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The Madonna and Child in Painting

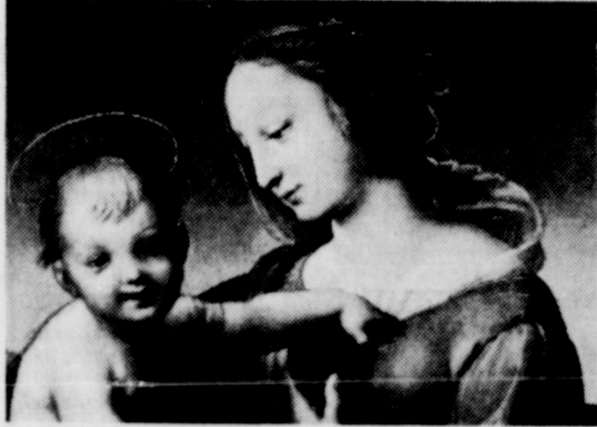
The Madonna and Child have long been a source of inspiration to artists. The period that produced the greatest works of art, of the Madonna and Child, was the Renaissance, though there is evidence of painting of the Madonna long before.

The number of Madonna pictures increased after the Council of Ephesus, in 431 A.D. when the Virgin Mary and Child became symbols of the accepted Christian faith. The oldest paintings were found in the catacombs of the early Christians, built between the First and Fifth Centuries, as places of worship. As persecution of the Christians under Roman emperors be-

came more intense, they took to the catacombs as places of prayer and refuge. In the catacomb of Saint Calixtus, in Rome, one of the earliest pictures of the Holy Family was found.

Renaissance means the rebirth of the art of classic antiquity. Although dates of this period vary from country to country, it is generally agreed that it began in the late 1200's and lasted into the early 1500's. It was a time in which new styles developed in painting, sculpture and architecture. The society in which the artist lived greatly influenced his art.

Some of the greatest pieces of religious art were



Washington, D.C.

Special mention goes to Andrea del Sarto, called the "perfect painter" by Florentines of the High Renaissance. He produced masterpieces like "The Holy Family," extremely satisfying and popular works of art.

One of the greatest painters of all time, Titian, a leading painter of the Venetian school, affirmed his joy of life in his "Assumption of the Virgin."

Giovanni Bellini, Giorgione, Alessio Baldovinetti, are among the many painters of the Madonna.

produced in this period. Paintings of the Madonna were fewer after the 1600's, but the really important paintings were produced before then.

Fra Filippo Lippi represented a sentimental trend in painting of the Renaissance. His "Madonna Adorning the Child" includes a deep forest background in his painting that shows the youthful mother kneeling before the Child. There is a feeling of light and delicacy in his stirring work "Madonna and Child Enthroned."

Some of the greatest paintings of the Madonna were done by Raphael in the late Renaissance. In his short but brilliant life, he

did many paintings much admired by those who painted after him. Though his drawing was based on the study of models, his Saints and Madonnas are idealized representations. Among his Madonna paintings are "The Madonna of the Chair," "The Alba Madonna," "Madonna in the Meadow," and his "Sistine Madonna," originally painted as an altar-piece for the Church of San Sisto. This masterpiece shows the Virgin Mary supported on clouds with the infant Jesus in her arms. Pope Sixtus II kneels in prayer on one side, Saint Barbara on the other. His "Niccolini-Cowper Madonna" shown above, hangs in the National Gallery in



Wishing White Christmas

H.B. Dempsey Services 3:30 In Cisco

Funeral services for Herman B. Dempsey, 66, of Route 2, Cisco, were to be at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Marle Self of Grand Prairie was to officiate. Burial was to be in Oakwood Cemetery directed by Holly-Rhynne Funeral Home.

Mr. Dempsey died at 7:55 a.m. Tuesday in Eastland Memorial Hospital.

He was born November 6, 1909, in Ranger. He was retired from Lone Star Gas and was a Southwest Regional manager for 42 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. He married Hazel Marie Stevens on

July 18, 1931, in Walters, Okla. He was a 32nd degree mason, member of Eastland Lodge and the Moslah Shrine Temple of Fort Worth.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel of Cisco; a son, Herman B. Dempsey of Cisco; one daughter, Mildred Faye Founders of Grand Prairie; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were to be Weldon Cunningham, A.H. Browning, Tommy Crowder, Don Martin, Daymon Eaton, Johnny Biondini, Johnny Castelnuovo, and R.M. Sneed.

GORDON SPOT

By County Agent De Gordon

We would like to extend holiday greetings to each of you.

As we honor our Lord's birth, it is a time for us to consider our relationships with others. This reminds us of a story we read in the Texas Community Improvement Program newsletter. The name of the author is unknown and we trust he will not be offended if we share the story with you.

The name of the story is entitled:

"THE MYSTERY OF THE DIPPER AND THE BUCKET"

You have heard of the cup that overflowed. This is a story of a bucket that is like that cup, only larger; it is an invisible bucket. Everyone has one. It is always with us. It determines how we feel about ourselves, about others, and how we get along with people. Have you ever experienced a series of very favorable things which made you want to be good to people for a week? When this happens, your bucket is full to overflowing.

A bucket can be filled by a lot of things that happen. When a person speaks to you, recognizing you as a human being, your bucket is filled a little even more if he calls you by name. If he compliments you on your dress or on a job well done, the level of your bucket goes up still higher. There must be a million ways to raise the level in another's bucket.

But remember, this is a theory about a dipper and a bucket. Other people have dippers and they can get their dippers in your bucket. Let's assume that while attending a function, I inadvertently upset my coffee. A big, brown spot appears, steam coming up from it. I am embarrassed. I turned redder than I usually do. The coffee keeps crawling right toward the lady across from me.

Finally it does it, it dribbles on her. She jumps a little, but she is really just being nice because it is hot.

Now I am so embarrassed that I would like to stop the world and get off. "Bright eyes" right down the table from me says, "You upset your coffee." I made a mistake; I knew it first; and then he said again, "You upset your coffee." He got his dipper in my bucket.

Think of the time a person makes a mistake, feels terrible about it, only to have someone tell him about the mistake as though he did not know it had happened.

Buckets are filled and buckets are emptied. When a person's bucket is empty, he is very different than when it is full. You say to a lady whose bucket is empty: "That's a pretty dress you are wearing today," and she may reply in an irritated, defensive way: "What was wrong with the dress I wore yesterday?"

The story of our lives is the interplay of the dipper and the bucket. Everyone has both. The mystery of the dipper and the bucket is that the only way we can fill our own bucket is to fill someone else's bucket. Civilization has been trying to learn this for a long time. The question is whether we will learn it soon enough or not.

