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Local News In Brief

Tommy Stacks of Fort Worth visited Mrs. W. J. Stacks and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medford last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Weaver of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Weaver of Levelland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weaver, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Spence of Abilene were week end guests of their son, Travis Spence, and wife

Henry Collins, Mike Collins and J. V. Lewis were patients in the Gorman Hospital a few days last week.

Mack Stubblefield and family and Mrs. C. M. Burnett visited relatives in Big Lake Sunday and Mrs. Burnett remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Emma Martin is visiting her grandson, Don Gene Martin, and family of Odessa.

Singing Convention

The Eastland County Singing Convention will meet Saturday night and all day Sunday at the High School Auditorium in Eastland. The public is cordially invited.

H-SU Rodeo Will Be Held In April

ABILENE, April 1. — Eighth annual Hardin-Simmons University intercollegiate rodeo has been set for April 22-24. Dr. Evan Allard Reiff, H-SU president, has announced.

The three-day event, which will have five shows, will afford Abilene and West Texas rodeo fans an opportunity to see the Hardin-Simmons University team, National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association champions, riding and roping for the first time this season.

Top college and university Cowboys from all over the Southwest and the western part of the nation will participate in the rodeo.

Points accumulated in the H-SU rodeo will count in national championship totals.

Sam Baugh and E. W. (Bill) Ledbetter are coaches of the H-SU team. The rodeo will be held in the Carl Myers Rodeo

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maynard, accompanied by his brother, Marvin, J. L., Eldon Lee and Gene, were in Dallas Sunday where they saw the New York Giants and the Cleveland Indians in an exhibition game. The Indians won by the score of 8 to 4.

N. C. Morris and wife and Miss Loretta Morris spent Sunday with Miss Opal Morris of Albany.

Mr. W. O. Hamilton accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Tommy W. Ody, of Stamford to San Antonio last week end where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bledscoe and family.

Miss Maud Brooks of Fort Worth was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Allie Gilbert.

J. L. McDaniel and family of Dublin spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Carl McDaniel.

Jackie Clack and family of Brownwood visited Wade White and wife Sunday.

Wayne Vaughn and family of Odessa spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leaster Vaughn.

Locations Made For Four Wildcat Tests In County

Locations for four Eastland County oil tests were announced today as the highlight of area oil activities.

Three of the tests were announced by C. W. Robertson, trustee, of Stephenville, who plans to drill the wildcat tests in the area five miles northeast of Carbon. The tests will be on the W. T. Guy, land in the northwest quarter of Section 23, Block 1, H&TC survey.

Location for the No. 1 Guy was given as 450 feet from the north and 150 feet from the east lines.

The fourth project was the Sky Hi Oil Co., Dallas, No. 1 Johnny Aaron to be drilled four miles south of Eastland in Section 4, Block 3, H&TC survey. The test will go to 3,800 feet.

Three miles northeast of Moran in Shackelford County, C. D. Lennox, Jr., Fort Worth, has spotted his No. 1 E. C. Evans as a 4,600-foot project for the new Sedwick South Field. The location is near a Moran sand discovery well.

Club Uses Brothers In Industry For March 31 Study

The '38 Study Club met March 31, at 2:00 p. m. with Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield as hostess and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin, the president, in charge.

Meeting was opened by reading the Club Collect. Club voted to contribute \$5.00 to the Red Cross fund. Roll call was answered by naming an industrial leader.

In the absence of Mrs. H. G. Justice, Mrs. W. J. Greer was leader for the program on "Brothers In Industry" and opened the program by giving an interesting paper on Brothers of the Steel Mill, naming many conveniences and comforts in the home we now enjoy as a result of the labor and cooperation of the pioneers of the steel industry.

Mrs. B. B. Poe, in speaking of Brothers of Commerce, told of the efforts of the U. S., as well as other countries in trying to establish trade missions in Europe, Asia and South America, and the importance of establishing a flourishing world commerce that would bolster the security and economic strength of this country and its allies.

Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield in telling of the oil industry in Texas, mentioned the first great gusher, Spindletop at Beaumont, which blew in at 1,160 feet in January, 1901.

She recalled some of the experiences of the boom days in Eastland County, how some of the struggling farmers became rich overnight.

