

Arson Charged Against Citizen of Eastland

George H. Dern, Secretary of War, Dies at Washington

BEEN ILL
SOME TIME
WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Secretary of War George H. Dern, 64, of heart disease at Walter Army hospital today, first deal cabinet officer to die in active service.

War secretary expired at 3 p. m., EST, after waging a fight against influenza, left him with a critical condition.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—President Roosevelt will attend funeral of Secretary of War George H. Dern in Salt Lake City, will not curtail his trip of action through the drought-stricken West, the White House announced today.

Dern was the first secretary of the Treasury William G. B. Dyer to die while on active duty. He was the first Roosevelt cabinet member to die. He was on active duty at the time. Senator Thomas Walsh, attorney general designee, in the Roosevelt cabinet, before assuming office.

Dern's death was expected to shorten President Roosevelt's drought inspection tour.

The bedside when Dern died members of his family, seven of them having come east from Utah, Dern's home state.

Dern was born in Dodge county, Minn., September 8, 1872, attended public schools, the Normal college and the University of Nebraska.

Dern went to Utah as keeper for the Mercier Gold and Milling Company of Salt Lake City. Seven years later he was made general manager of the company.

Dern's political debut came in 1912. He was elected to the state legislature on a fusion ticket of democrats and progressives. He stepped to the forefront as author of the Workmen's Compensation Act, the Absentee Land Act, the Mineral Leasing Act, the Securities Commission and the Corrupt Practices Act. Four years later he was re-elected to a straight Democratic ticket when the democratic party defeated him for governor.

Dern was in 1924. Dern opposed by Mabee, incumbent republican. He went into office with a majority.

In 1928—another republican landslide year—Dern was elected. He defeated William Mabee by a 30,000 majority.

Dern strongly opposed President Hoover's plan to turn over the public lands of western states, to the states, with the federal government retaining title to the national forests, national parks and military lands. Dern held all these to should go to the states.

Dern achieved prominence in national governor's conference. It was there that he became friendly with President-Elect Hoover. He was chairman of the finance executive committee for two years.

During the last presidential campaign, he vigorously campaigned for Roosevelt throughout western states.

Rev. Charles W. Estes, pastor of Presbyterian church, will preach at combined services of church and the Methodists at Methodist church Sunday morning.

Rev. E. R. Stanford, pastor of Methodist church, who was to preach Thursday on his vacation, and Rev. J. B. Curry, presiding elder of this district, of the Methodist church, will preach Sunday, Sept. 6.

Better Than Laurels to Jesse



Here's the acclaim that Jesse Owens, the Buckeye Bullet who became the individual hero of the Olympic games by winning four gold medals, had been waiting for. His mother (left) and wife (right), who journeyed from Cleveland to greet him, shower him with kisses as the Queen Mary reaches New York after record Atlantic crossing.

LOYALISTS ARE HOLDING REBEL COLUMNS BACK

By United Press

BIRATOU, French-Spanish Frontier, Aug. 27.—Spanish loyalists turned back wave after wave of attacking rebels at Biratou today and after a morning of fighting the lines were unchanged.

TAMBLONA, Spain.—Rebel planes called for the capture of the town of San Sebastian area by Saturday night and the opening of an attack on Madrid by the middle of next week, it was learned today.

LONDON.—France and Great Britain today began a diplomatic drive to align the powers of Europe in an embargo on arms to Spain.

MADRID.—The war ministry today announced government aircraft had brought down a rebel plane which dropped bombs on an open field near the capitol. The bombs did no damage.

WASHINGTON.—The United States today reaffirmed its historic policy of freedom of the seas by rejecting a Spanish government "paper blockade" of rebel ports.

American ships will continue to enter Spanish ports held by rebels until "an effective blockade" is laid down, the state department said.

PARIS.—Germany today assured France that its increase to two years in the period of military service was not intended as a threat to France.

Dies Today



George H. Dern, Secretary of War in the Roosevelt Cabinet, who died today after a long illness.

GUNMAN ROBS SUDAN BANK AND ESCAPES

By United Press

SUDAN, Texas, Aug. 27.—An unmasked gunman robbed the First National Bank here of \$2,200 today and escaped.

The robber entered the bank during the morning and asked for the president, P. E. Boeson. Then he pointed his gun at L. L. Anthony, assistant cashier.

