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### AROUND THE SQUARE

Most people are never satisfied with what they have or what they do. They always want more.

Maybe this is a good trait, but there are times when we feel sure it becomes a sin. When a school boy makes 90 in English, he should not be blamed when he exerts more energy in an effort to make 100. He must improve, and there will not be any criticism so far as the extra work is concerned.

A physician usually strives to improve with every operation. He wants the best for his patients regardless of what it may cost him. Men will strive for 40 years, while working on the railroad, to be recognized as the best engineer on the alert and makes him more valuable until old age finally gets him.

But when a man accumulates a fortune which may run into millions, he most likely will have a great desire to amass an even larger fortune. This is not right and it is not necessary. He doesn't need it—just wants it. Yet he must know that everytime a dollar comes his way, that it likely came from another man who did need it.

We are not opposed to wealth until it reaches the "excessive" status, but after that it is a sinful pastime enjoyed by those who depend upon their wits and slyness to gobble up wealth that is neither needed or appreciated. He is doing this at the expense of the less fortunate, and by so doing contributes to the agony of teeming millions who would be thankful for a crust of bread.

One fellow, who was known as an honest man, stated that all he wanted was just what was his—and that adjoining him. Covetous, and that is against the law of God. You don't have to be a murderer in order to be a sinner and go to hell.

Now a certain type of Democrat—exact brand not known, would have Texans believe that Texas is now listed as a dyed-in-the-wool Republican state. This is not true—never was true and in all probability never will be.

What this group wants is money to start a Democratic newspaper, just as though Texas isn't full of them today.

Smarting under last year's defeat they state that newspapers are 20 to 1 against them. This is not true. Many clean, conscientious publishers and editors did support Mr. Eisenhower for the presidency last year, but it was not because they were Republicans.

Harry Truman, following the line of least resistance, carried off the party and consolidated with socialists and communists. This mixture was so revolting that most self-respecting Democrats refused to be a party of such doings. They merely held their noses until they could get out of the "stink" and then took a count. They decided that they would vote for the "man" and not a "party." Eisenhower was America's choice.

And so far as we are concerned he is just as good a Democrat as he is a Republican. He is fair, honest and capable, and is making a wonderful president. So what?

Democracy is not dead and neither is the Democratic party. Yet the "party" must undergo a certain amount of fumigation before people may be expected to gather around it. Once this is done Texas will march under its banner. We still have a big job to do, but Democrats are big enough to do it.

Experience is bitter at times, but we have nobody to blame but ourselves. We should be more careful when selecting leaders, and when we find a bad egg let's throw it out, rather than trying to convince people it is good.

But we will learn—maybe the hard way.

**HEADS UP!**  
Here comes the New Rocket OSBORNE MOTOR COMPANY Eastland, Texas

### Last Rites For L. D. Tankersley Saturday At 2

Funeral services for Lonnie Dale Tankersley, 67-year-old long-time resident of Ranger who dropped dead of a heart attack Thursday at noon, will be held at the First Baptist Church in Ranger Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Rev. Ralph Perkins, pastor of the church, will officiate. He will be assisted by the Rev. Geo. Thomas, pastor of the Carbon Baptist Church.

Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Ranger, with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Members of the Caddo Masonic Lodge will be in charge of the graveside rites.

Mr. Tankersley, who was born in Hamilton County, Texas on Dec. 31, 1885, had been a Ranger resident for 40 years.

He succumbed to a heart attack while delivering a special delivery letter to the Little Gem Hotel in the colored section of Ranger Thursday at 12:15 noon. He was an extra employee of the Ranger post office and also had been custodian of the First Baptist Church for two years. Prior to his recent retirement, he had been employed as an engineer by the Lone Star Gas Company for nine years.

Mr. Tankersley was a member of the First Baptist Church, Ranger, and also was a member of the Wayland Masonic Lodge at Caddo. Pallbearers at the funeral rites Saturday will be E. P. Robinson, Tony Lewis, Vern Peterson, Louis Green, Carl Page, and Lloyd Clem.

His survivors include the widow of their Eastland Hill home; five daughters, Mrs. D. H. Livingston of Breckenridge; Mrs. O. M. Crouch of Amarillo, Mrs. J. S. Boles of Dallas, Mrs. C. M. Jackson of Frisco, and Mrs. Leo L. Langley of Corpus Christi; two sons, E. E. Paschal of Arlington and S. D. Paschal of Jackboro; one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Simpson of Gallatin, Tenn.; one brother, J. R. Tankersley of Route 2, Eastland; three step-brothers, J. W. Franklin of Round Rock, Henry Bulman of East Texas; one half-brother, A. C. Tankersley of Eunice, N. M.; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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### COST OF LIVING CONTINUES DOWNWARD; FOOD PRICES MAKE SHARPEST DROP IN YEAR

Thousands of Eastland County housewives, care-worn from juggling household budgets in the nerve-racking battle with the mounting costs of living, were beaming today as the government in Washington announced the sharpest drop in the cost of living for any single month in the past year.

