

Texas

Seniors To Present Class Play

Headless Ghost" will be played by the senior class at High School Friday in the high school auditorium.

Prices are 50c for children and 75c for adults. The play is presented by the "Headless Ghost" club.

The play takes place on a moon in summer. Act I is in the late afternoon, and act two, one act scene and one act scene, takes place in the evening. One act scene is presented.

The play includes the following characters: a young man, a young woman, a young girl, a young boy, a young man, a young woman, a young girl, a young boy, a young man, a young woman, a young girl, a young boy.

Ushers for the play are David Wood and Gary Norris. Gary will also serve as announcer for the event.

Mrs. Earl Conner, Jr. of Eastland will be in charge of the make-up.

Mrs. Ed. F. Willman is coach and sponsor of the senior play.

Music will be furnished by Paul Norris, George Norris and Carol Hogan.

The public is cordially invited to attend for an evening of fun and entertainment.

Local FHA Chapter To Hold Style Show

The Desdemona F.H.A. Chapter will hold a style show Tuesday, April 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school.

Styler for every occasion will be featured. A musical program will be presented during intermissions.

Admission price will be 25c and 15c. The public is cordially invited to attend.

More than 100 persons from here and out of town registered at the open house held in the home of Mrs. Inez Heeter honoring Mrs. Mollie Emde on her 89th birthday.

Co-hostess for the open house was Mrs. Myrt Reed. The honoree received a number of nice and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lindley are the parents of a daughter, Mitsie Jean, born last week in the Dublin Hospital. At birth she weighed six pounds.

The young lady has one sister, Kelly Vernelle, three years old.

Both mother and daughter are reported as doing fine.

Mrs. Dorothy Roberts, accompanied by Mrs. Flossy Coan of DeLeon, were business visitors in Abilene on Monday.

Attendance at the different churches here, Sunday were up some over the general attendance record for the winter months.

Mr. Ramon Joiner is a patient in the Strawn Hospital.

Bob Koonce is a patient in the Gorman Hospital at this time.

The Charles Kuehlers and daughters of Amarillo spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Agnes Owens.

Mrs. Stell Joiner of DeLeon was here Sunday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Marie Duke of Post spent the past week here visiting with her son, and Mrs. Rudolph Duke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carter and children, Keith, Vicky, Debra and Janice, of Lamesa visited here Friday night with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bland.

The C. M. Bland family were in Fort Worth Tuesday. Mrs. Bland and Winona spent Wednesday in Stephenville and on Friday Mrs. Bland, Earl and Winona were in Eden where Winona attended a wedding while the family visited with friends.

F.H.A. week. The Desdemona Chapter are going all-out for celebrating. There will be different phases of the program featured each day.

Mrs. Collum of the Tanner Community was a visitor at the First Baptist Church on Sunday.

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Junior High Students Pre-Registration Set For P-TA Conference

Students in the seventh and eighth grades, under Mrs. Joe Strohen, librarian, are classifying the literature they have read during the year as their project for National Library Week, April 8-15.

Following are the names of seventh grade pupils and the number of books of fiction and non fiction they have read.

Sue Underwood, 27 books; 17 fiction and 10 non fiction.

Kay Lewis, 30 books; 19 fiction and 11 non fiction.

Glenda Purdon, 32 books; 13 fiction and 19 non fiction.

Nita Bradford, 48 books; 16 fiction and 32 non fiction.

Patricia Hallum, 23 books; 17 fiction and six non fiction.

Glenda Brownlee, 20 books; 12 fiction and eight non fiction.

Mary Brashear, 27 books; four fiction and 23 non fiction.

Marcella Slaughter, 63 books; 16 fiction and 47 non fiction.

Lenda Brownlee, 15 books; six fiction and nine non fiction.

Gene Wilson, 35 books; 21 fiction and 14 non fiction.

Tommy McCullough, 33 books; 24 fiction and nine non fiction.

Jerry Hollis, 28 books; 18 fiction and 10 non fiction.

Larry Mace, 17 books; five fiction and 12 non fiction.

Donnie Campbell, 19 books; seven fiction and 12 non fiction.

John Daniel, 22 books, seven fiction and 15 non fiction.

Cherry Berry, 26 books; seven fiction and 19 non fiction.

Larry Finley, 18 books; eight fiction and 10 non fiction.

Billy Wayne Earley, 27 books; 10 fiction and seven non fiction.

Bobby Thomas, 43 books; 19 fiction and 24 non fiction.

Carolyn Henderson, 18 books; 12 fiction and six non fiction.

Coette Garrett, 16 books; 13 fiction and 3 non fiction.

Susan Coleman, 16 books; nine fiction and seven non fiction.

Sharon Johnson, 26 books; 17 fiction and nine non fiction.

Hollis Woolsey, 10 books; two fiction and eight non fiction.

Roy Stroud, 55 books; 49 fiction and six non fiction.

Frances Medford, 33 books; 16 fiction and 17 non fiction.

Gilda Cathey, 16 fiction and six non fiction.

Jerry Franklin, 22 books; eight fiction; and 14 non fiction.

David Spannagel, 18 books; seven fiction and 11 non fiction.

Gene Shaw, 33 books; 18 fiction and 15 non fiction.

Marie Hallum, 13 books; 10 fiction and three non fiction.

Billie England, 19 books; eight fiction and 11 non fiction.

Sue Brewer, 17 books; nine fiction and eight non fiction.

Connie Coan, 28 books; 20 fiction and eight non fiction.

Dixie Young, 47 books; 25 fiction and 22 non fiction.

Marsha Treadwell, 29 books; 16 fiction; and 13 non fiction.

Sally Perkins, 23 books; 15 fiction and eight non fiction.

Connie Elton, 25 books; 13 fiction and 12 non fiction.

Billy Ray Keller, 10 books; five fiction and five non fiction.

Gary Butler, 13 books; six fiction and seven non fiction.

Dennis Steadham, 11 books; five fiction and six non fiction.

Jeanette Waldon, 22 books; nine fiction and 13 non fiction.

Howard Maynard, 27 books; 16 fiction and 11 non fiction.

Eddie Gallagher, 36 books; 15 fiction and 2 non fiction.

Freddie Waldrep, 74 books; 15 fiction and 59 non fiction.

John Brashear, 33 books; nine fiction and 24 non fiction.

John Smith, 17 books; five fiction and 12 non fiction.

Rusty Pogue, three books; one fiction and two non fiction.

Ronnie Hughes, 22 books; eight fiction and 14 non fiction.

Danny Cox, 20 books; 10 fiction and 10 non fiction.

Sandra Falk, 12 books; nine fiction and three non fiction.

Marilyn Huckabay, 27 books; 16 fiction and 11 non fiction.

Jeanie Wright, 32 books; 21 fiction and 11 non fiction.

Kay Taber, 24 books; 15 fiction and nine non fiction.

Jimmy Frost, 75 books; 53 fiction and 22 non fiction.

Read The Classifieds

Eastland P-TA members will have a rare opportunity to enjoy the informative program and workshops of a district conference right in their own town Thursday when Eastland hosts the 19-county First District meeting.

Mrs. Marcus O'Dell, local president, said. Those who wish to attend have been asked to pre-register on Wednesday, April 11, between noon and 4 p.m. at Eastland High School.

They will be asked to present a P-TA membership card and pay a \$1.00 registration fee in order to receive a packet of conference materials and favors provided by local businessmen.

Deadline for luncheon reservations has been extended until Monday. These may be made by contacting Mrs. O'Dell at 1105 West Commerce and paying the luncheon's cost, \$1.35, in advance.

Mrs. James E. Wright is chairman for the luncheon, which will be in the high school gymnasium and will be catered by Yardley's of Cisco.

W. H. Hoffman is in charge of decorations which have a theme, "Out of This World."

Those who find it impossible to register on Wednesday may register between 8:30 and noon on Thursday.

The conference will be officially opened at 10 a.m. by Mrs. Stanley Statch of Fort Worth, district president.

Members of the First District Board of Managers will arrive in Eastland Wednesday and will be honored at a dinner at 6 p.m. at the White Elephant Restaurant. Mrs. Horace Horton, conference chairman, is in charge.

Serving as hosts along with Mrs. O'Dell, Mrs. Horton and her co-chairman, Mrs. J. T. Gregory, will be members of the Board of Education and their wives. Teachers in the elementary school system will be special guests.

