



AROUND THE SQUARE

Our West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the largest organization of its kind in the world, has certainly been pushing its 1953 program with all its power.

At times we may forget this organization is really our organization, and that it stands ready to render aid at all times. We are prone to look upon it as something foreign and remote, when in truth it is right here in our midst. Staff workers from the organization visit our towns and cities and act in labor with us.

Their program at this time is reaching, with some of its immediate objectives listed below.

The West Texas Chamber is working for a better labor agreement on use of Mexican Nationals to meet needs of Texas farmers, ranchers and others. Already the chamber has accomplished quite a bit of good, and additional improvements are to follow.

The Chamber has been active in the organization of community-level committees of businessmen to work with soil conservation district supervisors, and all of us realize that this program is one of our great needs.

Another service is to sell West Texas to others. The industrial East is overcrowded, while in Texas there is room for millions. We have the natural resources, such as water, fuel, electricity, and a climate that ranks with the best in the nation. We could attract tourists and should they return both will profit.

The WTCC is working in interest of a state-wide solution to our surface water problems.

Among other activities we find the Chamber active in Community Services, Industrial Development, Tourist Information and Development, Taxation and Legislation, Water Resources and Agriculture and Livestock.

Let's avail ourselves of the opportunity to work with this group.

During this week we have had considerable to say about taxes, federal aid and kindred subjects. So today we wish to mention our old people, people who have reached the age 60 or 65 years and more, and who have always paid their own way—no government help—all on their own steam—why shouldn't they get a break on taxes? They have put their children through school. They have paid all taxes—federal and all other kinds. They have accumulated their own security for their remaining years. Maybe this is in cash or property or maybe it is to be supplemented with Social Security—an insurance that they have bought and paid for.

But at any rate these people deserve being honored—they are of prime stock.

To lend aid to the world—billions of gifts go to the far corners of the earth, and to people of all ages—and what happens. Right to our own old people get the short-end, while their income tax might be reduced just as easily as we send several billion dollars to these foreigners each year.

Something to think about at least.

To reduce income taxes for only those 60 and upwards, who have never been a burden to the government would just be chicken feed as compared to our gifts to strangers.

Rockets Win Over Abilene

Don Pierson's Rockets were victorious over the opponents, the Abilene Wheaties, at the game played at Fireman's Field last night. The final score was 8-6 in the Rocket's favor.

Polio Cases Up Across Nation

New cases of polio increased again last week, but, for the first time since Jan 1, the total for this year dropped below that of 1952, a record year.

The Public Health Service reported today 1,352 new cases listed last week, an increase of 8 percent over the 1,258 for the preceding week.

For 1953 the total has now reached 8,234 cases, as compared with 8,276 up to this time a year ago. The 1952 total was 37,636.

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Texas Business Is Better Than Ever

Texas business was better than ever in the first half of 1953 but a downturn may be in the making, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported at Austin today.

At the end of June, business was at its second-highest level in history, measured by the bureau's

index at 297 per cent of the 1925-29 base period.

It was exceeded only in January when the index registered 300 per cent.

There was a downward movement in May but June business reversed the trend to show improvements in almost all business

phases. Retail sales rose 2 percent, electric power consumption 10, miscellaneous freight carloading 1, urban building permits 11, and crude petroleum production 5.

Crude runs to stills dipped 1 percent. Industrial power consumption was unchanged.

But Bureau Director Dr. John R. Stockton said many businessmen were watching for indications that a change of direction is imminent.

"Economists who are trying to determine what will happen to business are not unanimous in their forecasts of the immediate future," he said.

"One group holds that demand is still so strong there will be no letup. . . . Another group fears the peak has been reached and the level of business is going to decline. . . ."

"The picture for Texas business during the second half of 1953 is no clearer than for the rest of the country."

Stockton noted some indications to support the decline theory. Among them, he said, are a slowdown of new plant construction and expansion of old plants, increased interest rates and tapering off of defense expansion.

