

In a brief ceremony in Steve Wilson's Junior High Health Class Monday Wayne Eaves of the Peanut Producers Board presented Judy Baker with an award for her "Magic words that got that fellow down from

Wilson's classes had sent some 57 letters to Secretary Earl Butz last fall protesting proposed peanut policy changes; but Miss Baker's letter caught the fancy of USDA officials and prompted a visit to Eastland by Ass't Secy. William Lanier, head of the Tobacco and Peanut Division. Here he discussed problems face - to - face with area peanut producers and industry representatives.

Judy accepted the plaque in front of her fellow letter - writing students, who found out because of a civics project, that even thier words are heard in a representative type government such as ours.

'I'd like to tell how much the Texas Peanut Industry appreciates the letters you wrote to Washington in defense of our industry", said Eaves to the class of concerned 8th graders.

The plaque read: Presented by the Texas Peanut Producers Board and the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association to Judy Baker for her defense of the Peanut industry in effectively enticing a top USDA o official from Washington, D.C., Eastland, Texas, Nov. 73

'It did a lot of good", though everything is still much the same as when Mr. Lanier visited here Dec. 4, Eaves admitted.

Graveside Rites

For Eugene Harris

Held Wednesday

Graveside rites for Eugene

Harris, 55, of Andrews were

held in Eastland Cemetery at 5

p.m. Wednesday, directed by

Singleton Funeral Home of

Andrews. Local arrangements

were in charge of Arrington

The Rev. Jack Hopkins,

minister of the First United

Methodist Church of Ranger,

Mr. Harris died in an Odessa

He was born May 25, 1918, in

Survivors include his wife,

Louise: five children; three

Miller of Kingsland and Mrs.

Kenneth (Corrine) Dingle of

Longview; an aunt, Mrs. Tom

Sharp of Olden, and an uncle,

Buster Elliott of Olden.

hospital Sunday after a short

officiated.

Funeral Home of Eastland.

# TIDBITS

NICEST FOLKS you can imagine, are the thoughtful people of Eastland who surprise you in the "sweetest" ways. Two choice examples; a giant white coconut cake which came calling just before Christmas; and then this week, a beautiful homemade jar of wild plum jelly. Boy, what nice folks.

TRACEY MUIRHEAD, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Muirhead Jr., we learned this week, is a budding magician, and we understand that this Eighth Grader is quite a performer. We anxious to see some of his tricks

A LOT of folks might like to thank Mr. R. O. Baize, Elementary Principal, who has so faithfully opened and kept a 7:30 to 8 a.m. study hall for the benefit of youngsters whose parents had to be at

GUESS WHAT? Apparently we aren't the only one who believes that Mother Bell isn't giving fair exchange to customers. Response to our spleen venting here has to a person been in agreement, that the operators should stay on duty in THIS county, and that the company should help customers in every way possible. One spokesman put it a good way when he observed that now when our country needs such a uniting, that the nationwide telephone system could, if they would, be a unifying link with beyond the call of duty courteous and public service.

A LITTLE bird tells us that the next Game Day at Lone Cedar Country Club will be Friday, Feb. 1, beginning at 10 a.m.

CONCERNING THE ENERGY CRISIS, it would be well for residents and others to keep tomorrow in mind. We must not only think about this year but especially the immediate years that lie ahead. It will be several years before new sources for energy can be fully developed and until that time, people and companies must cooperate fully. Those living in gas homes as well as electric should be much more conservative than in normal times, so that electricity, which few would car to do without, and now requireing natural gas in the power process until new sources are developed, is available for the necessary and is not threatened.

### A Dog Leash Law?

Dog leash law?

What is it, and what do the people of Eastland think about

That's what City Commissioners are attempting to find out as they explore possible cures to a serious "stray dog" situation here. The dogs are blamed for turned over trash cans all over town, and therefore contributing to uncleanliness and unsightliness.

books here: One citizen called to say, "If

There is an ordinance on the

we get a lease law, let's make sure we enforce it." Response since the Monday night commission meeting has been in favor of enforcing the ordinance.

In other towns where dog lease law has been enforced. there's been a great deal of furor. Dog owners' whose dogs "accidentally" get picked up don't like the idea of retrieving dogs from the city pound, or worse, possibly standing the chance of having a favorite dog put to death if they failed to retrieve quick enough.

On the other hand stories of treagedies are told from areas where there is no control, involving children being mangled by vicious and - or rabid animals.

Ordinances are rigid, and if enforced, would curtail a lot of stray dog problems. Usually it works like this: any dog running loose (with or without tags) is picked up and impounded. If tagged, the owner would be notified, and charged a fee to retrieve his dog. If untagged, the dog would remain at the pound for a given period (usually three days) and if unclaimed with a free, would be disposed of.

Such ordinances also require that dogs be vaccinated and be kept confined and - or on leashes.

As commissioners explore the ramifications of such enforcement, citizens are encourged to express their opinions to the commissioners and to the city hall.

# EASTLAND TELEGRAM

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### **TESCO Gets** 1st Round Okay Dan Childress was elected

The Eastland City Commission, meeting in regular session Monday night, assisted in some problems, heard some others, and took a number under advisement for future deliberation.

