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Court House News

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week.

Joe Harness to H. C. Henderson, release of vendor's lien.
L. A. Helms to Dave Ruth, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Joseph T. Hale to Ranger Lumber & Supply Co., MML.
D. N. Heineman to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Arthur M. Hill to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Louis W. Hill, Jr. to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Stanley M. Humphrey to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
A. H. Johnson to C. W. Richter, warranty deed.
A. H. Johnson to Oscar Schaefer, warranty deed.
W. M. Jones to R. S. Hill, warranty deed.
W. H. Jackson to L. A. Helms, oil and gas lease.
Kate Jones to M. G. White, correction deed.
Johnnie May Kleiner to H. A. Bible, oil and gas lease.
Tom G. Koozce to First Federal S&L Association, deed of trust.

George R. Kantzler to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Jay Kasler to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
George W. Kennedy to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
J. H. Latson, Jr. to H. A. Bible, oil and gas lease.
Charles G. Lehrer to C. L. Chase royalty deed.
Lone Star Producing Co. to F. E. Clark, release of oil and gas lease.
Jim G. Lovell to Joe Roper, correction warranty deed.
J. A. Lovell to Jim G. Lovell, correction warranty deed.
Charles G. Lehrer to Ralph Lowe, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Leo Lewis to A. C. Schuman, MML.
L. P. Murphy to C. M. Murphy warranty deed.
J. P. Martin to Bessie M. Healy warranty deed.
Agnes Milroney to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.
W. H. Mitchell to L. A. Helms, oil and gas lease.
McElroy Ranch Co. to Lewis W. Welch, M.D.
McElroy Ranch Co. to J. B. Eberhart, release of oil and gas lease.

J. McFarland to M. H. Alexander, warranty deed.
Ed McDonald to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.
McElroy Ranch Co. to Lewis W. Welch, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Allen P. Phillips to R. L. Jones deed of trust.
W. J. Pool to C. L. Allcorn, warranty deed.
Nolan Pack to Burnis E. Whited warranty deed.
Ed Putty to The Public, ee probate.
N. E. Peaks to J. W. Cooper, Jr., deed of trust.
C. E. Phelps to W. H. Newcomb, warranty deed.
J. W. Roach to W. R. Gibson, Jr., oil and gas lease.
Jeff J. Rebstock to L. A. Warren, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Doyal Rhodes to Frank Crowell, MML.
J. W. Robinson to The Public, proof of heirship.
H. E. Reed to The Public, affidavit.
J. T. Robinson to Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., warranty deed.
W. H. Jackson to L. A. Helms, oil and gas lease.
Kate Jones to M. G. White, correction deed.
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Leo Lewis to A. C. Schuman, MML.
L. P. Murphy to C. M. Murphy, warranty deed.
J. P. Martin to Pessie M. Healy, warranty deed.
J. Wesley Smith to Emmett Rich, warranty deed.
Marie Smith to Austin Smith, warranty deed.
Austin Smith to J. B. Joyce, oil and gas lease.
Robert J. Steel to Rowland Savage, assignment of oil and gas lease.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Blosser

NO ADDRESS. NOTHING TO GO ON EXCEPT THE POSTMARK ON HER LETTER! SHE TAUGHT AT PRINGLE HIGH SCHOOL. MAYBE THEY CAN HELP ME!

PRINGLE HIGH SCHOOL DRIVER!

RIGHT!

BUT WE WERE UNDER THE IMPRESSION MISS SPRINGTIME WAS TEACHING AT YOUR SCHOOL!

YES, SHE WAS UNTIL JUST RECENTLY! PERHAPS SHE HAS RELATIVES LIVING IN TOWN WHO COULD --

HER NEAREST RELATIVE WAS AN ELDERLY AUNT WHO DIED ABOUT THREE MONTHS AGO. YOU'LL HAVE TO EXCUSE ME NOW -- HAVE A SPEECH TO MAKE IN ASSEMBLY HALL!