He forced Anthony to place the money in a grocery handbag. Two tellers were locked inside the building with Anthony, while the robber made his escape. The alarm was spread by telephone from inside the locked bank.

The gunman drove southward in a 1934 model sedan.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—A masked man entered a Postal Telegraph office here today, threatened the manager and a delivery boy with a pistol and escaped with \$150.

Prize Farm Writer Unfazed by City



Broadway's bright lights are fascinating, but Mrs. Susan Frawley Eisele, adjudged the best rural newspaper correspondent in a national contest, says she is content with the kerosene lamps of her Blue Earth, Minn., farm home. Pictured with her infant son, whom she brought to New York on the trip financed by the contest sponsors, she said she was more interested in the metropolitan sights than night clubs.

COMPLAINT IS LODGED AFTER FIRE PROBED

Officials Set Bond at \$1,000; Grand Jury Due To Meet Sept. 7

Arson in connection with a fire at his residence Sunday morning was charged against James Atchley, Eastland livestock trader and former cafe operator, in justice court Thursday morning by James Byrne of Austin, assistant fire marshal.

Setting bond at \$1,000, officials held Atchley for the 88th grand jury which will be formed for the next court term beginning on Sept. 7.

Eastland Fire Chief A. W. Hennessey, who conducted the investigation by Byrne, stated blankets saturated in kerosene were found in Atchley's kitchen pantry after firemen extinguished the blaze.

The fire occurred about 4 a. m. Sunday at Atchley's frame residence at 218 South Seaman St. Damage was not regarded great.

Chief Hennessey stated he was informed Atchley carried \$1,500 insurance on the house, \$1,000 on contents and \$100 on a garage.

Atchley, about 50, told newspapermen Sunday morning that he believed the fire started in the ceiling and that he was on his way home when the fire alarm rang. He stated his family was out of town.

A grand jury which will likely investigate the charge, according to the sheriff's office, is to be formed from the following: S. D. Nelson, Pioneer; S. H. Childers, Rising Star; W. E. Trimble, Eastland; T. G. Gray, Gorman; W. A. Sutton, Gorman; Frank Yarger, Cisco; L. D. Wilson, Cisco; W. C. McDaniels, Cisco; Herman Rushing, Desdemona; Ed Townsend, Nimrod; W. C. Crone, Odessa; A. Angus, Odessa; Hal Hunter, Ranger; F. E. Langston, Ranger; R. L. Jones, Eastland; and Wayne White, Gorman.

Survey Discloses Depression Costs

WASHINGTON.—A new Commerce Department report just issued shows that American business, fighting the depression, paid out nearly 28 billion dollars more than it took in.

The report was prepared by Robert R. Nathan, chief of the national income section of the Division of Economic Research. Some of the things Nathan found were these:

1. From 1930 through 1935, corporate business losses added to \$22,731,000,000; losses by unincorporated businesses were \$5,225,000,000 more. Hence, out of reserves, American business spent \$27,956,000,000 more than it took in.
2. Though national income in 1935 was only 65 per cent of what it was in 1929, wage earners in 1935 received a greater share of the income than ever before. In 1929, the previous peak year, 65.5 cents out of every dollar went to wages; in 1935, wages amounted to 67 cents of every dollar.
3. The total income of private business in 1935 was 40 per cent below 1929, but in the same seven year period the income of government, through taxes, increased 27 per cent.
4. The portion of national income represented by government expenditures nearly doubled. It rose from 8.3 per cent in 1929 to 16.1 per cent in 1935.
5. Per capita wages—the amount of wages paid to each individual—advanced from an average of \$1,097 in 1933 to \$1,201 in 1934 (1935 figures are not yet available). The 1934 figure is \$265 under the 1929 peak.
6. Just before the depression, business was putting about 3 per cent of its income into reserves. In 1932, business paid, out of those reserves, 21 per cent more than it took in.

Lincoln Lost His Last Court Case

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Recently discovered court records here have disclosed that Abraham Lincoln lost his last case as a practicing lawyer.

The records were uncovered in the clerk's room of the federal building during an inventory of federal records that was being taken recently.

They show that Lincoln's last law case was filed on June 22, 1860. In that case Lincoln and his partner, Herndon, defended William Ellsworth in an ejectment proceeding.

The suit asking for the ejectment of Ellsworth from his premises was won by the plaintiff, the court holding that in addition to paying damages of one cent, Ellsworth also relinquish the land involved.

