



A PEANUT BOWL Will There Be, Or Won't There Be?

The Board of Regents of Ranger Junior College and the Eastland Jaycees agreed to disagree about the Peanut Bowl Thursday night.

The Ranger delegation, led by college president Dr. Ted Nicksick, met with the Eastland club to attempt a contract negotiation for the forthcoming event this fall.

The Jaycees are proposing a 25 per cent share of the net profits for both Ranger and Cisco Junior College.

The Ranger school is asking for a one-third share, with the three parties—the two schools and the sponsoring club—sharing equally.

Dr. Nicksick, who contends that he is the originator of the "Peanut Bowl" idea, implied that there would be court action should the club decide to stage the event again this year under the "Peanut Bowl" name.

The club later voted unanimously to continue plans to stage a "Peanut Bowl" this fall.

The bowl has been held the past two previous years, pitting the two county colleges in the featured event on the gridiron.

Negotiations are underway with several schools both in state and out-of-state, for playing a game here, under the Jaycee Peanut Bowl sponsorship.

A proposal by a Jaycee member was taken under consideration to consider the possibility of bringing a first-ranking soccer game here, in the event that negotiations can't be finalized with the two area schools.

Members expressed the belief that the county as a whole could best be served through the cooperation of the local schools and the club in continuing the event as it has been conducted in the past.

Plans were also made at the Thursday meet for the annual election-night dinner which will be held Thursday, April 5th at the White Elephant Restaurant.

Tickets are now on sale at

\$1.25 each for what is traditionally the greatest display of political upheaval.

The public is invited to attend and witness the "carrying-over" as the club lines up (Continued on Page Two)

Father-Sons Enjoy Feast, Fellowship

Over 100 fathers and sons, young and older, met together Thursday night in Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church for a barbecue chicken dinner and a program which included a talk by one of the state's leading youth workers.

P. E. (Pete) Shotwell, director of athletics at McMurry College, told the fathers and sons "Don't wait to be a great man—be a great boy."

The banquet Thursday night was the 20th annual event sponsored by the members of the 9:49 Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, Judge J. E. Hickman, first teacher of the class, originated the banquets in 1932.

Eastland fathers bring their sons and enjoy the fun as much as they. Winston Boles brought four sons, the youngest, 10-month-old Bart, who cooed throughout the program, won honors for the youngest guest.

Mr. R. W. Smith, 90, who was recognized as the elder father present, brought his son Johnson.

Three men were recognized for their attendance at each of the 30 banquets—Fred Davenport, Earl Bender and Jay Whitley.

There were five family groups with three generations each present. Mr. Grady Pinkin, Bruce and two grandsons, Mark and Gary, Jay Whitley, son John, and grandson Joe; Hood King, son Bob, and grandson Bob; W. R. Wright, son James, and grandson Jimmy; Claude Boles, son Winston, and four grandsons; Bill, Randy Jerry and Bart. (Continued on Page Two)



CHAMPION GOATS—Scoring top honors with his grand champion buck in the Eastland County Livestock Show this week end was Johnny Cantwell, 11, (right) son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cantwell of Ranger. At left is David Satterwhite of Breckenridge who had the grand champion doe. (A&C Photo)

CIVIC MOVIE 'The League of Gentlemen' To Be Shown Tuesday Night

"The League of Gentlemen," only, with two other films to be shown in this series this season.

One might draw the conclusion from its title that "The League of Gentlemen," the new comedy-thriller released by Kingsley International concerns the activities of a sort of "Y."

Nothing could be further from the truth! "The League" consists of eight so-called gentlemen banded together for the purpose of robbing a bank of a million dollars.

The members of the band have one thing in common: they are all ex-Army officers whose training has equipped them to handle the job with military thoroughness, split-second timing and cold-blooded daring.

Seven of the eight were dishonorably discharged, for good reason. The eighth, who is the only real gentleman of the group, conceives the idea of "The League."

A colonel who was retired after 25 years of unblemished service, he resents his enforced retirement and decides to get even with society and get rich at one and the same time.

