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From The Editor's Window

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

September 23 is the autumnal equinox, and equinox means equal night, but not only are the days and nights equal. The polar regions of the earth each are getting equal amounts of sunshine with the rays just touching the poles and everywhere the sun rises and sets exactly in the East and West.—Exchange.

News reports are to the effect that Winston Churchill, recently on a vacation in Italy, was assigned a palatial 12-room wing at a certain exclusive hotel, but when the British wartime minister learned that Benito Mussolini had once used the suite, he at once demanded a change and got it.

It is said we now have a new gadget made of two mirrors and arranged in such a manner that the driver of a car is enabled to see around the car ahead of him.

From the Comanche Chief: — "A famed animal trainer says that he can keep a lion at bay with a newspaper. The power of the press is greater than we imagined."

So-called rubber roads already in use in Europe and under test in the United States, are in reality rubber-asphalt-surfaced highways with about five to eight tons of either natural or artificial rubber to the mile.

An old lady was looking for something to grumble about. She entered the butcher's shop with the light of battle in her eyes. "I believe you sell diseased meat here," she said. "Worse than that," calmly stated the butcher.

Old lady (astonished): "What do you mean by worse?"

Butcher (in loud whisper): "I mean, lady, the meat we sell here is dead."

A business man thought his staff of workers were rather lazy and indifferent, so he pinned up the following notice: — Bread is the staff of life, but that is no reason why the life of our staff should be one continued loaf."

A news dispatch from Ankara says the Turkish Army general staff has given permission to a group of Americans to climb and explore Mt. Ararat seeking for possible remains of Noah's Ark.

An announcement from the White House informs us that President Truman is looking forward to a visit with President Elpidio Iguirino of the Philippines, which will take place on August 8 in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Little and Mr. and Mrs. Orburn Little have returned to their homes after visiting with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little, for the past several days.

Two Intersectional Games Scheduled For Abilene Christian Col.

ABILENE, August 4. — Two intersectional games, and two against strong teams of the southwest, outside the Texas Conference are on the 1949 Abilene Christian College football schedule as announced by Tonto Coleman, head football coach.

The Wildcats will meet Texas Tech at Lubbock the evening of September 10 in what perhaps will be the first intercollegiate game of the 1949 season.

The schedule follows:
September 10, Texas Tech at Lubbock.

September 17, Southwestern Oklahoma Tech at Stamford.

September 30, University of Chattanooga (Tenn.) at Chattanooga.

October 7, Southwestern University in Abilene.

October 14, University of Tampa (Fla.) at Tampa.

October 22, McMurray at Abilene.

November 5, Texas A & I at Kingsville.

November 12, Austin College in Abilene, (Homecoming).

November 24, (Thanksgiving) Howard Payne at Brownwood.

All except the Austin College and Howard Payne games will be played at night. Southwestern, McMurray, Texas A & I, Austin College and Howard Payne are the Texas Conference opponents.

Samuel David Jobe Buried In Abilene

Samuel David Jobe, 76, a farmer living about four miles west of Baird on highway 80, died at his home at 7:30 Thursday, July 28.

Mr. Jobe was born December 28, 1872, in Johnson county. He lived in Abilene for a number of years before moving to Baird about ten years ago. He was a charter member of the Southside Baptist Church in Abilene.

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Saturday from Laughter Chapel North in Abilene. The Rev. Mac Richardson officiated, assisted by the Rev. W. C. Ashford, pastor of the Southside Baptist Church. The body was taken to Abilene Friday afternoon from the Wylie Funeral Home in Baird.

Survivors are his wife, three sisters, Mrs. Mac Richardson, and Mrs. J. E. Burnam of Abilene, and Mrs. W. F. Harris of Fort Worth; two brothers, W. H. Jobe of Sweetwater and Charnel Jobe of Lamesa; one grandson, Albert Cook, Jr., of Baytown, and one great grandson.

Two daughters and one grandson preceded him in death.

Burial was in the Cedar Hill Cemetery in Abilene, under the direction of the Wylie Funeral Home of Baird.

Darrel White, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White, left Sunday for Madill, Oklahoma, after spending his vacation in Putnam. Darrel and Dovie, twin brothers, are employed in the Madill National Bank.

TWENTY-FIVE WEST TEXAS TOWNS JOIN WEST TEXAS C OF C ON WATER PROBLEM

ABILENE, August 4. — In line with the proposal of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce that domestic water be given priority in any criteria for dam building, 25 West Texas towns on the Brazos watershed this week launched a new drive for an appropriation of more than 300,000 acre feet of water for the Bob Baskin reservoir.

The request is being filed with the Board of Water Engineers by the city of Haskell acting as agent for the other towns along the Double Mountain and Salt Fork of the Brazos.

At the same time these towns took their demands to Washington with a request for a resurvey of the project by the Bureau of Reclamation, using the same criteria developed in the

proposal of the \$87 million Canadian dam serving 11 towns in the Panhandle-Plains area.

Manager D. A. Bandeen of the WTCC, who recently prepared a report on the West Texas water shortage damage, and application of the Hoover Commission's domestic water recommendations, next week will take to Austin an official resolution from the Haskell city council, asking for the appropriation.

A request was sent to Washington this week by John Couch, president of the Bob Baskin Dam Association, for a resurvey by the Reclamation Bureau. Bandeen said this request was made in line with the criteria proposed by the WTCC which would give water priority in all multi-purpose dam construction.

This program has been finding widespread approval in official circles and, according to Congressman Mahon, who says "the thinking of the Bureau of Reclamation is undergoing a drastic change. The Bureau is enthusiastically supporting the Canadian project even though it is almost exclusively a municipal water supply project."