Mrs. C. C. Gilbert gave an interesting talk on education and said the more we studied, the more we realized how little we knew.

She told of the Hankins twins who founded The Hankins Normal College at Gorman a number of years ago and related several humorous incidents that happened there.

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Mrs. D. D. Sandlin discussed Architects and their achievements, including the difference in convenience and livability of the houses of today and those of yesterday.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mes. H. R. Hall, R. C. Smith, W. J. Greer, D. D. Sandlin, C. C. Gilbert, B. B. Poe by the hostess, Mrs. Stubblefield.

Tri-Cities Jamboree In Eastland Tonight

Don't miss the big Tri-cities Jamboree tonight (Thurs) at 8 o'clock in the Sport Arena in Eastland. So my James of WFFA Dallas, will be featured along with Bill Fox, The Starlight Sisters and Little DeDon of The Big State Jamboree, KRBC, Abilene.

Also Jim Key and The Timber Trail Riders of KERC, Eastland and other local talent will appear on the show.

Admission 50c for adults and 25c for children 12 and under.

Thanks

The Junior class of Carbon high school wishes to thank each and everyone who assisted with the Junior-Senior banquet. We especially want to thank the ladies who prepared the food and washed the dishes, Mrs. Mullins for Indian pottery and blanket, Mrs. Willman for assisting with the program, Mrs. Sherrell for Blue Bonnets, Bibbys Variety Store for pottery vases and candle stick holders, Sbelleys Variety Store for Indian beads and baskets.

The Junior Class of Carbon

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Baptist Meeting Now In Progress

The Baptist meeting which has been in progress this week and is enjoying good attendance, will continue through Sunday night.

Rev. C. W. Hedrick of Leuders is doing the preaching and C. L. Mahon of De Leon is directing the song service. Everyone is urged to attend these services.

Mrs. Mamie Redwine has returned home after several days visit with her son, Frank Redwine, and family of Wichita Falls.

Chandler Company Cements Another Oiler Near Carbon

Clark P. Chandler et al of San Angelo apparently had another good oil producer in their Day-Griffin pool near Mangum, seven miles southeast of Cisco, after pipe had been cemented today in their No. 2 N. B. Eaves.

Located in Section 20, Block 3, H&TC Survey, the No. 2 Eaves test flowed on drill stem and pipe was cemented.

Chandler had filed a completion report for his No. 2-C Ethel Hittson Coates, completed recently as a Ranger sand producer in Section 9, Block 3, H&TC Survey. The well flowed 133 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil through a 12-64s inch choke with packer on the casing and 450 pounds of tubing pressure. Production was from 26 perforations at 3,307-14 feet. Gas-oil

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Chandler had filed a completion report for his No. 2 M. W. Grieger four miles southeast of Eastland in Section 29, Block 2, H&TC Survey. The well pumped 50 barrels of oil plus 20% water in a 24-hour test from 1,276-82 feet.

In the same area, the Aaron Cohen No. 12 J. S. Turner has been completed as a 11-barrel well. It is located in Section 30, Block 2, H&TC Survey, and was bottomed at 1,329 feet.

Jack Hailey of Cisco has made location to drill his No. 7 Robert A. Sone in the regular field two and a half miles northwest of Rising Star. Location is in Section 40, Block 2, ETRR Survey. Permit calls for 1,900 feet with rotary equipment.

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 four consecutive weeks, the first pub-
 lication to be at least twenty eight
 days before the return day thereof; in
 a newspaper printed in Eastland Co-
 unty, Texas, the accompanying cita-
 tion, of which the herein below follow
 ing is a true copy.

Citation by Publication
 THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: C. O. Friend, Defendant.

Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear
 before the honorable 91st District
 Court of Eastland County at the court
 house thereof, in Eastland, Texas,
 by filing a written answer at
 or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first
 Monday next after the expiration of
 forty-two days from the date of the
 issuance of this citation, same being
 the 17 day of May A. D.