A study of the records for the period between 1855 and 1860 showed that Lincoln had a total of 89 law cases on file during that period.

The records are believed to be the oldest existing pertaining to Illinois in the federal courts and in the United States.

They are copies of originals which were sent to Chicago and later destroyed in the Chicago fire of 1871, according to court attaches.

The general court docket, which is part of the records uncovered, showed that Lincoln was especially popular, as a lawyer, with railroads and big companies. He also handled many cases for clients in reduced circumstances.

Originally filed in the circuit court, the cases were transferred to the district court in 1911, when it was established, and consequently are federal property.

CCC Youths Defy 134 Degree Heat In Death Valley

WASHINGTON.—Although the temperature in Death Valley, sometimes reaches 134 degrees, some CCC company is working there on the National Monument.

Despite the great heat during the day, the youths often are compelled to sleep under blankets at night.

The camp in operation there this summer is located in the Wildrose Canyon and has as one of its projects the construction of Telescope Peak. From this point the highest and lowest points in the United States can be seen—Mount Whitney in Sequoia National Park, and Bad Water in Death Valley.

Allred to Urge Calvert Election as House Speaker

By United Press

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—Gov. Allred again will seek to re-elect Robert W. Calvert, Hillsboro representative, as Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Recently the governor declined to say if he would back Calvert, who received 68 of 150 votes for Speaker of the present Legislature. The governor said today he would back Calvert.

Bureau Plays Big Part In Enforcing Laws of State

AUSTIN.—The Bureau of Identification of the State Department of Public Safety is playing an increasingly important role in state law enforcement, Bureau Chief C. G. McGraw revealed here.

"Our bureau is being called on by law enforcement agencies of the state for aid in solving cases," McGraw said. "In most cases, where some sort of clue has been left we have been successful."

McGraw pointed to one case which had just been cleared up. There had been six suspects in a grocery store burglary. A few hours after the identification bureau was called onto the case the guilty man's fingerprints had identified him as the burglar, and he had confessed, he said. "That wouldn't have been possible without the scientific knowledge of the identification expert."

Approximately 200 sets of fingerprints are received daily from law enforcement agencies of Texas. These are classified and filed by experts. Because of the increasing amount of work falling on the bureau, girls employed in the department to do clerical work have volunteered to study fingerprint classification in their spare time, McGraw said. If the force is increased trained experts will be available.

Fingerprint cards and self-addressed envelopes are sent to each law enforcement agency in the state by the bureau. It is these cards which are sent back to the bureau for classification. Other prints are received from other states and from the Department of Justice at Washington. Most of the out-of-state prints are of fugitives from justice, McGraw said.

Dr. Grace Hood Is Taken to Hospital

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Dr. Grace Humphries Hood, prominent woman physician, was in a Fort Worth hospital today after a near nervous collapse following the fatal shooting of her husband, Ross Turner, 51, in her office on Tuesday.

She was not present today for the preliminary trial on charges that she had conspired with her husband to commit suicide.

The case bound over for the grand jury.

Stephens County Gets New Gasser

GRAHAM.—What many believe to be a new deep oil production horizon was discovered early Wednesday when the H. E. Talbot No. 1 on the M. C. Kennedy farm, survey 1031, in Stephens County, came in for an estimated 30,000,000 cubic feet of wet gas and a showing of oil.

The well is fifteen miles south and a half north of the nearest producer. Tools were still in the hole when the estimate was made on the gas production.

County Allowable Of Oil Is Hiked

Although orders issued Tuesday by the Railroad Commission show a district reduction of 2,158 barrels daily in comparison to the Aug. 15 allowable, Eastland county's was increased 75 barrels daily.

The Texas Railroad Commission allowable Aug. 15 was 56,992 barrels and for September was 54,744 barrels.

By counties the allowable is as follows: Brown, 1,761, 235 decrease; Callahan, 1,766, 37 increase; Coleman, 1,136, 1 increase; Eastland, 2,858, 75 increase; Fisher, 4,297, 275 decrease; Iranian, 54, 14 decrease; Jones, 4,694, 219 decrease; Reagan (Big Lake), 7,800, 200 decrease; Runnels, 202, 43 decrease; Shackelford, 7,699, 373 increase; Stephens, 4,703, 23 increase; Throckmorton, 447, 35 increase; Upton, (McCauley), 8,000, 200 decrease; South Half Young, 4,713, 434 increase; Webb Ray, 150, 23 decrease; Jack (South Half), 2,650, 572 increase.