Letters from high officials commending the WTCC program for revision of the dam building criteria have been pouring into the Abilene WTCC office for two weeks. They include letters from Herbert Hoover, chairman of the Hoover Commission, which recommended in its report that domestic water be given first priority in criteria for multi-purpose dam building.

Taft Scores Heavy Deficit Spending

WASHINGTON, August 4. — Senator Taft gave out with the following on high taxes: "Taxes are now so high in the United States that the American people work, on the average, of more than one day out of every four for their government."

The Ohio republican asserts that there is little doubt that Americans are becoming increasingly concerned over huge government spending and are looking for some form of tax relief.

"Excessive taxation is about as certain as any other way," he warns. Taft declares that the national tax burden increases prices for all consumers, kills incentive of individuals and discourages those who want to start a new business and create new jobs.

"We have come to a point where we must determine the limit of our tax burden and then cut our expenses to meet our income and pay something on our public debt."

The Ohioan, who is chairman of the Senate Republican policy committee, says it is nonsense for the administration to say that the government cannot cut its spending.

Price Daniel Rules On Election Laws

Attorney Price Daniel ruled on the new secret ballot law enacted by the last legislature. He says it should be used in the general primary and local option elections.

The provisions of the new law provide for a detachable stub in the upper right hand corner of each ballot. The stub carries the number of the ballot, the date and designation of the election. It is signed by the voter and deposited by him in a separate box where it is kept in case of a contest for identification purposes.

The ruling said it was humanly impossible for the same procedure to be followed in absentee ballots.

"The mere fact that the absentee voter's ballot and stub are placed in the respective boxes by the presiding judge of elections would not render the section on absentee voting inconsistent with the other provisions of the act because the first sentence of section six provides that appropriate provisions of the act shall also apply in absentee voting."

All Old Fiddlers Invited To Attend Settler's Reunion

The old fiddler's contest at the Callahan County Old Settler's Reunion this year will be limited to residents and ex-residents of Callahan County who are 50 years of age or over. All eligible fiddlers are urged to enter the contest. Cash prizes will be given for first, second, and third places.

R. T. Baker Wins Shearing Contest

R. T. Baker, Callahan County 4-H Club boy from Denton Valley, won 4th place in the State Sheep Shearing contest for club boys at San Angelo on July 26. The contest was sponsored by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association and the winner got a free trip to the International Livestock Exposition and National Sheep Shearing contest in November. Baker had an average score of 72.5 points on two sheep. The boys were scored on the basis of 20 per cent for the best time, and 20 per cent on each of the following points: absence of second cuts on the fleece, absence of cuts on the sheep, manner of handling the sheep, and condition of the fleece. Baker sheared one sheep in 9 minutes and one in 11 minutes and 3 seconds.

County Library Adds New Books To List

Several new books have been added to the Callahan Library for adults in the last few days. Some of them are — "The Deer Stalker," "Mesquite Cowboy," "Pregadis Trail," "Outlaw of Hidden Valley," "Young Mrs. Soarge," "Wait For Tomorrow," "Doctor Jim," "Key To Happiness," "The Other Charrion," "Smoke Up The Valley," "Southbound Ranch," "Three Musketeers," "Golden Shoe String," "The Greatest Story Ever Told," and "The Hills Of Home," written by John Berry, of Clyde.

New books for juvenile readers are — "Bob Feller's Strikeout Story," "The Sky Is My Type," "The Young Forester," and a number of Hardy books, Bobbys twins series and other popular series for boys and girls by Carolyn Keene and Margaret Sutton.

Cotton Support Will Be 27.23 Cents Per Pound

WASHINGTON, August 4. — The Agriculture Department announced Friday that it will support grower prices of the 1949 cotton crop at a base rate of 27.23 cents per pound.

The rate is the average for 3/8 inch middling cotton, on a gross weight basis.

The rates for 15-16 inch middling, the grade and staple used by the cotton markets for determining price differentials, will average 29.43 cents per pound.

The department is required by law to support prices at 90 per cent of the August 1 parity price of cotton. This parity price was calculated to be 30.38 cents for 15-16 inch cotton, or the same as reported earlier in July. Last year's support price was 28.79 cents for 3/8 middling and 37.74 cents for 15-16 middling.

Cotton will be supported by loans to growers on supplies stored in acceptable warehouses.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fleming have returned from their vacation in New Mexico.

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Party Honors J. W. (Skipper) Thomas, Retiring Humble Company Pipe Liner

A real old timer of the pipe line business was honored by more than 300 friends and company associates at a barbecue in Cloverdale Park in Midland Saturday night before his retirement from active service.

He is J. W. "Skipper" Thomas, superintendent of Humble Pipe Line Company's West Texas division, who will retire next month after 44 years of "pipe lining" and more than 30 years with Humble.

Before the barbecue supper, Jack Jones, assistant division superintendent, acted as chairman of a brief program. A gold watch and a four-piece set of luggage were presented to Mr. Thomas on behalf of employees by D. A. Pass, assistant division chief clerk, and T. R. Huestis, assistant district gauger. R. F. Peters, regional employee relations manager, presented Mr. Thomas with a leather-bound book containing 162 letters of congratulations from friends.

O. Q. Lomax, vice president and general superintendent of the Pipe Line Company, gave Mr. Thomas an Humble annuitant's pin along with a certificate which serves as a permanent pass to all company properties. F. D. McMahon, assistant to the general superintendent, presented an embossed annuitant's billfold from the company. He also received various other gifts from friends.

Mr. Thomas joined Humble Pipe Line Company in 1913 and has been a division superintendent for the past 23 years, shifting between the North and

West Texas divisions and also managing operations in the Panhandle at different times. He lived in Wichita Falls for 14 years, in Cisco for seven years, and has lived in Midland since 1939.