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(Continued From Page One) others for my family. 1001 Workshop Plans for Joe. "Treasure Island" for Billy and "The Bobbie Twins at Huckleberry Farm" for Sis. As I leave the library I realize that I am carrying 13 books instead of the usual one. A baker's dozen! Oh my, that reminds me that I must stop by the bakery on my way home.

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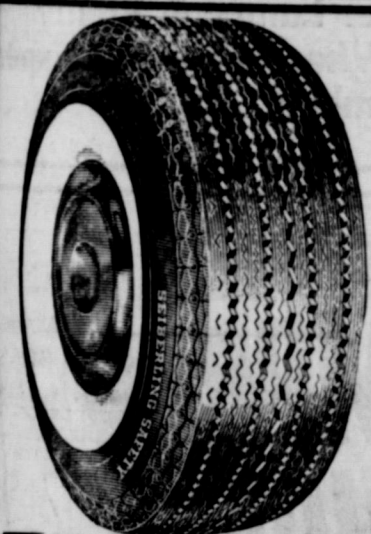
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We are all enjoying the rain this week. The seasoning that is going into this good ol' earth does wonders for all. Several former employees are back at work including Dolores Uderwood, Lillie Dendy and Phylis Lessum. Nice to see Barbara Butler back too.

Allene Rodgers made a trip to Amarillo to visit her son this past weekend.

Leona Baker is at home in Cisco after major surgery here in Eastland. We hope she is back with us soon.

We were sorry to hear about

Juanita Smith's husband, Jack. He is in the hospital in Cisco.

Aletha Gosnell spent the afternoon last Saturday with Nannette De Ford.

Our bowling teams have started a new contest. We will award an individual trophy to the high score man and the high score women each month. These trophies are to be selected by a committee headed by Doc Justice.

We will continue our monthly bowling party too. Any employee who is not bowling at the present and would like to join us, please get in touch with Margaret at the plant office by Wednesday noon.

Our plant manager, Mike George, has been quite busy lately with his campaign race for president of the Jaycees and the race for the school board place.

Of course, we are behind him 100 per cent, as he has served us here at the plant for several years very well.

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Fifteen Members Attend Meet Of Flatwood Club

Fifteen members of the Flatwood Home Demonstration Club enjoyed a sing-song held Thursday at the regular club meeting.

One new member, Mrs. Marvin Grubb, was welcomed into the club.

The council report was given by Mrs. A. H. Brown followed by a report of the T.H.D.A. meeting in Hillsboro.

Members agreed to send an Easter gift and money each month to the club boy in Austin.

Everyone signed a birthday card for the club mother, Mrs. Annie Palmer.

Mrs. J. A. Pogue gave a program on "General Storage Arrangement." Mrs. Myrtle McNatt read a poem, "Hats, Hats, More Hats", as she selected hats for each member of the club.

Members subscribed for the club paper, The Messenger.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, April 19, in the home of Mrs. Clint McCain.

VISITS HERE
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gann of Odessa spent the past week here visiting relatives, including her mother, Mrs. Pearl Young; her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Young; his sister, Thelma Brown; and family, and his mother, Mrs. Lillian Gann.

Miss Nancy Gann, who is attending Abilene Christian College, also visited here during the week end.

Mrs. Doris Nix and family are visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Gladys Bond, this weekend.

RETURNS HOME

Miss Verne Allison returned to Eastland last week after spending a short vacation visiting in West Texas.

She visited in Odessa with her brother, Nelson Allison, and a cousin, Mrs. Lee C. Perry, and husband.

She also visited with friends and relatives in Monahan and Pecos.

Miss Allison reported a very enjoyable trip.

Xi Alpha Zeta Members Guests At Sorority Meet

Members of the Xi Alpha Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were guests at the meeting of the Zeta Pi Chapter held Monday evening in the home of Mrs. E. M. Watts.

Roll call was answered with "My Favorite Novels." Mrs. Watts conducted a short business meeting after which Mrs. Art Johnson presented a program on "Literature As We Live It."

This meeting marked the sixth year of perfect attendance for Mrs. James Smith.

Refreshments of lemon pie and coffee were served to those attending.

Guests present were Meses. Glenn Scallorn, A. D. Taylor, Norman Watson, Bill Walters, Glyn Gilliam, Mike George, James Smith and Do Kincaid.

Zeta Pi members attending were Meses. E. M. Rogers, A. L. Burnham, C. W. Moore, J. E. Varner, Elton Ables, Art Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Watts.

One visitor, Mrs. B. I. Smith, attended the meeting.

Poer, Karnes To Present Spring Concert
Robert Poer, organist, and Be Karnes, pianist, will be presented Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in a Spring Concert to be held in the Methodist Church.

The Eastland Music Study Club will sponsor the concert.

Poer's program of musical selections will include Toccata and Fugue, D. Minor, Bach; Allegro, from Concerto No. 10, Handel; 2 Preludes on Humn Tunes, "Martydom" and "Eventide"; Willan; Chorale, Jongen; and Te Deum, Laiglais.

Selections to be presented by Karnes are the following: Sonata Op. 2, No. 3, Allegro con Brio, Beethoven; Intermezzo Op. 116, No. 6, Brahms; Waltz Op. 42, Chopin; Papellians, Op. 2, Schumann; and Three Preludes, Kennan.

The public is cordially invited to attend the Spring Concert which was postponed from the scheduled date of April 3.

Mrs. Boles To Host Luncheon Of Pioneer Club
Members of the 50 year Pioneer Club will meet Thursday, April 12, in the home of Mrs. Claude Boles, Highway 80 East, for their monthly noon luncheon.

Mrs. John Nix will assist Mrs. Boles as co-hostess.

All members are invited and asked to bring a covered dish and a place setting.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bond and family were visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bond, over the past weekend.

CWF Members Attend Meet Held Monday

Members of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met in the Educational Building at 7:30 p.m. on Monday.

The meeting was opened with song and prayer led by Mrs. Ray Pool, CWF president.

Following a short business session, the program was presented by the Business Women's Group of the church.

Mrs. Cyrus Miller served as leader for the program entitled "Cross to Crown."

Mrs. Neil Day, Mrs. Ray Norris and Mrs. W. E. Tattersley assisted with the program.

The Easter theme brought forth the sufferings of Christ. The meeting was closed with the CWF benediction.

Refreshments of cake, coffee, nuts and mints were served by members of the Rachel Group from a table of gold decor. A centerpiece of gold and the gold cake complemented the table setting.

Mrs. Varge Daniel and Mrs. Charles Freyschlag presided at the silver service.

Personal
Mrs. J. T. Pierce, mother of Mrs. R. G. Bryan, left Monday for Gilmer, Texas to be with her oldest daughter, Mrs. J. C. Durett, who has been seriously ill.

Mr. Dale Parkhill from New York City and Mrs. Nettie Parkhill from Crosbyton, brother and mother of Mrs. H. P. Cole, were recent visitors in her home.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Frazer last week-end were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morris of Conroe, Texas and her sister, Mrs. Alden Schlatter of Baton Rouge, La. and sons.

Mrs. P. E. Harris' husband, P. E. Harris, who is with the Federal Power Commission, was in Eastland over the week-end. He has recently been transferred from Houston to West Virginia.

Morning Coffee To Be Hosted By Mrs. J. Perkins
Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Cancer Crusade Drive Chairman, will host a coffee Wednesday morning at 9:15 at her home.

During this time all residential workers will meet to pick up work kits and to make further plans for the Drive which opens on April 17.

Anyone who is interested in the Cancer Crusade Program is cordially invited to attend the morning coffee.

Look Who's New - Call MA 9-1707 for Cl...

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Owen have announced the arrival of a baby daughter born Friday morning at 8:21 o'clock in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. Kimberly Ann is the baby daughter's name. She weighed seven pounds and seven ounces.

Kimberly Ann has one brother, Jim, who is two years old.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Underwood of Gorman are the maternal grandparents and the paternal grandparents are Frank Owen of Eastland and Mrs. Guy Moreland of DeLeon.

The great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Owen of LeLeon and Mrs. Zellers of Sipe Springs.

Christopher Foster Collins is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Collins of Galveston. Mr. and Mrs. Collins have announced the arrival of their first son who was born in the John Sealy Hospital in Galveston on April 5th.

He weighed six pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Foster Jr. of Galveston are the maternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collins of Eastland are the paternal grandparents.