Federal Deficit Is Expected to Drop

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Administration leaders said today they expect improving business conditions to reduce the federal deficit this fiscal year to the lowest point since the New Deal took office.

Unofficial figures indicated from \$500,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000 may be pared from the previously estimated deficit of \$3,000,000,000 for the 1937 fiscal year.

Most of the reduction will come from increased revenues through income tax collections.

Greenville Coach Goes to Commerce

By United Press

COMMERCE, Aug. 27.—Dennis Van Zandt, football coach of the Greenville high school, was appointed today as assistant coach of the East Texas State Teachers College.

Van Zandt recently succeeded Henry Erns as Greenville coach. He will take the place at the East Texas Teachers left vacant by the death of S. J. (Red) Petty.

Dothan Boy Given Big League Recall

CISCO, Aug. 27.—Branch Rickey of St. Louis, vice president of the Cardinals, has announced that Henry (Cotton) Pippin has been recalled from California to help the Redbird pitching staff in the National League pennant drive.

Pippin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pippin of Dothan, has been heralded as the star 24-year-old hurler for the Sacramento Pacific Coast League club.

McDonald Will Move to Austin

W. H. McDonald of Eastland, nominated for the commissionership of the state land office in the first primary, and family plan to make residence in Austin, Tuesday, Sept. 1.

While in Austin Wednesday McDonald stated he will seek revision of the Sabine River Oil contract. He estimated this may mean the increase of \$700 daily to the school fund receipts.

McDonald, who is a member of the Mineral Development Board, said he believed the higher royalties would be possible after reinstatement of an original contract.

Ruth Chatterton Is Due in Fort Worth

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Ruth Chatterton, actress and flapper, due here this afternoon on tour from Los Angeles to Cleveland for the start of the air derby which she is sponsoring.

NO FRILLS ABOUT PENNEY'S

Because we realized long ago that palatial quarters and frills and furbelows must be passed on to the customers in increased prices, we have (through 34 years experience) eliminated every over-head expense not essential to real service! Value at a price is the important thing at Penney's! Shop around and compare!

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EVERY FAMILY'S STORE

The great Penney organization has been built upon an ideal of real service to the family. Founded in an average small town, it has never departed from its original purpose to vend the best possible quality at a price every average family can afford!

James Cash Penney Started In West With Nothing But An Idea and Will to Work; In 34 Years Opened 1,494 Stores

James Cash Penney, still in his fifties, born in Hamilton, Mo., went West thirty-four years ago for his health . . . and got well, physically and financially. This is an exception proved to the rule that most big business comes from the East.

Penney, born Sept. 16, 1875, got his first job in his home town as dry goods clerk when he was nearly grown. His salary was \$2.27 a month. The second year he worked his pay was \$2.00. Before he started on the third year the doctor told him to go West for his health. He went to Denver and got a job at \$6 a week.

He saved his money and in a short time was able to start his first business venture. It was a small butcher shop at Longmont, Colo. Perhaps Penney would have been one of the big meat packers of today had there not been a drunken hotel chef in the town. Penney lost the trade of the principal hotel, which was the greatest meat consumer there, because he wouldn't bribe the chef with a pint of whiskey a week. Soon after, Penney lost his butcher shop.



J. C. PENNEY

Then the firm opened stores at Rock Springs and Cumberland. Not long after this Callahan and Johnson separated. They decided the best way to do this was to sell all three of the stores to Penney, who had the vision to see that this partnership idea had unlimited possibilities. He bought a full interest in the three stores. This was the beginning of the merchandising enterprise. That \$500 capital has grown in thirty-four years to approximately \$220,000,000 in sales volume for 1936.



ROBERT S. SEARLS, Mgr.

Since coming to Eastland I fully realize what a fine community I have brought my family into and the wonderful opportunities that are offered here in the work of rendering real service to the community as well as receiving the benefits of the progress of this section. I am deeply grateful for the many kindnesses shown me since I arrived in Eastland and the loyalty of the people in making our store their shopping center. We have done everything possible to arrange this special New Manager's event one that will be profitable to everybody as well as making us acquainted with many new people who will attend this occasion.

