger is being picketed by members of the local CIO Oilworkers Union while the men are out on strike.

Pickets at the Sinclair installations on Highway 80 are evident eight hours per day, each picket walking a tour of four hours each.

Seven men from the pipe gang at Sinclair are not on strike. The pickets thrown up here in Ranger have been crossed by two non-striking employees, a spokesman said.

One Difference Between Korean Truce Delegates

Allied and Communist truce teams in Korea have settled all arguments but, one and that's a big one.

The Red demand for the speeded return of 62,000 war prisoners is the single issue which blocks a Korean cease-fire.

Both sides will meet again tonight to talk over the prisoner exchange deadlock.

In Washington, authoritative sources say President Truman plans to back up Ridgway's warning to the Reds with a strong statement, possibly today.

Also in Washington, a State Department spokesman revealed that the United Nations offered to let the Communists question Allied-held prisoners to learn how many didn't want to go home. The Communists rejected the offer.

OPS To Probe Blackmarkets In Potatoes

The Office of Price Stabilization says it has launched a nationwide drive against a black market in potatoes. A spokesman for the OPS says price agents are investigating several hundred complaints that a shortage of potatoes has led to under-counter sales and over-ceiling prices.

The investigation represents a complete about face. Only two weeks ago, a price official told newsmen that, so far as he knew, there were no potato ceiling violations.

Medal Of Honor Awarded Korean War Casualty

The Army has awarded the Medal of Honor posthumously to Private Billie Kannel of Poplar Bluff, Missouri.

He saved two comrades in Korea by throwing himself on two enemy grenades. The 20-year-old soldier gave his life last September 7th when the Communists threw two regiments in repeated attacks against I, L and part of M companies of the 35th Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, near P'yongyang.

He was the 47th Army man to be awarded the nation's highest military decoration in Korea.

Ride The "ROCKET" And Save

Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFeatters



"Send in the union negotiating committee!"



WHAT A FLOOR SHOW—Making the best of the grim flood situation, the owner of Tugboat Annie's restaurant in St. Paul, Minn., advertises that his is the place from which to watch the flood. Customers get to the place by descending the iron stairway, left, and crossing a small bridge. The featured drink is a "Flood Cocktail"—just plain water.



EARLY FALL—Shapely Virginia Gibson looks properly surprised as she "toggles" to the sand in a fall-apart beach chair in Hollywood. Press agent's caption said something about guys falling for her on the Hollywood sets. Must be a connection somewhere.

MORE PRECIOUS THAN RUBIES

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

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AFTER a moment Alma called to Tommy again, under her breath. "I shouldn't ask you to come back!" she said. "You had to go. Oh darling! Of course you had to go!"
There were tears in her eyes as she turned away and walked slowly toward the living room. Joe did not even try to ignore the fact that she was crying. He sat there with his hand to his forehead, his eyes closed, his head bowed. He knew what she thought, he'd seen what she'd done to Tommy; Joe knows that a man has to be reborn alone, without help. After a long moment of silence Joe cleared his throat and spoke gruffly.
"Here's a gun in the glove compartment of my car," he said. "Hope Tommy finds it. Safe bet that the others are armed."
The early editions of the evening papers carried the story of the Mammoth Gold-buying Company murder. Joe went out and bought copies of them all, and he and Alma poured over them.
Her heart seemed to stop beating at the start of each brief paragraph. Suppose she had left some trace behind her in that office? Had she touched anything? She strained to remember... the door-knob of the private office? But she had been wearing gloves. Thank heaven, she had not removed them! The police had little to say at this stage of the investigation, beyond one significant statement. Apollo Brown was being sought for questioning.
"Looks like they believe it's a one-man job," Joe commented. So far there was nothing to hint that The House would be involved.
The hours crept by interminably and they dared not leave the apartment. As the tension of waiting grew they had less and less to say to each other, but Alma knew the suspense would be in-