Reminiscing with other old timers at the party, Mr. Thomas recalled that his first pipe line job was guarding huge earthen tanks of crude oil in the Spindletop Field near Beaumont, scene of Texas' first big oil boom.

"In those days," he said, "storage tanks were just big holes in the ground which held as much as half a million barrels of crude oil. Some had wooden roofs and some were open to the atmosphere, so part of the oil leaked away and part evaporated. But in 1905 it made little difference — oil was not so precious in those days, and people had not found so many uses for it.

Mr. Thomas has seen many changes in the pipe line industry since then, among the most noticeable of which are the steel storage tanks which replaced the old earthen facilities.

All kinds of improved mechanical equipment was also adopted, Mr. Thomas said. "In the old days we used pumping equipment — it was the only kind available. But as soon as possible we installed diesel and electric equipment at pump stations.

"There has been much progress in pipe lining since I started, but the most important developments are probably the use

of larger lines and more efficient equipment," he summed up.

Mr. Thomas supervised the construction of almost every major Humble line in West and North Texas, and his associates also credit him with another kind of "building" job — developing good men in his organization.



NICE TO SEE—Jop Zeigler, in Lakeland, Fla., displays —among other things—two oranges. The boys at Florida Southern College voted her the gal most of them would like to squeeze. It's obvious that no one would squeeze those oranges with Jop there.



REPAVING NEW YORK STREET—A steam shovel tears up huge chunks of pavement at 42nd Street and Second Avenue, in New York, to begin repaving one of the world's busiest thoroughfares. Old trolley tracks will be ripped out but, since only half the street will be repaved at one time, it will not be closed to traffic.

Texas Farm Bureau Asks For Cotton Seed Aid

WACO, July 29. — J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, who last month was the spark-plug in the fight which led to

ization and good relations with producers and competing companies.

The party honoring Mr. Thomas closed on a humorous note when a group of fellow employees and friends drove up in a pick-up truck loaded with additional gifts — a long-time supply of chewing tobacco and a cuspidor.

Mr. Thomas' plans for retirement are indefinite, but he will continue to live in Midland.

Attending from Cisco were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merrett, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Henson, W. P. Guinn, J. W. Cousins, O. D. Hill, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Rex Carrothers, E. H. Cheeves, H. A. Moore and Winnie L. Blount. Mayor G. C. Rosenthal, who retired from the company recently, also attended the party.

Secretary of Agriculture Brannan's announcement of the three-point grain storage program, today dispatched a wire to Congressman Bob Poage, chairman of the Texas delegation in Washington, urging that he rally the support of the hard-hitting Texas members of Congress behind a concerted effort to get the Secretary to provide a support price for cottonseed, a program that will save Texas cotton farmers twenty million dollars.

"Seed are selling for \$34 as compared to \$90 last season," Hammond told Poage. "There is a support price on soy beans," he declared, "and cotton farmers cannot understand why the Secretary does not support the price of cottonseed when the same Act of Congress provides a support price for both of these competitive commodities, which in the case of cottonseed would be \$55 a ton."

Hammond foresaw developments in the present cottonseed crisis and started contacting Washington officials on the problem several weeks ago. Today he renewed his efforts as cotton harvest reached full blast in South Texas and producers pressed the Federation president for help. Hammond told Poage that by organized effort and immediate action the Texas delegation could save the cotton farmers of Texas alone 20 million dollars.

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CREDIT BODY GIVES ANALYSIS OF ACTIONS OF TEXAS LEGISLATURE

A breakdown of the 633 bills passed at the recent session of the Texas legislature, as analyzed by the Retail Merchants Association of Texas, shows no damaging legislation was enacted that dips into the consumer's pocketbook or impedes business. Mrs. Roy Huffmyer, Secretary of the Merchants Credit Association,

She said the legislators followed a course that generally could be termed "middle-of-the-road" as evidenced by the legislation allowed to die and measures approved. Despite a record appropriation, the Legislature did not burden consumers or businessmen with new or additional taxes.

Mrs. Huffmyer warned, however, that the Legislature left several pieces of legislation pending for action at a special session, legislation which will require appropriations and either new or increased taxes. The amount of money that will have to be raised has been variously estimated at from \$17 million (for next year's operation of the eleemosynary institutions) to as high as \$150 million. The amount that will be needed will of course depend on what legislation is passed at the forthcoming special session.

Of the ten amendments to the State Constitution passed by the Legislature and up for approval by the voters on November 8, one in particular deserves careful scrutiny by consumers and businessmen alike. That is the amendment which would raise the salaries of legislatures and authorize once-a-year sessions. Approval of this amendment, she said, will mean a \$2

million a year additional expenditure, a burden which will have to be borne by taxpayers.

Mrs. Huffmyer said the digest of the 1,501 bills considered by the Legislature and the final action taken on them showed that consumers and businessmen of this area owed the Legislators an expression of appreciation. Particular attention was called to the following laudatory action:

No new or increased taxes. An amendment to the Unemployment Compensation Act that helps deserving unemployed persons and reduces the tax burden of employers, and defeat of another bill which would have increased the compensation tax burden.

A status quo attitude toward labor laws.

Enactment of a number of bills (in the fields of health, civic rights and education) that checkmate further federal encroachment upon States' rights in these fields.

Defeat of a soldiers' bonus that would have cost \$400 million and helped individual veterans very little.

Establishment of a Legislative Council and Legislative Budget Board, the former to make recommendations to bring about a more efficient State government, and the latter to assist in the determination of financial policies of the State.

Defeat of an amendment that would have allowed virtually unlimited State pensions.

Refusal to raise the so-called "luxury" tax on radios, cosmetics, etc., although at the same time failing to repeal the State tax.