Lower food prices—really great news for area homemakers—were mainly responsible.

The consumer price index, measuring price changes in food, clothing, housing, medical care and hundreds of other items, declined

four-tenths of 1 per cent between mid-January and mid-February.

The index on Feb. 15 was 113.4 per cent of the 1947-1949 average, exactly the same as last June.

The index rose to a record high last August, eased off in September and October, duplicated the August high in November and then dropped, counting today's report, for three straight months.

The administration recently completed the lifting of price controls from all consumer goods but the impact expected on some items was not registered in the latest index.

Food prices during the month ended Feb. 15 dropped 1.4 per cent—the sharpest decline in twelve months.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) which gathers the monthly prices used to compute the index, said all major items making up the "market basket" of consumer expenditures dropped over the month—includes such items as haircuts, manicures and the like.

Prices are sampled in forty-six towns and cities and represent spending by moderate-income families.

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### Watch For Home Accidents Warns Health Officer

Spring is the time for a home hazard hunt, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Accidents in the home are the second leading cause of accidental deaths in Texas. Each year about one thousand persons die as a result of accidents in the home.

Spring house cleaning time is a good time to remove the common hazards that cause so many home accidents. Attics, basements and closets accumulate piles of junk. Piles of paper, magazines, broken furniture and other combustible material are dangerous fire hazards. In addition, rats, mice, cockroaches and other pests thrive in trash heaps.

Loose throw rugs are notorious for causing falls. Toys and other objects scattered over the floors and stairway often cause falls. Check the electrical cords and see that they are in good shape. Frayed electric cords have caused fires and sometimes fatal shocks.

While ridding up piles of junk to throw away, don't forget to look into the garage, backyard and alleys. In your spring clean-up check your garbage can. Be sure that it is of metal and see that it has a tight fitting lid. Cooperate with your neighbor in seeing that the community disposes of all garbage and trash in a sanitary manner.

### Dr. Brown Explains Blood-Taking; Drive Is Lagging, Need Donors

#### Cooler Weather For County Area Today, Saturday

Eastland County's weather was slated to be a bit cooler today and Saturday, according to the morning forecast of the U. S. Weather Bureau.

The usual better-than-80 degree temperatures of recent days will drop a few degrees with the high for Friday and Saturday due to be in the 70s.

Possibility of showers also was forecast in the morning report.

The lowest temperature tonight will be around 50.

Outlook for West Texas: "Partly cloudy and cooler in the South Plains and upper Pecos Valley eastward Friday, Saturday, partly cloudy."

Pledge Quota 300  
Pledges to date 165

"How often may one give blood safely?"

"The time lapsing between the visit of the Bloodmobile last November 25 and its coming visit next Wednesday, April 1, is ample time between donations for the healthy donor," Dr. L. C. Brown, Eastland County health officer, said Thursday.

He voiced his approval to the Red Cross policy that "Donations may be made once every 8 weeks, but not more than five times in any 12 months."

Dr. Brown, who has worked many times with the blood mobile units, stressed the fact that giving blood does not hurt. A skin anaesthetic is used to prevent pain from the needle, and blood is withdrawn in a steady rate compatible with the normal rate of flow in the veins.

The only precaution that the donor need take is to avoid eating fatty foods for at least four hours before the donation is to be made, the county health officer said.

The average, healthy adult has from 12 to 13 pints of blood which is constantly being replenished. After a donation the liquid part of the blood is replaced almost immediately; the cells and minerals, after a few days.

**Doctor Present**

There is always a doctor present during the donation. Also, to assure the safety of the donor his blood pressure, temperature, pulse, weight, and hemoglobin level are determined, and a brief medical history is taken.

Everyone, age 18 through 59, is asked to donate blood which is vitally needed by our wounded servicemen and by Americans at home. Those who have not already pledged their pint are asked to call the recruitment chairman, Ben Hamner, at 623.

An effort is being made to get all pledges made as soon as possible so that the important time scheduling of donors may be begun by the volunteer workers.

The Bloodmobile unit will be in the basement of the First Baptist church next Wednesday, April 1, between the hours of 12 and 6 p.m.

Unmarried persons, 18 through 20 years of age, who are not in the armed forces must have parental consent in order to give blood.

Grimes No. 1 showed good core, piped through pay and cemented around 1000 feet.

Armstrong lease at Cross Cut 1400 feet well, said to be making 50 to 75 barrels.

No report was given on Cecil Joyce et al.

Greenwood lease some three miles east of Okra reports down 2700 feet and good showing of gas, some estimate 3 to 5 million feet. There are several other wells on this tract. The wells on this tract have been furnishing gas for the Southwest Natural Gas Company that operates DeLeon, Comanche and Dublin.

### Livestock Show Opens; Judging Set Saturday

The annual Livestock Show of the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association opened this morning at the airport one mile northeast of Eastland.