terable without the quiet warmth of Joe Denton's presence. He radiates goodness and strength the way a clear fire sends out heat, she thought.
Joe had, silently, yet unmistakably reverted to their old, early relationship. Whether Tommy succeeded or failed in his mission—even if Tommy never came back, which was conceivable, Joe was letting her see that he knew Tommy had won; that the gallant gesture, the high-held head, the sudden courage of her husband had sealed her to him again, this time irrevocably.
Whatever Joe might continue to feel toward her in his secret heart, outwardly he would be nothing more than the devoted friend. Of them both! That was the glorious part of it—Tommy had won back Joe's respect as well as her own.
THE silence which fell between them were not uncomfortable, but they seemed endless. Once the telephone rang and they both sprang toward it. But it was only Old Victor Blanchard, worried because Alma had not come back to The House after the luncheon hour.
She reassured him, saying she had gone home because of a slight headache, and then Papa Victor rambled happily on for several minutes about his work on his successful design for the gold star pin.
"Only fancy, cherie," he told her excitedly, "I heard today that Mr. Muncie is going to name the pin after me! It is the first time The House has permitted any personal name to be connected with a product. What rejoicing I have! It is to be called 'The Victor!'"
"I am so proud and happy, dear Papa Victor!"
The old man's voice seemed to belong to another planet as she hung up. The whole tight little

Handyman



QUESTION: What size footing do I need for a one-story frame house on a concrete block foundation? What is a good coating to waterproof this foundation?
—J. R. F., Fall River, Mass.
ANSWER: Extend the footing one-half the thickness of the foundation on each side, and make the depth one-half the width of the footing for one-story houses. A coating of waterproof cement, pitch, tar, or roofing asphalt will seal a properly constructed concrete block foundation.
QUESTION: In trying to build some flower stands, I had to cut part of the lumber at various angles, such as 5, 12, 30 degrees. Is there any tool that will help determine these angles?
—R. M. H., Haddonfield, N. J.
ANSWER: Cheapest tool is a protractor, a half-circle measuring tool with angles from 0 to 180 degrees marked along its curved surface. Adjustable nut saws are sometimes equipped with a measuring gauge up to 90 degrees, which is measurable on the base.
QUESTION: When the flame of my floor furnace shuts off, a sound like a slow-motion riveting machine develops. Can you suggest a solution to such a problem?
—C. M. W., Chula Vista, Calif.
ANSWER: This noise probably comes from some loose joints in the jacket. One way to silence the furnace is to put asbestos washers in all hot connections, if necessary, tightening them does not do the trick.
QUESTION: If I fill the space between ceiling joists with mineral fill insulation, do I need a vapor barrier? Could I use sawdust in place of the mineral fill for the purpose?
—E. J. G., Bend, Oregon
ANSWER: You need no vapor barrier where loose insulation is applied, because it is a good insulator but undesirable. In a hot attic, damp sawdust could catch fire spontaneously unless treated with fireproofing chemicals.
This column is prepared by the editor of THE FAMILY HANDYMAN MAGAZINE as a service to home owners. If you have any questions or problems relating to your own home, please address a letter stating your problem to THE FAMILY HANDYMAN, 211 East 37th Street, New York, New York. Attention: News Syndicate Editor. If the question has wide appeal in the opinion of the editor, it will be printed with the answer in this column at a later date. However, we cannot undertake to enter into detailed correspondence with everyone.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

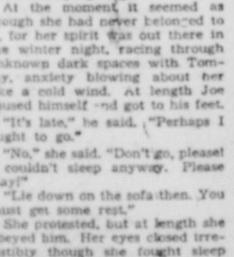
Payton-Tone Settle Fued

HOLLYWOOD, May 7 (UP)—Another potentially lurid filmland court drama has been settled quietly. Franchot Tone and Barbara Payton have announced a financial settlement in their stormy divorce. An attorney says "there'll be no dirty linen washed in court."
Meanwhile, another Hollywood marriage is on the rocks. Actress Ariene Dahl and her husband Lex Barker have announced their separation. Barker plays Tarzan in the films. Their marriage is one year old.

Weatherman Cynical About Mistakes

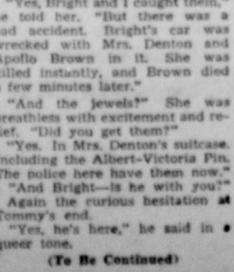
BOSTON, (UP)—A U. S. weather observer has these lines typed on paper inserted beneath plate glass on his desk:
"Among life's dying embers,
This is my regret—
When I'm right no one remembers,
When I'm wrong no one forgives."

Easy to Make It



A few camellias, leaves, green lines, and a bunch of white grapes are all you need to duplicate this formal flower arrangement. A classic example of how to obtain maximum effect from a few flowers, it is one of nearly fifty different designs in Good Housekeeping's 34-page book of flower arrangements in the May issue. The foliage here includes glossy camellia leaves and the swordlike spears of pandanus. The lines and grapes are wired in sticks and secured in a holder. The color effect is striking white against several shades of green.