1954 to plaintiff's
 petition filed in said court, on
 the 29th day of March A. D. 1954
 in this cause, numbered 21,775 on
 the docket of said court and styled
 Flossie Shugart Friend, plaintiff, vs.
 C. O. Friend, defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of
 this suit is as follows, to wit:

This is a suit for divorce;
 as is more fully shown by plaintiff's
 petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served
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 shall promptly serve the same accord-
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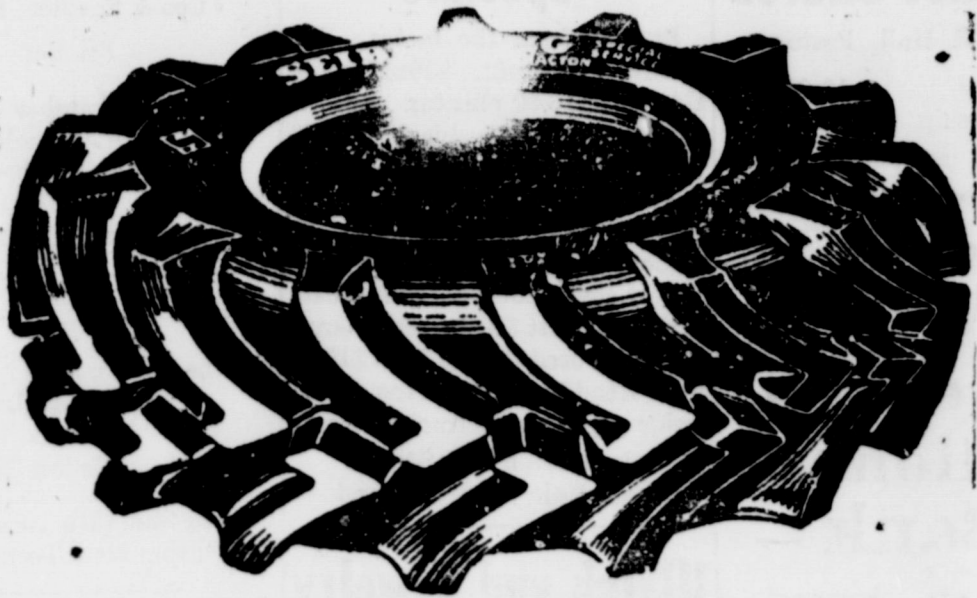
In fact, in literally hundreds of inter-views with homemakers who cook elec-trically, cleanliness was the number one reason why these women chose electric cooking.

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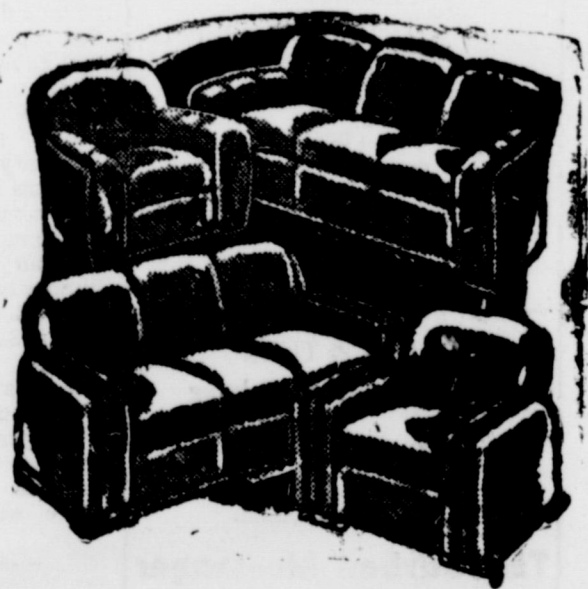
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Dallas Office To Continue Serving Texas Veterans

DALLAS, April 3. — The Veterans Administration Dallas Regional Office located at 912 South Ervay Street will continue to serve the veterans in the 51-county region of northeast Texas without any change in operations after the VA District Office moves to Denver, Colorado. There will be on change in the services rendered to veterans living throughout the regional area in northeast Texas.

The out-patient Medical and Dental treatments and examinations, pension and disability compensation, guarantee of loans for GI houses, farms, and businesses, the training and rehabilitation of eligible veterans, guardianship of incompetent and minor beneficiaries, and all other programs and services of the Dallas Regional Office will continue to be performed as in the past.

"This announcement," said Scott B. Harrington, Regional Manager, "appears appropriate at this time because of the hundreds of inquiries we are receiving from worried veterans and beneficiaries who fear they may have to go to Denver for their regional office services."