The next time someone is right about what is wrong with you, and you already know it, you can say, "Hey, you have your dipper in my bucket." Or better yet, when you hear others "dipping" somebody else's, you can say "We are getting our dippers in his bucket. We ought to be filling his bucket instead of dipping." And in doing this, you have experienced the mystery of the dipper and the bucket.



DEAR SANTA: A good rain, a wet snow or whatever you have in your bag that will settle dust, provide stock water and generally wet up Eastland County. P.S. We needed it yesterday.

DEAR SANTA: You don't need to come to our house this year 'cause we will be in Lamesa. We'll be looking for you. Amy and Eric Farmer."

DEAR SANTA: Help us all get ready for Eastland's March 11 Beautify Texas Council meeting here. The City should be in bloom, and hopefully all of our bulbs are in.

DEAR SANTA: Let's help the women of the women's clubhouse board fix up the kitchen. Visiting the clubhouse now is a thrill and it's hard to remember the way it used to be, but the kitchen still needs much Tender, Loving Care.

DEAR SANTA: Remember Librarian Trudy Cushman with a special treat. She does so much for the library and the young folks in our town. Join us in saying, "Thank you, Trudy; we appreciate you."

DEAR SANTA: Is it alright with you if we all use our Christmas trees, when we're through with them, as fish attractors? The Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. says they make good attractors and shelters dropped into lakes and ponds. We'd better check with lake authorities, too.

DEAR SANTA: Speak in Eastland's behalf to the Moody Foundation so that the City Park Renovation Project will get favorable help from that organization, and let '76 be the year that our beloved park gets its new life.

DEAR SANTA: Seven good nominees being elected to the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and it should be a good year...Dynamic Dan Eddy of the State Office of Salvation Army will be featured speaker for the Chamber Banquet on Jan. 15. Dan came to Eastland in 1954 to help organize Eastland's United Fund, which has never failed to reach its goal. We'll all need to get our tickets early for the special banquet. Don Martin is special events chairman and Dale Bakker in charge of ticket sales.

DEAR SANTA: Please do something nice for all the USDA people who work in Eastland County. They certainly work for the best interest of our folks and we all appreciate them.

DEAR SANTA: Please help get the bugs out of the new super switchboard telephone system at Eastland National Bank. It's a normal confusion in adding the more sophisticated equipment, but poor employees and customers were having their patience tried in getting adjusted to the new system. Bet you can get it working right, right now.

DEAR SANTA: Help us devise new super market and super demand for Eastland County peanuts world-wide. Latest reports show 45.3 bushels an acre for us and we've got the best peanut farmers in the world. Perhaps you could have the U.S. Surgeon General issue a statement that eating a cup of E.C. - peanuts a day is beneficial to health.

55 Families Made Merry By Goodfellows

Approximately 55 families will have a merrier Christmas thanks to the Goodfellows through their hard work and the generous donations of the people in Eastland, the Goodfellows were a success again in '75.

All three of the Eastland Nursing Homes received gifts to help each resident have a merry Christmas.

All the donations are greatly appreciated. All the folks who were volunteers in the Goodfellow drive did a wonderful job and we are proud of them.

Previous Report	\$3,157.78
Anonymous	\$20
Amy, Modell and Leo Gann in memory of Everett Plowman	\$20
Y.A. Wright	\$5
Sarah E. Stokes	\$10
In memory of Spike Uffelmann	\$10
Mrs. Roy Ayers	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Allmand	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. B.R. Little	\$10
Mrs. H.Z. Mathews	\$5
Ada V. Morren	\$5
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hogan Jr.	\$10
Scott J. Bailey in memory of Everett Plowman	\$5
Total to date	\$3,272.78

BIRTHS

Rev. and Mrs. Rudy Fambrough proudly announce the birth of their son, Chad Mark. He weighs 8 lbs., and is 22 inches in length. He was born December 16, 1975, at 1:00 a.m.

The couple have one other son, Andy, 6 years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.B. McSpadden of Odessa. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D.G. Fambrough of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe White of Sweetwater proudly announce the birth of their son Joe Lee White. He was born December 11, 1975, at 10:57 a.m. in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. He weighs 8 lbs., 2 ozs.

Grandparents are Mrs. Mary Cagle of Eastland and Mrs. Jo White of Houston.

New Semester Starts Jan. 5 For Adult Education

The new semester of Adult Education begins at 6:00 p.m. Monday, January 5, 1976.

If you desire a high school degree or just need refresher courses you are welcome to attend.

Courses available in English, Math, Science, Literature, History, and Spelling.

Any additional information desired, please call Bob Blair, the Adult Education Director, at 629-2370.

Kathy Jones Hoes Receives B.A.

Kathy Jones Hoes received her B.S. degree in the fall commencement at East Texas State University, December 19.

A total of 589 degrees were conferred. President F.H. McDowell made a brief address and the deans of each of the four colleges presented the candidates.

The Rev. John M. Purcett, pastor of Commerce First Presbyterian Church, gave the invocation and benediction.

7 Pecan Growers Win Ribbons At Pecan Show

Seven pecan growers who won ribbons in the Eastland County Pecan Show won additional honors at the Central Texas Regional Pecan Show at Arlington last week. B.L. Phillips of Olden won a reserve champion rosette at the regional show with his entry of native pecans.

Carl Shoults and Son won the reserve champion in-shell rosette with their entry of Wichita pecans. Shoults lives in Abilene, but exhibited pecans in the Eastland County Show. In addition to winning the rosette Shoults won first places in the Barton, Burkett, Mahan and Wichita classes. He won second in the lightest pecan class.

Other pecan growers in

Eastland County who won ribbons at the regional show were B.B. Freeman of Ranger, who won third in the Burkett class; Dan Childress of Eastland, who won second in the Choctaw class; Mrs. C.E. Smith of Rising Star, who won third in the Choctaw class; Charlie Underwood of Gorman, who won first in the Comanche Class and James Alexander of Pioneer, who won second in the Halbert class.

No Garbage Pickup Christmas Day

The City of Eastland garbage truck employees will not run on Christmas Day. Instead, they will make their Christmas run on Saturday, Dec. 27. This is the only day this year that the trash truck has not run.

Rotary Club Holds Meet

The Rotary Club met Monday at the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Mr. Pat Miller was in charge of the program. He brought Attorney Jim Wright to speak on Title and Abstract Laws.

The Management & Staff Of The Telegram Wish You A Merry & Peaceful Christmas

The surprise Chef for the meeting was Rotary President Ken Reese, and he surprised the members with bologna sandwiches.