PEE WEE



(To Be Continued)

THESE WOMEN!

By J. J. Smith



"Well, all right, I'll play the game, but don't try to make me look foolish!"

Cleburne Father Kills Family; Commits Suicide

CLEBURNE, May 7 (UP)—Johnson County Sheriff Earl King tells today the bizarre story of the wholesale slaying of an entire Cleburne family.

The wife and three children of a Cleburne electrician, 27 year-old B. A. Gist, were shot to death on a lonely, isolated road 18 miles southwest of Cleburne. Then Gist who walked four miles to the farm of Hoyt Baldwin, shot and killed himself in Baldwin's front yard.

The victims are Gist's wife, 23-year-old Luvenia, his two daughters, four-year-old Shirley Ann and two-year-old Linda, his nine-month-old son James Perry and Gist himself. The bodies of the wife and children were found in Gist's car and all had been shot at least twice with a .22 caliber pistol.

Sheriff King says Gist, whom fellow employees say had been extremely nervous lately, apparently shot the entire family and then himself.

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Airman Charged In Shooting

FT. WORTH, May 7 (UP)—A 24-year-old Carswell Air Force Base airman has been charged with robbing and shooting a Carswell woman taxiab driver. The victim, 33-year-old Mrs. Margaret Gay—was found wounded in the Trinity River bottoms near Dallas yesterday. She is in "very serious" condition in a Dallas hospital.

The airman, Ohio Lee Belcher, who says his home is Mineola, is charged with robbery by firearms and assault to murder in the shooting.

Belcher told officers he engaged Mrs. Gay's taxicab Monday night at Carswell Air Base and asked to be driven to Fort Worth. But, he says he pulled a gun and ordered her to go to Dallas. He said he fired a .382 caliber automatic pistol twice after the cab was stopped on a country road west of Dallas. Some 40 dollars was taken from Mrs. Gay's handbag and wallet.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



VIC FLINT



ALLEY OOP



PEE WEE



TAFT—

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Boss Averell Harriman 91-and-one half and Russell 40 A candidate needs 616 votes for the Democratic nomination.
Kefauver summed up the results of yesterday's voting in Ohio and Florida by saying: "I will be nominated at Chicago on an early ballot."

He said he was "especially pleased" with the Ohio vote because it "demonstrated once more that the support behind me is true in national character."

The Taft camp says the results in Ohio give him a "tremendous landslide victory."

OTHER POLITICS

Senator Kefauver's total of convention delegates includes two votes picked up in Alabama. Latest returns give Kefauver the backing of two delegates-at-large and one regular delegate. The delegates-at-large each have one-half vote while the regular delegate has one full vote.

Senator Russell picked up one delegate-at-large and one regular delegate. But he is leading in four other delegate contests and is assured at least four convention votes from Alabama.

Indiana voters also went to the polls yesterday, but it was the dullest state primary since world war one. Eleven congressmen, nine Republicans and two democrats, were renominated with wide margins.

In New Jersey, 36 Democratic convention delegates listened to bids for support by five presidential candidates, Kefauver, Russell, Senators Robert Kerr and Brien Mc Mahon and foreign aid chief Harriman. The delegation then turned them all down, says it will stay "unpledged" for the time being.

EISENHOWER

One of General Eisenhower's leading midwest presidential boosters say he found out how the general feels on two issues today.

Former Republican Governor Mickelson of South Dakota talked with the retiring Atlantic Pact commander for quite a while in Paris. Mickelson says Eisenhower told him he favored Missouri flood control measures, but with as



SOCCER SET-TO—Center Halfback Bob Keil, left, battled Midwest's Center Forward Bob Craddock for possession near the Far West's goal during the Olympic soccer team regional trials in St. Louis. Craddock, a Pittsburgh boy, scored three goals during the series, was selected as an alternate on the United States Olympic squad. (NEA)

Presidential Texas Primary Bill Promised

HOUSTON, May 7 (UP)—State Senator Searcy Bracewell says he will introduce in the next legislature a measure to set up preferential primary elections in Texas in presidential years.

Bracewell says in Houston that precinct, county and state conventions are so "battered" by polls that he believes the only solution would be to allow voters to name their presidential preference.