In the role of the colonel is Jack Hawkins who will be remembered for his fine performance in "The Bridge on the River Kwai."

The other seven "gentlemen" who assist him in various aspects of the nefarious plan are portrayed by topflight British stage and film stars Nigel Patrick, Richard Attenborough, Roger Livesey, Kieron Moore, Bryan Forbes, Terence Alexander and Norman Bird. Forbes, incidentally, also wrote the screenplay.

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QUALITY STOCK Show Draws Good Crowd In Spite of Downpours

Walter Pope of Cisco scored double in the Eastland County Livestock Show this weekend when both his fine wool ewe and ram were judged champions in the breeding sheep class.

Walter swept the Class 1, two tooth and under ewes, with his entries, and coped first in Class 3, two tooth and under rams.

Judging in the annual show got underway about 1 p.m. Friday amid the heaviest downpour of rain so far this year.

There was a record entry list with 791 animals competing in the new show area at the sponsoring Eastland County Livestock Raisers Assoc.'s and the Eastland County Sheriff Poole's facilities near Lake Eastland.

Spectators crowded the show barns despite the mud and rain, and judges resorted to judging in the aisles of the barns due to the falling weather outside.

Saturday morning however, the swineifting was held in outside pens under sunny skies.

A Breckenridge boy, David Satterwhite, showed the champion breeding ram.

Angora goats judging opened the show and Johnny Cantwell, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cantwell of Ranger, had the grand champion buck, with Satterwhite scoring again with his grand champion doe.

Larry Morrow of Carbo showed the first place fine wool breeding sheep in Class 2, followed by Bubba Everett of Olden who had the second place animal.

Satterwhite had the champion ewe and ram in the breeding sheep, all-ether-breeds divisions.

He had first and second in the Class One, with Barbara Shaw taking third.

The Breckenridge boy took first in class two, with H. Glenn Justice taking second and Kathy Caraway, third.

Darrel Shaw had first in class three, Satterwhite second; and Gary Harris, third.

In Class 4, Satterwhite took first again, the Cisco FFA chapter second and Kathy third.

The show parade originally scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday was rained out and was to be held Saturday at 2.

Swine judging was held Saturday, followed by beef cattle.



NAP-TIME—Jack Clark, 10, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Clark of Rising Star, and Tony Guy, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Guy, also of Rising Star, catch a few winks, using Tony's fat hog as a pillow at the Eastland County Livestock Show this week end. The animal won top honors last year, and Tony had high hopes of some more ribbons this year. (A&C Studio)

IN EASTLAND Annual P-TA Conference Is Set For Thursday April 12

The 51st Annual Conference of Parents and Teachers will be held April 12 in Eastland.

Mrs. Horace Horton is Eastland Conference Chairman and Mrs. J. T. Gregory is Co-chairman.

Pre-registration for all local people will be held Wednesday, April 11, from 12 to 4 p.m. at the High School. Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Ranger, will serve as Registration Chairman during the pre-registration period.

Local committee Chairmen include Luncheon, Mrs. James E. Wright; Board Dinner, Mrs. Horace Horton; Decorations, Mrs. W. H. Hoffmann; Exhibits, Mrs. W. M. Jones; Folders, Mrs. Charles Lovelace; Hospitality, Mrs. J. T. Gregory (Mrs. Travis Harrell chairman of morning coffee); Hostess to Representative, Mrs. Billy Frost; Information, Mrs. Griffin Hart; Lost and Found, Mrs. C. F. Huffman; Music, Mrs. M. A. Tread-

well Jr.; Pages and Ushers, Mrs. Truman Brown; Platform, Mrs. Bill Leslie; Publicity, Mrs. Jack Germany and Mrs. Charles Layton; Question Box, Mrs. D. D. Allen; Registration, Mrs. Alvin Pierce; and Workshop, Mrs. J. O. Jolly.

At 6 p.m. on Wednesday a Board of Managers dinner will be held at the White Elephant. The meeting of the Board of Managers will be held at the restaurant at 8:30 p.m.