"A slowing down of capital expansion in Texas and the rest of the country seems inevitable," he said.

"When it comes, a reduction in total economic activity will result."



HOMEWARD BOUND—Gen. Mark W. Clark and his wife wave to friends as they leave Tokyo for the U. S. where he will receive a hero's welcome. Gen. Clark directed UN forces in final battles against the Communists and supervised truce negotiations that ended the war in Korea.

RANGER, EASTLAND CITIZENS RALLY TO HELP BLIND MAN; FUND-RAISING UNDER WAY

Eastland County's big hearts opened today and a big campaign is under way to aid a totally blind resident, Morris Caudle, 63, in order that he may fly to California to receive a German-Shepherd "seeing eye" dog which has been approved for him by the International Guiding Eye Foundation of Hollywood.

Mr. Caudle, blind since a lad of 16, has no money. No money to finance the plane trip to and from California. And no money with which to purchase clothes needed for the trip and his four-week stay on the West Coast while he and the dog are trained together.

His board and room, however, will be cared for by the Guiding Eye Foundation.

Plane fare alone—round-trip—will cost \$191.

The Ranger Lions Club Thursday voted to launch a drive to raise funds to finance the trip. Committee in charge of the charitable appeal are R. V. (Rip) Gallows, secretary-manager of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, chairman, J. A. Bates and L. L. Bruce. Donations may be made at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Dr. Cox Warns Against Polio Season Panic

Polio isn't running wild in Texas—or Eastland County—this summer as it did in 1952.

But it's still smart to play safe with the kids, State Health Officer George W. Cox reminded Eastland Countyans today.

There are several common sense items parents ought to keep in mind during the polio "season," Dr. Cox lists them like this:

Don't get panicky. Keep in mind that half of all polio victims recover completely, and 30 percent of the other half recover with only slight weakness. Only 14 percent have lasting paralysis.

Realize that gamma globulin is not a cure for polio. There is no cure. GG is intended only as a temporary preventive against paralysis. At best it is effective only for 5 weeks, after which it has all been eliminated by the body.

Gamma globulin has been tested on more than 54,000 children and the results are now under study, but once the polio virus has reached the nerve cells, GG cannot alter the course of the disease.

You can find out whether or not your child is eligible to receive gamma globulin by asking the health officer in your city or county. He is familiar with the formula for GG distribution in effect in Texas.

Continued Hot, Dry Weather Due For Area

Hot and dry Eastland County and vicinity, sweltering under top-90 temperatures, was due to receive no relief from the current heat wave—at least not today nor Saturday—according to the U. S. Weather Bureau.

There was a hint of "possible" showers for the area.

But the possibility—very remote. The thermometer is due to register between 95 and 100 degrees at top this afternoon and Saturday afternoon and tonight's low forecast for about 75 degrees.

Skies were scheduled to be fair and bright over the two-day period.

Partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers was forecast for the North, Central and West Texas area today and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

New Oil Test In Caddo Area

There were few new developments on the Eastland County area oil front today.

New vicinity venture, announced late Thursday, is a test for Stephens County.

Grakka Gas Co., Wichita Falls, has staked the No. 3 Robert Jackson as a Jackson Strawn Field project nine miles south of Caddo in Stephens County.

Location is 330 feet from west and 1650 feet from south lines of Section 77, Block 4, T&P Survey.

The test is scheduled for a depth of 1,800 feet.

Casualties In Korea Climb To Over 140,000

The toll of United States casualties in Korea reached 140,546 and will climb even higher before the Defense Department brings its grim statistics up to truce day.

The new total reflected a one-week increase of 1,274 casualties incurred in heavy fighting during the dying days of the war.

Wednesday's roll of casualties listed 25,117 dead, 102,289 wounded, 2,961 captured, 8,654 missing and 1,525 previously captured or missing and since returned to military control.

Wednesday's increase included 152 dead, 921 wounded, 23 captured and 178 missing.