Governor Allan Shivers has said such a measure might make for a more representative delegation at national conventions and said he favored it.

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Castor beans should be fertilized about the same as if cotton or peanuts were grown.

Harvesting is mostly done by hand. The first crop matures about 110 days after planting. Then there is another harvesting usually after frost. Producers who have grown the beans do not think there is much trouble in hand harvesting. It's lots easier and faster than picking cotton.

Hulling plants are now located at Brownwood and Stephenville. If we can get enough acreage in this area, there is a possibility that we might have a hulling plant in this county. There is a charge of 1-2 cent per pound for hulling the beans.

Commodity Credit Corporation has the seed for sale at the County PMA office for .15 cents per pound. It takes about 10 pounds per acre. Commodity Credit guarantees to buy all the beans harvested at .10 celsan per pound or

Political Announcements

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

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(Re-election)
John H. Nix

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 2:
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Ike Lee
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FOR CONGRESS, 17th CONGRESSIONAL DIST.
Jack Cox

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 2
Charles Bobo
(Re-election)

FOR JUDGE 91st JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT:
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Earl Conner, Jr.
Turner M. Collie

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Roy L. Lane
(Re-Election)
John C. Nicholas

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Hugh H. Hardeman
J. H. "Hoover" Pittman
E. C. "Clyde" Fisher
Richard C. Cox

FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Stanley Webb
(For Re-election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
John S. Hart
(For Second Term)

FOR SHERIFF:
W. E. (Bill) Solomon
J. F. (Frank) Tucker
(Re-election for Second Term)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
George A. Fox
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the market price which ever is higher.

The highest yield last year in the County was about 600 pounds per acre.

Oil and chemicals obtained from castor beans are now used in ever-increasing quantities in medicines, hydraulic fluids, lubricants, electrical systems fluids, paint varnishes, plastics, rubber compounds, lacquers, asphalt floor tile, textiles, nylon printing inks, cosmetics, leather finishing, belt dressing, caulking compounds, fertilizers, fungicides, polishes and waxes, protective coatings, rust removing agents, soap and a host of other products.

The principal source of beans in the past years has been South and Central America, but as the beans have so many uses a better and closer supply is being developed.

In 1951 the crop was more or less of an experiment in the County, but in spite of the dry weather we harvested about 33000 lbs. of beans from something like 300 acres. This was a better money crop than peanuts in 1951. Some of our producers are planting 10 acres this year after trying a small crop in 1951.

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Poor Land—

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water and soil foods, and many others. The temporary limitations or hazards can be improved or eliminated by applying the proper care that the land needs.

Class I land is the good, deep level loams and clays that can be farmed without special practices to hold the soil against washing or blowing. It has no permanent limitations.

Class II land is not so good. It needs simple care to save it from washing or blowing and to keep it productive. It has a few permanent limitations. This land occurs on gentle slopes and is not badly washed or blown. It is considered good land.

Class III land is not as good as Class I or II, land, but it can be used safely for producing crops. This land is hard to farm. It is uneven and washed or blown in most places. The best of the deep blow sands are in Class III land. This land should have a number of well chosen practices to grow crops and keep the soil in place. Stable-mulch tillage should be used on all cropland, and the crop residue should be returned to the land.

Class IV land is the "in-between" land. That is, it is in-between land that is suited for regular cultivation and the land that should not be plowed. It is land that goes down fast under cultivation, and requires many well chosen practices to keep it productive. This land runs down fast and will get out of control unless it is given a rest under sod ever so often.

There is a danger in plowing Class IV land. It is hard to tell when to stop cultivating it and put it back to grass. Grass seed moisture, and it is likely that farmers will want to use the moisture to raise small grain. When Class IV land is cultivated, care must be used to return all trash to the land each year, and to sow a grass-legume mixture where possible. Soil building crops with a rest period are needed to restore fertility and build up the soil tith every few years.

More dust and sand blow from soils that have the least care. The loss of dust and surface sands result in poorer yields, lower incomes, and weaker soils. Continued loss of topsoil will lower the capability of the land and eventually to the abandonment of the new most fertile acres.

It takes three things to prevent most land failures.
1. On good cropland apply erosion-control practices that fit its needs to keep it from turning into poor land.
2. On poor cropland apply the best conservation practices to keep it from being a total loss.
3. Keep grass on land that is best suited for grass.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Tankersley spend the week end visiting in Fort Worth, Arlington and Dallas.