Honor guests at the conference will be Mrs. Stanley Statch of Fort Worth, Mrs. H. D. Maxwell of Rockdale and Mrs. S. L. Canterbury Jr. of Kilgore.

Mrs. Statch, president of District I of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, has served in many capacities in parent-teacher work. In the elementary unit, she has been president, secretary, room rep-

resentative and chairman of program and budget.

In junior high P-TA, she has been vice president, secretary and chairman of membership and budget.

On the high school level, she has served as vice president, and chairman of health, legislation and program.

In the city council she has held the positions of president, secretary, parliamentarian; in the county council treasurer and health chairman.

Mrs. Maxwell, parliamentarian of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, has been active in P-TA work ever since her oldest child entered public school.

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Six Candidates Seek Commission Posts

Polls will open at 8 a.m. Tuesday at City Hall for the election of two city commissioners.

The record number of voters expected will have a choice of any two of six candidates

running for the positions. Running are Don Pierson, Truman Brown, Harry Jordan, Dale Troutt, Virgil T. Seaberry Jr. and Encumbent Mayor Cyrus Frost Jr.

Guy Parker has been named election judge and has named Mrs. Howard Upchurch and Mrs. James Wright deputies, to oversee the voting at the one box at City Hall.

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Eastland Bank Has Increased Loans, Discounts

Deposits are down but loans and discounts are up over \$60,000 at Eastland National Bank, according to a statement of condition issued in response to a March 26th bank call.

Deposits were at \$3,806,562.82 in March, compared with \$3,998,053.04 at the last call, in December of 1961.

Loans and discounts were \$1,521,543.15 compared with \$1,461,189.26 three months ago.

At the end of the first quarter last year, loans and discounts were reported at \$1,427,630.28 and deposits, \$3,907,251.17.

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Last Rites Held Thursday For C. C. Carey

Funeral services were held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Hammer Funeral Chapel for Callin C. Carey of 208 W. 14th St., Cisco who died at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the Golden Age Rest Home in Cisco.

Officiating the services were Rev. Avery Sullivan of First Baptist Church, Ranger and Rev. C. O. Clements of Cisco. Interment was held in the Gunsite Cemetery in Stephens Co. under the direction of Hammer Funeral home.

Mr. Carey was born Sept. 28, 1873 in Pine Bluff, Ark., and had lived around Cisco for 79 years. He was a retired stock farmer.

Survivors include five sons, C. P. of Anson, J. A. of Odessa, M. C. of Abilene, R. A. of Colorado City, and M. L. of Eastland; three daughters, Mrs. C. A. Dulin of Cisco; Mrs. Frank Penn and Mrs. R. A. Harris, both of Ranger; one brother three sisters; 44 grandchildren; and 48 great-grandchildren.

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When you've got a good thing going, why rock the boat?

The Peanut Bowl has been a good thing for this county for the past two years—but the future of the Peanut Bowl is in shadowy doubt.

The event has consisted of a fan-favored football game between Cisco and Ranger Junior Colleges, plus parades, plus beautiful queens, plus banquets, plus spectacular half-time shows, plus band contests, plus singing contests, plus aerial demonstrations, plus hotdogs, popcorn, peanuts and all the things that go to make a carnival weekend—plus reams and reams of publicity for this entire county.

All this may become history now due to a squabble over "how do we split the profits".

The Eastland Jaycees, who have sponsored the event for the past two years have extended an invitation to the colleges to play here again, offering each a 25 per cent take of the net profit.

"No," say the colleges, we want one-third, or nothing.

The Jaycees have said, okay, we'll get somebody else to play in our Peanut Bowl, in spite of threatening legal action if they stage the event under the "Peanut Bowl" name.

Dr. Ted Nicksick, president of the Ranger school, claims that the name is his origination.

The original purpose of the entire program, as we understand it, was to pay homage to the peanut, and "help our country."

We'd recommend that a representative from each party concerned, sit down together again for some cool consideration, with this original purpose in mind.

The Peanut Bowl has proved its worth to the county for two successive years and there's no reason why it can't continue to do so.