BEHAVE ME NOELLA. I TRIED TO STRAIGHTEN OUT -- GOT MYSELF A GOOD JOB IN DENVER -- STAYED A COUPLE OF YEARS --

--- THEN MY OLD TROUBLE STARTED AGAIN -- GAMBLING -- BORROWING COMPANY DOUGH WITHOUT THEM KNOWING IT --

YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE I CAN TURN TO FOR HELP -- I'M DESPERATE -- I NEED \$5000 TO PAY MY FORMER EMPLOYER, OR GO TO JAIL!

WHERE WOULD I RAISE \$5000? IT WOULD TAKE YEARS!

WHAT ABOUT THAT WILLOW STREET PROPERTY YOU INHERITED?

SO THAT'S WHY YOU INSISTED ON BOTH OF US RETURNING TO PRINGLE!

VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane

AN HOUR BEFORE THE BLAZELY WEDDING, MRS. MELISSA PELLSTON'S DIAMOND ARRIVES.

THE BANK MESSENGER IS HERE, MADAM.

LET ME OPEN THE PACKAGE. AND HAVE HIM WAIT PLEASE.

IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'LL EXAMINE THE DIAMOND TO MAKE SURE NO ONE PULLED A SWITCH BETWEEN THE BANK AND YOUR DOOR.

GOOD GRACIOUS, MR. FLINT! YOU DON'T REALLY THINK...

IT SCRATCHES GLASS, ALL RIGHT -- IT'S NOT PASTE.

BILLY, I SUPPOSE, BUT JUST KNOWING IT'S WORTH \$750,000 MAKES ME FEEL DRESSED UP!

AND MAKES ME FEEL THAT WE MAY HAVE A VERY INTERESTING EVENING!

VIC AND MRS. MELISSA PELLSTON LEAVE THE BLAZELY WEDDING FOR THE RECEPTION AT THE CHARLES HOTEL.

SEVERAL STORES ABOVE THE HOTEL'S GRAND BALLROOM...

WELL, DAPPER, HOW DO I LOOK IN THIS DRESS THING?

SWEET AND INNOCENT MARRIOTT, NOW REMEMBER -- SORT OF PEARL THE SLAM -- OUR, YOU WANT TO BE AS INCONSPICUOUS AS POSSIBLE.

AS SOON AS I SPOT SOMEONE I RECOGNIZE, I'LL NUDGE YOU, MAKE LIKE YOU KNOW THEM, BUT LET ME DO ALL THE TALKING!

ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamliir

I'M TELLING YOU, WIZER, Y'BETTER NOT MONKEY WITH OOP. HE'S POISON!

POOH! Y'KNOW WHO I JUST DID? I WAVED MY HAND AN' ROUF! HE VANISHED!

MAGIC, MY EYE, THAT WAS OOP! DOGS' TIME MACHINE, I BETCHA!

SO Y'SEE, MY MAGIC IS POTENT STUFF!

MEANWHILE, IN "OOP DOGS" TIME-MACHINE LABORATORY...

OOP'S GONE FROM MOO! BUT HE HADN'T SHOWED UP HERE!

WHAT'S HAPPENED TO HIM?

NOW WHERE'N TH' JUMPIN' BLUE BLAZED AM I?

I SUPPOSE SUMPIN'S GONE WRONG WITH DOGS' OL' TIME-GADGET AN' I'M STRANDED AGAIN...

GEE! TH' GALS IN THESE PARTS CERTAINLY DO WEAR SHORT SKIRTS...

WHICH, IF I HAD LEGS LIKE THEM I SURE WOULDN'T DO!

OH, WELL, 'S NUTHIN' TO ME! HEY, LADY, OH!

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Above, Rise Stevens and Robert Merrill Below, Cesare Siepi and Margaret Harshaw

Dallas' civic-sponsored presentation of the Metropolitan Opera Company May 8 to 10, in State Fair Auditorium, will offer four performances sung by world-famous artists. The schedule will be: Friday evening, May 8, Mozart's "Don Giovanni," with Cesare Siepi, Regina Resnik, Delia Rigal and Salvatore Baccaloni; Saturday matinee, May 9, Verdi's "Rigoletto," with Robert Merrill, Richard Tucker and Roberta Peters; Saturday evening, May 9, Strauss' "Der Rosenkavalier," with Rise Stevens, Astrid Varnay, Hilde Gueden, John Brownlee, Lorenzo Alvyary and Kurt Baum; Sunday matinee, May 10, Wagner's "Tristan und Isolde," with Margaret Harshaw, Blanche Thebom, Ramon Vinay and Sigurd Bjorling. The Dallas Grand Opera Association has opened offices at 1315 Elm Street for receipt of reservation orders, Arthur L. Kramer, Jr., association president, announced.