Passed on first reading is a request from Texas Electric Service Co. for a rate increase of about nine and one half percent, which will, if finally approved, increase the electrical costs of the larger users.

Division Manager Frank Savre and J.T. Carter appeared for the increase and reported that customers are welcome to call the local office to determine exactly how the increase would affect their own personal bill. The local telephone number is 629 - 2651.

Mr. Pat Crain, manager of Fuqua Mobile Homes, appeared in behalf of Fuqua Sales M Manager Mike Flanagan who requested that the city provide sewer and water service to the corner of Ostrom and Hill St., where he plans to build a \$20,000 modular home on a cleared lot there. The Commission agreed to assist as time and work crews permit.

Mrs. Dan Childress, president of the Thursday Afternoon Club, appeared and asked that the city pay their contribution to the Centennial Memorial Library on a monthly basis, rather than annually.

Mrs. Martha Cashion and Mrs. H.S. Lewis, who live in the northwest part of town, were present and complained to the commission about the great number of stray dogs in that neighborhood that are con-Eastland, the son of the late tinually turning over trash cans

R.S. and Betty Elliott Harris. and littering the entire area. With Mayor Durel Reid grandchildren; one brother, missioners present, it was R.S. Harris of Kingsland; two agreed that there is a "loose sisters, Mrs. John (Pauline) dog' problem and that something needs to be done about it.

City Manager Lewis Tiner stated that apparently what is needed to control these matters

is a dog lease law and a standard trash container program.

Both Commissioners and visitors agreed that there are problems aplenty in this area, and no ready solutions. It was agreed to determine how the populace feels about a lease

Manager Tiner reported on a recent meeting he attended in Austin at which workmen's compensation for municipalities was discussed. The way it appears now, a discount of some 25 percent would be possible for those cities going into the program about July 1. No action was

It was agreed to sell to James Wright a small parcel of city land, located in the middle of a block, with owners on all four sides, for \$25. It is located between S. Seaman, S. Bassett, East Conner and Garvin Sts.

The Commission voted to call

the April Municipal election with details to be announced. The industrial waste ordinance was passed for the third time, hopefully in compliance with government

agency requirements.

It was decided to defer action on the purchase of a police car, and ask for new bids on a standard sedan, subject to the equipment needs specifically requested by Police John Morren, rather than highly sophisticated police pursuit equipped vehicles. Two such

bids were tabled. The Commission re affirmed their agreement to assist with the installation of sidewalks along Sadosa St. for the safety use of Elementary School students. The Lions Club is sponsoring the project and asking assistance from the city, the school and the public.

The Commissioners asked Manager Tiner to inquire of the Eastland County Water Board regarding the installation of additional filtering systems for

### Dan Childress President Of **Eastland Civic Theatre**

president of Eastland Civic Theatre Sunday at a meeting of the Board of Directors in the home of Mrs. Virginia Russell.

Carl Garrett will be vice president; Mrs. Tom Wilson, secretary; James Reid, treasurer; Mrs. Jack Germany, reporter; and Mrs. Russell, director.

Don Nicholas, who has served as president of the organization for the past three years, presided at the meeting. A number of plays were considered for production. The final selection will be announced at the February meeting of the theatre mem-

The meeting will follow a

### Funeral For Mrs. Nora White Held Tuesday

Nora A. White, 79, of Morton Valley died Monday at 5:25 a.m. at her home. Services were Tuesday at 3 p.m. in Bakker Chapel.

The Rev. Haston B Brewer, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated with burial in Eastland Cemetery.

Born Oct. 17, 1894, at Gorman, she marcied Homer A.E. White Sept. 13, 1916, at Cisco. She was a lifetime resident of Eastland County.

Mrs. White attended Britton Training School which is now Cisco Junior College and was a charter member of Eastland Art Club and of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband; two sons, Dalton of Eastland and Morris of Cisco; two brothers, I.L. Capers of Mexia, Logan Capers of Shreveport, Church of Cisco. La.; three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Goldberg of Gladewater, Mrs. Elsie Menefee and Mrs. Mary Ann Kay, both of Fort Worth; tonio and Mrs. Doyle B. (Jan) and two grandsons.

Pallbearers were Jake Morgan, James Ratliff, Homer Smith, Johnson Smith, R.M. (Lennis) Weathers of Ranger Sneed and Weldon Stennett.

covered dish dinner at 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1. It will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson with those who attend furnishing additions to the

Directors present at the meeting were Nicholas: Reid. formerly vice president; Mrs. Germany, formerly secretary treasurer; Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Russell and Carl Garrett.

Directors who were unable to attend were Childress, Mrs. Don Pierson, Ralph Stevens, Richard Rossander and Emory

#### **Funeral Services Held Sunday**

William Garland Powell, 64. of Cisco, a native of Ranger and former resident of Abilene, died at 2:15 p.m. Saturday in Eastland Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Funeral was at 3 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church of Ranger with the Rev. V.W. Allen, retired Baptist minister of Cisco, and the Rev. Bob Weathers, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Brownwood, officiating

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home with Jimmy Edwards, Audrey Ballew, Marvin Edwards, E.B. Brand, Jim Mixon, Herman Dempsey, Fred Scott and Vernon Fisher serving as pallbearers.