DOORS OPEN AT 8 O'CLOCK



Check these **BARGAINS**
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You are invited to come and visit around our big store at leisure. Everything is conveniently arranged for your immediate inspection. A courteous sales force is on hand at all times to assist you in any manner possible to make your shopping easy and economical. This open house is all that it means . . . you will find a most friendly welcome.

LATEST STYLES IN PENNEY'S Ready-To-Wear Department

It is Hollywood that sets the fashions of America today. No longer do we look across the ocean to Paris for the trend in what the well-dressed woman will wear.

J. C. Penney Company is aware of this fact, and has lost no time in taking advantage of it, Robert S. Searls, local manager, has pointed out.

The Penney Company maintains a staff of designers in the Movie Capital, Searls said. They are people that not only keep up with the present styles but are a jump ahead in forecasting Fashion Changes.

Best Service Provided
"Once there was a time when Penney Company paid little attention to styles. We operated almost exclusively in small towns, but that day is gone. Small-town people are just as conscious now of styles as people anywhere, and this fact coupled with Penney's entrance in the big-store field has brought about the need of this new service and Penney has spared no expense or trouble in providing the best.

"The minute American women see this favorite movie star in a stunning new gown, they want one like it. We realize that and by the time the mode has become established, Penney stores are showing the styles because our fashion directors are ahead of the game at all times.

"Maybe it is a tuck here, a ruffle there, a change in line raising or lowering the waist line, or any little thing like that. Small as it may seem to some people, it means all the world to a well-dressed woman and Penney sells dresses and accessories to satisfy this demand."

President of the J. C. Penney Company Is a Native of

Earl Corder Sams, Product Of
West, Is Outstanding
Executive.



Earl Corder Sams, president of the J. C. Penney Co., which operates nearly one thousand five hundred stores in the United States, was born in Simpson, Kansas, April 3rd, 1884.

Steady Hand Is Aid

The Penney Co. has been indeed fortunate in having the steady hand of Earl Sams at its helm during the years of unnatural behavior which our nation's business has just been through. His deep knowledge of human nature, and its needs, as well as his sincere belief in the golden rule as applied to business, were gained and fortified during his early years of intimate personal contact across the counter and have never deserted him.

Sams is of Scotch descent, and a Presbyterian. He is a member of the board of national missions of the Presbyterian church in America and of the national council of the Y. M. C. A. Among his business connections, he is one of the executive committee of the Metropolitan branch of the Manhattan Trust Co. He is also a member of the United States Chamber of Commerce, a trustee of Wesleyan University of Salina, Kan., and is able administration.

EARL CORDER SAMSON

donor of the Sams there, given in memory of his mother. Mr. Sams is very frugal through Texas some large holdings in age through the Valley cherishes very highly.

Is Outstanding Executive

Sams in considered outstanding business and merchants in the States. He entered the J. C. Penney in store at Kemmerer, Wyo. Penney opened this store in 1902 when he hired Earl as a clerk.

Ten years later, in 1912, he was elected chairman of the board of directors of the J. C. Penney and Sams was elected to the company has grown and bounds under his able administration.

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Men's Hard Wearing

SUPER BIG MAC Overalls

98c

Sanforized Shrunk!

Built to "take it"!

Men! Here's the durability you demand in top quality overalls! Husky 2.20 denim . . . it's Sanforized and can't shrink! Parva buckles . . . can't bend or break in laundering! Cut full for extra wear and working comfort! Extra sizes at no extra cost! Penney priced!

Covert-Work Pants

Made for Service and splendid fitting quality.

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Solid colors in gray, brown, black & white.

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Fancy coverts, good looking as well as wearable! Dress shirt styling. Two flap pockets!

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High style Bal Oxfords with trouser-crease vamp and spray stitching at side. Leather sole, military heel. Goodyear welt.

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SCHOOL OXFORDS

\$1.98



Black or brown calf-finished leather with patent leather lacing to dress it up. A Goodyear welt shoe with real style.

Oxhide Work Shoes

\$1.98



Tough black retan leather. Durable storm-welt Bluchers with composition outsole and heel. Big values!

Close-Out

Women's

Summer

Sandals

in yellow, blue, white and black.

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Boys' Dress Oxfords

Composition soles, all leather insole. A sturdy shoe for the boy. \$1.98

SAVE HERE

Men's Oxfords — composition sole. Extra wear in every pair. A low price at

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Help Little Feet Grow Straight and Strong!