Annual P-TA

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On the state level, she has been chairman of rural service, and reading and library service. In the district, she has been president, as well as serving in other capacities, and has always been active in the local unit. She is a life member of the Texas Congress.

Mrs. Canterbury Jr. of Kilgore, vice president of the Texas Congress Parents and Teachers, has been in P-TA work for some 22 years. She has held various offices at local, council, district and state level, having been president of a local unit, city and county council, and district and state chairman of health.

In 1959 Mrs. Canterbury was named First Lady of Kilgore, primarily for her work with children and youth of the community.

Conference registration will be held from 8:30 to 12 noon on Thursday, April 12th, with Mrs. Roger Souder of Fort Worth Area Two District One vice president acting as chairman of registration and credentials.

A period of music will be furnished from 9:30 to 10 a.m. by Mrs. M. A. Treadwell Jr. of Eastland.

The meeting will be called to order at 10 a.m. by Mrs. Statch of Fort Worth, president of the First District, followed by the Presentation of Colors by the Explorer Scouts. Included will be Bill Garner, Dickie Byars, Ray Edwards and Larry Goldston. The Pledge of Allegiance will also be given by members of the Explorer Scouts; Texas Flag, Bill Garner and U. S. Flag Dickie Byars.

Rev. Haston Brewer will lead the group in the National Anthem accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Treadwell Jr.

The invocation will be given by Rev. Eugene Surface of Eastland.

Tom Wilson, past Director of Chamber of Commerce, City Commissioner, and president of the Eastland National Bank, will give the welcome followed by the Delegates Response given by Mrs. Jack Gibson, of Ranger, secretary-treasurer of Eastland Callahan BI-County Council and president of the Ranger P-TA.

Beginning at 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Statch will give the introduction of platform guests and Mrs. Marcus O'Dell, president of the Eastland P-TA, will introduce local committees.

Members of the Olden P-TA will present the conference theme, "Keys to Effective Learning through Home, School Church and Community", at 11 a.m.

At 11:15 a.m. objects and policies of the state program will be given by Mrs. Canterbury of Kilgore.

Yardleys of Cisco will enter a noon luncheon in the high school gymnasium honoring Life Members. Luncheon prices will be \$1.35 per plate.

Workshops on officer levels will be presented from 2 to 4 p.m. by Mrs. Robert Haltom, chairman, Mrs. E. C. Johnson of Dublin, Assistant chairman, and Mrs. Thomas Zagorski of Brownwood, assistant chairman.

The second general session will begin at 4:15 p.m. with the following items on the agenda: Magazine awards, Mrs. R. R. Ware; Goals awards, Mrs. Robert Haltom; Final credential report, Mrs. Roger Souder; Report on workshops, Mrs. Robert Haltom; Invitation for 1963 Conference; Invitation for 1964 Conference; and Acknowledgements, Mrs. Stanley Staton.

Symbolic of the Day!

Petitions are being passed seeking the re-location of the Eastland County Courthouse to somewhere near the Lake Leon area.

"April Fool."
You'll be hearing of that, we'd guess.

The Latin word for April comes from one meaning "to open."

On the first day of the month of April, if you pick up a bundle or purse from the sidewalk, you may find it worthless and be called an "April fool."

The name given to the first day of April is in allusion to the custom of playing practical jokes on friends on that day, or sending them on "fool's errands."

Origin of this custom has been much disputed. It is in some way a relic of those once universal festivities held at the vernal equinox, which, beginning on the old New Year, March 25, ended on April 1.

In India, at the feast of Holi, the last day which is

Jimmy Wright, Bill Horn, Mike Siebert and Don Griffin, all Explorer Scouts will present the Retirement of Colors after which Wendell Siebert, Superintendent of the Eastland Public Schools will present the benediction, a solo of "The Lord's Prayer."

The conference will be concluded with a post conference board meeting in the high school cafeteria. Refreshments of cakes, coffee and cookies will be served at this time.

March 31, the chief amusement is the befooling of people by sending them on fruitless and fool's errands.

Though April 1 appears to have been anciently observed in Great Britain as a general festival, it was apparently not until the beginning of the 18th Century that the making of April Fools was a common custom.