BIRDS IN HAND—Hilda Gonzalez holds a rare golden parrot valued at \$2000, while two hyacinth macaws settle on the wrist and shoulder of Alton Freeman, in Miami, Fla. Looking down at them is a toco toucan, a big bird among toucans in Brazil, where these birds came from.

Annual Pinnell Family Reunion Is Held Here Recently

The annual Pinnell family reunion was held July 22, 23, and 24 at the Presbyterian Encampment, located at Lake Cisco.

At the closing business session, Ben Pinnell was elected president and Mrs. Walter Brooks was re-elected secretary-treasurer. It was also decided to include the Brooks family in the celebration next year, making it the Pinnell-Brooks reunion.

Those present for the three-day reunion were:

A. B. Pinnell and son, Benny, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pinnell, San Bernardino, Calif.; W. L. Parish, Port Arthur; Mrs. Alita Pinnell and daughter, Jane Ann, Sweetwater; Tom and Dora Royall, Abilene; Mrs. Mae Baker, Bakersfield, Calif.; Mrs. Vida Wainscott, Throckmorton; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brooks, Moran; Mrs. J. P. Atwood, Clyde.

Mrs. Joyce Stewart and son, Barry, Kermit; Margie Atwood, Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. El Brewster, Wanda Larry and Wilda, Albany; Mrs. Paul Varney and daughter, Jerry, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Brooks, Lueders; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brooks and family, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Di Clemente and

daughter, Toni, San Bernardino, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pinnell, Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brooks, Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Whitehead, Zepher; Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Smith, Tohaka.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Evars, Carol Ann and Don, Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hooper and Letha Lee, Abilene; Della Anastas, Mineral Wells; Emma Anastas, Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Deguire, Dallas; Mrs. Hortense Brooks and Bruno, Moran; Don Latimer, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Norrel Long, Cross Plains; Sammy Long, Cross Plains; Marie Shamrock, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fenton, Jr., and Lynette, Odessa; Mrs. Jessie Klutts, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Long, Cross Plains; and Mrs. Bertha Wieler, Cross Plains.

Sam Maynard was transacting business in Cisco Monday morning. Mr. Maynard is the butcher in the Black-Eubank Grocery here.

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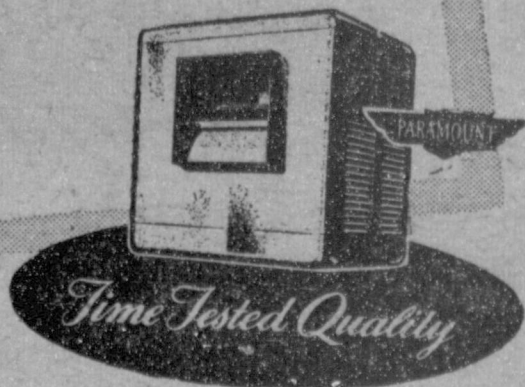
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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Buel Everett, of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lee, of Eunice, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sandlin of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Everett and daughter, Joe Verl, of Putnam, Ollie Eudaly of Fort Worth, Mrs. W. E. Harris of San Antonio and Mrs. Lizzie Tatum of Miss.

J. W. Nettles, is confined in the Hendricks-Memorial Hospital on account of a broken arm.

Ellison Pruet says he thought he would help his brother get cattle out of the brush Sunday. He stated that his brother had sixty head in that particular pasture and that ten men worked all day last Sunday and got only two out. To get them all out would take thirty days as they still had 58 left in the pasture which would take 29 more days to finish the job. Mr. Pruet said he didn't think he would go back anymore.

Mrs. L. B. Moore was visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen, in Merkel the past week.

Mrs. Charley Brandon has been returned home from the County Hospital and is recovering nicely since her return home.

Mrs. C. T. Hutcheson and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hutcheson son and daughter attended Ranger Rodeo Thursday night as guests of Hall Walker.

George Biggerstaff and Floyd McCammas, of Abilene and Mr. Cooper of Eastland were looking at cattle in Grapevine and Fort Worth Monday.

Mrs. Bill West and small daughter, Nancy, accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. Seastrunk, home for a visit in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Bibby and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bibby of Gorman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager Sunday afternoon, enroute home from Abilene, where they had

been visiting with relatives. The Bibbys and Mrs. Yeager are cousins.

Mrs. L. R. Hamm returned to her home in Dallas Saturday after a visit with her aunt and uncle, George Biggerstaff.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and others attended the Ranger rodeo Thursday night.

Barney Carter of Tyler was looking over ranch interest near Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Orr were in Putnam Saturday evening for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton were visiting his parents at Grandbury the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fleming spent their vacation in New Mexico returning to Putnam a few days ago.

Mrs. J. R. Gunn was shopping and looking after business in Baird Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Guyton of the Mission Hotel was shopping and visiting in Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. Billy Mac Jobe was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Yeager in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Abernathy were in town Saturday afternoon visiting with his parents and replenishing their grocery supply for the week end.

George Biggerstaff and Mr. O. L. McKinley of Burkett were looking at cattle in Eastland Monday.

Recession Cure Believed Found

AUSTIN, July 29. — A Texas doctor used his home county as a guinea pig for an economic experiment; it worked and now the American Legion believes it has developed a cure for those two recurring national ailments, "recession and depression."

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Skipper Thomas, Humble Pipe Line Veteran, Will Retire Next Month

(Special To The Press)

MIDLAND, July 28. — J. W. "Skipper" Thomas, West Texas division superintendent of Humble Pipe Line Company, will be honored with a barbecue and retirement party on Saturday, July 30, at Cloverdale Park in Midland. Mr. Thomas will retire next month at the age of 65 after more than 30 years' service with the company.

Humble Pipe Line employees from all over the West Texas area have been invited to the party, and many executives and friends from the company's



SKIPPER THOMAS

home office in Houston are also expected to attend.