Judging of the many entries in the 1953 event is slated for tomorrow.

Saturday's schedule: 8:30 a.m.—Judging Angora Goats.

9:00 a.m.—Judging Breeding Classes of Sheep.

9:30 a.m.—Judging Fat Lambs.

10:00 a.m.—Judging Breeding Classes of Swine.

10:30 a.m.—Judging Fat Pigs.

1 p.m.—Judging Breeding Classes of Cattle.

2 p.m.—Judging of Fat Steers.

3 p.m.—Judging of Dairy Cattle.

The winning animals in the fat steers, fat lambs, fat barrows and fat yearling divisions—shown by Eastland County 4-H and FFA club boys and girls—will not be auctioned off, but each exhibitor is eligible to sell his or her animals at a special sale next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. at the Faircloth Auction Sales Barn at Eastland.

It also has been announced that the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Assn. will provide free transportation for a one-day trip through the Fort Worth Stockyards, Zoo and perhaps other places of interest on a suitable date following the current show.

C. M. McCain of Eastland, treasurer of the ECLRA, is general superintendent of the show this year.

### New Wildcat Test For Lipan

Wayne M. Cowan of Richardson, Tex., spotted the No. 1 H. M. Moss test as a wildcat three miles west of Lipan on an 80-acre tract in nearby Erath County.

The stab is scheduled for 5,000 feet with cable tools and the site of the wildcat is 375 feet from the north and west lines of section 44, Block 4, R. S. McKinsey Survey.

Also announced today was a plugging report on a Parker County venture. T. W. Loffland of Ft. Worth filed a plugging report with the Texas Railroad Commission for the No. 1 Chester Farris, J. Wheeler Survey, A-1644, a wildcat nine miles southeast of Springtown in Parker County. Total depth was 5,280 feet.

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### Oil Patch Reports—

## New Test for Eastland

Another new Eastland County oil test was announced today.

It's the No. 1-A Farmer, et al., a new project in the Mississippi Field, which will be put down by the McElroy Ranch Co. of Fort Worth.

Location is 50 feet south of the No. 1 Farmer and 2,200 feet from the north and 350 feet from the west lines of Section 2, Block 3, H&T Survey.

According to reports, operator has cemented off the Mississippi reef in the No. 1 Farmer, and has run casing to 1,017 feet to test several shallow sands.

The No. 1 Farmer blew out several weeks ago, and operator was never able to regain circulation. Oil seeped to the surface and some 1,800 barrels of oil were recovered from those seeps.

The seeps gave rise to stories about a hollow tree that had been flowing oil, and considerable oil was reported seeping through an old rat hole. The oil coming to the surface was caught in earthen storage.

Operator thinks the shallow sands mentioned may have taken oil from the Mississippi reef.

## Legion Birthday Party Is Tomorrow Night, 7:30

Tomorrow night is the night! The time is 7:30, and the place is the roof garden of the Connelley Hotel. The event is the 35th birthday party of the American Legion, being held locally by the Dulin-Daniel Post 70.

The local post has put forth lots of time and effort in making this the most entertaining event to be held in Eastland in many years. No time, expense, or effort has been spared. Members of the various committees have worked overtime to see that the very slightest detail has been made letter perfect.

Henry Pullman, general chairman, stated that there will possibly be a few tickets turned in by local Legionnaire-salesmen Saturday afternoon, and that these tickets will be on sale in the lobby of the hotel. Citizens who were missed by the ticket committee can possibly be taken care of in this manner.

Pullman stated that Mr. Breessee Westmoreland, of Abilene, who will be in charge of the musical portion of the program has informed him that he has been fortunate enough to line up Walden & Reagle, a novelty duet, to appear on the program—also, Mary Ann Smith, accordionist, accompanied

those who have heard him have stated he is an excellent speaker.

During the program, a special time has been set aside for a memorial service, in honor of the departed buddies, who were members of the local post from 1919 to 1953.

All in all, a month's work by approximately 14 committeemen will be climaxed tomorrow night at the presentation of the American Legion's 35th Birthday Party.

Incidentally, serving the food for the evening will be members of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority, in charge of Mrs. Marene Johnson.

The entire program will be in charge of Mark McGee, well known Fort Worth attorney and toastmaster, and the various musical acts will be introduced by Mr. McGee. The main event of the evening will be Judge W. A. Morrison, of the Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin. Judge Morrison has not announced his subject, but

those who have heard him have stated he is an excellent speaker.

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## RJC Grid Squads Battle Saturday Night

### Big Crowd Is Due To Witness Benefit Game

The "Whites" and "Purples" of the Ranger Junior College grid squad—ending spring training this afternoon—will clash in a special intra-squad football game at Bull-dog Stadium in Ranger Saturday night.

Opening kickoff has been set for 8 p.m. sharp, and a large

crowd of fans is expected to be on hand in the stadium to get a preview glimpse of the '53 Rangers who'll vie for the coveted Pioneer Conference pigskin title next fall.