Eastland Men Receive Gulf Safety Awards

The Texas Safety Association presented the Driver Group of Gulf Oil Corporation, Eastland Sales Terminal with an award in recognition of an outstanding fleet traffic safety achievement for 1961 as the 23rd Texas Safety Conference held March 28 at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas.

Marshall Campbell, Plant Supervisor of the Eastland Terminal, received the award in behalf of the group which consists of W. E. Goode, Glen M. Hart, Gary L. Lowrance, and A. C. Holdridge.

At the closing out business in 1961, the drivers had accumulated 1,330,939 miles since the last moving preventable accident.

Walter E. Goode received an individual drivers award as the outstanding driver in the Fort Worth division of the Gulf Oil Corporation. Mr. Goode has a record of 16 years without an accident and has accumulated 1,158,000 miles of driving with the company.

Joy Drive-In Re-Opens For Summer Season

The Joy Drive-In Theatre, located on the Eastland-Cisco highway, re-opened for the summer season Wednesday with BACHELOR IN PARADISE starring Bob Hope and Lana Turner.

The drive-in will open each night at 7:15 p.m. with the movie to begin at 7:30 p.m.

There will be two changes each week with one movie showing Wednesday, Thursday and Friday followed by a change for Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

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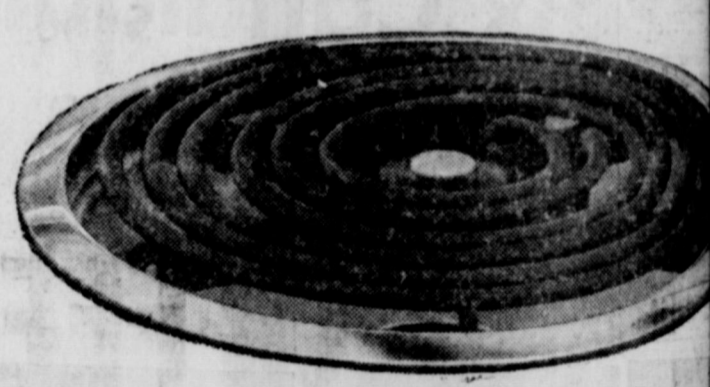
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Carbon News

Morrison and family, in Andrews with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Donaldson Jr. and Chuckie and Midkiff with the Glenn Donaldsons. Mrs. John Donaldson remained in Odessa with her daughter, Mrs. Morrison for an extended visit.

The Jerry Hallmarks of Abilene visited with her parents, the Vern Garretts, during the weekend.

Delores and Mack Eaves of Carbon spent two nights the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Eaves and family while their parents were in Denton for the funeral of Mrs. Neil Eave's aunt.

Mrs. Jim Jordan visited in Carbon on Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Wharton.

Mrs. Carr Sessum and Mrs. W. N. Stephen were visiting with Mrs. J. H. McNeely on Friday.

The Claude Fullers were visiting with the Glenn Jordans on Saturday night.

The Albert Hendricks family were shopping in Stephenville on Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks has received word that John O'Neal of Hamlin had been returned to his home after a lengthy stay in the hospital at Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley and Mrs. Hazard of Staff, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark and Becky of Abilene and Bobby Hallmark of Eastland were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist

Carroll Sandlin of Lubbock spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin, and they all visited Mrs. Sandlin's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCracken, in Trinidad.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Murphy and Eugene Kitchens visited their daughter and mother, Mrs. Ernest Kitchens, in an Abilene Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cavanaugh and children of Ozona visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hays, last weekend.

Mrs. Bob Hogan of DeLeon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan last week.

Truett Guy and family of Oklahoma City spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Guy and Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert.

Mrs. Jim Hogan has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Beeman, in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burns Church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. George Bennett is still in Dallas for treatment, but hopes to be able to return home soon.

of Copperas Cove visited his sister, Mrs. Mary Phillips, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt visited their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Matejek, and family of Midland recently.

Buster Nelson and family of Fort Worth visited his sister, Mrs. Billy Wyatt, and family last week.