Social Calendar

- April 14th—Zeta Pi-Beta Sigma Phi-Marene Johnson Johnson Hostess.
April 14th—Home Maker Class Social Supper, 7 p.m. Mrs. O. L. Hooper, 506 S. Daugherty, hostess.
April 15th—Music Study Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m. Drago Studio. Mrs. F. L. Drago chairwoman.
April 16th—American Legion, 7:30 p.m. Freddie L. Bleck, Com.
April 16th—Thursday Afternoon Study Club, Woman's Club 3:00 p.m. Mrs. E. R. Townsend, leader.
April 17th—Father Son Banquet-First Methodist Fellowship Hall.
April 20th—Las Leales Club, Woman's Club, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. W. Q. Verner, leader.
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.
April 27th—Beta Sigma Phi, Exemplars, Mrs. W. W. Walters, president.
April 28th—Zeta Pi's-Beta Sigma Phi-Mrs. Truman Brown hostess.

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Civic League To Have Unusually Good Program

The Civic League and Garden Club will meet Wednesday, April 8th at 3 p.m. Woman's Club — each member is asked to bring at least one guest. The program will be of unusual interest with the "Fine Arts and Hobby Show" that is being arranged. One of the speakers will be Mrs. H. M. Hart, Aviarist, with many of her beautiful birds on display. Those attending will be able to learn something of the field of Lapidary. Austin Varner, Church of Christ minister, will be the speaker and have an exhibit. Other interesting hobbies will be on exhibit. All civic minded women are invited to become members of the Civic League and Garden Club and to attend this meeting. Mrs. Buda Butler, president stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wales and sons leave Friday for a visit to Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Froe with their friend, Dick Smith of Breckenridge are in Sante Fe, N. M., for a pleasure and business trip.

PERSONALS

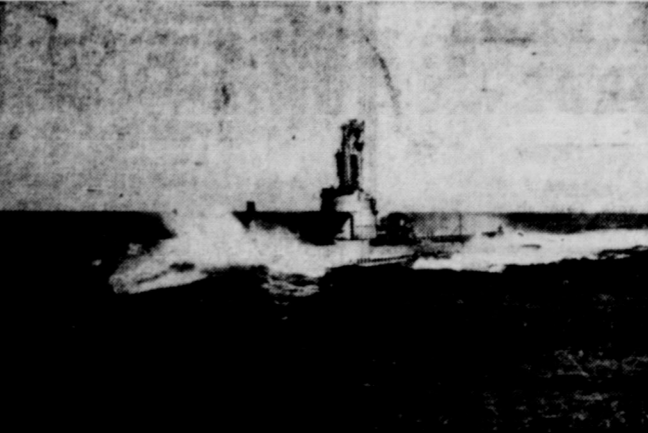
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott for the Easter holidays will be Jimmy Campbell of San Angelo, a student at Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. Charles Dean and children, Michael and Melinda, Mrs. Jack Carrothers and sons, Michael and David of Athens, are the Easter holiday guests here in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. White.

South Ward PTA, Mother and Daughter Banquet, First Methodist Fellowship Hall, 7:30 p.m.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgments, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED
The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
Areljay Company to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
W. L. Boggs to W. R. Gibson, Jr., oil and gas lease.
Frank D. Blakney to T. G. Koonce, warranty deed.
Pessie Bowers to W. B. Pringle, bill of sale.
Bond-Binion Mtg. Co., Inc., to Kansas City Life Ins. Co., transfer of deed of trust.
Blanche Brooks to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.
Beatrice C. Bumpass to Dixie Williamson, warranty deed.
Ralph A. L. Bogan, Jr., to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Edward C. Brewster to J. J.

Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
E. J. Purnell to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Alida B. Butler to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
H. Y. Byrd to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
W. A. Chick to J. L. Wiley, warranty deed.
Ben W. Clyatt of Federal Land Bank of Houston, deed of trust.
Ben W. Clyatt to Federal Land Bank of Houston, homestead designation.
A. B. Childs to Republic National Bank, transfer of oil and gas lease.
Peter Clement, Sr. to Johnnie Grimes, warranty deed.
J. L. Cozart to the Public, affidavit.
County of Eastland to Pioneer Home Demonstration Club, quit claim deed.
L. N. Carille to O. B. Cargile, release of vendor's lien.
Ella Myers Caldwell to B. G. Pirkle, warranty deed.
David S. Castle, Jr. to Leonard E. Kanto, assignment.
E. L. Cox to Ada V. Cox, warranty deed.

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ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF EASTLAND
CITY OF EASTLAND
ELECTION ORDER
I, Jack Muirhead, Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Eastland, on April 7, 1953, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:
Three Commissioners to succeed Jack Muirhead, Pearson Grimes and Dave Fiensy, whose term of office expires at that time;
and that said election shall be held at the City Hall, in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:
Herman Hassell, Judge
Mrs. Russell Hill, Clerk
Mrs. Maud Braly, Clerk
The Chief of Police is hereby directed and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the City Hall, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty days before the date of said election.
Signed and executed this the twelfth day of January, 1953.
Jack Muirhead
Chairman, Board of City Commissioners.

ATTEST:
I. C. Heck, City Secretary
(SEAL)

Lunch Box Combs



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Chop 2 hard cooked eggs and combine with 1 can Underwood Deviled Ham. Spread on bread or toast. Makes 1/4 cup filling, or enough for 4 sandwiches.

Arnold F. Emch to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
Ronald K. Evans to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
First Bancredit Corp. to R. L. Jones, assignment.
C. V. Fox to Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., warranty deed.
George R. Ferguson to Gladys Ford Ferguson, power of attorney.
Lynn Ferguson to Katherine Ferguson, power of attorney.
George Ferguson, III, to Gladys Ford Ferguson, power of attorney.
Daniel P. Ferguson to C. D. Ferguson, power of attorney.
First Federal S&L Assn., to Frank D. Blakney, release of deed of trust.
First National Bank, Ft. Worth to W. H. Hoffmann, release of deed of trust.

Orville S. Caesar to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
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Dublin National Bank, Dublin to Allen P. Phillips, release of vendor's lien.
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Laura Wray Drake to L. A. Helms, oil and gas lease.
Dora Dodson to Roland T. Richardson, release of vendor's lien.
Lois A. Dunn to John W. Speir, lease.
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J. M. Edwards to John H. Graham, warranty deed.
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G. C. Flaherty to Pearl E. Harris, deed of trust.
A. Edwin Fowler to Ruth S. Fowler, cc divorce.
Leslie T. Fournier to J. J. Hawkins, release of oil and gas lease.
J. C. Grice to W. L. Andrus, transfer of vendor's lien.
W. R. Gibson, Jr. to London Cullum, Jr., assignment of oil and gas lease.
Marie Gillman to W. R. Gibson, Jr., oil and gas lease.
W. R. Gibson, Jr. to London Cullum, Jr., assignment of oil and gas lease.
M. L. Gilbert to C. T. Subbie, oil and gas lease.
Gorman Insurance Agency to The Public, assumed name.
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The Peacock Path