Mr. Powell, a salesman, was born Oct. 18. 1910, in Ranger and married the former Winnie I. Snider Oct. 27, 1933, in Ranger. He was a graduate of Ranger High School, Ranger Junior College and Tyler Commercial College. He was a member of First Baptist

home; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Armstrong of San An-Cooper of Brownwood; one brother, Bobby H. Powell of Andrews; one sister, Mrs. H.B. and five grandchildren.

### **Public** Invited

Don't forget the annual Chamber of Commerce 'Golden Deeds' banquet tonight at 7 p.m. at the Lone Cedar Country Club.

Banquet

To-nite

You can still get tickets at the CC office, from ticket committee members, or at the door, according to ticket chairman Emmett Lasater. He expects a

good turnout. The time of the annual Chamber of Commerce 'Golden Deeds' banquet will be 7:00 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24.

The place will be the Lone Cedar Country Club.

### Plays Comanche

Eastland High School Basketball teams play next at Comanche Friday at 5:30 p.m. The Maverick A and B teams begin their second round of district play.

Tuesday the boys A team lost to Cisco 79 - 46. Tom Morren was high with 17 points for the Mayericks, followed by Billy Daniels with 8. The B team also lost to the Loboes 40 - 25.

The Mavettes after a low scoring, but hard defensive battle, won 39 - 29. Jill Price led the girls in scoring with 13 points, closely followed by Ann Haun, Cynthia Pinderton, and Carol Smith.

Karen Jones, Jerri Simms, Dollie Moseley good on defense

Eastland Masonic Lodge No. 467 will have a called meeting at 7430 p.m. Jan. 24, 1974, for work in the Fellow C Craft Degree. All Masons welcome

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8th grade left to right Bottom: Keith Bulgerin, Danny Hamrick, Benny Wofford, Travis Jones, Nathan Washington. Middle: Kirk Evatt (manager), Jim Owen, Dennis Lopez, Elwyn Davidson, Larry Mathis, Grant Cox, (manager). Top: John Hill, Doug May, Freddy N Nealy, Johnny W Washington, Tom Winingar, Karl Alexander (manager). (Not pictured is Cleve Downard).

Jr. High Basketball Tournament Saturday January 26th Is The Day For The First Annual Eastland Quarter Back Club Jr. High Tournament.

Teams Entered Are Both Boys & Girls From Ranger, Carbon, Cisco & Eastland, Action Will Get Underway At 9:00 A.M.

Admission Will Be 50° For Adults & 25° For Students

REYSCHLAG **NSURANCE** WEATHER REPORT

Thursday will be partly cloudy and cool. There will be considerable cloudiness Friday and Saturday with a good chance of rain. Temperatures should turn milder though with skies clearing by Sunday.



JANET WILLIAMS, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Williams of Eastland, is shown selling first bar of "World's Finest Chocolate", and first box of "Sweet Chocolate Covered Almonds", to Doug Underwood, manager of Eastland JRB Food Store. Janet, a senior band member, plays the flute in the Maverick Band.

Thursday (today) marks the start of the candy and chocolate covered almond sale throughout Eastland by over 100 Eastland band students. Chocolate bar sells for fifty cents, and almons dsell for one dollar per box. Purpose of sale is to assist the Band Booster's Club in purchasing 15 new uniforms for the 1974 - 75 high school band. The new uniforms will be needed due to a projected increase in the size of next year's band.

Mrs. H.J. Bulgerin, Chairman of the candy sale, said the Band Booster's Club will donate \$2,808 toward the purchase of the uniforms. It is hoped that some \$400 can be raised through the candy sale to apply toward the uniform purchase. (Band Booster's Club Photo courtesy Myrna Dabney)

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We wish to express our deepest gratitude and thanks to our neighbors, friends, the Carbon, Gorman and Eastland Fire Departments in helping extinguish the fire that engulfed the home of the late Ed Allison in the Bear Springs Community about noon

Tuesday, the 15th. Your willing response to our need will always be remembered. There are no people on earth greater than Eastland Countians when it comes to aiding friends and neighbors in trouble. May God bless each of

1707. t- tf

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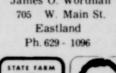
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### William S. Herridge Joins **Engineer Brigade Company**

Sp4 William S. Herridge, a 1965 graduate of Eastland High School, has joined the 420th Engineer Brigade, Headquarters Company, Bryan, Texas.

Herridge, who served as an avionics technician in the U.S. Air Force before entering Texas A&14 University, holds civilian employment with University Information, TAMU, as an information representative

His duties will include research, preparation and distribution of news releases concerning activities of the 420th, which commands more than 30 Army Reserve units across four states.

Herridge is scheduled to graduate in May with a Bachelor of Arts degree in journalism from Texas A&M University.

#### Reports To Duty

Navy Seaman Recruit Edward E. Forrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Espinosa Pittman of Route 3, Gorman, has reported for duty aboard the USS Hector homeported in Long Beach.

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The son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert T. Herridge of Eastland, Herridge is married to the former Diane Drake of Gatesville. They reside in College Station with their three - year - old son, Jeffrey Lee.