Next Monday, Dec. 28, the Club will meet at the Ramada Inn.

The program will be given by Attorney Saul Pullman. The club will also elect officers for the new year.

FREYSLAG Insurance
WEATHER REPORT
Fair and Cold Thru Thursday.

Free Parking in Eastland
Mon-Tues-Wed-Thur-Fri-Sat



Pictured is a family portrait of the Homer Smiths taken at the retirement party held for Mr. Smith, Wednesday, December 17.

FULLEN MOTOR CO. PUNCH LINE OF THE WEEK

Judge: "Are you a property owner?"
Prospective juror: "Yes, your honor."
"Married or single?"
"I've been married 20 years, your honor."
"Have you formed or expressed any opinion?"
"Not for 20 years, your honor."

Brag Corner

Gay, 7 months and Kay, 7 months. Twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tabor GRANDPARENTS: Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Bickley Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Tabor GREAT - GRANDPARENTS - - Mr. and Mrs. Carl Millam Mrs. Hattie Rice GOD - GRANDPARENTS - - Mr. and Mrs. Pat Miller

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE--Peanut hay in the field, 65c a bale. 639-2518. t-4

MISC. FOR SALE--Clean rugs, like new, so easy to do with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer. Perry Brothers. t-104

FOR SALE--WELL kept carpets show the results of regular Blue Lustre spot cleaning. Rent electric shampooer. Coats Furniture. t-104

FOR SALE--Frigidaire washer and Wards dryer, 4 years old, both copper-tone. \$125. Call 629-1055. t-1f

For Sale - 1970 Hornet 2 door. Also, 1965 Kaiser jeep, 6 cylinder. Call 629-2052. t-f

New Mobile Homes. FHA financing available. VA financing now available. Many models and sizes to choose from. Low down payment. Low monthly payments. Eastland Direct Factory Outlet, Olden, Texas. Office phone 653-2432 or home phone 629-2117. t-f

FOR SALE--Extra nice 1971 Buick Electra, 4 door, lots of extras at a fair price. See at Rubens Interstate Gulf, 3 miles south of Eastland or call 442-1127. t-103

For Sale - Ready to live in new modular Home and city lot in Ranger. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central heat, plush shag carpet, drapes and appliances. 15 year FHA Financing Available. The 5 percent Government tax rebate applies to this Home. Call Gary at 629-1702 or 629-2875. t-f

FOR SALE--Long Branch Polled Hereford Farm. - Registered Bulls for sale and registered Durox - Bores. 817-249-1776. Will be at farm on weekends.

FOR SALE--Large office size desk and padded swivel chair \$50; swing set-2 swings-glider-slide, like new \$25; large refrigerator with freezer on bottom \$50; color TV cabinet model \$50; 4 drawer maple chest \$20; white GE washer and dryer, gave \$800 will take \$350 (1 year old); coffee table and 2 end tables, all three for \$5. Antique wood table and 6 chairs for \$25. Underwood portable typewriter \$20; Smith Corona electric adder \$25; GE Canister vacuum cleaner \$15; see at 606 College or call 629-1637. t-104

FOR SALE--New pickup canopy for long, wide bed. Cheap. 629-2805. t-1f

HORSE FOR SALE--Gelding 8 years old. Good 4-H horse. Trained some for barrels. Call 629-8034. t-2

FOR SALE--Ford 9N tractor, disc, plow, 2 disc breaking plows, cultivator and planter, 4 wheel tandem steel equipment trailer. Call Olden 653-2223 t-4

FOR SALE: 1971 12 x 60 mobile home set up on rented lot. Excellent location. Must sell, make offer. 647-3106.

FOR SALE--62 Ford. Vinyl top, air, heater, radio. Bargain. 807 Halbryan, Eastland, Texas.

LUZIER COSMETICS For the very best in all types of skin care. Foundation-liquid and creams-translucent powders. Lovely gifts. Call 653-2220. t-5

Sturdy sheet iron carport for as little as \$245.00. 2 car carport only \$365.00. 629-2805. t-f

Used Sewing Machine. Straight Stitch. \$32.50. We also clean, oil and adjust all makes and models. 629-1604.

FOR SALE--1975 National Mobile Home. Practically new, 14 x 60, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, carpet throughout, appliances and living room furniture included. Central heat and air. Small amount down and assume payments. Call 629-2158 or 629-2276 after 6 p.m. t-3

FOR SALE

NOTICE--For your aluminum storm windows, screens, doors, window awnings, and carports, call Otis Coleman. 629-1644. t-f

HAY FOR SALE \$1.35 a bale, stacked in the barn. Carbon, Texas, 639-2424. t-103

For Sale - 15 4-10 peanut allotment in Eastland County. 1056 lb. per acre yield. Bob L. Pierce, Box 222, Wink, Texas.

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FOR SALE--Wedding ring set, blue white diamonds set in white gold. Center diamond 1/2 carat, 11 smaller diamonds. Valued at \$700. Sell for \$250. Seen only 7:30 to 9 p.m., 1209 W. Commerce. t-101

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NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION--new 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with central heat and air, 2 car garage, natural wood burning fire place, built-in kitchen appliances, large dining area, dressing area in master bedroom. Located in exclusive Eastland area on large wooded lot. Call H&W Development Co., 629-1702 for Gary. t-1f

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FOR SALE--1975 Buick Electra 225, fully powered, 4 door, vinyl top, AM-FM tape combo, low mileage. Call 629-1768 during day or 653-2249 after 6 p.m. t-1f

FOR SALE - Wichita Pecans. 75 cents lb. These pecans are soft shell with approximately 60 percent kernel. Dan Childress. 629-2958. t-f

FOR SALE AT EASTLAND TELEGRAM--Good assortment of office supplies--staplers--scotch tape--dispensers, adding machine tapes and many more. Office open from 8 to 5 Monday thru Friday.