They were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parschal and family in Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boles in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Parschal of Brownfield spent part of the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Tankersley.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Blackwell and family of Odessa visited relatives and friends here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arrendale and Jimmy visited in Snyder over the week end in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Arrendale and family who formerly lived here.

Mr. James Arrendale has been off from work for twenty-one days due to a leg injury which has caused him considerable trouble. It was reported that he was doing fairly well but there is a possibility that he will have to undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mansfield returned home late Tuesday from officiating at the funeral services in Seminola for Ducey Colium.

Services were conducted in Seminola at the Church of Christ at 10 a.m. Tuesday and a short service was held in Abilene at the Elliott Funeral Home at 5:00. Interment was in Abilene.

Mrs. Winnie Pickle was carried to the Ranger General Hospital late Tuesday evening suffering from a kidney ailment.

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Where is Dancy now? He has a show job in London, as district

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones

W. W. Jones' Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary April 27

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a homecoming dinner Sunday, April 27, at their home 391 East Main. All the Jones' children and grandchildren were present.

The table was attractively laid with a gold cloth and center piece of gold and white iris. The color scheme of gold and white was carried out with the three tiered gold and white anniversary cake. Mr. Jones was born in Troy, Alabama and came to Texas in 1888, settling in Earth County. Mrs. Jones, the former Adeline Rippeal, was born in Hot Springs, Arkansas, and came to Texas when a young girl.

The couple was married April 27, 1902 at the Rotund Grove Baptist Church, Reverend George Ross was pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones have been residents of Ranger for the past twenty-five years.

Attending the celebration were their six children and seven grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Radford, Muskogee, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Onis Mills, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Covington, Ranger; and M-Sgt. and Mrs. W. R. Reese of College Station.

The grandchildren are: Jay Patrick and Nancy Jones, Michael Mills, Renie Reese, Tim, Cathy, and Janet Covington.

Seniors Honored With Banquet In New Hope No. 3 Church Friday

The educational building of the New Hope No. 3 Baptist church took on all the appearance of "School Days" when the Woman's Missionary Union honored the 1952 graduates with a banquet Friday evening at 7:30.

The honor guests were Wanda Jean Poekrus and Vernon Stuart, to graduate from high school; Charles Nolan Rainey and Carlton Wray Templeton, Junior College and from Southwestern Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth. Miss Louise Mitchell and Rev. Bill Hogue, pastor of the church.

The decoration committee under the leadership of Mrs. Doris Jean Watson transformed the room into a gay banquet hall with streamers of all colors and pennants representing the Baptist Colleges and Seminary in Texas.

The long tables covered in white with green streamers down the center held containers spaced at intervals displaying the various pennants from the colleges in the school colors. At the back of the speakers table was a large poster, beautifully designed, on Christian education. Ivy and geraniums made up the main centerpiece.

The theme: "School Days" was carried out not only in the decorations but in the program which was arranged as a day's activities in the school room.

The banquet got underway as the bell rang for school to take up and Rev. Bill Hogue introduced Rev. Bertina Hollis from the New Hope Baptist Church who gave the invocation and served as master of ceremonies.

After dinner time, class recitation resumed with James Rainey playing a clarinet solo, "He Sends the Rainbow."

During recess period, everyone joined in singing familiar school choruses; and chapel period was a delight to everyone when Rev. Otis Strickland, president of DeCatur Baptist College brought the inspirational message of the evening.

Booster Choir To Sing At Revival Tonight

Ladies night in the First Methodist Church revival has marked by a splendid attendance. Members of the ladies organizations of the Methodist Church sponsored the service last night and the members of the Order of the Eastern Star and Rebekah Lodge were honored guests.

The choir was made up of women and the congregation enjoyed the special number rendered by them.

This evening the Parent Teacher Associations are to sing special guests and the Booster choir composed of some seventy children will be featured in the service.

The subject for this evening's message is "The What and Why of Sin."

Attendance at the morning services has grown steadily as the various petitions of the Lord's Prayer have been discussed by the evangelist.

R. N. Lodge To Practice Wed.

The Royal Neighbors Lodge No. 9029 met in regular session Monday evening and transacted their necessary business.

Sick reports were made which included Julia Brown and Opal Kelley. It was reported that Mrs. Kelley visited her husband in the T. P. Hospital in Big Springs Sunday and found him improving. A report was also made that Tom Fox, father of Mrs. Jack Williams, had been carried back to the Ranger General Hospital and that her sister, Mrs. Clyde Fisher was in the West Texas Clinic.