### On Dean's List

Nine Cisco Junior College students from Eastland are on the recently released Dean's List for the fall semester of 1973, and three Eastland students made the prestigious President's List at the Cisco

The Dean's Lists include scholars earning a 2.5 or better grade point average on a 3.0 system. The President's Lists have students who made a straight "A" record, or 3.0 average.

Eastland students making the Dean's List were Roger Berry, Berette Brown, Don Duncan, Rebecca Hanna, Sue Hanna, Suzanne Harbin Magin, William Jones, Daryl Thomas and Wendy Trout.

Those students making the President's List were Evelyn Chapman, Ronald McCleskey and Nancy Maynard.

### 700 Households Certified To Receive Food Stamps

There are presently about 700 households certified to receive food stamps in Eastland

That's nearly twice as many people as were receiving commodities under the old surplus food help program, Texas Department of Public Welfare employees said in Eastland Tuesday.

Speaking for members of the Eastland Lions Club at their luncheon meeting at the Ramada Inn, Mrs. Glen Swift and Mrs. R.D. Collins explained the new program and answered questions.

Basically the program is administered by the federal and state government completely. (The commodities

county provided a local supervisor.)

Richard Rossander was program chairman and introduced the speakers.

President Darwin Miller presided and Larry Armstrong was introduced as a prospective Lion and guest. Wendell Seibert will be in charge of the program next week when the Lion District Governor will make his official visit.

The food stamp program went into effect in this county on Nov. 1, and on contract, stamps are sold at the post offices in Eastland, Ranger and Cisco, with others to begin

#### Thursday Club Has Study On Shakespeare "How use doth breed a habit president, presided over the

in man", a quotation from Shakespeare, set the tone of the interesting, well researched paper on the Asiatic herb staunch library supporter who Cannabis or Hemp, a major source of fibre, food and medicine as well as the drug Eastland Centennial Memorial marijuana, was given by Mrs. Library in her name. Fred Davenport for the Thursday Afternoon Club at the Woman's Club on Jan. 17th. Cannabis or hemp in its various forms has been in general use Thursday, Jan. 31st at 3 p.m. at raised as a major crop on Memorial Library. Alice Cush-

since early civilization and was Southern plantations in the pre man Jobe, narrator, will show Civil War period. But has in a delightful way highlights of been illegal to grow or possess the extended tour she and her in the United States since 1937. In the form of the drug man, made to the British Isles marijuana it continues to ap- recently. Tickets are \$1.00 and pear even with present strict may be purchased from regulations against it.

Dan Childress, the library,

business session.

It was voted to honor Mrs. C.C. Collings, club member and recently moved to Glen Rose with a personal donation to the

Announcement was made of completed plans for a benefit illustrated lecture on the British Isles, and tea on the Eastland Centennial mother, librarian Trudy Cush-Thursday Club members or at

Announcement was also made of a meeting set with representatives of the various Eastland County Federated Women's Club leaders to begin plans for the District Convention that Eastland Women's Clubs will host at the Ramada Inn on March 22 and 23.

Mrs. Pat Crawford was program chairman and along with Mrs. Iral Inzer as hostesses served refreshments to Mesdames: C.L. Bigby, D.L. Childress, Turner Collie, L.E. Corbell, Fred Davenport, J.F. Francis, Ben Hamner, Herman Hassell, Fred Maxey, Arthur Murrell, Guy Patterson, J.M. Perkins, E.G. Rice, Floyd Robertson, C.E. Terrell, H.E. Van Geem, H.H. Humphries, Pearson Grimes, Jas. Horton and Roy L. Young.

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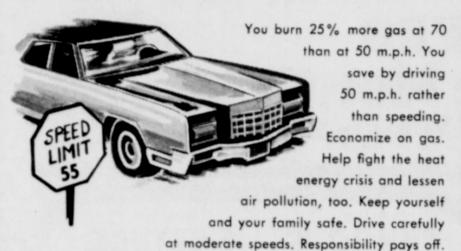


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session during the Constitu-

Briscoe reportedly is con-

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AG OPINIONS

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State Rep. Dan Kubiak of

AUSTIN, Tex. - Texas media groups interested in "freedom of information" met with Attorney General John Hill this week to discuss his opinion that police officers' arrest and offense reports are confidential under an exception to the new Texas open records

The quasi-judicial hearing was held because legislative leaders who supported the open records law said it was not their intention to allow police departments to keep arrest and offense reports

Representatives of the Texas Joint Media committee were meeting with their attorneys to prepare statements for Attorney General Hill. Members of the committee include the Texas Press Association, Texas Daily Newspaper Association, Texas Association of Broadcasters, Texas Associated Press Managing Editors, Sigma Delta Chi, American Society of Newspaper Editors and Texas Press

Most police chiefs were leaving their "blotters" open to news people, because they interpreted Hill's opinion as giving them an option on the

Original sponsor of the amendment to the open records law that would close police records was Col. Wilson Speir, director of the Department of Public Safety.