Following the party Mr. Thomas will begin his four-week annual vacation before actually retiring on August 30. His plans for the future are incomplete, but he will continue to live at his spacious home in Midland with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Jr.

Both of his sons are in the oil business. J. W., Jr., is a drilling contractor and Frank is district petroleum engineer at Pampa for Humble Oil & Refining Company. A daughter, Mrs. Wilma Thomas Hughes, lives in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Thomas died in 1944.

It was more than 44 years ago that Mr. Thomas first went to work on a pipe line in the famous Spindletop Field near Beaumont. After working in the Gulf Coast area for 13 years, he joined the Humble Pipe Line Company in 1918 as district fore-

man at Wichita Falls.

He has been a division superintendent for 26 years, and is one of only two Humble Pipe Line employees in West Texas with more than 30 years' service.

Mr. Thomas became superintendent of the old North Texas-Panhandle division in Wichita Falls in 1926, where he remained until division headquarters were moved to Cisco in 1932. His territory was later enlarged to include West Texas, and in 1935, due to expanding operations, it was again divided with Mr. Thomas becoming superintendent of the West Texas-Panhandle Division.

West Texas-Panhandle headquarters were moved to Midland in 1939, and in 1946 the Panhandle area was transferred to the North Texas Division with Mr. Thomas remaining in charge of the West Texas division.

Camp Of Baptist Brotherhood Will Begin This Week

Plans were complete for the Cisco Associational Baptist Brotherhood Encampment at Lake Cisco, August 4 and 5. Speakers from various churches in the Association have been secured, and excellent meals were already being prepared for the many men who are expected to attend.

Last year the encampment was held for the first time, and was a big success. This year the messages will be centered around Judges 7:21, "And they stood every man in his place round the camp . . .," which is to be the theme of the encampment.

Shobal Houston, Brotherhood President of Cisco Association, today announced the speakers for Thursday evening, August 4, as Rev. Otis Strickland, Cisco, and Rev. Taylor Henley, Gorman, Friday evening, August 5, the messages will be brought by Rev. D. C. Ham, Ranger, and Rev. W. H. Bell, Moran.

Every man and boy in Cisco Baptist Association is invited to attend the encampment.



KEEPS IN SHAPE—Levi Jackson, Yale grid captain, tussles a few tons of cement around a street in New Haven, Conn., in pre-season exercises. The temperature in the nineties doesn't affect him and he goes to the Yale gym every evening in an effort to lose 20 pounds.

McBeth Family Had Reunion At Lake Cisco

The annual McBeth family reunion was held at Lake Cisco Park on July 18, and 75 members of the family met under the trees for the affair. After a basket lunch of fried chicken and all the trimmings the group spent the afternoon visiting and taking advantage of the park facilities.

It was decided to hold the reunion on each July 18 for the next five years. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McBeth and children, Laura Fae, Francis and Harold, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McBeth and children Wilbert, Glynda, Lynda and Cecilia of Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McBeth, Cisco; Mrs. Mable White and Clyde White, Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth,

Winters; Sybil McBeth, Abilene; Lyndon McBeth, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McBeth, Weinert; Rupert Williams, Munday; Polly Williams, Munday; Ellis McBeth, A. A. McBeth and Effie McBeth, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Guss Hart, Sandra and Sylvia, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McBeth and Susan, Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Vera McBeth, Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. George Stephenson, and Patsy Ann of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Claud McBeth, Jerry Don, Brenda Sue and Neil Dwayne, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. George McBeth, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McBeth, Bobby and David, Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bristoe, Wayne, Darlene, Jemmie, Patsy Jean and Linda, Ackerle.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Younge, Brownwood; Mrs. J. T. McBeth, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. James Ellison and Billy Jack, Aspermont; George N. McBeth, San

Bernadino, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McBeth and Joe, Madill, Oklahoma; Miss Lura Mae McBeth, Madill; Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Jackson, Rising Star; H. N. McBeth, Sr., Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. H. M. McBeth, Jr., Dennis Wayne and Ronald Gene, Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mancill, Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Demere and Mrs. Roy Williams of the Cottonwood Community were shopping and visiting with friends in Putnam Saturday afternoon.