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XXXV
JACK DUMONT'S expression was puzzled, rather than anxious or frightened. "How do you know Ames Warburton hadn't carried his watch for more than a month?" he asked. "Are you making this up?"
"No," I said. "Cravath and I learned Ames wanted to know the time a few minutes after he discovered the bonds missing. A guy with a wonderful Swiss watch could have looked at it."
Dumont waved a hand. "Perhaps he'd forgotten to wear it."
"We checked up. He left his watch for repairs with a jeweler named Enslor who had piled up work ahead. Ames got it back about two hours before he took the train for Windover. You couldn't have seen it in the office. If—" I couldn't resist this—"you had kept your mouth shut on those rocks, we'd never have known, or sent a guy to question jewelers."
Cravath looked at the ground. Sudden kept the light on Dumont. "The attempt on Mrs. Dumont wasn't premeditated." I went on. "One rainy day you followed Mr. Cravath and Mrs. Wheeler and overheard or saw something that must have been a blow to your ego. Cravath was ahead of you there, too."
It wasn't very delicate and it aroused Cravath from his trance. "Oh, Orth..."
I'd been hired for this and I was going through with it. So I went on. "Later you saw Mrs. Dumont wobbling down this path. She was another big stumbling block in your way. Something must have exploded in your brain, so you conked her from behind and ran her toward the cliffs."
"And why didn't I leave her over?" Dumont spat the words.
"An airplane chose that moment to fly over," Cravath said. "I remember hearing it when I was with Eve. You couldn't be sure what might be seen from the plane."
I nodded. "When you came to your senses you realized that this murder wasn't going to be clever enough, and you didn't go back to finish the job—knowing Dolly wouldn't know who hit her."
ALL during this, Dumont had been tensing, gathering his strong compact body. I thought he was getting ready to spring at me—and I was ready.
"Keep that light out of my eyes." His voice held only irritability. He might have been the boss, bawling out an underling at Cravath & Company.
Startled, Dave let the torch down. Dumont made a half-pivot, right on his toes. Dumont must have been a fitting sub for All-American Halfback Marney Cravath.
He completed the pivot in an eyewink, with the three of us momentarily off guard. He pinwheeled past Cravath.
I leveled the gun. Cravath moved like lightning, the first movement he'd made since the beginning of that stark, one-sided conversation. He knocked my arm aside. "Let him go!" he rasped hoarsely.
Dumont went, a dark streak. He never even broke stride at the chains—just took them like a hurdler. His feet seemed scarcely to touch the little fatal patch of ground onto which Ames Warburton had gone to his death.
There was no hesitation; no fearful yell came back from the void beyond.
Jack Dumont's nerve held to the end.
I brought my rented car around to the front of the house early the next morning. Then I carried my bags down, without bothering Manila.
I admit to feeling pretty sore. But after that trick I had played on Cravath, I had it coming. Of course, I had had a job to do. But the job had not been pleasant and now my association with the Cravaths—Marston and his niece Sally—had ended.
I did not expect to see either of them again.
The police investigation had been completed. The whole story had been told. There would be no publicity, which Cravath had sought to avoid, but it would soon pass.
AFTER that terrible ending, Marston Cravath had not said one word to me. He had walked, head down and shoulders sagging, back to the house.
I'd deceived him into setting a snare for someone he had trusted and loved, even though his trust and love had been misplaced. But he had assumed the role of betrayer and for putting him in that position he could not forgive me, even though we had been dealing with murder.
On my way down with my bags I met Dave Sladen.
"I forgot to thank you last night for being willing to play ball," I told him. "It couldn't have been very pleasant, knowing that your boss thought you were a murderer. I'd told him you were and he was expecting you to leave that ball."
Dave shrugged. "I've had to do unpleasant things all my life. But I will say this: I detested Warburton and I can't say much for some others around here, but I never wanted to see any of them murdered. If I helped you get that half-human devil, I'm glad of it."
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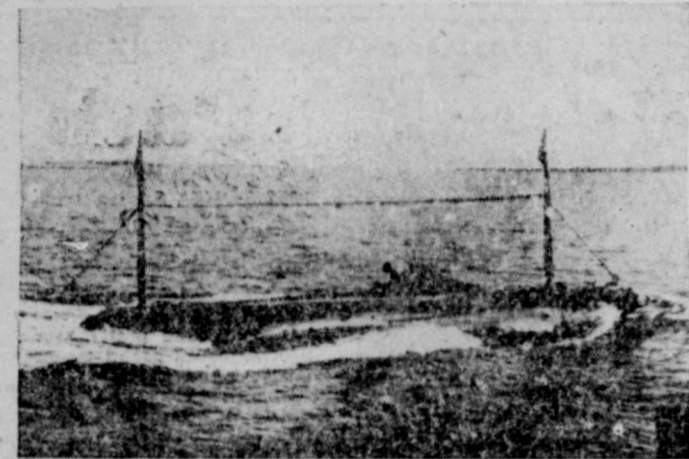
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SALLY CRAVATH, a touch lovelier than the morning itself, stood on guard beside the car. Cravath had the car door open and was messing with dashboard mechanisms. He backed out and immediately looked sheepishly at me. He tossed something, jingling and glittering. The chain and clasp that held the car keys.