"If this attorney general's opinion holds, and reports of crimes are withheld from the public, the Texas Joint Media Committee representatives will consider amendments to this legislation for the next Texas legislature." stated Glenn Sedam, Texas Press Association vice president and legislative

SPECIAL SESSION TALKED As the Constitutional Convention rolled along, pretty much on schedule, new pressures started for a special legislative session on school finance during the summer.

Governor Dolph Briscoe, who has been firm against a special session on comprehensive restructuring of the finance formulas, ordered a dayby-day monitoring of school problems resulting from inflation and the energy

Aides said he is giving "serious consideration" to requests for supplementary fiopens next September.

School administrators and Texas State Teachers Association have requested emergen-

A county is entitled to reimbursement from sureties for reasonable and necessary costs of rearrest after a bond forfeiture or an affidavit of surrender.

Texas Animal Health Commission may prohibit admission of Mexican cattle into designated Tick Eradication Areas in an effort to prevent introduction and spread of plenetic or Texas fever.

COURTS SPEAK - The Third Court of Civil Appeals ruled for the state over the federal government in a Texarkana ammunition plant sales tax suit that could mean \$50 million in back tax collections

In other cases, the high court held:

Land owners don't have right to profit on land condemnation due to projects like the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport.

Affirmed a Waco court finding that a 23-year-old man did not commit suicide, allowing his mother to collect on an insurance policy.

Upheld a negligence verdict against a man involved in an accident in which parents of a child were killed near Del

The Court of Criminal Appeals upheld a 1,000-yearsentence conviction of a Dallas man for rape of a 12-year-old

APPOINTMENTS - Jim Ray, 32, of Austin was selected as executive director of the Constitutional Convention, with broad powers over the professional staff.

Briscoe named Stephen F. Cross of Borger district attorney of the 84th district.

Dick Whittington, Texas Water Quality Board deputy director, is a member of a nine-man team selected by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency for a sewage treatment technology conference in Japan next month.

#### SHORT SNORTS

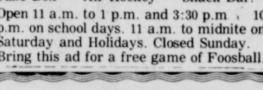
Attorney General Hill filed a federal court suit here to force release of \$3 billion in federal water pollution control funds impounded by the president.

Daiwa Spinning Company agreed in principle to locate its new cotton spinning plant in Levelland.



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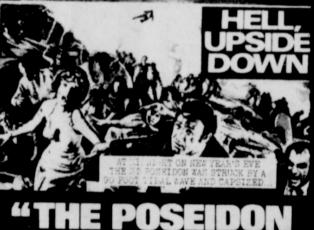
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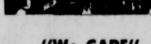
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### Eastland County Singers Convention Jan. 27

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of quartets, with everyone invited to the free event.

Mrs. Joyce Dennis of Gorman is secretary and Clyde Fisher of Eastland is vice president.

Pete) Tyrone of Cisco says that the Sunday program is expected to be an outstanding event with top singers and

singers throughout. Among the many due are the Jake Brown Quartet of Fort Worth: the Mayhall Music Co. Quartet of Abilene (made of Ken Mayhall and Eastland County Singers); the Clyde Williams Quartet of Haskell; the Cooper Quartet of Seymour; the Morten and Hafford Quartet of DeLeon; the Dennis Family of Gorman; the Lewis, Tyrone and Fisher Group of this area; plus music directors from throughout this area too n numerous to name.

Convention President H.A.

#### **COUNTY NEWS**

An eight series Cartoon Booklet known as "Better Environment" has become a valuable teaching aid to most elementary teachers in Bosque, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Hood, Palo Pinto, Somervell and Stephens counties.

According to Billy J. Hinton, State Booklet Chairman of the Texas Council Soil Conservation Society of America (SCSA), about eighteen thousand copies of these booklets have been furnished to 60 elementary teachers of 25 schools in the eight counties. These booklets were provided through the Cross Timbers Chapter SCSA, and as a courtesy of the following contributing sponsors: Erath County Electric Cooperative Association, Stephenville Savings and Loan Association, Stephenville Production Credit Association, Stephenville Printing Company, Higginbothams of Comanche, Moorman Mfg. Co. of Comanche, Community Public Service, and DeLeon Irrigation Supply

More than twenty five hundred booklets are being used by interested teachers in the schools in Eastland County. These booklets were distributed at the beginning of the present school year.

The booklets with accompanying teacher's guides are colorful and are presented as information cartoon type publications. There are eight different booklets in the Better **Environment Series** 

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# Hospital Notes

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Baby Boy Carter

**Eunice Nicks** 

Oleta Henry

Minnie Bryan Patients in Eastland Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning were: Ruby Crawley Earl Throne Salvador Vasilio, Cisco Grace Killion, Breck. BBernice Lee James Strickland, R.S. Oscar Penn. Cisco Cordie Mask, Cisco Vina Blackburn, Cisco Chad Morris, Stephenville Peggy Hunter, Cisco Stella McClendon, Moran **Edith Norris** Della Reynolds Oliver Gregory Amado Sanchez, Cisco Eula Graham, Cisco Trannie Lasater, Gorman Doyle Carter Charley Gunnels, R.S. Vernon Carter Floyd Lee, C.P. James Dendy, Santo Buford Cozart, Cisco Abbie Johnson Belva Chapman, Breck. Donald Nall, Cisco Laura Noble Willie Carter Fannie Turner, Strawn Era Witt, R.S. Harold James, Gainesville Oliver Hogan

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William Garrett, Carbon

Lula Baines

### Special Notices

The next Game Day at Lone Cedar Country Club will be on Friday, February 1st, beginning at 10 a.m. The co chairmen this time are Mrs. Harold Ray and Mrs. Milton Fullen. Plan now to bring partner or a table and join in the fun.