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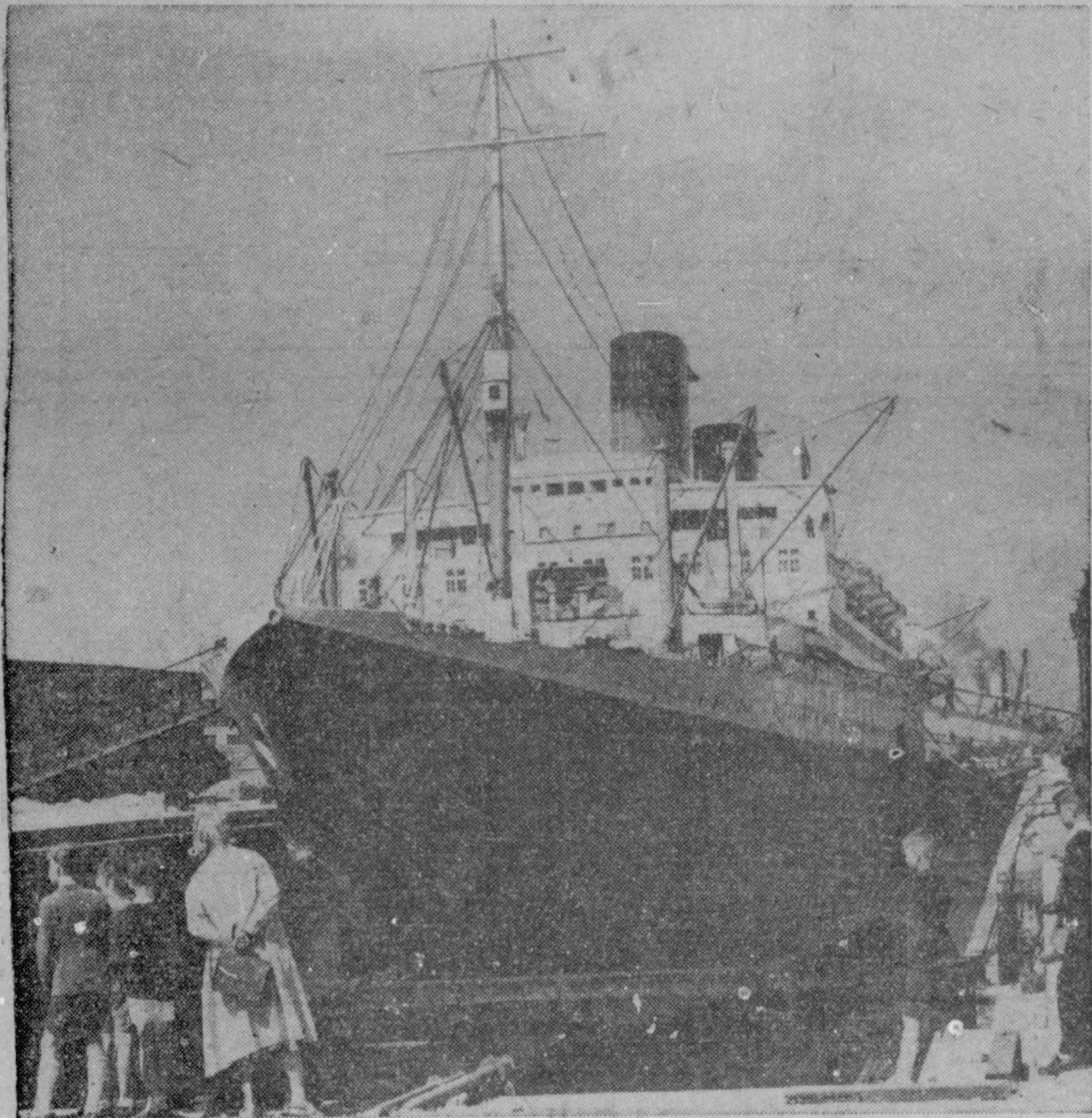
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ILE DE FRANCE SAILS AGAIN—Luxury liner Ile de France lies at anchor in Le Havre, France, before sailing for New York on her first post-war voyage. Used as a troop transport by the U.S. Army, the ship has been entirely refitted. Vincent Auriol, President of the French Republic, paid an official visit to the ship before she sailed.



STRANGE CARGO—Little Marie-Christine Choserot, two, isn't exactly a licensed ferry operator on the Marne River, at Nogent-Sur-Marne, France. However, she's most obliging about transporting small animals, such as this kid, up and down the river to the best of her limited ability.

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Caution Urged On Rural Roads

AUSTIN, July 27. — Hundreds of Texans are likely to be killed or injured because of the farm to market road program in Texas.

This will happen, the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Highway Patrol said today in a joint statement, unless rural people learn quickly to use these roads properly and to police themselves.

Last year 221 persons were killed in county road accidents in Texas. For the first half of this year, only 77 were killed, for a 37 per cent reduction in the death rate.

W. J. Elliott, chief of the Highway Patrol, said his force has more than it can do to patrol 31,000 miles of principal highways and can not possibly patrol additional miles of farm roads. "We're praying that rural people won't start making racehorses out of plowhorses on these roads," Elliott said. "Our only hope is that the people will be their own safety patrol, for the sake of self-preservation. Unless they do, enough blood will be spilled on these roads to paint a red stripe down the center of them from one end to the other."

Jack Nettles was in Abilene the first of the week visiting with his son who is in the hospital.

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Freeman Rites Held At Church Of God Wednesday

Funeral services for A. M. Freeman, 74, long time resident of Cisco, were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Cisco Church of God with Rev. C. S. Moad officiating. Mr. Freeman died at 10 a. m. Monday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Glen Huddleston, 412 South Connellee, Eastland. He had been ill for several months.

Rev. Moad was assisted at the services by Rev. W. E. Hallenback, minister of the Eastland Church of God. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery. An Eastland funeral home in charge of the arrangements. The body of Mr. Freeman was held in state at the home of his daughter in Eastland until time for the funeral.

Mr. Freeman was born in Oklahoma on April 25, 1875 and moved to Texas at an early age. He had been in Cisco for 23 years. He had been in the home of his daughter in Eastland since his illness became critical four months ago.

Easy For Mothers To Attend Denton College

DENTON, August 2, (Spl.) — Texas State College for Women plans to make it easy for mother to be a college student.

Beginning with the next fall session, opening Sept. 19, the college will set aside one of the smaller dormitories for mothers with children. Women who want to come to school can now bring Junior along.

Tried experimentally in the summer sessions, the plan is being put into effect permanently now in response to a demand from mothers who wish to attend during the regular term.

Graduates who wish to return for advanced degrees, and other women whose interest in getting further education in order to teach has been stimulated by the Gilmer-Aiken Bill, are among those expected to take advantage of the offer.

Further information can be obtained from the college registrar.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks of Merkel were visiting Mrs. Lela Karr over the past week end.



NAUTICAL — Actress Joan Vohs, in Hollywood, Calif., looks salty as all get out behind the wheel of a studio ship that isn't really going anywhere.



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GOING TO A FIRE?—Stopped by Cynthia Carter in Monticello, N. Y., Patrolman Louis Soccaro thought he'd hear that familiar question. But she only wanted to give him a courtesy citation from the Sullivan County Resort Council for consideration to motorists above and beyond the call of duty.