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Serving tables were laid in white centered with pastel angel hair forming clouds. Pink, blue, red and yellow tapers complimented the setting. Party favors of plastic mint cups bearing plastic rockets attached to the handles were presented to each guest.

Guests entered the space port before adjourning to the dining area. Spacegrams were delivered to same.

Guests attending included 38 senior students, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Siebert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, Miss Verna Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goldston, Rev. Haslon Brewer, Dr. and Mrs. Guy Newnham of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blevins Jr.

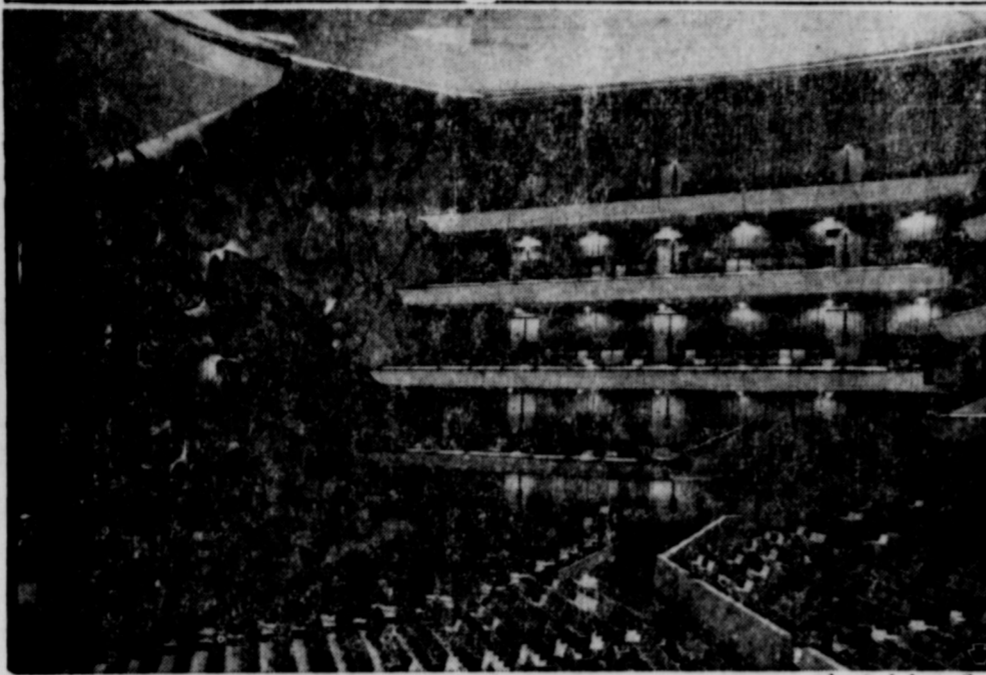
A. J. Blevins Jr. served as Master of Ceremonies during the evening. Speaker for the banquet was Dr. Newnham, president of Howard Payne College, Brown.

Menu for the evening included Count Down 8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, tomato juice; Blast Off, ham; Space Capsules, green beans; Earth Apples, potatoes; Rings of Saturn salad; Satellites, special apples; Space Lanes Special, cherry tarts and whipped cream; Meteorites, mints; and Craters Lake, iced tea.

Musical selections were rendered by Moonbeams; Sherry Miller, Jo Ann Morren, Gracie Tankersley, Joyce Robertson, and Barbara McCullough.

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New Tokyo Concert Hall



—Japan Information

The hub of Japan's international cultural activities is now centered in the Tokyo Metropolitan Festival Hall, located in Ueno Park in the heart of Tokyo. Completed last year to commemorate the 500th anniversary of the founding of Tokyo, the city fathers budgeted \$4.5 million to erect this three-story building which includes a concert hall seating

2,327. The hall features an acoustic wall and an orchestra box accommodating 80 musicians which also serves as a stage apron similar to its European counterparts. To date, performances have been given by Isaac Stern, the New York Philharmonic Orchestra, the British Royal Ballet, classical dancers from India and other leading artists and companies from all over the globe.

Mrs. Gus Bates To Speak At Luncheon

The time set for the Civic League luncheon and style show has been changed from 12:15 to 12 noon. The affair will be held Wednesday in the Lone Cedar Country Club.

Guest speaker for the luncheon will be Mrs. Gus Bates from the John Robert Powers School of Charm in

Fort Worth. As her subject, Mrs. Bates will present "How To Have Model Beauty, Poise and Personality." She is director-owner of the school organized in March, 1961.

A native of Fort Worth, Mrs. Bates is a member of the

Womans' Club, Fort Worth Opera Guild, Fort Worth Girls Service League, Texas Christian University Women's Exes, Fort Worth Community Theatre, Colonial Country Club and Beauty Arts Club. She is a free-lance model, co-ordinator, and commentator for fashion shows and gives lectures in charm and poise in Fort Worth and surrounding communities.

Styles for every occasion will be presented by Mrs. Floyd Robertson of Altman's. Seventeen models have been announced for the show.

Reservations must be made by noon Monday and may be made directly with Lone Cedar Country Club or by calling Mrs. Robert Perkins, MA 9-1434, or Mrs. Bill Crocker, MA 9-2097. Tickets for the luncheon and style show may be purchased for \$2.00.

Members of the hostess committee include Mmes. Robertson, B. B. Alexander, James Whittington, Jack Carothers, Billy Frost, William Crocker and Miss Marjorie van Hoose.

Francis Dowling Participates in Field Exercise

Army M/Sgt. Francis E. Dowling, son of Claude E. Dowling, 401 W. Sadona, recently participated with other personnel from the 14th Armored Cavalry Regiment's 2nd Reconnaissance Squadron in Marne Games, a four-day field training exercise in Germany.

Designed to test individual and unit combat efficiency, the exercise involved approximately 650 men from the 2nd Reconnaissance Squadron plus personnel from V Corps and VII Corps units. Sergeant Dowling's unit acted as an "aggressor" force during the exercise.

The 14th primary mission is the constant surveillance of the Fulda Gap, a 100-mile segment of the Iron Curtain which serves as the gateway to Berlin.

An operation sergeant in the squad's Headquarters Troop in Germany, he entered the Army in 1948 and was stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., before his arrival overseas in September 1960 on this tour of duty.

The 32-year old soldier is a 1948 graduate of Hope, N. D. high school.

His wife, Norma, is with him in Germany.

Crocker-

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would be too busy with his job as Peanutbowl Chairman to handle the second vice presidency job.

Glen Scallorn called his candidate for first vice president, James Smith, a pillar—regardless how short—and said that he would have had to had at least "an hour and a half" to list all his attributes.

Hewety's accomplishments were outlined by loud outbursts from the bandmen, as James Wright extolled his qualities and virtues for first vice. The convention all roared when Wright referred to his candidate and mis-called his initials— "F. P."

The big moment came when Dale Trout took the floor to nominate George for president. Recounting his "productivity", Trout cited George's record as a charter Eastland Jaycee who has missed only two meetings, and outlined as well his positions in other capacities in the city.

"The opponent comes under a facade of grey hair and bifocals," Trout extolled, "to win your vote for his greedy office." The attorney's association with "a seeming under world character, was also alluded to. He was labeled "Judge Crocker," by Trout, and similarity of names mentioned—Kaiser "Bill", Wild "Bill", Hickok, "Billy" the Kid, "Billy" Sol, and others.

The George campaign slogan was "Don't Crook with Crocker."

Crocker was nominated by

Bill Fox, following a deluge of parading beauties and strains of "Happy Days are Here Again," and was called a "leal minded man, who is a leader of men."

George's quest for power was mentioned by the attorney's manager, with reference made to the school board race,

and his reputation of "working with women".

After his election, Crocker asked in a brief victory speech for the unified support of the club for a successful year.