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Boys clothes sizes 1 - 4 toddler prices as marked includes sweat jackets with hoods, demin jackets, 2 piece suits, 1 piece suits Windbreakers sizes 3 - 10

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All boys long sleeve shirts sizes 1 - 18 are

40% Off

Children's Mickey Mouse houseshoes sizes 4 - 7 were 4.50 now \$3.00

Sleeping bags were 12.50 now. 10.00 The pillow. and stuff bag were 3.75 now. \$2.50 There are only 5 left.

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### Eastland Woman Is Seeking Identity of Mysterious Artist

THE ABILENE REPORTER-NEWS

Abllene, Texas, Friday Morning, November 9, 1973

EASTLAND - Half a century ago a talented, but modest artist with a dedicated purpose painted pastoral scenes in Abilene and teday these paintings brighten homes, churches and offices throughout the state.

If she signed the paintings, she did it in a mysterious way. No signatures can be

Somewhere in Abilene or West Texas there must be someone who knew or has heard about her work and several of the present owners of her paintings are attempting to learn more about the artist.

Several, known to be painted by the mysterious Abilene artist, now hang in Eastland. Most were bought and brought here during the Eastland County oil boom in the 1920s. They've been passed with generations and moved far and

Several of the Eastland owners remember that the woman was probably in her seventies at that time, but they don't remember her complete

RESEARCH TO LEARN details about the painter and her mysterious purpose has been launched by Mrs. H. V. (Gay Nell) O'Brien, who recently acquired one of the paintings.

She has located several other paintings of the collection in Eastland but so far none of the owners can recall the artist's exact name, although most say they surely would remember it, if they heard it

One previous painting owner believes the last name to be "Hari"; another guesses, "Howeli," or something close to that. One owner remembers that the artist won many prizes at the State Fair for her

Many of the paintings here were purchased for new homes which were being built during that boom period.

THE ARTIST'S WORK in the Eastland paintings focuses on full-size figures of persons, both children and adult, in serene settings - except one humorous picture.

Striking features of the paintings are the life-like eyes and almost real quality of the subjects. The works were done on unmounted tapestry material and then stretched and framed. The perfectly smooth appearance of the paints make the works appear even more tapestry-like.

The colors are vivid. Hues as up to date as turquoise and deep pink are prominent in the collection.

Two of the paintings here are of a religious theme and hang in churches. One, portraving Christ, the good shepherd, hangs in the sanctuary of the First Christian Church. Another, of Jesus walking on the water, hangs in the First Methodist Church. It bung in the sanctuary directly behind the choir loft until room had to be made for an organ several years ago. Today it hangs in the Martha Dorcas Sunday

ONE SMALLER PAINTING Dr. J. O. Jolly. It was given to him by early-day Eastland dentist, Dr. W. S. Poe. The picture was painted to order for the Poes and is reminiscent of early Saturday Evening Post covers. It shows a little boy with a bandaged jaw, standing with his dog in front of a "Painless Dentist" office. The little boy is chalking the word "liar" on the

building. Other located Eastland paintings by the same artist hang in the homes of Mrs. R. E. Sikes, Mrs. Clyde Garrett and Mrs. OBrien.

Mrs. Sikes rectangular painting is of a baby sitting in a basket of red apples. Mrs. Garrett's is of a woman sitting by a brook with swans in the background. Mrs. O'Brien's vertical painting, shows a maiden with a water jug, walking from a Grecian-type

fountain The paintings range in size from three by five to five by six feet, done both horizontal-

ly and vertically. The owners of the paintings in Eastland are anxiously hoping to learn more about the mystery artist,

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### Artist unknown

Mrs. H. V. O'Brien of Eastland looks at her painting by an unknown artist whose identity she is seeking. Several paintings by the same artist hang in other Eastland homes. (Photo by Lloyd Arm-

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## Abilene, Texas, Sunday Morning, January 20, 1974 Mystery Artist Is Identified

By GAY NELL O'BRIEN EASTLAND - Anna L. Harle was her name.

When she painted in Abilene at the turn of this century she earned for the city the title of 'Athens of West Texas.'

Today, 51 years after her death, attention caused by research on her perhaps will bring more recognition to her work. In life, Mrs. Harle modestly avoided even signing her paintings.

The search for information about the artist was described in an earlier story in this newspaper, and a chain reaction of responses has been very helpful. Reports came from those who knew her. those who studied under her, from those who have paintings by her, and from many who knew her vaguely. Each has added a key to unlock the mystery that surrounded Mrs. Harle's unsigned paintings.

THE SCOPE and influence of Anna Harle's work passed virtually unnoticed. Her home and her studio were located in what would be the shadow of one of Abilene's chief cultural structures - the Abilene Civic

Interest in the artist began with the acquisition of one of her paintings. It is one of several hanging in homes and churches in Eastland.