Only Insurance and Death Claims records will be moved to

Wrestling Monday Night in Eastland

The Schedule for Monday night April 12 at the Eastland Sport Arena Big Wrestling Card include Cowboy Carlson vs Stu Gibson in the main event, Henry Lenz vs Suge Sito in the Semi-final event. In the opener Big Humphrey will face Roy Graham

Cemetery Working

There will be a cemetery working next Tuesday, April 13, at the Center Point and Brown cemeteries. Everyone interested, please be on hand and bring tools and lunch.

Wayne Walker of Odessa visited his parents, Elmer Walker and wife, last week.

Denver, Colorado Veterans and other beneficiaries may receive information regarding all VA benefits, including insurance and death claims, by contacting the VA Regional Office, 912 S. Ervay, Dallas, Texas, or their nearest VA Office.

Trustee Election Hold Saturday

In the school trustee election held last Saturday with eight candidates in the race, the count was very close with each candidate receiving a nice vote.

O. C. Paynt led the ticket with 80 votes, and Cody McDaniel and Byron Rone were the other two candidates elected.

Methodist Church

Rev. H. R. Hall, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Services 6:30 p. m.

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Political Announcements

The Messenger is authorized to announce political candidates for the Eastland County Democratic primary as follows:
 For County Superintendent:
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 H. R. (POP) GARRETT

For District Clerk:
 ROY L. LANE
 Re-election
 JOHN C. NICHOLAS

For Sheriff:
 J. F. (FRANK) TUCKER
 Re-election
 J. B. WILLIAMS
 E. L. (JUG) DENNIS

For County Clerk:
 JOHNSON SMITH
 Second Term

For County Treasurer:
 RICHARD C. COX
 Re-election

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
 STANLEY WEBB
 Re-election

For County Judge:
 JOHN S. HART
 Re-election

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
 B. M. BENNETT
 Re-election

For Constable precinct 5:
 CONNIE A. YARBROUGH
 ARTHUR R. YARBROUGH

First Baptist Church

G. W. Thomas, pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 W. D. Dukes, Superintendent
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 6:30 p. m.
 Rayneal Paze, general director
 Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
 W. M. S. Monday 2 p. m.
 Mrs. G. W. Thomas, president
 Prayer meeting Wed. 7:00 p. m.

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 Preaching 11:00 a. m.
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"From Here To Eternity"

Central Texas Dairymen Have Record Month

Dairymen delivering milk to handlers regulated under the Central West Texas marketing order delivered an average of 5.17 percent more milk per day during February than in January. Byford W. Bain, market administrator, announced today. On a daily basis producers delivered an average of 387,915 pounds per day, which is an increase of 19,063 pounds per day over January production.

The reported daily production for February 1954 shows an increase of 45.05 per cent, or 120,488 pounds over February of 1953. The average daily production per farm during February was 529 pounds which compares with 501 pounds during January and 484 pounds in February of 1953. There were 733 producers delivering milk to regulated handlers during February which is a decrease of four producers from January and an increase of 45 producers over February 1953.

The average daily Class I sales for February show a decrease of 1.7 percent, or 6,029 pounds from January. The total daily Class I sales for February was 348,601 pounds as compared with 354,630 pounds during January; however, the reported daily Class I sales for February 1954 show an increase of 45 percent over February 1953. Of the total milk received from producers during February, 90 percent was utilized as Class I and 10 percent as Class II, or manufactured products.

The minimum uniform price for February deliveries was \$5.66 per hundredweight f. o. b. handlers' plants located at Abilene, Sweetwater, San Angelo, and Stamford, Texas. For milk deliveries to handlers' plants at Brownwood, Texas, the minimum price was \$5.46 per hundredweight and for deliveries to handlers' plants at Lamesa or Midland, Texas, the price was \$5.86 per hundred-

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Semi-Final - 2 out of 3 falls- 45 min. time limit

Sugi Sito vs Henry Lenz

Opener— One Fall- 20 minutes

Big Humphrey vs Roy Graham

320 lb St Louis 245 lb.-Corsicana, Texas

Referee Bill Steddum

Wrestling Bout's Start At 8:30 p. m.

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