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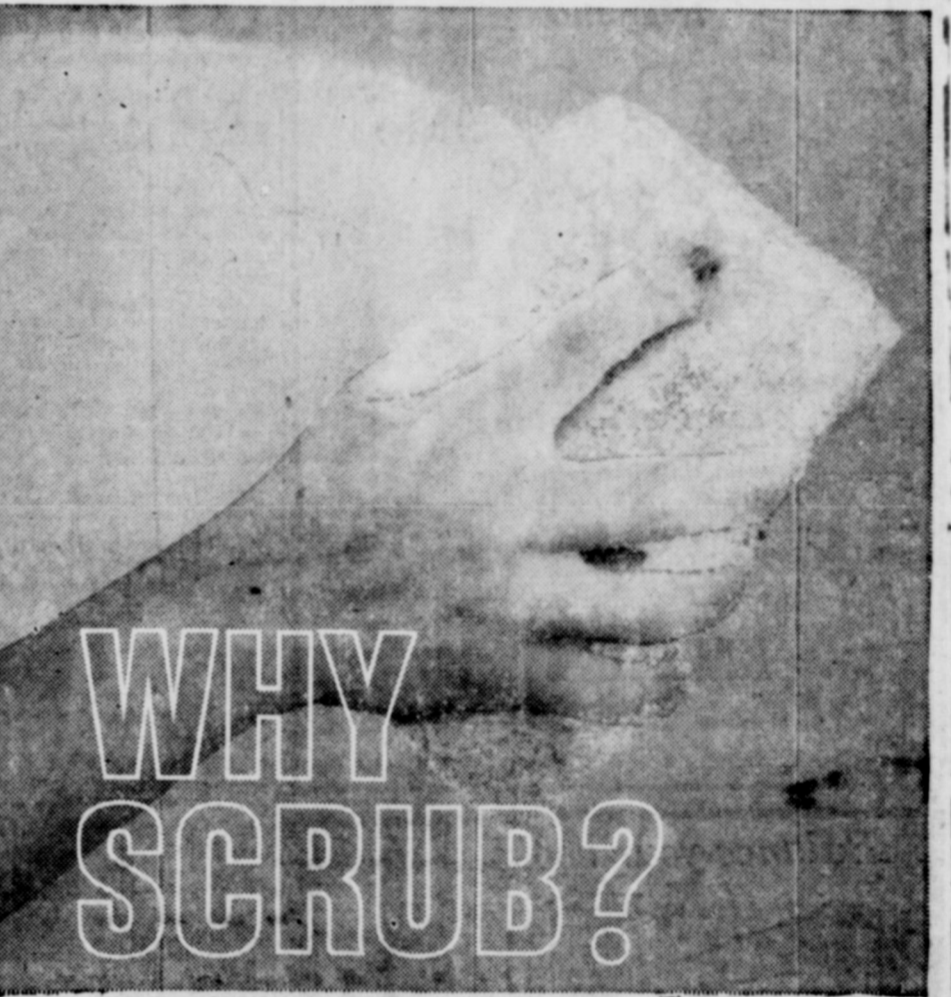
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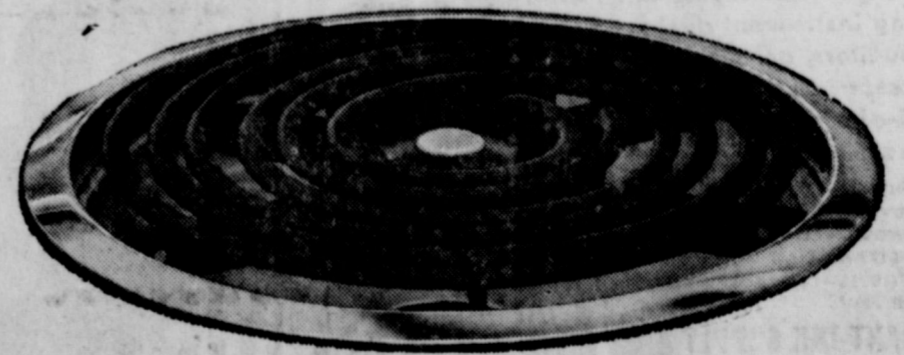
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It is a large monument. It had to be in order to list the accomplishments of Reagan. Inscribed on it is a list of the positions held by Reagan from 1845 to 1905. They include Probate Judge, Texas Legislature, District Judge, U. S. Congressman, Confederate Congressman, Postmaster of the Confederate States of America, Secretary of the Treasury of the Confederate States, Delegate to the Texas Constitutional Convention, Chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, and author of "Memoirs of

LONE STAR
its customers' normal requirements during low demand days of the summer, a company official said.

Gas stored in the Hill Lake reservoir will be available for use beginning the winter of 1963-64. The gas will be utilized in Lone Star's transmission pipeline system which now measures some 8,688 miles in length.

Two 1,100-horsepower compressors will be installed at the storage project to pump gas into the reservoir which has an average depth of approximately 3,600 feet.

Lone Star will transport the gas purchased from producers in the Abilene area and Eastland, Stephens, Erath and Palo Pinto counties.

The Eastland County area is linked to Lone Star's vast interconnected system. Nearly 300 miles of new transmission and gathering lines were constructed during 1961. Lone Star serves over 873,000 natural gas customers.

There were 21,008 new customers added to the Lone Star System in 1961. The new meters attached during the year were in virtually every area of the system. New communities added during the year brought the total to 467 cities and towns served by Lone Star in Texas and Oklahoma.

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Ben Ficklin, the man, died in 1870.

To quote Jefferson Davis of one such Texas event: "There is no parallel in ancient or modern warfare to the victory of Dowling and his men at Sabine Pass, considering the great odds against which they had to contend."

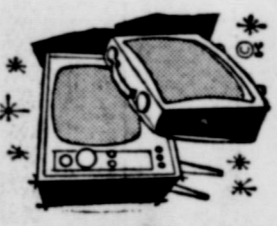
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FORWARD

By J. W. S.

This little section represents an initial effort of the newspapers of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger to do something jointly. The three of us have pooled our efforts to compile a special section in honor of Texas Industrial Week, which is being observed this week throughout our state.

We hope to make this a monthly affair, and we pledge it better each month.

Feature stories and items of general interest to our whole county will be sought and developed for these sections. Suggestions from readers for stories with pictures will be most welcome.

A department to discuss and explore opportunities for business and industry will be developed. Contributions are invited from anyone with ideas about how young people can form a business or make themselves a job. It is a well known fact that more than 75 per cent of the pay-rolls in any city are "home grown." It will be the purpose of this department to give expression to thoughts and ideas on this subject.

We want, too, to carry news on the progress and whereabouts of former county residents — young folks who grew up here and moved on to take advantage of better opportunities.

Speaking of opportunities, we meet a good many young people who are looking for them. And one of the big things our county needs to do to enjoy growth and prosperity is to provide opportunities for young people. Many of the young folks who grew up in the towns of this county would jump at a chance to return to their home country.

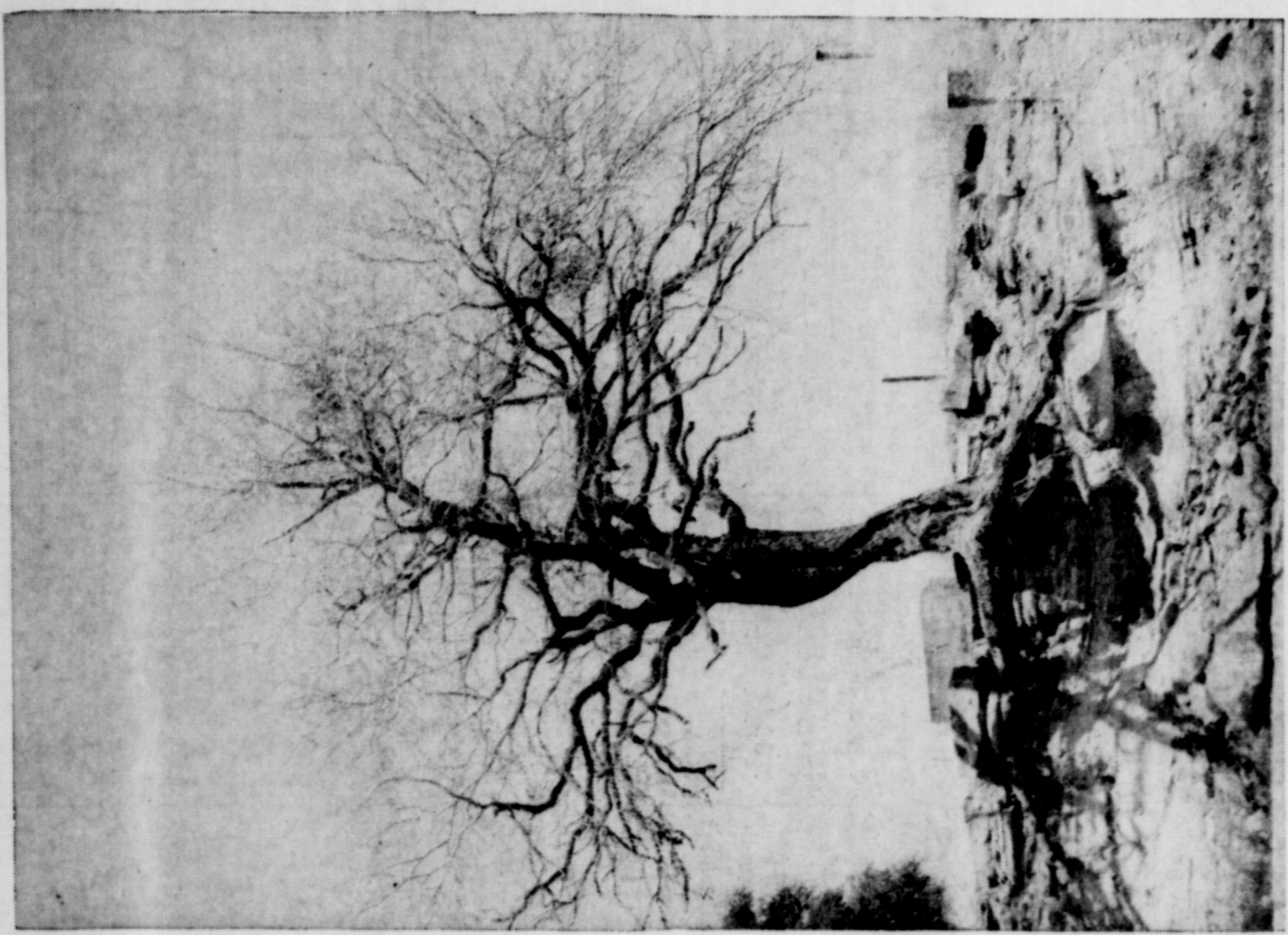
The cities that have job opportunities for their young people are the center of progress and prosperity. You can't graduate a crop of young people each year and send them off to work and live in other cities and maintain an orderly growth picture. Too few of our young people remain at home when they completed their education.