The seller said, "Her name was Howell, or Harl, or something like that. But that's all I

A look at other pictures didn't turn up a signature either, so the explanatory article in the Reporter-News on Nov. 9 began to solve the mys-Not only has the name of

the artist of the three-by-five

tapestry of a Roman or Grecian maiden at a fountain been discovered, but a remarkable story of an outstanding person has come to light to make the paintings even more appreciated by

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THE PAINTINGS of Mrs. George Duffield (Anna Laurie) Harle are hanging in Abilene and throughout the state.

Ironically, the person located who is probably the most familiar with Mrs. Harle's tapestry work is also an Eastland resident, Mrs. C. B. Wellman, 86. She remembers studying tapestry painting privately with Mrs. Harle for about two years beginning in about 1913.

She had been an art teacher in Winters for several years prior to this time. She was about 26 at the time she came to work with Mrs. Harle and helped scale her paintings from small sketches, Mrs. Wellman describes tapestry painting as demanding and identified the maiden at the fountain picture as definitely being one of Mrs. Harle's.

A HISTORY of Texas Artists and Sculptors by Francis Fisk published in 1928, tells much about Mrs. Harle's life.

There have been many telephone calls and letters from the artist's acquaintances in Abilene in the early 1900s.

First to call was Mrs. W. J. Fulwiler Sr., 2825 Ivanhoe, who remembers that the artist worked for a time as a milliner in her father's department store, Rollins and Young Dry Goods at N. 3rd and Pine, making lovely hats for little girls and women all over Abiene. She remembers sitting with her as a little girl while Mrs. Harle made hats. She describes the artist as a kind but sad person in her senior

THE SADNESS is attributed by most who remember to her worry and concern for her son, the late Dr. Charles S. Harle, a physician, who was held a prisoner in a dungeon in Mexico for some 20 years. Dr. Harle died Jan. 4, 1920, shortly after his release from Mexico

During that primitive and vicious time in Mexico's history, all that Mrs. Harle ever had was the unreliable word of the Mexican authorities, most remember. He was 50 at the time of his death and it was said that Dr. Harle was a very kind person.

Mrs. Harle had one other child, a daughter, the late Mrs. Clara Harle Peairs who died in 1944 in Abilene at the age of 72.

Mrs. Earle Cogdell, 1281 Glenhaven, Abilene, longtime church historian, remembers that Mrs. Peairs donated the painting of Christ that hangs in the First Christian Church (once over the bapistry before a fire in the church santuary a few years ago).

MRS. COGDELL'S mother kept a scrapbook of Abilene history where Mrs. Peairs's obituary was located. Mrs. Anna Harle was a charter member of the First Christian Church.

Mrs. Fulwiler remembers that her mother did china painting with Mrs. Harle. These and other works her mother may have had of Mrs. Harle's were burned in a fire in which Mrs. Fulwiler's parents' home was destroyed.

Mrs. Fulwiler knows where Mrs. Harle and her son are buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Abilene and obtained dates from the grave markers which helped the locating the obituaries in the microfilm at the Abilene Public Libarary.

MRS. JOHN B. Garrett, 1002 Palm St., Abilene, remembers as do other Abilenians that Mrs. Harle lived at 5th and Cypress Streets in Abilene where she built the threebuilding Harle Apartments.

She says that Mrs. Harle was a very good artist, as all others who knew her work have agreed, and that she sold tapestry paintings all over West Texas for which she got very good prices during that early period. She believes, as do many others, that eventually Mrs. Harle paid a great deal of money for her son's

release. Mrs. Garrett's mother, who lived at 6th and Cypress, was a neighbor to the artist.

Mrs. Erle (Nellie) Sellers, 1301 Elmwood Dr., Abilene, tells of a tapestry painting by Mrs. Harle that hangs in the home of Mrs. Thomas Brownlee in Abilene. It was given as a wedding present 50 years

MRS. W.M. LOVE of Abilene remembers Mrs. Harle's art and that she and her family once rented an apartment

Ruth Gay of Abilene remembers along with others that Mrs. Harle taught muste

and painted china and tapestries. She remembers that she liked little girls and would have them come in for cookies. She also recalls that Mrs. Harle stretched her tapestry with only two boards. Ruth Gay also names Christine Maddox Vaughters, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maddox, as an owner of one of the paintings.

Mrs. George D. Conley of Sweetwater owns one which was given to her on Christmas of 1920. It is now on loan to the Sweetwater Museum.

Mrs. Clyde Garrett of Eastland, owner of one of Mrs. Harle's tapestries, said that her daughter, Mrs. Virginia Seelig of Fort Worth, owns one which she believes is Rebecca at the Well.

MRS. SELLERS is one of several who have helped to establish that three of the artist's grandchildren are still living. They are Charles Arthur Peairs of San Antonio, Allen Millwee Peairs of Corsicana and Mrs. Elizabeth P. Duncan of Boulder, Colo. One great-grandchild, James Bruce Duncan, is reported to be a northeastern drama crit-

Contacted by telephone in Boulder, Mrs. Duncan, 70, describes painting as her grandmother's love and career. She said that she can remember visiting her grandmother approximately between 1907 and 1910 when she would be painting.