GOOD DEED

EL DORADO, Kan.—Residents of the affected area in a recent flash flood here got a break when a hospital and a hardware company tore up all bills of flood victims.



SQUEEZE PLAY—Nassau County police team up in a squeeze play as they remove a striker bodily from the Arma Corp. plant at Roosevelt Field near Mineola, N.Y. One policeman was injured and several had their uniforms torn when strikers attempted to break through police lines to get at non-strikers entering plant. Thirteen strikers were arrested after the brawl. After a breakdown in wage talks, the strike began July 24.

You Have A Great Heritage—Your Farm, George I. Lane Declares In Letter To Eastland County Group

By GEO. I. LANE

One of the most precious heritages we have is the land we own. This may be land we saved and sacrificed to buy, or land our ancestors passed on to us. Future generations will depend on this same land for their livelihood. Let us continue to improve our land by needed terracing, pasture improvement, crop rotation, winter legumes, and proper fertilization. All of these things are essential in reaching maximum production. In many cases we do not need more land, when the land we now have can be made more productive, with a lot less expense. Land improvement is a must in our program. The Farmers Home Administration and all other Agricultural Agencies will gladly work with you in making these improvements.

Proper Protection

Some folks seem to think that, due to limited rainfall in this area we don't get any depreciation on equipment. That's not true. The wind and sun can be just as damaging. Sand runs the rubber and sand works its way into every working part. We furnish a garage for our \$2500 car, but let \$4000 tractors and equipment stay out in the open. The depreciation and cost of building a shed is a lot less than the weather depreciation and repair on farm equipment. It is estimated that repairs could be cut 20 per cent, if it were not for the negligence in care of machinery. Proper care of farm machinery is good management. It is one of your best investments. Let us learn to treat it as such!

Raise that Food at Home

What is a good line at home program? Mr. Albert F. Selman, Rt. 2, Rising Star, Tex., has the answer based on facts. Mr. Selman for the past 7 months has raised 90 per cent of his food on the farm and from the sale of milk, butter and eggs has not only paid for the small balance of groceries needed, but has paid for other miscellaneous expenses as well. Money saved is money earned. Let's improve that line by having a good home program. With plenty of beef, pork, milk, butter, eggs and a variety of vegetables raised on our farms, what little more could we ask for gracious living. The cost of crating, pecking, canning, shipping, hauling and the high cost of keeping perishable products doubles the cost of food bought in comparison to food raised. The majority of our population depend on you for their life line of food. Let's take a lesson from neighbor Selman and raise it.



CHECKPOINT—West German Customs police inspect cartons of food on first truck to reach checkpoint outside Berlin July 29. Truck, carrying U. S. food for hungry East Germans, was delayed 6½ hours before being allowed to proceed to Berlin.

Youth Center Campaign Now Well Under Way

Although there was a misunderstanding as to the hour for the meeting called to discuss plans for a Youth Center, quite a nice group gathered at the City Hall last night, for the first meeting.

Mrs. H. C. Westfall was appointed as temporary chairman. After the house was called to order various individuals were heard from and after a general round-robin, the chairman appointed a committee to make investigations and to report back Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. when the committee will meet at the city hall.

On Tuesday the second general meeting will be held, and it is hoped that at least 100 Eastland fathers and mothers will be present. This meeting will also be held at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

The committee appointed by the chairman is composed of Mr. and

Mrs. Henry Fullman, Mmes. Dry, Inzer, Humphrey, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Westfall. It will be their duty to investigate other nearby cities, and see just what they have in the way of youth programs, and to visit our park and see what may be done there.

Those who attended last night's meeting were very enthusiastic, and did not hesitate when asked to serve. The program, if carried through, will mean that young people, children and all, are to be aided. They will have proper entertainment and recreation, which will go a long way in molding their lives. The cost will be negligible, unless it is later decided to erect a real Youth Center building.

You are invited to attend these meetings. It should be accepted as a duty and a pleasure.