Our junior colleges and high schools, with help from the Chambers of Commerce, could do some good work in encouraging young citizens to help develop ideas and job opportunities for themselves.

We older folks are often real amazed at the ideas and suggestions of the young people around us.

It seems to us that we should be getting more attention from the young people on this important subject.

The recent success of a high school "career day" at Rising Star points out the importance of giving young people counsel and advice and encouragement to ask questions and seek answers. Some 15 adults in all fields of endeavor participated in the Rising Star program, which was their second in two years. A similar program is being considered in Cisco and, perhaps, other towns of the county.



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ROOTS OUT OF DRY GROUND

Through years of drought . . . And Years that seemed destitute,
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TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK

The Texas Legislature through the means of a joint resolution in 1951 created TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK which is observed annually in April.

Each year the Governor issues a proclamation recognizing the contributions of industry to Texas. Activities during TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK are coordinated by the Texas Manufacturers Association which sponsors an annual competition among local chambers of commerce to honor them for outstanding local observances.

Texas, long recognized as an oil and cattle empire, pauses to salute and honor its new giant, manufacturing. Industry has filled the gap in the Texas economy caused by the decline in oil production and agriculture.

The twelfth annual observance of Texas Industrial Week is now in progress.

And in this, the premium edition of the Monthly Newspaper Feature Magazine of Eastland County, our hats are off to all industry.

This county is mirroring the trend being set by the state. In Cisco, concentration is being put on developing home-grown industries, and in Eastland and Ranger, efforts are being made to bring new ones here.

What happens when a new industry comes to town? According to statistics supplied by the United States Chamber of Commerce, if a new industry adds 100 workers to the local labor force, the community gains:

- 295 more people,
- 112 more households,
- 51 more school children,
- \$590,000 more personal income a year,
- \$27,000 more in bank deposits,
- 107 more passenger cars registered,
- 174 more workers' wages employed,
- 4 more retail establishments, and
- \$360,000 more retail sales a year.

To these economic factors are added state and local taxes paid by the new plants and new workers and by the business establishments favorably affected by new employment.

Worth working for, isn't it?

Horse And Mule Gives Away To Motor, Machine

Automation, on farms in Eastland County, is moving forward quietly but swiftly. With much less fanfare than accompanies the progress toward automation in industry, local farmers have been steadily adding to their mechanical equipment.

They have realized for a long time that machinery, rather than horses and hand labor, is the key to better production. The big obstacle has been the financing of the expensive apparatus.

How well they have been succeeding is brought out in the latest Census of Agriculture, just released.

It shows that there are now some 1,345 tractors in use on Eastland County farms, including wheel, garden and crawler tractors.

Although such mechanization is taking place in most sections of the county, to a greater degree in some areas than in others, the advance has been more evident locally. On the basis of the number of farms in the county, there

Foster Orchard Near Nimrod Is County's Newest Industry

One of the most significant developments in Eastland County agriculture took place this winter when A. B. Foster, Jr., of Pecos, set in an orchard with some 20,000 pecan and peach trees.

The development was in the southwest part of the county. Foster bought 2,640 acres of land, most of which was covered with brush and located between Nimrod and Romney. The development included planting 8,500 pecan and 8,500 peach trees, three miles due west of Romney.

He purchased the 320-acre Arthur Edwards orchard a half mile east of Seranton. This orchard of 140 acres contained some 1,500 trees, mostly improved variety pecans, that were planted in 1938. The trees are mostly Burketts with some Mahans, Schleys and others.

Foster added some 200 trees to round out the front 160 acres in a solid orchard, and planted some 1,700 more trees on two 80-acre tracts adjoining the main place on the back. Douglas Atwood and wife have moved into the attractive native stone home on the place.

Industrial Week Observed In State

Texas Industrial Week, by official gubernatorial proclamation, has just been observed in this state.

In issuing the proclamation, Gov. Price Daniel noted the recognition by the state of the value to its citizens of proper industrial development, which provides new opportunities for our people and at the same time contributes to general prosperity and national progress.

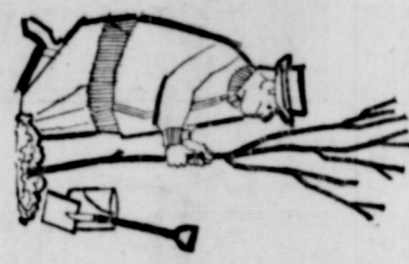
Manufacturing today, he said, is one of the most rapidly expanding sources of income for our State. By maintaining a favorable climate for industrial growth, Texas has encouraged the creation of more jobs, more markets, and greater economic health.

The proclamation continued: "It is important that Texans understand and cooperate in the action which is necessary to perpetuate this climate of developments and economic advancement."

"One means of achieving this is to set aside a specific period for discussion and study of our State's industrial activity, economic potential, and prospect of growth and development, and for the promotion and display by Texas manufacturers of the products manufactured in our State."

"Therefore, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the period of April 1-7, 1962, as TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK and urge due recognition and understanding of Texas' position as a rapidly developing industrial State, and the need for continued progress in this field."

There are 10,000 small town newspapers across the country that go into 27 million homes for 99 million people to read.



Young Foster, 40, was born at Pioneer in Eastland County in 1922. He is a graduate of Abilene High School and of Hardin-Simmons University. He served in the U. S. Air Force during World War II and worked six years for Western Cotton Oil Company and three years before the Internal Revenue Service before going to Pecos to become the general manager of a big farm operation, which includes irrigated cotton, feed and pecan lands.

His father visits the farms south and west of Cisco regularly, assisting with the management. Young Foster and his wife have two daughters.

Pecan marketing plans will not be a problem for the Foster farm for several years. Their Seranton farm has a potential of more than 25,000 pounds per year at the present time.

In a decade, however, marketing will very probably become a special department of the Foster company.

Progress of the Foster experiment will vary likely be followed closely by residents of an area wider than Eastland County. County Agent Cooper, w.111 probably be among those keeping check on the operation, which could hope that the average of some very well mean a great deal for the general economy of this region.

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Lone Star Companies Rank Among Key Industries Of County

Lone Star Gas Company and its subsidiary, Lone Star Producing Company, rank among the key industries in Eastland County.

Lone Star is credited with playing an important part in the oil and gas development of this area which had its beginning in 1917. In addition, Lone Star is constantly working to assist in attracting new industry to its service area.

The company has formed an area development department to work with local chambers of commerce and industrial groups. Formation of this department is an enlargement of Lone Star's long-standing industrial expansion program.

All three of Lone Star's operations — production, transportation and distribution—are represented in Eastland County. Some 188 persons are employed in the County by the company.