Coaches Dick Henderson and Sam Aills said early this afternoon that they were "highly pleased" with the showing of their Purple & White charges in the spring drill sessions.

Saturday night's game will be a special benefit event for the athletic fund. Tickets are priced at 50 cents, and students will be admitted for 25 cents. Ducaas for the class are on sale in downtown

Ranger at Texas Drug, Crawford's Rexall Store and Swaney's Pharmacy.

The starting line-ups as announced at noon Friday by Head Coach Henderson:

**PURPLE TEAM**  
John Wilson, (30), 185, Quarterback, left end.  
Lee Otis Clayborn (45), 180, Newcaste, right end.  
George Scott (40), 212, Crowell, left tackle.  
Buzz Foster (41), 185, Newcaste, right tackle.  
Joe Anzel (42), 195, Birdville, (Fort Worth), left guard.  
Wayne Hargrave (31), 175,

Ranger, right guard.  
Jeff Smith (16), 180, Bryan, center.  
Jimmy Cole (19), 165, Ranger, quarter.

Charles Blanton (36), 175, Newcaste, left half.  
Jimmy Camacho (32), 185, Ranger, right half.  
Rusty (12), 170, Electra, fullback.  
Clayborn, Foster, Angel, Smith, Planton, Talbot and Cole are lettermen.

**Purple Team Reserves:** (33) Dalton Blecker, 210, Breckenridge, tackle; (47) Alvin Hulsey, 165, Throckmorton, quarterback; (43)

Bobby Pharris, 155, Breckenridge, fullback; (35) Raymond Hainacek 150, Crowell, halfback; (28) Jim Roberts, 170, Woodson, center; (38) Thomas Willingham, 170, Gustine, halfback; (29) Don Dims, 210, Throckmorton, guard; (36) Jerry Bibb, 185, Throckmorton, tackle; (17) W. S. Scott, 180, Albany, end; (26) Eddie Polson, 190, Ranger, tackle.

**WHITE TEAM**  
C. Frazil (25), 190, Jacksonville, left end.  
Herbert Williams, (17), 170, Ranger, right end.  
Floyd Woods (24), 200, Ranger, left tackle.

Leon Jones (38), 200, Woodson, right tackle.  
Jimmy Jones (27), 190, Comanche, left guard.  
David Sullivan (37), 190, Woodson, right guard.

John Connors (30), 190, Jacksonville, center.  
Gerald Bagwell (31), 160, Ranger, quarterback.  
Fred Sanders (33), 160, Riverside (Fort Worth), halfback.  
Floyd Gibbs (12), 160, Newcaste, halfback.  
Joe Nesbitt (22), 170, Harrold, fullback.

Brazil, Jones, Sullivan, J. Jones, Connors, Sanders, and Gibbs are lettermen.

White Team Reserves: (18) Thomas Hudson, 210, Throckmorton, fullback; (29) John Blackman, 210, Archer City, tackle; (35) D. Wyche, 180, Gustine, center; (46) Bonny Miller, 170, Albany, halfback; (44) Allen Gibbs, 180, Newcaste, guard; (41) Babe Jones, 170, Woodson, guard; and (20) Jerry Rushing, 175, Ranger, tackle.

The Purple team's starters average 182 pounds per man with the forward walls averaging 190 and the backs, 174 pounds.

The White squad's first string averages 177 pounds—the backfield, 162, and the line, 193 per man.

## See 'June Graduate' At High School Auditorium Tonight 7:30



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## FARM—

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of our Annual Checkouts on Jan. 1 of each year. Our Farm Plans are made up on a five year period and at the time of the checkout dates plans are revised and any changes that are necessary are made at this time. This is done

from year to year. At our meeting in Rising Star, each borrower had his individual farm analysis in his program book, this information was furnished by our office and is personal and confidential. On a county wide basis this information is interesting to see and know. At the noon hour the group en-

## The Peacock Path

By Edwin Rust

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DOLLY DUMONT came downstairs that noon, for the first official time since her trouble. She was subdued, a trifle sheepish, and cold sober. But everyone, particularly Eve Wheeler, did his best to put her at ease. And Eve's stock, already high with me, climbed a couple more points.

The sight of Cravath, mingling on occasion with his prospective executioner, didn't help either. In fact, during one especially weak moment, I even made an attempt to call the whole dangerous scheme off.

I drew Cravath aside around 4 o'clock. "I'm getting cold feet," I said. "After all, who am I to suggest that you risk your life?" He shook his head emphatically. "None of that now! Last night you sold me on the idea that it's the only way to get this fellow, and I'm still buying it. Everything's set. I spoke to Jack this morning, told him what you told me to tell him, and he understands what he's to do."

I did a little arguing, but it was half-hearted. But I had two more jobs to do before the zero hour. One was routine—just to look over the ground. I got away after my little talk with Cravath and confirmed it. The evergreen I'd remembered was there, all right, squat, thick, spreading. It would give me cover.