ORPHANS FOR ADOPTION—The reverend Russel Artist and his wife of Dallas, Tex., pose in Frankfurt, Germany with six German orphans picked from orphanages for families of Russel's parish. They chose three boys (standing) and three girls.

Mrs. Velma Hunt Dies Thursday

Mrs. Velma Hunt, 44, wife of Milton Hunt, died at the family home just east of Eastland at 8:30 p.m. Thursday. Death was sudden and came as a surprise.

She had been a resident of Eastland for some 26 years, and had a host of friends in and near the city.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Hammer Funeral Chapel at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with Rev. Otto Marshall of First Christian church in charge. Burial will follow in Eastland Cemetery.

Immediate survivors include her husband, Milton Hunt of the home address; two sons, Milton Jr. and Alan, also of Eastland; three brothers, George Breene, Abilene; Walter Breene, Fort Worth; and I. R. Breene of Snyder; and one sister, Mrs. Ruby Davis of Dallas.

Burialbearers are Jimmy Matthews, Raymond Beck, Elbert Turner, R. S. Jumper, Jake Sparr and Bill Duckwerth.

A recent survey shows that 95 per cent of all Americans read the Bible from time to time; that 41 per cent read it at least once a week in these trying times.

New Location For Linkenhog Implement Store

Linkenhog & Son are this week moving their stock of International Harvester implements to their new location on South Eastman, formerly occupied by the Moser Nash Co.

This store has been operated for some months at 208 North Eastman, and the change is being made because of present crowded conditions. The new store is larger and much more conveniently arranged.

A complete stock of International Harvester supplies, including parts, will be carried at the new store.

General Motors Honors Pierson

Don Pierson owner and manager of the Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Co. in Eastland has been significantly honored by General Motors Corp., he having been chosen to act as chairman of local public relations committee.

It will be his duty to work with his competitors and other firms in the city in an effort to bring about good will and better understanding for all. Many small differences may be ironed out in the course of time, it is thought.

Little Items Of Local Interest

Mrs. Neta Cross will leave Tuesday for Dallas, from where she will go to New York. On Aug. 12, she will sail on the Queen Mary for London, England.

She will visit with her son, Hal J. Cross and family, in New York City, with the Air Force, and it has been almost three years since she last saw him.

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ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin



VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Blosser



MAKE A DATE



The date shapely Gloria Van Deweel suggests is an appointment with a dealer for installation of the stuff that prevents engine blocks from cracking in cold weather.

NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard
Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard, visited in Eastland Wednesday with her parents, the W. H. Whites.

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at Burkburnett, and with relatives in Oklahoma.

M. A. Able and John M. White were among those attending the auction sale at the Faircloth Sales Barn Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Hazard were visiting in the home of their son, Maurice, and family in Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeves and children visited Sunday in Clyde with Mrs. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hallmark.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were guests Thursday afternoon of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hazard of Morton Valley.

A. G. Crosby and family from Burkburnett, are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby and Mrs. Bessie Bennett.

John M. White was visiting in Eastland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were visiting Sunday afternoon in Desdemona with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville and Sgt. Jimmy Fonville who is stationed in Greenville, Miss., who is home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard were

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby had as over-night guests Saturday, their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Crosby of Cisco, and Mrs. Crosby's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McFadden from Duncan, Okla.

The M. O. Hazards were in Eastland Saturday where they visited with their son, the Maurice Hazards.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope had as their guests Saturday, his brother, John Pope and daughter of Fort Worth.

E. N. Jones visited the past week in Snyder with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merrell Miller and daughters.

VACATION - LIFE and ACCIDENT INSURANCE Henry Collins Carbon Eastland

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited in the home of J. L. Fonville, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Fonville has been ill for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman and children from Olden, were the guests Sunday afternoon of the Allen Crosbys.

Records at the archives and western history department of the University of Wyoming show Ella Watson, alias "Cattle Kate", was the first woman hanged in the territory of Wyoming.

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Sullivans Return From Vacation In New York

Mrs. Hazel Sullivan and daughter, Sylvia, and a friend of Sylvia's, Joyce Parker of Crane, Texas, have just returned from a two-week vacation trip to New York City.