Summer Fun



Katherine Bassett, Dallas, plays at White Rock Lake, one of her city's summertime diversions, as she urges her neighbors of the Southwest to come to Dallas for a week-end holiday or vacation. "Dallas Invites You" is the name of the civic hospitality program to help visitors to Dallas obtain hotel rooms, go sight-seeing and have fun. The committee, headed by Mayor Wallace Savage, has its headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Texas Has Made Great Strides In Cancer Facilities

Where would your doctor send you for a diagnosis, if he suspected that you had a cancer? "That is a question that few Texans can answer," Dr. William F. Mengert of Dallas, Chairman of the Committee on Projects and Allocation of Funds of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, pointed out today, while discussing cancer control facilities in the state.

"Few Texans realize the great strides toward a control of cancer which have been achieved in Texas in just a few short years," Dr. Mengert continued. "Four organizations are devoting almost constant effort to improve cancer diagnostic and treatment facilities in the state, and their results have been very noteworthy. They have sponsored and assisted the establishment of 20 tumor clinics. It is to one of these tumor clinics that your doctor would send you for a diagnosis and treatment. These four organizations are also conducting a cancer educational program to warn Texans that cancer can be cured, if caught in time."

Dr. Mengert listed the four organizations as the American Cancer Society, Texas Division; the Cancer Committee of the State Medical Association of

Health; and M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research.

The 20 Texas tumor clinics which are doing so much to combat the nation's second major cause of death are as follows: The Potter County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, Amarillo; The Wichita County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, Wichita Falls; The El Paso County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, El Paso.

Tarrant County Cancer Clinic at City-County Hospital, Fort Worth; Harris Hospital Tumor Clinic, Fort Worth; Baylor University Hospital Tumor Clinic, Dallas; Parkland Hospital Tumor Clinic, Dallas; St. Paul's Hospital Tumor Clinic, Dallas; Bowie-Miller County Medical Society Tumor Clinic, Texarkana.

Three in Temple, located at King's Daughter's Hospital, Scott and White Hospital and the Veterans Administration Hospital; five in San Antonio — at Baptist Memorial Hospital, Nix Hospital, Santa Rosa Hospital, Brooke Memorial Hospital, and Robert B. Green Memorial Hospital; Nueces County Medical Society Clinic, Memorial Hospital, Corpus Christi.

Attend School In Beaumont

Three Cisco high school and junior college coaches were in Beaumont this weekend to attend the annual Texas Coaching School during the coming week.

Coaches Buch Overall and Jack Everett of Cisco High and Coach Stormy Davis of Cisco Junior College made the trip, leaving early Saturday. The school will end Friday with the annual North-South high school football game as the final event. Texas; the State Board of

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Robert Clinton To Head College Fine Arts Department

President O. L. Stamey of the Cisco Junior College announced Saturday that Robert Clinton of Eastland had been elected to be head of the Fine Arts Department of Cisco Junior College for the 1949-50 school year. Clinton will teach voice and piano.

Clinton is a native of Putnam and his father, Robert L. Clinton, is a rancher. He attended the Putnam schools and received his musical training at North Texas State Teachers College in Denton. He studied piano under Scoiti and voice under Appleman.

Clinton taught piano and voice in the Eastland High School last year and was music director of the Eastland First Methodist Church. He plans to continue to hold both positions in Eastland and teach in the college here three days each week.

Clinton announced plans to organize an a capella choir in the college and the high school. The choir will be composed of male and female voices and will make numerous public appearances.

Mr. Stamey and Mr. Clinton stated that further announce-

ments would be made regarding the organization of classes at the college in the near future.

Research Seen As Factor In Cotton Success

DALLAS, July 29. — The long range ability of cotton to remain an important factor in American economy is dependent on the extent to which the industry uses the tools of research and promotion, and not on government price support programs, Col. Burris C. Jackson, Hillsboro, Texas, chairman of the Texas Statewide Committee for Cotton, told the World Cotton Congress at the Baker Hotel today.

The need for greater sales and research effort by the cotton industry is clearly shown in the annually increasing cotton carryovers and in the growing production of synthetic fibers and paper, the cotton industry leader declared.

Forecasting a carryover of as many as 5,600,000 bales at the beginning of the new cotton season August 1, Col Jackson said that the carryover at the beginning of the current year had been slightly more than 3,000,000 bales. On August 1, 1947, the carryover stood at about 2,500,000 bales.