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WANTED--Waitress needed at Cattleman's Restaurant. 2-10 shift. Apply in person. t-1f

WE CAN BUILD for you a new 3 bedroom brick home with central heat and air. Low down payment. Monthly payments \$65 if you qualify. For more information call H&W Development Co., 629-1702, for Gary. t-f

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NOTICE

MISSING FROM pasture north of town. 11 month old black bull calf about 400 lbs. Anyone knowing whereabouts please call Mac Plowman. 629-2204. t-8

EAR PIERCING FREE with purchase of 24 karat ear studs, \$8.00 until Jan. 15. At Basham's Beauty Bar, 1416 S. Lamar. t-6

CENTRAL TEXAS Opportunities, Inc., is taking applications for a Field Coordinator position with the GOMA Program (Governor's Office of Migrant Affairs). Applicant must have administrative experience and experience in working with migrants. Applicants must have their own transportation, willing to travel, and able to attend out of town workshops. Central Texas Opportunity Employer. Applicants interested in the above position should write Central Texas Opportunity Inc., P.O. Box 820, Coleman, Texas, 76483. All applications should be in by Tuesday, December 28, 1975. t-103

THE MENTAL Health/Menatal Retardation Center for Central Texas is accepting applications for the position of Community Mental Health Workers. Qualification (basic) high school diploma or G.E.D. Basic understanding of human development, motivation and behavior. Outgoing, pleasant personality. Dependable, personal vehicle. Citizen of Eastland or Comanche County Applications may be obtained by writing: Mental Health/Menatal Retardation Center, P.O. Box 250, Brownwood, Texas, 76801, or at the office at 300-400 Lakeway in Brownwood. Applicants will be notified of the time and place of the employment interview. AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. t-1

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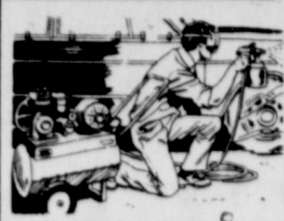
FURS WANTED - Skinned or UNskinned. Market prices paid. 817-725-7350 Higginbottom. Box 291. Cross Plains, Tex. 76443 t-3

FOUND--strayed calf on Bernard Campbell farm 2 1/2 miles south of Carbon. Owner may identify calf and pay for ad. t-103

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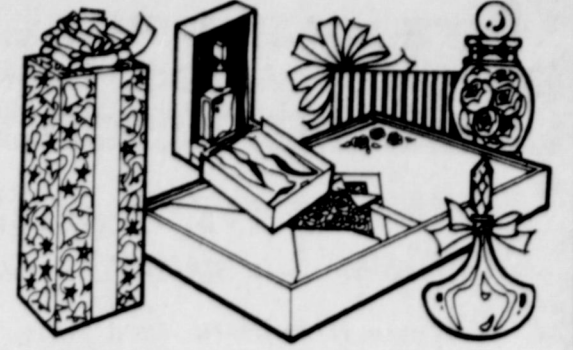
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C.B. Hazel of Ranger completed No. 7-A Swenson in the Little Cedar (Strawn) Field 16 miles northwest of Ranger. Location is 1,650 feet from the south and 2,310 feet from the east lines of Section 19, Block 6, T&P Survey. Daily potential was 78 barrels of 41 gravity oil, plus 15 barrels of water. It is pumping from perforations at 2,858-73 feet, treated with 500 gallons of acid. The pay was fractured with 60,000 pounds of sand and 1,000 gallons of water. Operator set the 4 1/2 inch casing at 2,980 feet. Total depth was 3,030 feet and plugged back to 2,920 feet.

A project was plugged back and recompleted in the Caddo in the Lee Ray Field 12 miles northeast of Cisco, and 12 miles west of Ranger. It is Don M. Holden, Breckenridge, No. 1-D G.W. Thorpe, spotting 467 feet from the south and west lines of the northeast quarter of Section 456, SP Survey. Daily potential was 27 barrels of 40.5 gravity oil, flowing by heads through a 13-64 inch choke. Production is from perforations at 3,028-32 feet with the seven-inch casing set at 3,990 feet, total depth. The hole was plugged back to 3,146 feet. It is a former Mississippian gas well completed by Holden from perforations at 3,547-57 feet.

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Cleo Greenwood

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Albert Johnson
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Everett Young
Jesse Bell
Fay Crawley
Gladys Boutwell
H.W. Luster
Charlie Nosek
Wilma Westbrook
Floyd Smith
Paul Brown
R.E. Miller
Jack Rawls
Janice West
Baby Girl West
Anita Buchanan

Baby Boy Buchanan
Clyde Campbell
Luther Hatfield
Alla Kuykendall
Opal Hamilton
Pete Tindall
Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital Tuesday, December 23, 1975, were:
Kellar Nevill
Pebble Boles
Tonna Adair
Brenda Meacham
Mae Edna Gattis
Ernest Parish
Alma Vann
Loretta Morris

Hazel Gourley
Susan Phillee
Cheryl Pemberton
Jovest Johnson
Dwight Hamilton
Howard Rich
William Lewis
Earl Brown
Baby Boy Phillee
Baby Boy Pemberton
Dwain Webb
Ellen Boggus
Homer Hall
Joseph Barbee
Robert Niver
Hugh Armstrong
Maggie Christian
Velma Holland
Mildred Davis

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Mary Mehaffey
Goldie Taylor
Lydia Warren
Dessie Tucker
Oris Robertson
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Charles Werley
Roy Byrd
Ian Kirk
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John Champin
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Ethel Rowch
Thelma Dyson
Clida Wharton
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**Sherry Loudamy - Bobby Williamson
Wedding Vows Said December 14**

Sherry Elaine Loudamy and Bobby Dean Williamson exchanged wedding vows in a double-ring ceremony on Sunday, December 14, 1975, at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Ranger, Texas.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Luther F. Loudamy Jr., of Ranger, and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Williamson of Eastland.

Rev. Franklin Krause of Muskogee, Oklahoma, officiated the ceremony. Mrs. Wayne Bickers was organist with Miss Cyndy McKinney, cousin of the bride, as soloist. Selections were "We've Only Just Begun", "Twelfth of Never", and "The Lord's Prayer".

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white organza with chantilly lace detailing a high-rise neckline, empire bodice, and lantern sleeves. A repeat of lace was continued on the flowing skirt with chapel train. The chapel length tulle veil trimmed in chantilly lace fell from a bando. A floral bouquet of red and white carnations, which were the bride's chosen colors, combined with baby's breath completed her attire.

Serving as Matron of Honor was Mrs. Mike Lebrede of Grand Prairie. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Roger Rutledge and Miss Laurie Ann Loudamy, sister of the bride, both of Ranger.

Flower girl was Missy Sharp of Eastland, and ring bearer was Malcolm Williamson of Cisco, niece and nephew of the bride.

Best Man was Rocky Maynard of Eastland. Groomsmen were Larry Wilson and John McCleskey of Eastland. Serving as ushers were Gary Loudamy, brother of the bride, of Arlington; Mike Reid of Eastland; and Bobby Bird of Lubbock.

The reception was held following the ceremony in Fellowship Hall. Members of the Houseparty were Mrs. Herman Glueck, Mrs. Gil Gaeta Jr., Miss Beverly Burns, and Mrs. Mike Reid, all of Eastland.