Little Teacher Shoes

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Designed to give tiny tots correct support and freedom. Sturdy, black calf-finished leather. Firm chrome leather outsole. \$1.19

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Out

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ted Quality Merchandise
nest Service
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PENNEY'S—A friendly place to shop.
A modern, completely stocked store
where values speak for themselves.
Where you'll be as courteously treated
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PENNEY'S—Where economical store
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All leather soles.
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Summer Hats**

Women's Summer Hats to
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An unusual value.
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Rayon, taffeta gowns, lace trif — Tea
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Sheer Chiffon Hose**

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**Now Save!
BROADCLOTH**

print, in time for school dresses. All
fast colors and a beautiful selection of
patterns. Priced right.

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SHEETING**

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Hand embroidered Nainsook gowns in
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Fringed Net Panels**

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panels to appreciate them. While they
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Men's Rayon Socks**

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Sanforized shrunk, splendid fitting qual-
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Here is a real bargain — They will
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All tan — 36 inches wide, six feet long.
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ders. Out they go.

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Short cut, full and roomy —
fast color — what more could
you ask—size 30 to 42. Ribbed
shirts are of splendid quality
and full size. Only —

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OUT THEY GO!

Men's Wash Suits

Tan, greys, whites. All sanfor-
ized shrunk. You will save on
buying a suit now. Must sell at

\$2.50

WHAT A VALUE!

Ox Hide Overalls

They're bound to be good —
cut full size. Made of fine qual-
ity. blue denim and at such a
low price.

69c

WORK PANTS

Men's Covert pants. Extra good
quality that is made to stand
the wear.

98c

HERE IS VALUE!

Men's Dress Shirts

Made full size. Seven button
front — fast color, in all new
assorted patterns. Save here at
this low price.

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CALENDAR FRIDAY

Double Seven Club, 2:30 p. m., home of Miss Mary Nell Crowell, hostess.

Funeral for J. B. Leonard Draws Many Friends

The funeral services for the late J. B. Leonard of Midland, which were conducted at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Poe, were attended by a large group of relatives and friends.

Relatives present were the decedent's brother, C. A. Leonard of Blackwell, Okla.; Mr. Nat Schick of Big Spring, brother of Mrs. Leonard. His wife and daughter were not able to attend on account of illness. Mr. and Mrs. Hank Schick of Weatherford; J. H. Gilliland, daughter and son of Weatherford, the brother-in-law of Mrs. Leonard; Miss Ellen Sue Gilliland of Weatherford, and James Gilliland of Fort Worth.

Out-of-town oil men: Mr. and Mrs. Gahns; Mr. H. Leyendecker of Houston; L. E. Breeding, Oil & Gas Journal; C. M. Chase, San Angelo; Bert Hemphill, Charles D. Vertrees, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Armstrong of Midland; Lonnie King, Abilene; Paul S. Oles, Dick Knox, A. W. Wyatt, Overton Black, P. G. Booth, J. C. Cunningham, C. A. Hill, Jr., N. E. Tanner, Gary C. Butcher, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eggle, Miss Mary Maud Sparks, all of Midland; Monroe G. Cheney, Alex. Clarke, and C. I. Jane of Coleman.

Mrs. Leonard will be the guest of Mrs. W. S. Poe for a few days, and then return to her Midland home. Her plans for the present are undetermined but she will remain in Midland several months.

B. & P. W. Club
The Business and Professional Women's club called off their session announced for Tuesday night, on account of the rain, and held their meeting Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Dave Wolf.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Swim Party
The Intermediate Baptist Young

People's Union gathered at the Baptist church at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday and went in a motor party to Lake Cisco, where they had a delightful swim and refreshments at the lake afterwards.

The group included the sponsors, Misses Irene Williams, Allean Williams, Mrs. L. E. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. Swindall.

Members going: Misses Billie Gage, Viola Swindall, Georgie Mae Bishop, Elbeteen Bagley, Marzelle Wright, Virginia Garrett; Jim Taylor, Chester Alford, Claude Williams, Francis Swindall and Charley Williams.

Guests of the evening were Claude Pettit of Snyder, Texas, and Dan Overase of Morton Valley.