The other job? I went back toward the house by a circuitous route, trying to look like a man with nothing on his mind. Actually, my brain whirled and I had to make an effort to keep from breaking into a run.

I had tried to foresee how the murderer would act, now that he had learned about the plans for tonight. Sometime during the day, he would have to visit the attic. It was dangerous, with a good chance that he might be caught in a position which would have been highly difficult for him to explain.

voice, soft yet carrying in the practically windless night, had a note of relief in it.

Somehow, I welcomed that veiled half-hidden note. He had seemed a little too composed; a little too reckless or careless. I guessed now that he'd been frightened—hence human—all along, though he'd disguised it admirably.

"Well," he was saying now, in a kind of strong whisper, "you timed it very nicely."

"I did just what you told me to," said the dark figure beside him. "I—" an indrawn breath came to me—"always do."

In a wavering moonbeam, I saw Cravath nod. "Good. Well, come on! This'll only take a minute or two. But I wanted you to see how I figured it out."

They walked on down the Peacock Path, Marston Cravath and his potential killer, elbows practically touching.

drifted upstairs, leisurely, quietly—just seven supposedly nice people calling it a day.

One of the seven wasn't as nice even as a rattlesnake. I timed my ascent of the stairs with Cravath's. Despite his superb display, I was still leery. The man must have had qualms, doubts.

The best I could do was catch his eye, as we parted to go to our respective rooms. Marston Cravath grinned at me, before turning away. He was actually enjoying this.

In my own room I wasted no time. I peeled off my fancy dinner-clothes, got into the darkest slacks I owned and a black sweater. I slipped a businesslike .32 I keep for emergencies into my hip pocket and picked up a flashlight.

THERE wasn't any difficulty about leaving the house. I stepped out into a welter of moonlight. The moon was really riding.

On the verge of putting my plan into execution, it had seemed to me to be flimsy and inadequate, and the article of precaution I had chosen seemed equally flimsy. But I had no better idea and no better preventative article.

I reached my car, having kept in shadow as much as I could on the way to it. The car was pulled aside on the grass, at the top of the little embankment down which the driveway to the garage slanted.

I unlocked my car with a shaking hand. The other hand shook as well, when I had to use both to haul the thing out. Now that I had it, the accessory appeared fragile, unsubstantial for the job I expected to do. It seemed to have one virtue.

The light green color of it, still a little sticky, and coming off on my hands, should blend inconspicuously with the work of the moonlight. Then I went to the Peacock Path.

the lowest chain, handed it to his companion. Cravath was crouching headlessly, dangerously, in the center of the ground-space between chains and cliff edge. Not five feet behind him the cliff ended in a gray-black void.

"All right," he said. "Start walking back up the path. I'll tell you when to stop."

The dark form nearest to me began moving as directed. A thin ribbon of steel from the tape measure case held by Cravath lengthened steadily in its wake. The figure passed my foxhole slowly, trailing that glittering ribbon. Slowly, I imagined, because there was no need to hurry.

Just another sitting duck at the path's end, sitting on the brink of nothingness. And this gambler was gambling that the duck would walk. Well, I'd known for a long time that we had to deal with a gambler—a reckless, even heady, operator.

THE tape strung past me, a runner of brightness from Cravath's hands to the point that methodically-walking outline had reached, 20 feet up the path from my hideaway.

## NEWS FROM CARBON

Mrs. W. O. Hamilton returned home last week after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Bledsoe and family in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Pierce and family of Cisco, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stubblefield spent the week end with his brother, Conner Stubblefield, and family in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. C. H. Jones and daughter of Fort Smith, Ark., visited her mother, Mrs. J. R. Turner, last week.

Geo. Nolan and family of Rotan, spent the week with Mrs. Lela Penny and Mrs. Lon Palmer.

Mrs. J. M. Thurman visited her daughter, Mrs. Glen Hamner and family in Ranger last week.

Mrs. O. G. Reese of Eunice, N. M., visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. Earl Tom and son of Waco, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bethany, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ables of Alpine, spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Ables.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McCracken and daughter of Corsicana, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dunn and her sister, Mrs. D. D. Sandlin and family over the week end.

Mrs. Walter Tooke and son, of McAdoo, visited her sister, Mrs. Bostick, Rocky Erwin, Nick Dugan.

Present from the local office were George I. Lane, Co. Supv., William B. Beeson, Ass't. Co. Supv., Elmer L. Purtle, Ass't. Co. Supv., and Miss Bettye Pickens, Ass't. Co. Clerk.

Since June 30, 1952, the Farmers Home Administration office in Eastland County has loaned \$93,915.00 for disaster loans and \$90,770.00 for our regular operating loans. This gives you an idea what the FHA office in Eastland means to Eastland County.

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J. Z. Phillips last weekend, Mrs. A. A. Green of Eastland, visited Mrs. J. M. Thurman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bathany of Abilene, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bathany and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park.