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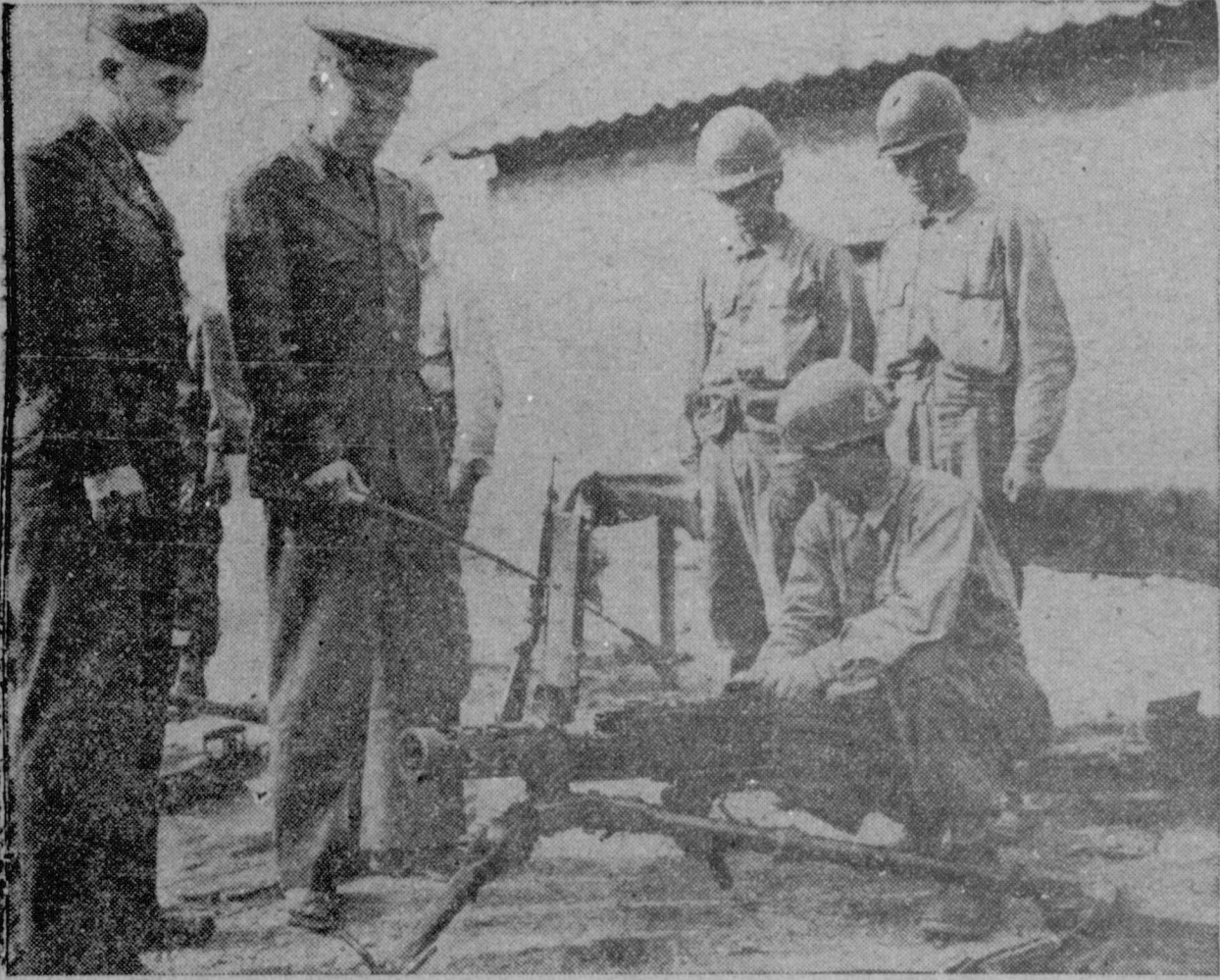
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TRAINING KOREAN SOLDIERS—A U.S. military advisory group is training the Korean security forces, at Pusan, to maintain the Republic's internal order. Here a soldier in the native army receives instructions from First Lt. Raymond Moore, left, of the U.S. Army, and Colonel Chung Young, second from left, of the Korean Army. (Acme Photo by National Military Establishment.)

Cotton Insecticide Shortage Forecast

Texas farmers may have trouble finding a good supply of the newer insecticides, says Dr. H. G. Johnston, extension entomologist of Texas A & M College. Applications have been very heavy and a shortage has already developed in some states.

Grasshopper, cutworm, and army worm infestations were heavier than usual throughout the cotton belt than any year since 1941, except in Texas. Johnston credits the early and thorough cotton stalk plow up program in Texas with holding down to some extent the boll weevil damage.

The best material for general cotton insect control is 20 per cent toxaphene plus 40 per cent sulphur, or a mixture of 3 per cent gamma BHC, 5 per cent

DDT, 40 per cent sulphur (3-5-40 mixture). If these materials are not available, some substitutes can be made if they can be found, and the results should be good.

Where the boll weevil is the major pest, 7 to 10 pounds of calcium arsenate per acre at 5 day intervals will give good control. Alternate applications of 3-5-40 and calcium arsenate will prevent increased aphid populations which may result from using calcium arsenate alone. A special lime-free calcium arsenate plus 1 per cent gamma BHC will also give good boll weevil control and prevent possible aphid increase.

Mrs. Gus Brandon returned home Saturday from Big Spring where she had been visiting with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Norres.

Her grandson returned with her for a few days' visit.

Home Demonstration Club Meets With Mrs. Burette Ramsay

The Union - Hart Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Burette Ramsay on July 25.

The club opened by president Mrs. Clyde Coats reading the 13th chapter of Corinthians.

Roll call was made by the secretary, Mrs. Henry Bailey, after which Mrs. Scott, county agent, of Baird, gave a nice program on the homes and how to put in household equipment to make a home nicer and more convenient.

The ladies of the Putnam Home Demonstration Club have been invited to meet with the Union-Hart club. Three members of

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The next meeting of the club will be the 23 and 24 at Cisco for the encampment. The September 8 meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough.

Members present were: Mrs. Clyde Coats, Mrs. Henry Bailey, Mrs. E. C. McCollum, Mrs. Nelson Bailey, and Mrs. Burette Ramsey.

A refreshments plate of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, mints, ice cream and cake was served by the hostess.

All members are urged to attend the next meeting. Visitors are always welcome.

Thornton Case Suspects Still Being Questioned

The Eastland County Sheriff's department reported Tuesday that the two people being held in the county jail on a misdemeanor charge were still being checked as possible suspects in the Thornton murder in Amarillo a few weeks ago.

Fingerprints were forwarded to the Texas Department of Public Safety and the Potter County sheriff when questioning placed the pair in the vicinity of Amarillo at the time Thornton was found slain in a tourist cabin.

Amarillo authorities asked for photographs of the pair for further checking.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Odom spent the past week end fishing at the Brownwood lake but

did not make any report on the fish caught.



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