Taylor Student Recital Draws Large Crowd

The Community clubhouse assemblyroom was crowded to the limit with patrons and guests of the Taylor recital sponsored by Miss Loraine Taylor and mother.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor, presenting their summer classes in music, in addition to Miss Loraine Taylor's students in dancing and expression.

The clubroom presented a brilliant appearance in its dress of bowls of marigolds and handsome ferns.

Ushers were Misses Ruby Lee Pritchard, Wanda Loney, Mava Lou Crossley, and Anne Jane Taylor, in charming summer evening frocks.

Indirect lighting from shaded floor lamps cast a rosy glow. Miss Taylor prefaced the program in a pleasing talk.

The program was given as published in the Eastland Telegram, and each piano number smoothly rendered with credit to the player.

The specialties were unusually well presented. Kenneth Williamson as Mickey Mouse, with long tail and big ears, and doing

an eccentric dance. "Rhythm in My Nursery Rhyme," song and dance by Martha Lou and Nancy McDonald in short school frocks, big red bows in hair, and carrying primers was very clever.

Ima Quatta Boatright of Carbon, in "Twinkle Toes," was a rose in pink tarleton ballet frock and carried a ruffled pink parasol. Minta Sam Herring did a specialty tap in a yellow Kewpie costume, an outstanding number.

Henry Lee Shelton in blue silk net ballet skirt put on a soft shoe routine that was lovely.

Doris Gene Flowers wore a smart white satin cadet costume with a red cape lined with red satin, short accorcion skirt, in her soldier number.

Linda Hassell in ruffy green organdie, silver slippers, was delightful in soft shoe routine.

Jimmy Loney put on a smart little Black Sambo specialty dance at a negro urchin in ragged overalls, carrying a big red apple.

Miss Taylor will leave September 14 for Texas Tech to resume her studies for her senior year.

Eastland Party Visits Casa Manana

Mrs. Bula B. Connellee, her sister, Mrs. Eugene Whitehurst, and daughter, Miss Imogene, of San Angelo; Mr. Samuel Butler, his son and daughter, Samuel, Jr., and Miss Helen Butler, and Jim Connellee, spent Wednesday evening in Fort Worth at the Casa Manana.

Pioneer Women's Club Holds Meeting

Mrs. Exer Hunt was at home to the Pioneer Women's club Tuesday with a noon dinner served in buffet fashion.

The fried chicken, several kinds of vegetables and salads, beef, peach and cucumber pickles, rolls and bread, had for dessert fresh peaches, peach cobbler, lemon pie and cake, with tea and coffee.

Invocation was offered by Mrs. T. M. Thompson, and after dinner the business session was conducted by their president, Mrs. E. D. Townsend and minutes presented by secretary Mrs. R. F. Jones.

A nice sum was reported in the treasury, to be used in buying flowers for sick members when needed.

The program brought a Bible story by Mrs. Beatrice Smith, a negro story by Mrs. Clegg of Dallas, and a war story by Mrs. E. D. Townsend, "The Worst Scar."

Present: Mmes. Anna Townsend, Exer Hunt, Sallie Hill, Miles Westbrook, Ora B. Jones, Anne Day, Maggie Dalin, Jonathan Jones, Dorothy Sparr, Ernest E. Wood, R. F. Jones, T. M. Thompson, John Mays, Henry Ferrell and Miss Sallie Day.

Guests: Mrs. Clegg and granddaughter, Virginia Clegg, of Dallas, and Mrs. Beatrice Smith of Breckenridge, who are visiting Mrs. Hunt.

Eastland Personal
R. E. Sikes is recovering at his home from ptomaine poisoning, contracted in Big Springs, where he stopped at a hotel on his business with the Federal Housing Administration.

R. C. Ferguson, who recently attended a training course at Abilene, is in Eastland preparatory to moving with his family and house goods to El Paso, where he will be connected with the sales department of the Community Natural Gas Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott and daughter, Sydney, left this week for a vacation in New Orleans, La. Rev. Charles W. Estes, Mrs. Estes and their three daughters, Anna, Lou, Ruth and Lola May, returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Conroe and Houston. Rev. Estes filled the pulpit at the Westminster Presbyterian church in Houston at both services Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS
It is with sincere appreciation that we extend to all our profound thanks for the kindness shown during the funeral of our friend, Joe Leonard. We are deeply grateful for all your many consideration.

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Poe.