Mother Carrie Henry had been on the sick list for sometime was able to be back at lodge last evening.

Wednesday evening at 6:30, the team is requested to meet for some necessary practice in preparation for their part on the convention program; and after the practice, a quilting session will be held.

Penny prize was furnished by Leona Arterburn and won by Ellen Jones. Sixteen members were present.

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Child Study To Meet May 15

The Child Study Association Pre-school will not meet Thursday evening as previously announced.

The meeting will be held May 15. All members are asked to please take notice of this change in date.

Lodge No. 478 Meeting Tuesday

Local 478, Oil Workers International Union, CIO, Ranger will meet Tuesday night May 13 at 7:30 p.m.

According to Gordon L. Downing, secretary, the meeting had previously been scheduled to be held Monday night, May 12 but was postponed.

Site of the meeting will be the Union Hall on the Strawn Highway.

Former Resident To Wed May 24

Mr. and Mrs. Grady O'Neal Galt of Corpus Christi announces the approaching marriage of their daughter, Revella Jeanne, to Sid Bradley of Ranger.

The wedding will be Saturday, May 24, at 7 o'clock in the Second Baptist Church of Corpus Christi. A reception will be held immediately following the ceremony at the Robert Driscoll Hotel.

Sid Bradley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Fullwood of Conroe and formerly of Ranger. He is the grandson of Mrs. Joe Calder of Ranger.

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Priscilla Class Met Tues. With Mrs. A. Kirk

The Priscilla Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met Tuesday morning at 9:30 for a business meeting and coffee in the home of Mrs. Ardell Kirk, with Mrs. George Falls as co-hostess.

Mrs. Earl Blackwell Jr. opened the meeting with a prayer and Mrs. Alvin Wood gave the devotional entitled "God's Challenge to Parents." She also gave a report on the work being done to improve and beautify the nursery rooms.

Coffee and garlic cheese toast were served to the following members: Meses J. W. Ball, Earle Blackwell, Jr., Hardin Bridges, J. W. Elder Jr., Millard Herweck, J. M. Hunt, C. L. Beck, J. T. Belknap, Wilson Guest, Earle Pittman, Louis Thomas R. F. Webb, Alvin Wood and the hostess Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. Falls.

Family Night At 2nd Baptist

Christian Home Week is being observed in the Second Baptist church. Various activities have been planned for each evening.

Tuesday evening the family picnic was held at the Willow Park. A large number of families enjoyed the evening of food, fun, fellowship and worship.

The meal was spread at 6:30 on the long tables at the park and some eighty people enjoyed eating together.

There were leaders for the various age groups of the children, who led them in an hour of games and the evening closed with the singing of songs and a short devotional on "A Christian Home."

This evening will be family night at prayer meeting. Each family will be seated together as they participate in the service.

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Beth McMinn, Ronald Mansfield Wed In Home Ceremony In Abilene

Beth McMinn became the bride of Ronald Mansfield at 8 o'clock Saturday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McMinn of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mansfield of Ranger are the parents of the bridegroom.

Nuptial vows were said before a setting of tropical palms flanked by cathedral candles and arrangements of white carnations.

Mr. Mansfield, minister of the local Church of Christ, read the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a complete outfit in white and carried a white Bible topped with carnations in the same color. She was attended by her cousin and her little sister, Arline dressed in a lovely pink organza dress as the flower girl.

Donald Mansfield, twin brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

The bride is a senior in the Abilene High school and will join her husband who is stationed in Wichita Falls with the Air Force as soon as school is out.

Mr. Mansfield graduated from high school in Overton and had attended Abilene Christian College for two and a half years before entering the Air Force.

The bridal table was laid with a lace cloth and appointed in crystal. The lovely white three tiered wedding cake flanked by white candles was used as the centerpiece.

The immediate families and close friends of the couple were present.

Rebekah Lodge Attended Methodist Revival Tues.

Ranger Rebekah Lodge met in 1009 Hall May 6 with Ethel Wright, Noble Grand and Sammie Flowers, Vice Noble Grand, presiding.

Alberta Miller was elected for initiation into the local lodge.

Lodge closed after a very short business session and sixteen members attended the revival at the First Methodist Church where they were honor guests.

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