Mrs. E. R. Butler and children of Abilene visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Tye of Kermit, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and daughter, Jean, of Odessa, were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lovell.

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Mrs. Douglas Kelley of Eastland, and Mrs. Lee Fields, were in Brownwood last Friday.

Mary Green returned home Monday after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Daniels and family in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell and children of Fort Worth, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ina Parten.

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## The Peacock Path

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ON that sloping Peacock Path, scarcely six feet wide, a thing of destruction had raced. So swiftly and silently that a pair of eyes concentrated on something else beyond the chains at the end of the path might never have seen it.

Beyond it, I made my way to the evergreen and there stopped abruptly. The footfalls were soft, barely audible. But distinct to my coiled ears—and oncoming, given away at intervals by tiny twigs snapping and the occasional crackle of dried leaves. The person responsible for the sounds was keeping in darkness as much as possible, understandably.

But, to gain the line of evergreens across from where I was concealed he had to whisk across a cleared space.

It was enough, though, for the moonlight to reveal the stocky form of Dave Sladen. Reassurance swept over me. This was all proceeding according to plan, and Hoyle.

After that, however, I moved cautiously around the tree on the side facing the end of the Peacock Path, the white posts, the chains and the Sound. I edged on until I could see up the path as well as down, though I had to look up it through a tracery of branches.

Then, suddenly, I stiffened. Very clearly, in the light livid, I saw Marston Cravath appear where the path began. There was no mistaking his tall broad-shouldered figure—a little note to fat now, but still athletic, agile-looking.

Cravath didn't hesitate. He started down that narrow moonlit avenue with swift confident strides.

CRAVATH had about reached the point of the Peacock Path when a second figure glided into the moon-drenched open. I saw Cravath stop short, fling up a hand to shade his eyes.

"Oh!" he ejaculated and his

the lowest chain, handed it to his companion. Cravath was crouching headlessly, dangerously, in the center of the ground-space between chains and cliff edge. Not five feet behind him the cliff ended in a gray-black void.

"All right," he said. "Start walking back up the path. I'll tell you when to stop."

The dark form nearest to me began moving as directed. A thin ribbon of steel from the tape measure case held by Cravath lengthened steadily in its wake. The figure passed my foxhole slowly, trailing that glittering ribbon. Slowly, I imagined, because there was no need to hurry.

Just another sitting duck at the path's end, sitting on the brink of nothingness. And this gambler was gambling that the duck would walk. Well, I'd known for a long time that we had to deal with a gambler—a reckless, even heady, operator.

THE tape strung past me, a runner of brightness from Cravath's hands to the point that methodically-walking outline had reached, 20 feet up the path from my hideaway.

I dared wait no longer. I bent swiftly, grabbed up the six-foot length of light green pipe I'd brought from my cache.

The tape moved suddenly to the opposite side, part of it seeming to bend around the other row of evergreens. I craned my neck.

The dark figure was gone. I practically flung the length of pipe across the path. It made a barely audible thud as it hit the earth. I'd managed to place it without touching the tape.

The next instant I had my gun out. "You're off the line," Cravath was calling.

"Sorry!" The answer came, thick and hoarse, over a short-lived sound of underbrush being trampled. It had to be trampled while an innocent-yet-deadly object was pulled from its cache.

The tape began straightening as the Window Murderer stepped again onto the Peacock Path.

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STEP ON IT, DRIVER!  
...WHY THAT WAS MISS SPRING-TIME IN THAT TAXI—WITH A MAN!  
LET'S GO! WE HAVEN'T A SECOND TO LOSE!  
6012 S. 2nd St.  
WHO IS THIS MAN OUT OF MISS SPRINGTIME'S PAST? I WILL SHE RETURN TO MARRY RALPH WYMAN?  
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## VIC FLINT

CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHY MRS. PELLSTON HASN'T ACKNOWLEDGED MY LETTER. MIGHT BE BETTER CALL ON HER.  
HALF AN HOUR LATER...  
JUST A MINUTE GIR, I'LL SEE IF SHE'S IN.  
I'M DREADEFULLY SORRY BUT I MUST HAVE MISLAID YOUR LETTER, MR. FLINT...  
NEVER PRESENTING IT WOULD BE FROM A HANDSOME POLICEMAN.  
I'LL GET RIGHT TO THE POINT. AGENY INSURANCE BELIEVES BOTH YOU AND YOUR DIAMOND MAY BE IN DANGER AT THE BLASPHY RECEPTION.  
AND YOU'RE GOING TO PROTECT ME, MY DEAR? OH, HOW LUTTERLY EXCITING!  
3-27

## ALLEY OOP

I'LL LEARN YOU BETTER TO CHASE ME AROUND WITH A RAIN CLOUD, YOU OK...  
HOLD ON, OOP, I CAN'T BE LETTIN' YOU SLUG MY BRAND WIZER!  
SUG 'IMP DYA THINK I'M A SAUSAGE?  
WELL, YOU SAID YOU WAS GONNA LEARN 'EM, DIDN'TCHA?  
YEH... BUT EDUCATED MEN LIKE ME'S GOT BETTER WAYS TO LEARN PEOPLE THAN BY BEATIN' 'EM WITH FISTS! I'LL USE MY BRAIN!  
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March 30—Pythian Sisters 7:30 p.m. IOOF Hall.