After a honeymoon trip to Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson are residing at 303 North Daugherty in Eastland.

Mrs. Williamson is a 1972 graduate of Ranger High School. She completed the Business Secretarial Course at Ranger Junior College in 1973.

**Thursday Afternoon Club
Holds Christmas Party**

The newly remodeled Woman's Club decorated in lights and Christmas tinsel was the scene of the Thursday Afternoon Club's Christmas dinner for members, husbands and guests. Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. H.L. Hassell, James Horton, L.E. Corbell, Larry Kirk, Floyd Robertson and Iral Inzer.

The theme "Tinsel and Holly, 'Tis a Time to be Jolly" was presented by Mrs. H.L. Hassell, president, in her greetings. The invocation, given by Mrs. Joseph Perkins, preceded the bounteous meal of smoked turkey, rice and broccoli, green beans melange, cranberry fluff salad, spiced sliced apples, hot rolls, tea and coffee. Serving was done by three girls from the High School Homemaking Department.

A beautiful musical program was presented by the Rev. Ben Marney singing "O Come Emanuel", "O Holy Night", and "I Heard the Bells", and Mrs. Durel Reid singing "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly" and "I Wonder As I Wander". Mr. Durel Reid was the accompanist.

After the program, guests were invited to visit each other and the tasting table which was laden with many kinds of sweet delicacies.

The 49 members and guests where she was a member of the Phi Theta Kappa Fraternity. She is presently employed by Lone Star Gas Company in Eastland.

Mr. Williamson is a 1971 graduate of Eastland High School and attended Howard Payne University. He is presently serving in the Marine Reserves Corp. He is employed by Williamson Construction Company.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Ramada Inn.

besides the hostesses were: Mr. and Mrs. Jay Staggs, Mrs. A.E. Cushman, Mrs. I.C. Heck, Mrs. Roy Townsend, Mrs. Pearson Grimes, Mrs. E.M. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Kimmy, Mrs. Pat Crawford, Mrs. Mary Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cauble, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner, Mrs. Arthur Murrell, Mrs. Myrtle Richardson, Mrs. J.F. Francis, the Rev. and Mrs. Haston Brewer, Mrs. Flarra Caton, Mrs. Rena Earnest, the Rev. and Mrs. Ben Marney, Mrs. Ruth Noah, Mrs. Dan Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loreto, Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Rice, Mrs. Bill Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. H.V. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perkins, Miss Dorothy Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Durel Reid, Virginia Russell, Mrs. Roy Young.

Jerry Tucker of Pleasanton is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tucker, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Richerson and Melanie and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tucker visited in Wichita Falls on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor and Mrs. Minnie Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Basham and Monica are visiting with relatives in Eastland during the Christmas holidays. Lonnie is teaching school at Del Valle just outside of Austin.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tucker and Dionne McKinnon over the Christmas holidays are Mrs. Tucker's children: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Andersen of Tolna, North Dakota; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Andersen and David of Langdon, North Dakota; and Dennis McKinnon of Detroit Lakes, Minn.



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WASHINGTON, D.C.—Senator Lloyd Bentsen, said on December 18, that a new drug just approved by the Food and Drug Administration should help cattlemen increase beef production without the potential dangers which led to a ban of Diethylstilbestrol (DES).

Early this fall, Bentsen repeatedly called on the FDA to speed its consideration of "Monensin", a new product which significantly improves the utilization of feed by cattle. DES had just been banned because of its suspected cancer-producing effects, and the cattle industry was badly in need of a substitute.

The FDA responded to Bentsen's efforts and early this week approved the use of Monensin.

"All available research indicates that Monensin can offer a substantial savings to both the feed lot industry and consumers across the country", Senator Bentsen said.

"Before I called for quick

FDA action, my office personally investigated work done on the product at the San Angelo agricultural station in Texas. Studies there showed that Monensin can increase the feed efficiency of cattle by as much as 15% simply by changing the fermentation process in an animal's stomach."

"And, it is not estrogen-based as DES is, nor is it a suspected carcinogen."

Bentsen said that according to Gordon VanVleck, President of the American National Cattlemen's Association, Monensin could have saved American cattle feeders \$200 million if it had been approved by the FDA six months ago.

"The product sounds good, and with the future of DES in serious jeopardy, we had to come up with a safe and efficient substitute that can help boost our country's beef production."

"I am extremely hopeful that Monensin will fit the bill", Senator Bentsen said.

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The Lord does everything by prayer. He does nothing without it.

Every lack in the life of a Christian may be traced to the want of prayer. But the one who prays will never lack any good thing.

We all have trouble in life, and we all should pray in trouble. One who did asked the Lord for three things in Psalm 141:1 and 2.

First, an audience, "Lord," said the Psalmist, "I cry unto Thee: give ear unto my voice." The Lord wants you. He wants your fellowship. He brought His Son to Calvary to make it possible. Prayer is coming into His presence.

There is man's mouth at one end, and the Lord's ear at the other.

Second, assistance. "Lord" he cried, "make haste unto me." His attitude was, "Lord, I cannot, but You can." The rule of his life was this: "I must pray about it." The reason many do not have what they want is because they do not ask the Lord for it.

Third, acceptance. "Let my prayer," he said, "be set before Thee." He did not play at prayer. He worked at it. Prayer is work, and prayer works. It is the greatest force on earth. Why leave it unappropriated or unapplied?