Charles McDaniel and family of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. Gertie McDaniel, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonso Wyatt here Sunday.

James Butler of Roswell, N. M. visited his father, J. O. Butler, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk of Arlington visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lewis, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor of Cisco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Martin and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lewis, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett and son of Olden were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White.

Mrs. Caunie Hamilton of Cisco visited her brother, W. S. McGaha, and wife this week.

Mrs. B. W. Knight has returned from a visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurst, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knight in Fort Worth.

Dock Martin and family of Moran visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holloway, Sunday and they returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. W. R. Richards and daughter of San Angelo visited her son, Stoker Richards, and wife last week.

Jack Black of Brady visited with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Black and other relatives Sunday.

Raymond Smoot and family of Miles visited friends here Sunday.

J. C. Howard and family of

Rising Star visited Bill Carlton and family Sunday.

Mrs. Tony Wright of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guy, this week.

James Wyatt who has been in the Marine Corp for the past four years has received his honorable discharge and is visiting his parents, L. D. Wyatt and wife.

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 Mrs. Pittman then introduced Mrs. Blevins, program leader for the day, who brought an inspirational lesson from the eighth chapter of Acts. The meeting was closed

with prayer led by Mrs. Sam McAfee.
 Seven attended the Sunbeam meeting with their leaders, Mrs. Wade Coan and Mrs. D. D. Allen.
 The G. A. S. met with three present including their leader, Mrs. Jimmy Roberts.
 G. A. S. attending were Lana Pittman and Connie Coan. The girls had their program from the G. A. magazine "Tell" after which they worked on their Forward Steps.
 All girls ages nine through 15 are invited to attend these meetings.
 The next meeting will be held April 10th in the Educational Building of the Church.

GUESTS
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Langaster of Fort Worth were guests on Monday and Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Young of Eastland.

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Civic League To Present Luncheon, Style Show

A luncheon and Style Show at Lone Cedar Country Club will constitute the April meeting of the Civic League on Wednesday, the eleventh, at 12 noon. Leader for the day will be Mrs. Arthur Murrell. Mrs. Frank Sayre is president of the club.
 "The Easter Parade", a showing of the latest fashions with models from Altman's, is being arranged by Mrs. Floyd Robertson.
 Mrs. Gus Bates of the John Powers School of Churn in Fort Worth will be speaker for the occasion.
 The Civic League extends an

invitation to all ladies in the area who are interested. Tickets will be \$2.00 and reservations must be made by noon Monday, April 9th. Reservations may be directly with Lone Cedar Country Club or by calling Mrs. Robert Perki s, MA 9-1434, or Mrs. Bill Crocker, MA 9-2097.
 The hostess committee includes Mrs. Floyd Robertson, Mrs. B. B. Alexander, Mrs. James Whittington, Mrs. Jack Carothers, Mrs. Billy C. Frost, Mrs. William Crocker and Miss Marjorie van Hoose.

Clubhouse Is Scene Of HD Meet Wed.
 Members of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon in the community clubhouse for their regular meeting. Mrs. Jeff Laughlin, vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Joe Bond.
 Eleven members and one visitor answered roll call with "A Pra k I Can Remember." The roll was called by Mrs. D. J. West in the absence of Mrs. G. M. Hargus, who is recuperating from major surgery.
 Mrs. C. T. Brockman led the group in the club motto, pledge and prayer.
 All members present agreed to furnish a cake or a pie for the 4-H Club concession stand to be set up at the Livestock Show.
 Mrs. H. C. Pounds gave an interesting program on General Storage followed by a report on 4-H work given by Mr. Robert Kincaid.
 Refreshments of cookies, potato chips, cheese curls, pickled okra, coffee and punch were served by Mrs. M. V. Harrison and Mrs. E. L. Danley, hostesses for the day.
 Visiting the meeting were Mrs. Bill Hunter and three children of Olden.
 The next meeting will be held April 11th with Mrs. L. Hale and Mrs. W. W. Robertson as hostesses.
 Mrs. I. B. Walker, Mrs. R. W. Gordon and Mrs. Alvin Kincaid also attended the meeting.