March 31—Eastern Star Confering of Degrees. Masonic Hall 7:30 p.m.

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April 6th—Christian Woman's Fellowship, Mrs. Eugene Day, leader. Las Leales Club, Woman's Club 7:30 p.m. Miss Jesse Lee Ligon, chrmn.

April 8th—Civic League and Garden Club, Woman's Club, 3:00 p.m. Fine Arts and Hobby Show. Mrs. Art Johnson, chrmn. Mr. and Mrs. Bresee Westmoreland, guest artists.

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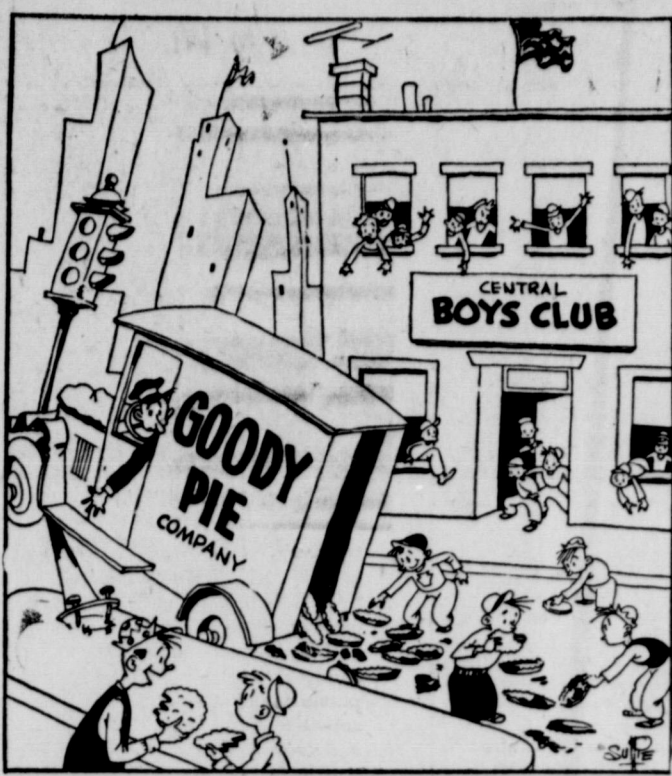
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April 23rd—Alpha Delphian Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m., Mrs. J. A. Doyle hostess.

April 25th—Beta Sigma Phi, Home Coming, Mrs. Bill Collings, Chrmn. Banquet Hotel Connellee Roof, 7:30 p.m.



2nd Showing Of "June Graduate" At 8 P.M. In EHS Auditorium

The first presentation of "June Graduate" was given last night, (Thursday) to a full house in the auditorium of the Eastland High School.

The three act play portrays the graduation of a senior class and the problems faced following graduation. Each of the cast turned in a wonderful performance, several quite outstanding. The players were wonderfully suited to their parts and were well received by their audience.

The curtain will rise on the second performance at 8 o'clock tonight, and this writer recommends that each and every one who did not see it last night be sure and see it tonight.

Bob Gardener, played by Bob Jones, and his family, Mrs. Myra Gardner and young daughter, Dorothy, (Dot), played by Dolores Warden, and Marcia Tuggle, respectively are the characters the story is centered about.

Other characters are Agnes Wagner, Jana Weaver; Irene Davis, played by Mable Grimes; Harry Morris, Noman Watson; Laura Sawyer, Sallie Cooper; Jane Fleming, Edith Cox; Chuck Reed, Don Martin; Eliot Travis, Don Webb; Sanford Yeager, Joe Muirhead; Nora MacNanara, Frankie McDonald; Ethelyne, Loretta Holdcraft; Gladys, Gayle Pearsons; Hubert, Sherry Kendrick; Ken, Harrell Maxwell.

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## Exemplars Of Beta Sigma Phi

The Exemplars of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met in the home of Mrs. Milton Fullen, Marsh 23rd, 7:30 p.m.

The president, Mrs. Bill Walters called the meeting to order and roll call was answered by naming a favorite music composer and composition.

tees were read and the finance chairman, Mrs. F. W. Graham, announced that a Canasta and Bridge party will be held in the Woman's Club, March 31st, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Tickets are now on sale by members.

Plans were discussed for the Beta Sigma Phi Home Coming Banquet, April 25th on the Connelley Roof when Zeta PIs will be guests of the Exemplars. Mrs. Bill Collings, chairman for the banquet plans, read numerous letters from the Betas who have left Eastland and who plan to return for the occasion. She stated that she had sent out more than fifty letters to the girls who have moved away from Eastland.