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- 544 acres with coastal and other improved grasses, good terms, some minerals.
- 1297 acres in Eastland County with some cultivation and improved grasses, good place.
- 695 acres in Eastland County with some river bottom, \$315 per acre.
- 306 acres near Eastland on Leon River with 106 acres coastal bermuda and remaining improved grasses, ample irrigation. Water and equipment for all of tract. 7 stock tanks, pecan trees, good fences, metal corrals and a 40' x 72' all steel barn, also other out buildings.
- 328 acres in Stephens County. \$262.50 per acre.
- 320 acres with all improved grasses, good fences, 1/2 minerals, \$350 per acre with good terms.
- 160 acres with a 3 bedroom home, fireplace, 2 good tanks, natural gas, on pavement, city water with some love grass.
- 163 acres, 3 bedroom home, all coastal, good fences, and barns. Located in the Carbon area. \$475 per acre.
- 668 acres some improved grasses with a 2 bedroom house, good barns, good well water, located in Stephens County.
- 160 acres Southeast of Ranger, deer and 1/2 minerals. \$300 per acre.
- 198 acres with 3 bedroom home on pavement with city water, 70 acres of cultivation near Lake Leon.
- 245 acres, 7 miles Southeast of Eastland with city water, 1/2 minerals, \$325 per acre.
- 224 acres improved grasses with good fences and good set of pens. \$10,000 down. Owner will finance. \$315 per acre. Location near Carbon.
- 215 acres near Olden with good fences and good stock tanks.
- 491 acres in Eastland County with nice brick home, some coastal, fenced and cross fenced. Approx. 1/2 the minerals. Shown by appointment only.
- 320 acres near Carbon, 60 acres of coastal, fair fences, 1/2 minerals. \$315 per acre.
- 486 acres near Lake Leon with 2 bedroom rock home, irrigation, and good fences, on pavement.
- 150 acres North of Eastland on pavement with 77 acres of cultivation, and city water. \$400 per acre.
- 138 acres, 11 acres peanut allotment, 5 miles west of Rising Star. \$235 per acre.
- 80 acres southwest of Cisco with 2 bedroom home. \$29,400
- 120 acres on Sabanna River, pecan trees, deer and turkey, 1/2 minerals. Good terms.
- 74 acres north of Eastland with city water on pavement. \$400 per acre.
- 140 acres close to Eastland with 2 bedroom home, good barns, good fences, \$450 per acre.
- 74 acres with cultivation on County Road north of Eastland with city water on pavement. \$400 per acre.
- 143 acres northwest of Ranger, with 52 acres of peanuts, \$375 per acre.
- 150 acres south of Eastland, 140 acres in coastal, good fences on County Road with city water. \$425 per acre.

SMALL ACREAGE

- 1 acre with a 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Olden.
- 11 acres with 2 bedroom, rock home, extra nice, good barns, city water, on pavement, north of Eastland.
- 5 acres, 2 bedroom, fireplace, den and 2 bath home, northwest of Cisco. \$25,000
- 8 acres on Interstate, Ranger. Good location.
- 2 tracts on Interstate 20 near Cisco, will G.I.
- 26 acres near Eastland with city water \$12,600.

HOUSES

- 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, carpeted, with central heat. Good location. Shown by appointment only. \$21,000.
- 4 bedroom, 3 bath house on Dixie. Shown by appointment only.
- 2 bedroom, 2 bath house with fireplace, corner lot on Mulberry St.
- 2 bedroom, 1 bath house, partially carpeted and paneled. Located on Cypress Street in Ranger. \$10,500
- 3 bedroom, rock house on South Seaman Street, \$7,000
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- 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace, could be arranged for a duplex.
- 8 city lots suited for trailer park. \$6,500
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- 590 acre ranch with 112 acres cultivation. Old house, corrals, barns, 5 tanks, 1 well, part minerals. \$150,000. Some terms.
- 160 acre peanut farm completely equipped. 70 acres peanut allotment. Gorman area. \$600 per acre
- 130 acres Ranger area, old improvements, some Coastal. Terms. \$350 per acre.
- 107 acres, 8 miles northeast of Rising Star, sandy land, 2 tanks, 1 well, 85 percent minerals. \$350 per acre.
- 41 acres, 4 bedroom, 4 bath house, barns, 100 pecan trees, good bottom land, with water from Palo Pinto Creek for irrigation. Strawn.
- 135 acres with 46 acres peanut allotment, peach trees, 4 wells, \$350 per acre.
- 640 acre ranch, excellent hunting, live creek. \$275 per acre.
- 1100 acre well improved ranch. House, corrals, \$325 per acre.
- 480 acres, Eastland County, 2 bedroom house, irrigation.

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- Large 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath house on South side Lake Leon. One acre plus, \$14,000

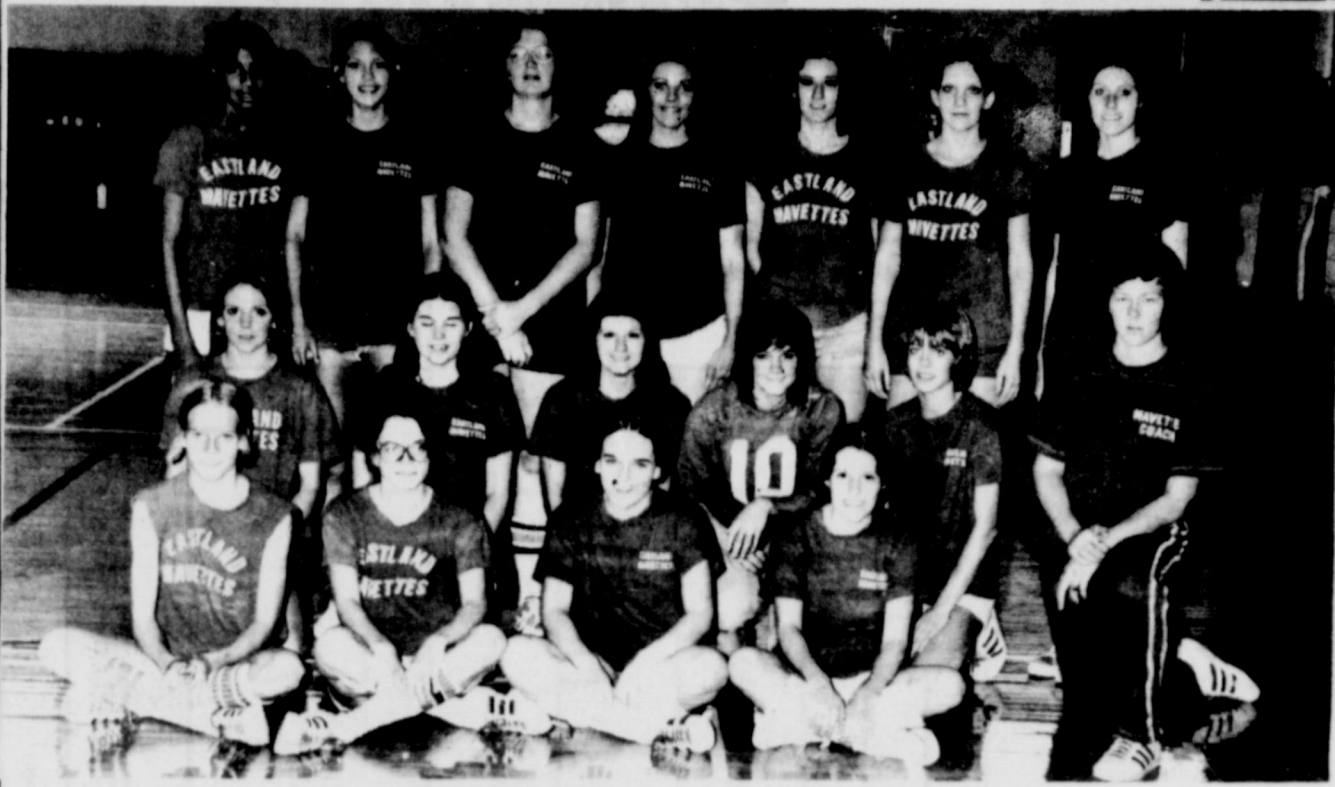
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Top Row: Coach Bagwell, Doug May, Jerry Boles, Sylvester Wilson. Bottom: Lon Mahan, Duke Johnson, Aaron Arnold, and Mark Pruitt.