Lone Star has three customer service offices in Eastland County. They are located in Eastland, Ranger and Cisco. A. G. Goldston is manager in Eastland and W. T. Edson is manager in Ranger. G. W. Abbott is manager in Cisco.

Lone Star also serves Morton Valley and Olden. Lone Star was serving a total of 5,036 customers in Eastland County at the end of 1961. This compares with some 4,992 customers on the books at the end of 1960.

In addition to distribution operations, eleven other departments of the Gas Company and Producing Company are based in the Eastland County area.

Lone Star's Ranger Central Fractionating Plant is located at Ranger and is designed to handle 100,000 gallons of condensate daily. Its function is the separation of hydrocarbons contained in this condensate into various liquid components for marketing.

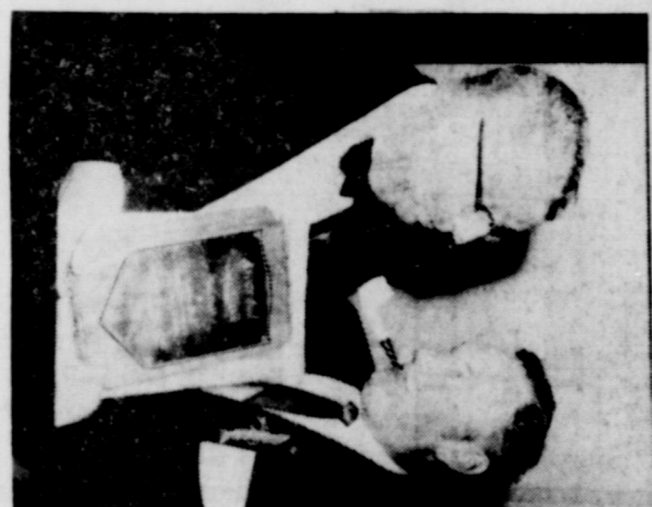
L. C. Stephens is superintendent of the Ranger Central Fractionating plant. It represents 27 men to operate the plant and maintain the machinery and equipment.

Plant 106, under the supervision of W. J. Van Bibber, is one of the company's gasoline plants also located in Ranger. Lone Star's Pueblo Gasoline plant near Cisco is another plant which removes propane butane and natural gasoline components from the casing head gas produced in the area. This plant processes around two billion cubic feet of gas a year and its total liquid production amounts to 100,000 barrels per year. The plant produces a raw liquid product which is transported by truck to the Ranger Central plant.

L. M. Cawley is superintendent of the Pueblo plant. The Pueblo plant has one 600 horsepower compressor used to take natural gas out of the main line and pump it into the nearby Leary underground storage reservoir. This stored gas is used on the Lone Star system during peak demand periods. The Pueblo plant employs 18 men.

The Compressor Station at Ranger is supervised by Fritz Hudrnan. Some 13 men are employed there.

W. A. Robinson of Ranger is West Texas district superintendent of gasoline plants for the Producing Company. He is in charge of the Ranger plant, the Cisco plant, the Ranger warehouse and the testing department. Also based in Ranger are J. A. Bates, field superintendent-gasoline plants and H. S. Twyman, superintendent of dehydration plants.

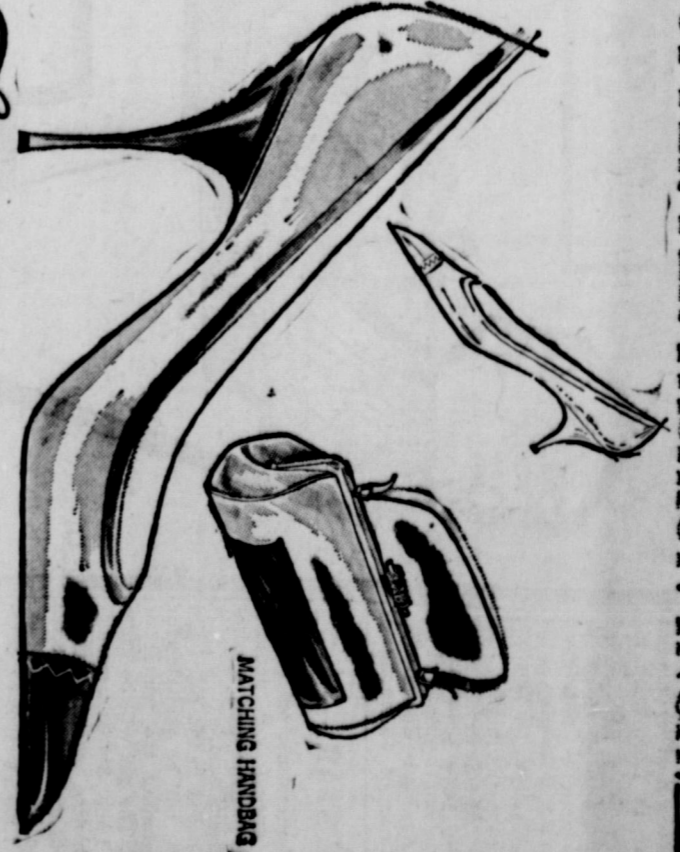


Lone Star's Bruce Cunningham, left, was receiving an award from the Northeast Texas Press Association at Tyler when the above picture was made recently.

engineer for the Lone Star gas. Lone Star began construction of a new underground natural gas storage project in Eastland County about mid-March.

The underground reservoir is located in the Hill Lake area some seven miles north of Cisco. Lone Star estimates that the reservoir has a capacity of about 11 billion cubic feet of natural gas.

With the addition of the Hill Lake facility, Lone Star will be in a position to purchase and store in West Central Texas some 50 million cubic feet of gas daily in excess of (Continued on Page Eight)



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Ranger-Made Goods Shipped Far, Wide

Ranger, known far and wide for its role in oil, is becoming well known for its varied manufacturing concerns, some of which have expanded to the point where goods manufactured in Ranger are shipped throughout the United States.

Ranger's first manufacturer with far-reaching products is the New Line Manufacturing Company, builders of fiberglass air conditioners. This young industry has just started production of a line of air conditioners for the home and industry. E. H. Everett of Olden is owner of the firm.

Production will include several sizes of air conditioners which will carry a guarantee against rust. The number of employees and number of units produced is yet undetermined.

Social Science Laboratories, Inc. does business in 30 states from its Ranger plant. The concern, headed by A. W. Warford, president, Hall W. Warford, secretary, prints map booklets for use in schools throughout the land.

The booklets, containing maps, charts and questions, have a wide range of subjects. They also distribute five different vocational agriculture workbooks on subjects.

Other publications include booklets on English and American literature and a popular football scout book.

During their peak employment period, the firm employs approximately 30 people. Educational Laboratories, Inc., is a branch of Social Science. This firm prints charts on political parties in the United States.

The Social Science Lab is in the process of producing a new set of work books on natural science.

Southwest Athletic Repair Company, better known as SARCOS, got its start in Ranger in 1957. At the beginning, SARCOS was housed in a small garage, but the firm soon outgrew the small quarters and moved, in 1959, to a two-story brick building, in downtown Ranger.

Owned by Dick Henderson, Weaver Alishman and Roy Barrett, SARCOS manufactures and reconditions all types of athletic equipment.

Realizing the largest growth in its history this year, the company services 630 accounts in Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The company has 14 employees and is constantly adding new equipment.

The Ranger Farms label on frozen or smoked turkeys has become a well-known symbol throughout Texas. Over 1,000,000 pounds of turkeys are handled by Ranger Frozen Foods Center each year.

Morris Newnham, founded the company in 1947. The firm has a complete processing plant, smoke room, and facilities for quick freezing and storage.

During the peak season, 14 persons are employed. A portion of the processed and mixed.

birds are sold to jobbers. Lone Star Producing Company is one of the largest industries in Ranger.

Lone Star Producing Company, a branch of Lone Star Gas Company, manufactures propane and butane as its major products from its plant No. 101, located near Ranger.

These other products are derived from the raw gasoline. Lonnie Stephens is superintendent of the plant. The plant, built in 1919, fraiionates the raw gasoline and introduces it into tall towers, where by controlling the temperature and pressure, the different products are separated in pure form. As additional tower was added to the plant six year ago, whereby isobutane could be produced. Over 200 rail tank cars and approximately 150 tank trucks are loaded from the Ranger terminal each month. Twentyeight employees are used at plant 101.