It was voted that the chapter would dress a Girlstown daughter for Easter.

## Gleaners Class Baptist S. S.

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. W. B. Barrow, March 26th, 9:30 a.m. for their regular monthly business meeting and social.

Mrs. J. D. Pittman, president, opened the meeting and prayer was led by Mrs. B. H. Green. Mrs. E. E. Garner gave the devotional.

Announcements for the Blood Bank and the Blood Typing were made. The Blood Bank will be in the basement of the First Baptist Church and the typing will be at the hospital from 12 to 6 p.m. April 1st.

Gifts of new clothing and money were collected for an Easter box to be sent from the class to the orphanage. The hostess served home-made doughnuts and coffee for the morning social.

Members present: Mmes. James Stephens, B. H. Green, H. C. Westfall, E. H. Culbertson, Fred Parsons, Clyde Horner, E. E. Garner, J. D. Pittman, Misses Alene Williams, Florence Barber and the hostess, Mrs. Barrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perking accompanied by Mrs. D. L. Houle visited the Lasker Art Collection exhibit in Dallas Thursday.

Program chairman, Mrs. Graham, graciously presented Mrs. Allen D. Dabney Sr., as guest for the program on "The Forgotten Arts." Mrs. Dabney, costumed in the regalia of New Mexico Indians and with her keen injections of humor and witticisms gave a very entertaining and informative talk on the early arts of the American Indian sand painting, weaving, beading, pottery and art with floribund and hieroglyphic writings.

The club was adjourned and the hostess, Mrs. Fullen, served a delightful plate to members. Present were Mmes. Lejeune Horton, M. H. Perry, Art H. Johnson, F. W. Graham, Jimmie Harkrider, W. B. Barrow, Bill Collings, Bill Walters, Frank Sayre and the special guest, Mrs. Dabney.

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## UT SWEETHEART FINALISTS

Joan Chaudoin of Harlingen, Ann Chipman of Mt. Pleasant, Bettie Dancy of Orange, Lynne Lovingsgood of Dallas and Patricia McGinn of Houston are 1953 Sweetheart nominees. The University of Texas. One will be crowned Sweetheart as a climax of Round-Up activities in Austin Saturday, March 28. Students are voting this week to determine the winner, but she will not be announced until all have taken the stage and been presented at the Round-Up Revue and Ball in Gregory Gymnasium on the final night of the 24th Annual Round-Up and Homecoming, an Ex-Students' Association-sponsored event.



LYNNE LOVINGGOOD



PATRICIA MCGINN

## Pfc. Floyd Rice To Be Discharged

Pfc. Floyd J. Rice of Carbon, Star Route, landed in San Francisco March 18th, and entrained to an Antonio at once where he is awaiting his discharge.

Pfc. Rice was awarded the Meritorious Unit Emblem while in Korea where he served with the 121st Evacuation Hospital in Korea. His award was for "Unmatched Efficiency" in providing medical and surgical aid for UN troops since September, 1951.

His wife and child, Linda Lou, 8 months old daughter, live in Carbon and are expecting him home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rice Sr., of Carbon, are his parents.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. F. Grubb and son, Marvin of Harlingen, have returned to Eastland after a weeks pleasure trip to Hope and Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Grubb is the mother of Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brashier spent Wednesday in Fort Worth on business.

## Rev. H. D. Waller Extends Invitation

Rev. Homer D. Waller, pastor of the Full Gospel Church, is extending an invitation to the friends of the church to attend the special services that are planned for Monday and Tuesday, March 30th and 31st, when they will have the Rev. N. J. Jones, radio pastor from Hillsboro in the pulpit. Rev. Jones is also a very good singer.

Regular services at the church are: Sunday Morning 11 o'clock and 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, Bible Study at 7:15 p.m. and Young Peoples service Friday at 7:15 p.m.

The public is welcome to every service. Topic for Sunday morning service is "The First Commandment with a Promise." Sunday night the subject will be "The Point of No Return or, Going Too Far From God."

## T.H.D.A. Meeting In Brownwood

The Texas Home Demonstration Association are having the district meeting Thursday and Friday, March 26th and 27th.

Delegates from Eastland County, Mrs. John Love, Cheaney and Mrs. John Nix, Morton Valley, are

## Hello, Central, Give Me St Treas

A telephone operator at the state house at Charleston, W. Va., was puzzled over a long distance call for "Mr. S. Treas."

She asked the long distance operator to confirm the name. "That's right," long distance said. "It's written on a piece of paper. His first name is Ansel—Mr. Ansel St. Treas."

After that it took only a second for the state treasurer, William Ansel, to receive his call.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.—A fire caused by water send Bertrand Marquis to a hospital. He was holding a grease pit at a public garage when the stream of water shattered an electric light bulb. Sparks ignited gasoline fumes and Marquis was burned.

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