Sabbano Club To Sponsor Pie Supper

Members of the Sabbano Busy Bee Club will sponsor a pie supper to be held April 6th at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Clubhouse, south of Nimrod.
 The public is cordially urged to attend and all political candidates are invited.

Second Lesson Attended By WSCS Members

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Tuesday morning for the second lesson on Christian Responsibility to Society. Mrs. H. J. Bulgerin was program leader for the day assisted by Mrs. L. C. Brown and Mrs. Ina Bean. A general discussion closed the lesson.
 Mrs. Claud Boies, president of the Society, announced that World Banks should be brought to the next meeting.
 The Senior breakfast with Mrs. M. S. Dry as general chairman, will be held on April 25.

Poer and Karnes Presented In Concert Here Tuesday

The Music Study Club of Eastland will have their Spring Concert next Tuesday, April 3rd, at 7:30 p.m. at the Methodist Church here.
 Featured will be Mr. Robert Poer, organist and Ben Karnes, pianist.
 Poer will be featured at the "Tocatta and Fugue, D. Minor" by Bach, Handel's "Allegro, from Concerto No. 10", 2 Preludes of Hymn Tunes, "Mortyrdom" and "Eventide" by Willan, Jongen's "Corale", and

"Te Deum" by Langlais.
 Karnes local music teacher, will play the following piano selections: Heller's "On Wings of Song", "Allegro con Brio, Sonata Op. 2, No. 3" by Beethoven, "Papillins" by Schumann and Kenna's "Three Preludes".
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Officers Elected At Regular Meet Of Co-Ed Club

Members of the Co-Ed Club elected officers for the new year when they met Wednesday in the home of Janie Beck. The meeting was called to order by Anna Smith.

Officers elected are the following: Elaine Parsons, president; Naomi Jones, vice president; Naomi Jones, secretary; Wanda Lae, treasurer; Julie Elrod, historian; Roy Lynn Gann, reporter; Sharon Sayre, chaplain and Jackie Stuard, parliamentarian.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer led by Jan Taylor. Refreshments were served to the following members: Sharon Clark, Roy Lynn Gann, Jeanie Hanna, Brenda Henderson, Leoni Jones, Wanda Lae, Dixie Long, Elaine Parsons, Anna Smith, Jackie Stuard, Jan Taylor, Jean Ann Eidsan, Mrs. Wayne Bailey, sponsor, and the hostess, Janie Beck.

Nine Members Attend WMU Meet Monday

Nine members were present for the Monday meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Mangum Baptist Church.

Mrs. Rachel Clower opened the meeting with a devotional on prayer. The prayer calendar for missionaries was led by Mrs. Billie Wood.

The Scripture reading from the 12th chapter of Luke was brought by Mrs. Rittie Brown. Mrs. Anna Tucker taught the stewardship book, "Partnership With Christ."

The meeting was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Rittie Brown.

VISITS BROTHER

Mrs. Gail Downard and two sons, Chris and Stevie, visited over the past weekend in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Greer of Hot Springs, Ark.

'Talents In Gardening' Theme For Garden Club Luncheon

"Talents In Gardening" was the theme of the noon luncheon Wednesday of the Civic League and Garden Club here at the Woman's Club.

An exchange of plants and helpful hints among members followed the lunch served buffet style by Mrs. Wenda of Cisco.

The usual games followed with Mrs. Frank Lovett winning the "42" prize and Mrs. E. R. Townzen, the bridge prize.

Decorations were carried out with small artificial potted dahlias as centerpieces at each table and miniature gardens made by the hostesses throughout the room. Packages of seed were given as favors.

Mrs. D. L. Houle won the loor prize which was a gardening apron and bonnet.

Menu for the luncheon was smothered chicken, asparagus

with cheese sauce, rice, baked squash, butterhorn rolls, iced tea and strawberry torts. Hostesses were Mrs. T. E. Richardson, Mrs. Jim Parks, Mrs. Milburn Long, Mrs. Ida Parish, Mrs. H. B. MacMoy, and Mrs. Morris Jones.