J. Van Bibber is superintendent of plant 106, where from the raw gasoline is obtained the natural gas for use by plant 101. Twenty-three men work at this plant.



RANGER'S NEWEST — The Newhire Manufacturing Company is Ranger's newest manufacturing concern. The company will make fiberglass air conditioners. E. H. Everett, owner, is pictured with one of the first models. (Photo by Capps Studio).

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Local Capital And Initiative Paying Dividends For Cisco

A number of small payroll industries, created by local financing and initiative, have been credited by Chamber of Commerce leaders with contributing very materially during the past few years to the general progress of the Cisco area. Collectively, these small firms represent a very substantial part of the city's economy.

The fact that Cisco has a reputation as an industrial city is due in no little part to the influence of local capital and efforts.

One of the oldest of these "home grown" payrolls is the Gallagher Clay Products Company, whose plant is located at the east edge of the Cisco city limits.

A. D. Anderson, president of the company, recently announced the completion of five new kilns to enable the firm to meet the growing demand for its clay flower pots. Capacity has been doubled in the past year. More than three million Gallagher clay pots go to florists throughout Texas and adjoining states. The firm employs some 25 men in its operations.

The Gallagher company is a "natural" for this region. It uses native clay and locally produced natural gas in the manufacture of flower pots. Sandler Manufacturing Company is another Cisco manufacturer that has been experiencing "g r o w i n g p a i n s."

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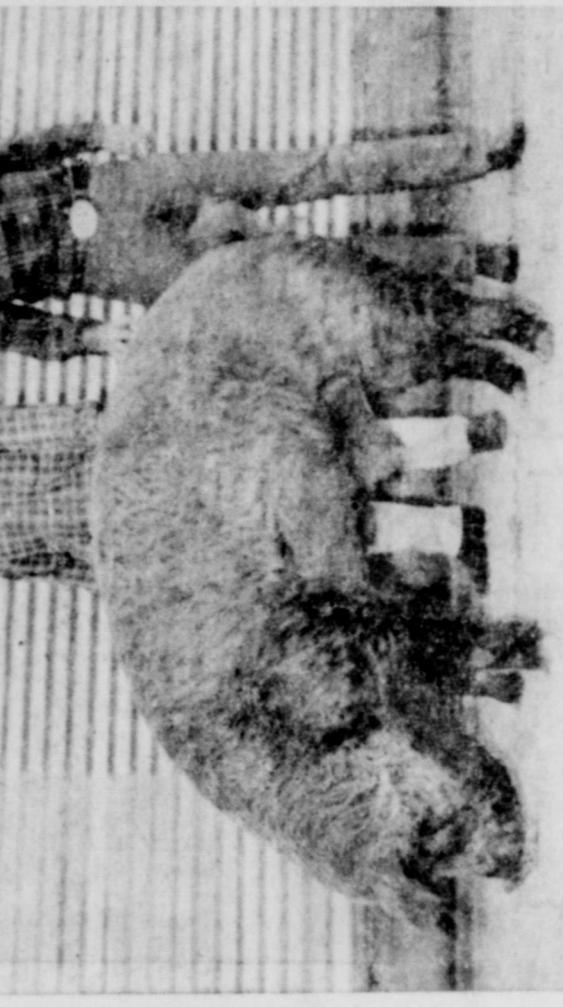
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A group of Cisco Chamber of Commerce officials were being briefed on expansion plans for Sandler Manufacturing Company's factory when the above picture was made. Shown, left to right, standing are E. L. Jackson, W. B. Wright and Gene Abbott. Seated are Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sandler. (Photo courtesy Cotton's Studio).

Super Leader, the huge Duroc hog shown above, is an old-timer who will be retiring before long. He is owned by the FFA Farm of Cisco High School and has passed the ripe old age of 5 years, which is pretty old for a hog.

Bred by Henry DeKam of Chandler, Minn., Super Leader was bought in the fall of 1957 and cost the FFA farm more than \$450 by the time his sons. So was the hog that



HE'LL BE RETIRING SOON

Since coming to Cisco, Super Leader has sired some 500 pigs and has many relatives throughout this region. His pigs are champions, too. In fact, the first eight places for Durocs in the recent Eastland County Livestock Show were more than \$450 by the time his sons. So was the hog that

pick-up truck bumpers, creep feeders for calves, oil well pumping controls, and other items including the septic tank line that first came off the assembly lines.

The Sandler factory also builds metal fall-out shelters for a large sales organization. The payroll has included as many as 35 welders at one time.

S&M Supply Company is a familiar name that is high on the list of Cisco firms important to the local economy. Organized by J. L. Stafford a few years ago, S&M's original purpose was to deal in roofer's supplies. This was soon expanded to include wholesale siding for home building.

S&M began making heavy mops for use of roofers and this has grown into a national business. Today, S&M has a mop and broom factory and turns out heavy wares, brooms as well as mops. S&M also turns out "Cisco Kid" stick horses, group of some 10 Cisco men builds aluminum window screens and doors and continues its regional wholesale roofing and siding business.

Last year, most of the stockholders of S&M Supply Company subscribed to stock that was used to buy the Reynolds Manufacturing Company. This was done because Harry Reynolds, owner of the firm, wanted to retire from it and he wanted it to remain active in Cisco. He re-tained part of the stock.

The Reynolds company has built a line of air-conditioned auto seat cushions for many years. New sales "push" has been put behind them and the outlook is good. The firm



J. L. Stafford, president of S&M Supply Company and Reynolds Manufacturing Company in Cisco, is shown with some of the products his S&M company turns out. Roofers' mops, warehouse brooms, Cisco Kid Stick Horses and other items shown in the picture are marketed nationally. (Photo courtesy Cotton's Studio).

COUNTY'S GIVING LEADERS ARE ON JOB SEEKING INDUSTRIES

"Getting industry" has become the goal of just about every business leader in Eastland County who has visions for his town's future. And Eastland County is no exception.

Here, as elsewhere, there are but two avenues of approach in "getting industry."

1. Industrial prospecting—Virtually, an industry within itself, wherein highly trained men and women of special skills "go forth" into the land of industrial powers that be, near and far, to induce, persuade, coerce, tempt, bribe or otherwise convince management that moving an industry to a certain town would be advantageous to the firm—as well as to the town; or
2. Home-growing industry—Usually a smaller scaled operation in which "home-folks" are encouraged through financial and moral cooperation and support, to develop businesses and enterprises which will provide the same end result as "brought-in" industries—that is, increased payrolls and capital for the town.

Within this column from month to month, we plan to explore avenue No. 2 and exchange "home-growing" industries.

Some of the ideas may seem bizarre, or perhaps, to some, downright ridiculous. But to be perfectly honest, we'd all have to admit that some very successful enterprises have resulted out of similar brainstorming sessions, which seemed at the moment awfully crack-pot.

Before we start the "free-wheeling," here are some facts that might surprise you.

Did you know that over 16,000,000 new businesses have been born since 1900, and that estimates are that every year from 300,000 to 400,000 persons start in business for themselves.

Of course they don't all make it, but with any kind of odds at all, it proves that a lot of people are putting their "free-wheeling" plans into successful action.

Don't be looking for "get-rich-quick" schemes, here or elsewhere, but we will be showing you how others have made "it."

There are two tools, the experts say: action and perseverance. So if you think you have an idea which could supply a buying demand with a product which you could produce profitably, why not give it a try.

The unsupplied buying demands are today's frontiers of industry.

So let's look at some ideas that have "clicked" for others. Everyone knows there are all kinds of chain-stores, but have you ever heard of chain-typing firms?

A man we know developed a good business, employing quite a few typing employees simply by making arrangements, and placing attractive posters in merchant's windows, offering "public typing." Each merchant was given a generous commission, as well as offering another service to their regular customers.

On the coasts, costume jewelry is profitably turned out in profusion, made from sea shells, driftwood, and even fish scales. True, we have neither near here, but we do

have pecans, peanuts, and a lot of mesquite beans. Who knows, a creative person could turn out attractive jewelry from these?

Speaking of peanuts, and why shouldn't we, it's one of our biggest cash crops, did you know that they could be used in many ways?

Here's the kitchen-sized for heat four quarts of water to a brisk boil, then add up to 12 tablespoons of salt. Boil for 15 minutes, then add 1/2 cup of peanut oil. The solution will be completely submerged. Boil for about 15 to 25 minutes before removing from the stove. Keeping lid on the

Directions for a larger scale salting process are available upon request.