"You're not going just yet," Cravath said.
I put the keys in my pocket. "I thought you were sore."
He shook his head. "I realize you couldn't have done anything else. I wouldn't have schemed against Jack—I'd have tried to face him down, but he'd have admitted nothing."
Sally spoke. "Uncle Marney routed me out at some ungodly hour and told me the whole thing. Uncle Jack, of all people."

I said, "He was an ambitious man who had the misfortune to be in close association most of his life with a better man. His ego couldn't stand being second-best any longer. A few days ago, Sally, you said something about 'Dumont' for Cravath' at Yale. Seidom, I imagine, 'Cravath for Dumont.' Dumont was a substitute—in sports, in business..."

I stopped. Had one of these two married Eve Wheeler years ago, things might have been completely different.

They had not, however. And, apparently they had chosen a very late date to fall simultaneously in love with her. Cravath sensed the reason for my halt and interrupted.

"Jim claimed Sladen was desperate enough to make the attempt even if he saw Jack alone, and I stalled Jack when he asked me to explain my theory about Ames' death."

Hastily I went on, "We could have gone after the ball that killed Ames, but grappling hooks and divers would have warned Du-

mont—and proved nothing. We had to trick him."

"Orth was it composedly. But the last of the scales must have hurt, falling from his eyes."
Enough, though! I thought so too. So I didn't mention certain other of Harrison's findings. For instance, Dumont's association with some expensive friends in New York. The type you don't go after unless you're prepared to put a lot of dough on the line.

No sense dragging that out. But it explained why Dumont could have used 50 grand.

Not that I blamed him. Dolly, drunk and non compos, must have been a heavy millstone year after year.

I MIGHT have had to mention it, however, save for Eve Wheeler. She chose that gratifying moment to appear. In something woolen, and attractive, and suitable for autumn. She gave us a wave and started for a walk, with that graceful, indolent, free-swinging movement she had.

Right there Marston Cravath was subtle, like a bulldozer. "Excuse me," he said, and went.

I looked at Sally, the only girl who could ever matter to me. She didn't return the look. Her gorgeous eyes followed her uncle.

"Exit," she said, "what used to be the tops bachelor on Long Island." With that, she fluttered slim fingers after him. "Well, so long, darling."

Which got my goat. And also goaded me to speech.

"So long!" I said. "You've still got your uncle and you'll get a swell new aunt. But look at me! I got plenty of nuthin'."

She did look at me. Her best look. And, brother, that is something. "Oh, I'm no pig," she said, and, suddenly, her eyes went all hazy. "I'll share them with you. That's if you're planning to be around anywhere."

Well! Can you imagine how this particular private eye felt... just about then.

THE END

Falls Fatal To Numerous Adults

Falls take a greater toll of adult life than any other type of home accident, according to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's statisticians. Falls in the bathtub, however, popularly considered a leading menace to life and limb, actually are responsible for relatively few deaths. This is borne out by a study of the circumstances surrounding fatal accidents in and about the home among the company's adult industrial policyholders.

Nearly half of the fatal falls in the home took place on stairs, but a considerable number occurred when the victims were merely walking about a room, or going from one room to another. In many instances a rug was reported as the cause of the fall, and in others highly polished or wet floors, or objects left carelessly

around, were held responsible. The next most frequent classes of fatal accidents were fires and burns, often the result of the victim dozing off in bed or in an upholstered chair with a lighted cigarette or pipe, or of such practices as pouring gasoline or kerosene on fires to kindle or hasten them. Absorption of poisonous gas, firearms accidents, and the swallowing of poisons also resulted in a substantial number of the fatalities among those insured.