MAVETTE JUNIOR VARSITY - Bottom row left to right: Sherry Wheat, Cynthia Sancillo, Darla Bond, Laura Johnson, Katrina Amburn, Darla Elliott, Carla Elliott, Rose Fox, Terry Gomez, Donnay Adair, Terresa Koen, Kelly Stone. Top row left to right: Pam Golden, Karen Perkins, Wynell Ensor, Melissa Tankersley, Ginger Hoffmann, Brenda Adams, Judy Krantz, Brenda Stiles, Jacki Webster, Nan Elliott, and Miss Charlotte Mason, coach. (Photo by Steve Haines)



JUNIOR HIGH VARSITY - Coach McPhearson, Doug May, Johnnie Washington, Nathan Washington, Tom Winigar, Jim Owens. Bottom Row: Elwin Davidson, John Hill, Tommy Quiroga, Keith Bulgerin, Chris Justice. Not pictured Larry Mathis

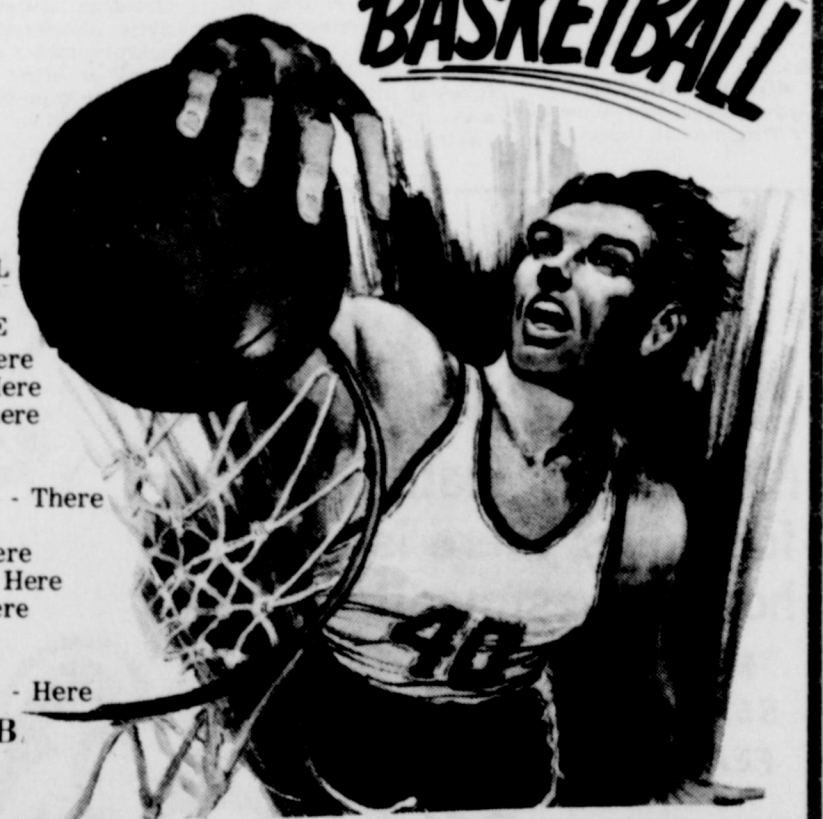


**EASTLAND JUNIOR HIGH
REVISED BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**
 Jan. 8 - Ranger (7th, 8th) - There
 Jan. 15 - Cisco (8th) - There
 Jan. 22 - Clyde (7th, 8th) - There
 Feb. 2 - Comanche (7th, 8th) - There
 Feb. 5 - Clyde (7th, 8th) - Here
 Feb. 9 - Comanche (7th, 8th) - Here
 Jan. 22 - 23 - 24 - Breckenridge Tournament



**EASTLAND HIGH SCHOOL
BOYS AND GIRL
BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**
 Jan. 2 - Coleman - There
 Jan. 6 - Comanche - Here
 Jan. 9 - Hamilton - There
 Jan. 13 - Clyde - Here
 Jan. 16 - Open
 Jan. 20 - Breckenridge - There
 Jan. 23 - Cisco - Here
 Jan. 27 - Coleman - Here
 Jan. 30 - Comanche - Here
 Feb. 3 - Hamilton - Here
 Feb. 6 - Clyde - There
 Feb. 10 - Open
 Feb. 13 - Breckenridge - Here

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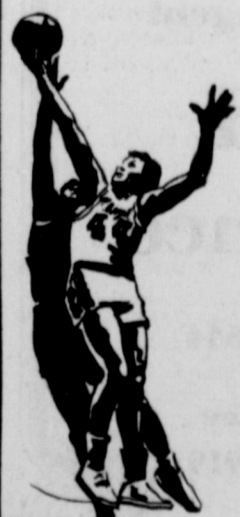
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Justices of the 11th Civil Appeals Court: Pictured are Justice Esco Walters, Chief Justice Austin McCloud and Justice Rawleigh Brown.

11th Court Of Civil Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas December 19, 1975.

AFFIRMED

Burl Harris v. Earl Edgar (Opinion by Judge Walter)--Taylor

Lee Ridout v. Gold Star Distributors, Inc. (Opinion by Judge Walter)--Dallas

DISMISSED

A.P. Simons Company v. John E. Julian et al (Opinion by Judge McCloud)--Dallas

REVERSED AND RENDERED Wayne Qualls v. J.R. Weatherall (Opinion by Judge Brown)--Knox

REVERSED AND REMANDED Elton Glen Fitzgerald v. Texas Department of Public Safety. (Opinion by Judge Walter)--Erath

MOTIONS SUBMITTED

Gladys Dulin et vir v. Tommie Nelle Wright et al. Appellee's motion to issue Mandate.--Nolan

George Allen and Norma F. Allen v. Great Liberty Life Insurance Company. Appellee's motion for permanent withdrawal of Transcript, Statement of Facts and Exhibits.--Dallas

Inez Williams, Executrix of the Estate of H.F. Williams, Deceased v. W.M. Little. Appellant's motion for rehearing.--Comanche

Patricia Anne Mueller v. David W. Mueller. Agreed motion to file Appellee's brief.--Dallas

MOTIONS GRANTED

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Christmas Trees Makes Good Fishing

WICHITA FALLS--Recycle - used Christmas trees into fish attractors or shelters in your private lake or pond.