They stayed in the home of Mrs. Sullivan's brother, M. K. Ward, who escorted them on the usual sightseeing tours of New York City.

Mrs. Sullivan reports that she enjoyed most the "Guided Tour" through the United Nations Building in N. Y. City, while the girls enjoyed their visit to Radio City Music Hall and the play, "Julius Caesar", shown at the Booth Theatre. All-in-all they had a wonderful vacation.

Joyce Parker is still a guest of Sylvia's through the remainder of this week.

Hulen Hazard Just Arrived In Germany

Pvt. 2-c Hulen L. Hazard of Morton Valley has just landed in Germany, his parents stated.

Joy Class Had Picnic At Cisco Lake, Thursday

The Joy Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church had an evening of entertainment Thursday when their teacher, Mrs. Eldon Anderson, and Mrs. Howard Green, assistant superintendent of the Young People's Department, sponsored a picnic at the Cisco Lake.

The group, which included four Mr. and Mrs. James B. Jones have recently moved here from Colorado City.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hazard, have just received a letter from their son saying that he had a nice trip, liked the country fine, and said to tell all of his friends hello.



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Plans were made for a rummage and apron sale, which is to be August 28-29. The treasurer, Mrs. Blair, reported \$103 in the treasury.
Refreshments were served to the following present: Meses. B. G. Blair, O. M. White, T. M. Johnson, Turner Collier, W. P. Leslie, Jack Olesby, J. A. Doyle, and guests Mrs. Herman Hassell and Mrs. George Lane, and the hostess, Mrs. Castleberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Margit Wadley passed through Eastland Thursday for a short visit with Mr. Wadley's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wadley, and Mr. and Mrs. Manning Wadley. They were in route to Woodward, Okla., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wadley's grandmother, Mrs. Lucas.

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**Eastland Lawyer
Speaks To Lions**
Frank Sparks, Eastland attorney, was the guest speaker Wednesday at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Cisco Lions Club at the Victor Hotel Dining Room. Lion Karkalits was in charge of the program.
The veteran attorney, who has lived in Eastland County more than 30 years, discussed the work of a lawyer and told of some of the interesting laws.
Guests for the luncheon included A. Z. Myrick and Mel Sandler.

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dutton left Thursday afternoon for Kress, Tex., where Mr. Dutton will be doing construction work.
Miss Monette Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott, has recently returned home for the summer from Dallas, where she was employed.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pullman and Saul spent Sunday in Dallas with their daughter and brother, Moseffe Pullman. They had dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. Pullman's sister, Mrs. Anna Cobbel.

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Dr. R. A. Springer, Convention treasurer, announces that \$2,812,554.69 of total receipts of \$5,265,076.92 has been sent outside Texas. The Texas convention operating on a six-million dollar budget annually, will go beyond the budget this year if the present rate of giving continues.
Undesignated receipts for the first eight months have totaled \$3,312,248.41, compared to a budget of \$2,733,333.35. The budget surplus, now \$578,915.06, is always divided one-half for Southwide causes and one-half for Texas Baptist Schools and hospitals.
Designated receipts through June totalled \$1,952,827.61, compared to a budget of \$1,266,666.64 for eight months.

HONESTY OR ACCIDENT?
HARTFORD, Conn. — Someone broke a window forcing his way into Nicholas Sanson's service station and then carried off 22 quarts of motor oil, Sanson wasn't too annoyed however. The prowler left a \$5 bill that Sanson said more than covered the expense.

Social Calendar
Aug. 2: Regular business meeting of WMU at the church Monday, 3:15 p.m.
Aug. 3: Lamp Lighters Circle of WSCS will meet at Mrs. Joe Stephens, 101 East Len, Tuesday evening, 7:30 p.m.
man's sister, Mrs. Anna Cobbel.
Mrs. Emmie Seale's grandson, Glen Crews, is visiting her this week from Clayton, Tex.

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