Readers Write

Being a taxpayer of Eastland, although I spend most of my time out here on the coast, I have the right to express my opinion.

First, I congratulate the good sense of the people to keep all their schools in the city. If it costs more money, it is well spent to keep the prestige and individuality of the town.

Two terms for mayor and no more for any city is the best policy.

There is no use to fight to keep U. S. Highway 80 through the city because the Federal Government is trying to save lives, not money, and that will not hurt Eastland much anyway.

Parking meters are hurting Eastland more than the few nickles that are taken in.

Another thing bugging Eastland is the water situation. The price is not right. Let the minimum stay the same price and don't read the meters for one year. Eastland has enough water now to operate that way and just watch the gardens and flowers spring up.

Open wide the gates of Eastland to hospitality, friendly love and compassion to all who live there or are entering the gates. Money never made anyone big or little. It only gives power. Use it in an unselfish way and use it to benefit all instead of a chosen few.

This is my opinion. Use it if you want to.

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Mr. and Mrs. Denny Dukes of Abilene have announced the arrival of a daughter, Tanya Ann, who was born March 19 in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. At birth she weighed six pounds three and one half ounces.

Tanya has one brother, Ray Alan, two years old.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jumper of Eastland are the baby's maternal grandparents. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dukes Sr. of Eastland.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dukes of Gorman and G. L. Wood of Brownwood.

Sgt. and Mrs. Henry Sims Jr. of Eastland have announced the birth of a son, Gregory Lynn, who was born Thursday, April 29th, in the Blackwell Hospital at Gorman. At birth he weighed nine pounds and five ounces.

Sgt. Sims is stationed with the 49th Armored Division at Fort Polk, La.

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Thoughts for a Sunday

GOD'S CURE FOR AN ANXIOUS HEART

By Rev. Haston Brewer
Pastor, First Baptist Church

In Matthew 6:25-34 we find God's cure for an anxious heart. I: a society such as we live in we need to take time to study it well.

We fret. We worry. We just went it out from day to day. We are troubled on every hand by the complexities of life. Many times we are confused by our problems that we ask ourselves if it is really worth it after all. It is little wonder that we have emotional disturbances and nervous problems.

To a people like that, three times in these verses Jesus says, "Be not anxious" and we say "Why not be anxious?" How can we avoid it?

Jesus suggests to us some reasons for avoiding anxiety. In the first place, apart from God it is futile. It is God to which we must look as the provider for life. Jesus asked, "Which of you by taking thought can add one cubit unto his stature." Apart from God's provision all the efforts of man are futile.

In the second place, trusting in God, it is needless. If God can and does give life,

surely he can and will provide for the necessities of life. To this point Jesus calls attention to two illustrations. He calls upon us to observe the fowl of the air and then the lilies of the field. In essence he is saying, "If God can care for these with their limited abilities to provide for the future, surely he can provide for you since he has given you the ability to plan for the future." You have to sow, to reap, to toil, to spin and to store up for the future. Surely God can provide for you.

How do we avoid anxiety. Here again two things are suggested from the scripture. In the first place, we need to remember that our heavenly Father knows our needs and that we do not have a need that God does not care about. In the second place, we need to seek the higher things of life and God will provide for the lower things. Jesus said, "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness and all these things (necessities of life) will be added unto you."

God is still the giver of life. God is still the sustainer of life. So when you are anxious look up to God and trust Him to see you through.

'Shadows From The Past' Las Leales Theme Monday

"Shadows From the Past" will be the theme of the meeting of the Las Leales Club Monday, April 2nd, at the Woman's Club at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Anna G. Bumpass will give review on the book, "All of the Women of the Bible" by Edith Decca.

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Max Hill of Hawaii spent the past weekend visiting in the home of his father, Bob Hill, of Eastland.

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HARRY JORDAN	29	0	29	Owner, operator Jordan's Drive-in
DON PIERSON	36	0	9	Investment
VIRGII SEABERRY	38	2	38	Attorney
DALE TROUTT	32	0	3	Owner, operator Central Drug

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