"Each year accidents in and about the home kill approximately 28,000 people in our country, about 6,000 of them at the main working ages of life," the statisticians report. "In addition, at least 100,000 persons are permanently crippled or disabled annually in home accidents, and some 4,000,000 more are injured severely enough to be kept from their regular activities for one day or longer."

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Eastland Music Study Have Interesting Program

The Eastland Music Study Club met in the Woman's Club Wednesday, March 25th 7:30 p.m. President, Mrs. Donald Kincaid in the chair. Club Collect was read in union.

During the business session, reports were heard from various committees. Roll call was given by remarks on current musical events.

Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, delegate to the state convention in Waco, gave a full and interesting account of the accomplishments at the convention and named the winners of the various competitive state festivals who were guest artists on the Fine Arts program at the convention. These are the scholars' winners, sponsored by the Federation of Music Clubs.

Mrs. Art Johnson, program leader for the day, presented Rev. Melvin C. Bethel, who sang two numbers, "Open the Gates of the Temple" by Knapp and "The Earth is the Lord's" by Lysons. Mr. D. L. Kincaid, accompanist.

Mrs. M. A. Treadwell gave a most enlightening talk on "Music in Occupational Therapy: Music and Anesthesia."

The Music Club presented the local hospital with a recording machine for our local patients and it is there for your use and the good that may be given.

South Ward School Has Easter Egg Hunt

South Ward Teachers planned an Easter Egg Hunt for their students Thursday, April 3rd, complete with picnic lunches, prizes of Golden Eggs and Goose Eggs.

Mrs. Ed Layton's 1st Graders were at the home of Mrs. Charles Foster; Mrs. D. H. Spencer, 1st Grade, went to the City Park; Mrs. Hood with 2nd Grade at the Lilly Courts; Mrs. Earl Corner Jr. took her 2nd grade to Ringling Lake; Mrs. H. M. Hart, with 3rd grade went to the home of G. G. Blewitt. Mrs. D. E. Frazer took the 4th grade to the McCleary Farm. Mrs. Guy Patterson and Mrs. Harold Durham were with the 5th grade at the home of Nell Day.

The school dismissed for the Easter Holidays after the Easter Egg Hunt.

Friends Invited To Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hardy cordially invite the friends of both families to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Jane, to Gayle Blacklock, to take place this evening at 7:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Roy Townsend visited over the week end in Granbury with Henry Zweifel and daughter, Miss. John Elton and A. P. Crawford and their families.



Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis, Sweetwater, announce engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Glynne, to Patrick L. Crawford.

Davis - Crawford Wedding To Be Late In August

Mr. and Mrs. Willis W. Davis, 1060 James Street, Sweetwater, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn Glynne, to Patrick L. Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Crawford of Eastland.

Miss Davis was graduated from Sweetwater high school in 1949 and attended Stephens College, Columbia, Mo. 1949-50. She is now enrolled in the University of Texas, Austin, where she will receive her B. S. degree in July.

Mr. Crawford was graduated from Eastland high school in 1948 and is now a student at Texas A&M College. He will receive his B.S.A. degree in January.

The wedding will take place in Sweetwater late in August.

Eastland Ladies Toured Gardens At Weatherford

Mrs. Grady Pipkin, W. E. Chaney, Buck Pichens, Clyde Grissom, left Eastland Wednesday morning for lunch in Mineral Wells with Mrs. Fred Brown at the Baker Hotel and continue to Weatherford for a tour of the Chandler Gardens. They reported that the garden is at its peak for beauty of spring and the pleasure of seeing it was well worth the trip. They also had the privilege of seeing some of Mr. Chandler's paintings.

TFWC Art Show In Colorado City

The Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs was held in Colorado City, Texas, April 6th, 7th, and 8th, at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Milton McKenzie, of Abilene is 6th district art chairman and has invited the Jessop Studio to give an exhibit. Any artist who is associated with the Artists Federation or with the Federation of Women's Clubs is eligible.