This is "Wheeling and Dealing," and you're welcome to the day when prices will be low—Wells, Nev., Progress.

Send us your ideas, and if er...



NEW DEMAND

Glory be! Every minute on the average last year there was a newcomer in Lone Star Land — one-fifth of them imported by Stork! This keeps you hopping when you're in the business of complete natural gas supply. New gas wells, new pumping stations, more pipeline, more storage for peak winter load must be built ahead . . . to make sure that all the pure natural gas you need for modern home comfort, convenience, and economy is on hand. Count on it — year after year — as we plan ahead for the booming Southwest.

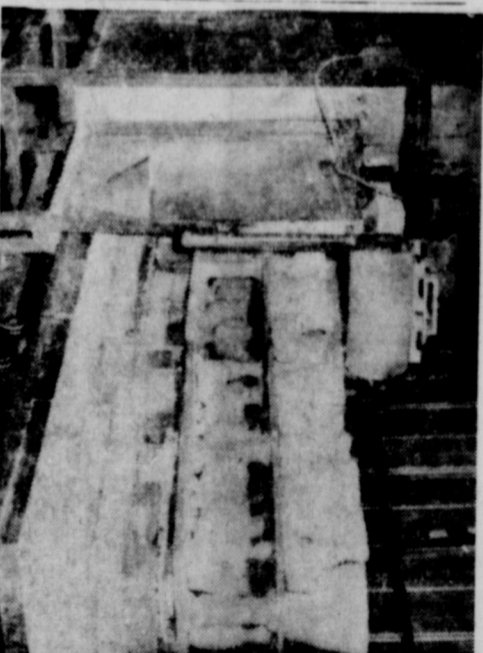
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A Little of This, And of That Adds Up To Payroll Dollars



OUT OF THE KILN . . . and onto the market, Eastland made pottery regularly out of giant kilns at Home-Eastland, and into market places of the world. The pottery plant is one of several industries in Eastland. Payrolls and capital improvements are the keys that make industry vital.

Variety is the keynote of industry in Eastland. Everything from ladies undegarments to mop handle adapters are manufactured here.

A few of the different enterprises manufactured in Eastland are pottery, building materials, brasseries, venetian blinds, cabinets, the printed word, metal products and oil and gas.

Eastland's importance is also enhanced by many servicing and construction companies and distributing agencies.

Romco Eastland Manufacturing Company located at 1308 South Bassett is the pottery manufacturer here. Mrs. Horace Horton, who started the business as a hobby, sold to Romco last fall. The company employs 30 persons and the monthly payroll is in excess of \$3,000.

Manager of the company is B. I. Smith. He says that about 65 per cent of the \$1,000 a day in shipment go to Florida.

The company is turning out 115 different pieces, in over 300 color combinations at the rate of over 750 pieces a day.

Hollywood Vassarrette, a division of Mustangwear Corp., at 202 N. College in Eastland, employs 18 persons and pays \$550,000 annually in salaries and wages, according to Mike George, manager.

The plant makes 104,000 dozen garments a year with an average retail price of \$48 per dozen, giving a total annual out-put of about \$4,992,000.

The investor-owned company was organized in 1932 and moved to Eastland in 1946.

The Eastland plant is the largest owned by the company. Cabinet makers in Eastland are Harp Brothers, west of the city, owned by Jack D. and C. T. Harp.

The company, which was organized here in 1940 makes and installs cabinets in over 30 homes each year.

Gas producers in the Eastland area are Gulf Oil Corporation and Retuning Company and Lone Star Producing Company.

Oil producers and operators in Eastland are Cyrus Frost, Grandage Corporation at Martin Lease and Rushing Booster, C. W. and W. H. Hoffman, Jack Chamberlain and Dugden Oil Corporation.

R. M. Speed, Pipe Line and Oil Field Contractors, located on Highway 80 East, employs twenty-seven people full-time in general oilfield construction work.

R. M. Speed is owner of the company which was organized here in the middle 40's. Don Doyle is office manager.

The company's annual payroll last year alone was \$168,850.18 with total contracts of \$463,672.96.

Printing industries in Eastland include Stephen Printing Company and Victor Cornelius, Inc.

Victor Cornelius, Inc., located at 400 West Main in Eastland, was organized in 1935 in Eastland, specializing in a mean service and theatrical

advertising.

Victor Cornelius, owner and manager, employs 42 persons with an annual payroll of \$297,500. The employees, in turn, have an annual out-put of goods and services amounting to \$501,000.

Eastland Venetian Blind organization in 1947 and is owned and operated by Lewis Almer.

The company, located at 405 Main Street, has an annual output of \$12,000. Thier and his part-time help, manufacture venetian blinds, aluminum screens and screen doors.

Texas Gas Engines and Tool Shop, located east of Eastland, is owned by Earl A. Throne and F. L. Spurrier.

They and one employee have an annual out-put of \$22,133.76 in gas engine parts, wrought iron flower pot stands and machine and welding work.

At the present time, they are manufacturing pottery stands and mop handle adapters for other industries of the area.

Manufacturing building materials in Eastland are Texas Lightweight Aggregate Company and Tri-Cities Transit Mix Concrete Company.

The Haytite Plant for Texas Lightweight Aggregate Company, northwest of Eastland, owned by Texas Industries, Inc., employs 14 persons with annual salaries and wages over \$85,000.

There is amount of annual out-put is about 70,000 cubic yards of lightweight concrete aggregates (expanded shale), Tri-Cities Transit Mix Concrete Company located at 401 S. Halgrain in Eastland is managed and operated by W. W. Schmidt. Owner of the company, V. L. Blecker, lives in Breckenridge, where another company is located. The company makes septic tanks and ready mixed concrete.

Distributing companies in Eastland with manufacturing headquarters elsewhere are Coca-Cola, Chaney and Son Butane, Borden's Milk, Foremost Dairy and Barton, Gulf, Mohl and Texaco Oil.

In addition to many servicing companies in Eastland

Bumpass Accepts Key Position With Ark. U.

Richard R. Bumpass, son of Mrs. Anna C. Bumpass of Eastland and the late Samuel N. Bumpass, is one of many of Eastland's "home-town" boys who have "done good."

Bumpass has recently been named Baptist Student Director at the University of Arkansas but "mesties" have caused a family separation.

He graduated from Eastland High in 1951, and worked for a creamery here during summers while going to college.

He graduated from Texas A&M with a Bachelor of Science degree in Animal Husbandry in 1953.

From A&M, Richard went to Fort Worth where he received his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Southwestern Theological Seminary.

While in the Seminary, he worked for Vanderhoofs of Fort Worth.

Richard was pastor of Wards Chapel Baptist Church at Atoka, Oklahoma, commuting to and from Fort Worth, when he was asked to accept the position at the University of Arkansas.

Richard's wife, the former Nancy Roberts of Terrell, is a teacher of mentally retarded children in the Fort Worth public school system and a Baylor graduate.

She and their two children, Lou, 2, and Kelley, 7 months, have not been able to move to their new home because the children have the measles.

Richard has been asked to do his doctorate work at Texas Christian University.

Owen Promoted To Lt. Colonel

William Arvid Owen, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Owen Sr., of 519 S. Daugherty St., Eastland, has been promoted to Lt. Colonel in the Air Force.

He is stationed at Vandenberg AFB, Calif., where he and his family live.

Born in Eastland, he graduated from Eastland High School and Ranger Junior College and volunteered in the Army Air Corps in 1943.

During World War II, he served in the European Theater and three years in Germany after the war.

His wife is the former Leona Waggoner of Morison. They have three children, Kathleen, Linda and William Brent.

"Babies, once fondly prized as additions, are now prized as deductions. — Boyne City, Mich., Citizen.

which are closely connected with the industries are the following: Texas Electric Service Company, Comanche Co. Electric Co-Op, Ass'n., Lone Star Gas Company, Eastland Auction Company, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and Southern Television Systems, Inc.

"It's a tough world for the American business man. Every time he comes up with something new the Russians invent it a week later, and the Japanese make it cheaper. — Ellis, Kansas. Review.

Some 600,000 people were bitten by dogs last year in the United States.

A new U. S. Navy submarine is designed to operate as deep as 15,000 feet.



Industry is a ten-pin strike anywhere you find it — and we salute the industries of Eastland County . . . A strike at the FIRSTA Bowling Lanes in Eastland represents fun and relaxation. The "industrious" relax and enjoy life here — why don't you?