"These fish attractors can also be used around fishing piers or a favorite 'honey hole' in most public lakes," said Jack Crabtree, Parks and Wildlife Department fishery biologist. "However, some public lakes do have regulations which prohibit introduction of brush into the water."

Since these provisions vary, one should first check with the water body administrator before installing a fish shelter on a public lake.

To be worthwhile, four or five trees should be used as minimum shelter. Simply tie the trees together in a bundle, preferably with wire, and anchor them with heavy weights. The weights should completely submerge the trees.

Christmas tree brush shelters such as these are especially attractive to crappie and sunfish Crabtree explained.

If you have trouble securing additional Christmas trees, you should check with organizations which sell them. These groups may donate their un-sold trees to a worthy cause.

On a larger scale, Christmas tree collecting could be expanded into a project for some of the East Texas fishing and bass clubs.

Flocked trees are not recommended, although pine and cedar with regular tinsel work well.

"One temporary drawback in using Christmas trees for fish shelters," Crabtree continued, "is that they contain resin. Fish are sensitive to odors and may not use the shelters until the smell dissipates. This may take up to four weeks."

Commission Accepts Bid For Grader

Eastland County Commissioners Monday accepted a bid by Burton Enterprises Co. for a Precinct 3 surplus motor grader.

Burton will pay \$3,250 for the grader.

County offices, with the exception of the sheriff's department, will be closed Wednesday through Sunday for Christmas.

These self-styled fish shelters should provide good fishing as soon as the resin odor disappears. In addition, they are generally more durable than regular wood and brush shelters because of the resin.

Registrations To Be Mailed

AUSTIN--An era is coming to an end.

Texas motorists this week will begin receiving their new auto registration applications in the mail.

But in 1976, instead of new metal license plates, Texas vehicles will sport small strips of reflective material. The bicentennial red, white and blue validation stickers are to be affixed to the area outlined by an embossed rectangle in the upper left-hand corner of the five-year plates issued a year ago.

So, for the first time since World War II, Texans will use license plates issued in an earlier year.

Yule Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webber had an early Christmas in their home Sunday. Attending the Christmas get-together were: Brenda Daniel of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Daniel and Sandra, Mr. James Lewis, all of Eastland, and Billy Daniel, Jason and Dwight Lewis of the home.

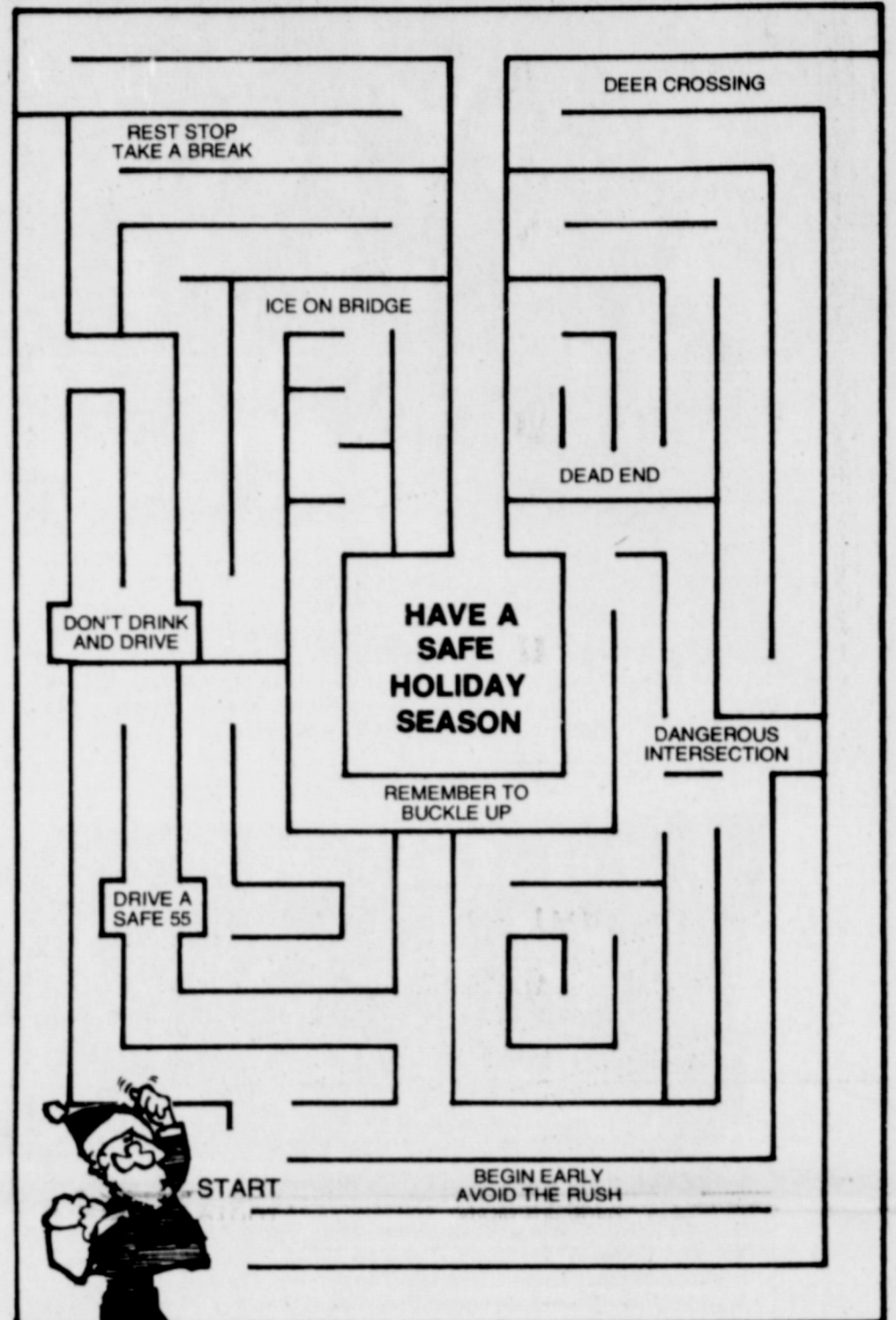
Mrs. Florene Miller had guests in her home over the weekend. Visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller of Houston. Visitors for the Christmas holiday include the Glenn Miller family of New Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Miller of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dendy and family of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Van Jones of Wichita

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Herridge and boys, Ron and Brad, from Ganado, Texas, are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Minton Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Herridge.

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