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MAVERICK

The Breckenridge American has this to say of the high school's new team:

The Breckenridge high school football team of 1936—a new edition of the legendary Buckaroos—went through initial production stages at home on the well-turfed gridiron known throughout the Oil Belt as Buckaroo field. The first steps taken toward organization of Breckenridge's entry in the District 3 football race consisted largely of issuance of equipment.

Preliminary instructions concerning practice sessions were given by head coach Eck Curtis and his assistant, line coach G. E. Morris. The regular pre-season conditioning process began in earnest and will continue at a twice per day rate until school begins.

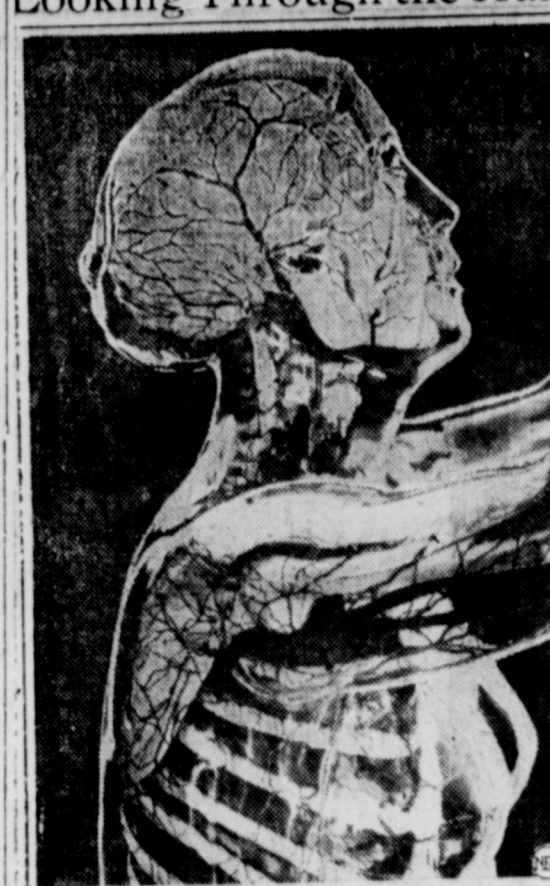
Coaches Curtis and Morris have slightly more than three weeks to get a hard-working squad of approximately 34 boys prepared for the first game of the season, with Paschal high of Fort Worth. This game is scheduled for the night of September 18 at Fort Worth, and at present is the principal objective of the squad and their coaches.

This game will inaugurate a hard season of 10 games, eight of them District 3 conference tilts, against some of the finest high school aggregations in the state.

Although generally inexperienced, the squad which began active workouts contains much valuable and promising material. Among those out were the six returning lettermen from the 1935 team, and several squadmen from last year.

Buck Sloan, captain of the team, Chuck Sternberg, Bill Ramsey, Lester Rector, James Magness and Darrell Mahan are the lettermen of the squad expected to form the basis of the new eleven. Sternberg, Sloan, Mahan and Ramsey lettered at line positions last fall and each was out-

Looking Through the Human Body



Internal construction of the human body, with bones, blood vessels, and other mechanisms in correct relation, is revealed in this photo of the Camp Trans-Parent Woman, made from a transparent, durable substance by scientists under sponsorship of S. H. Camp, Jackson, Mich., philanthropist. A two-year educational tour of the nation was planned for the model. Photo shows the Trans-Parent Woman's upper body.

standing while on the field. Rector and Magness showed up well in the lettermen have gained weight in practically every District 3 high school camp it shouldn't be long before the sector 3 race develops into a torrid affair as prospects now are for the tightest race in the history of this football section.

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Secretary Asks OES Members to Notify Her On Dallas Trip

All members of the Order of Eastern Star of Eastland who will attend the organization's special day at the Centennial in Dallas Saturday, have been requested to notify Mrs. L. J. Lambert, secretary.

"Where Did You Get It?"

Sometimes, in a friend's house, you see a particularly handsome rug or lamp, a new vacuum cleaner, an attractive chair or table. Or perhaps it's a new coat or dress, or some delicious new food-product.

You ask: "Where did you get it?"

Your friend says: "I got it at Blanks."

You don't ask: "How did you know Blanks had it?"

There is no need to ask; there is no mystery about that. You know your friend reads the advertisements in this paper. You merely sight enviously, and think: "I must have missed reading the ads that day."

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