A list of the pictures to be on exhibit from the Jessop studio and her friends is as follows:

- Deer (oil) by W. W. Underwood, German; Colorado Lions (oil) B. Walters, Sr. Eastland; Lake Louise, Canada (tempera) Florence Jessop; A Dandelion House (oil) Leta Parish; Blue Bonnets (oil) Alma White Quinn; Peaches and Cream (oil) Mrs. Archie Campbell, Olen; Bottles and Vine (oil) Ellen Whitley; Driftwood (two color) LaVerne Allgood; Still Life (pastel) Pauline Dye, Breckenridge; My Friend Bob (pastel) Homer Tador, Breckenridge; Tassian Flower (pastel) Alvin Alexander, Breckenridge; Chief's Delight (pastel) Pauline Hutchcock, Breckenridge; By the Brook (oil) Kathryn Wright, Breckenridge; Still Life (oil) Nancy J. Conroy, Breckenridge; African Daisies (water color), Lilly Blackburn, Breckenridge.

Mrs. Jessop stated that she felt very happy over the exhibit that Eastland and Stephens Counties were able to contribute to the exhibit.

South Ward School Has Guest Speaker

The fourth and fifth grade students of South Ward School had a rare treat Thursday when C. W. Hoffmann, home from Peacock Military Academy of San Antonio, brought his guest, Charles De Craso of Caracas, Venezuela, to visit the school.

Mrs. Harold Durham, principal, invited the guest to talk to the group and prefaced his visit with a short study of the country Venezuela. Charles DeCraso gave one of the most interesting talks, complete with discussion on types of people and their mode of living, customs, geography, insects and reptiles and answered numerous questions regarding their schools. He plans to become an engineer and to attend Notre Dame when he completes his study at Peacock.

Charles also was much interested in the Easter Egg Hunts that are prevalent in America. He had not heard of them before coming to America.

Eastland Colored Baptists Plan Religious Feast

The First Baptist Church (Colored) of Eastland will have an installation service for their pastor, April 15th through the 19th.

They have made extensive plans for a musical feast as well as sermons to be heard from the visiting churches and their pastors. They will be here from Abilene, Jacksboro, Cisco and Ranger, with the Eastland churches as hosts.

Vivian Jones and Gloria West have been working on the program and the following one is being mailed out over the district. They state that they would like for their Eastland white friends to come and hear the wonderful services that are to be held. The singing will be very good and it will be a wonderful opportunity to hear these choirs.

Children's Story Hour Scheduled For 10 a.m. Sat.

Mrs. Robert Perkins will be in charge of the story hour, sponsored each first Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Woman's Club by the Thursday Afternoon Club.

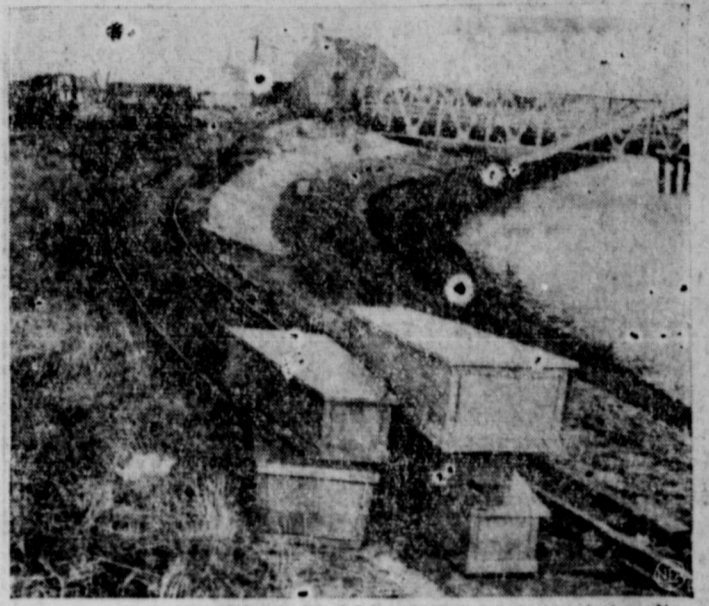
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