She would have as many as eight paintings lined up along walls of a large room with a footstool at the base of each. She taught her granddaughter to tat and would put her on a pallet in the center of the room and say, "You sit here and tat, but don't say a word." Then she would mix a color and paint on part or all of the tapestries and when finished with that color, mix another and repeat the process. She said that it would take a long time for her to finish the paintings but guessed her method did enable her to complete more paintings.

MRS. DUNCAN said the tapestry material was wool, the best hand-woven in Germany before World War I and that this is the reason that the oil paintings have held up so well.

The granddaughter recalls her grandmother as looking 'the grandmother type' even though she didn't have too much time for her grandchildren. She describes Mrs. Harle as having been "round, plump and about five feet in

The painting of Mrs. Harle's that hangs in Mrs. Duncan' living room is a comic temperance scene called "Caught in the Act." It was given to her father by Mrs. Harle when he lived in Galveston. The artist was a staunch dry, the granddaughter said.

Mrs. Duncan remembers the painting called "Spanish Bridge" which is said to have been done in Mexico.

MRS. HARLE'S grandson, Allen Millwee Peairs, owns a painting by his grandmother called "A Cup of Tea" with a Turkish girl.

Mrs. Duncan says that at least one of Mrs. Harle's paintings is a copy of Roman Girl at the Fountain by Bonnat, a French 19th Century artist, which hangs in New York Metropolitan Museum

"She was a woman of great artistic talent and her tapestry paintings were considered among the best in the Southwest. Thousands of persons were familiar with Mrs. Harle's work as a tapestry and china painter and many studied under her instruction, were reports from a March 29, 1922, edition of The Abilene Reporter at the time of her

ANOTHER ARTICLE, about her funeral, on Friday, March 31, 1922, says, "She taught art at Ad Ran Christian College at Thorp Springs, now Texas Christian University of Fort Worth. Her Tapestry paintings are prized very highly and are adorning homes all over this part of the state.

She reportedly won many prizes at the State Fair of

Born In Paris, Tex., in 1850, she died March 28, 1922, after having lived in Abilene for 40

An artist-identifying plaque is now being added to the Maiden at the Fountain. And others throughout this area can now be properly labeled with Anna Harle's name.



Carl Garrett looks at the painting, The Ninety and the Nine which hangs in the sanctuary of the First Christian Church of Eastland where he is a teacher. His mother, Mrs. Clyde Garrett of Eastland, gave the painting to the church.



Mrs. Iona Sikes of Eastland ponders the painting of Jesus Walking on the Water in her Sunday School Class room at the First United Methodist Church.



Eastland orthodontist J. O. Jolly stands beside the painting of Painless Dentist in his Eastland clinic. It was painted to order by Mrs. Harle.



Mrs. Clyde Garrett Sr. of Eastland owns this original, Meditation, which was painted by Mrs. Harle.





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### Survey Conducted By The Peanut Farmer Magazine

RALEIGH, N.C. - - Unless the USDA's '74 peanut program changes are withdrawn, there is little chance for passage of any peanut legislation, according to five of eight U.S. Senators responding to a recent survey conducted by THE PEANUT FARMER magazine.

In the magazine's January issue, editor Carl P. Johnson reports that the five opposing legislation until the changes are withdrawn, are Herman E. Talmadge, Ga.; Sam Nunn, Ga.; James B. Allen, Ala.; Sam J. Ervin, Jr., N.C.; and Lloyd Bentsen, Texas. All are democrats from major peanut producing states.

Seven of the eight who responded are from peanut producing states and the eighth is George McGovern, D - S.D., a member of the Senate Agriculture Committee. Others responding to the survey are John Tower, R - Tex., and Henry Bellmon, R - Okla.

Hopes ran high until early November that the USDA sponsored "Peanut and Rice Act of 1973" would not be introduced until grower organization personnel, Congressional members and the department had reached compromises on the '74 changes. But the bill was introduced in November by Rep. LaMar Baker, R - Tenn., in the House and Senator Carl T. Curtis, R - Neb., in the Senate before any "meeting of the minds" could occur.

Party lines among Senators from peanut - producing states are clearly drawn as all Democrats responding oppose the legislation with changes in effect. The Republicans are taking a more cautious approach, calling for compromises in the legislation.

THE PEANUT FARMER survey soliciting opinions on the '74 administrative changes, reasons for the changes, possibility of legislative relief. current legislative plans and the need for price support were mailed to all members of the Senate Agricultural Committee and Senators from Virginia. North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Texas and Oklahoma.

Peanut state Legislators not responding by press time are John J. Sparkman, D - Ala.: Edward John Gurney, R - Fla.; Lawton Chiles, D - Fla.; Jesse A. Helms, R - NC.; Dewey F. Bartlett, R - Okla.: Harry Flood Byrd, Jr., I - Va.; William Lloyd Scott, R - Va.; Strom Thurmond, D - S.C.; and Ernest F. Hollings, D - S.C.

Of the Senators from peanut producing states who did not respond. Republicans, three Democrats and one an Independent. Curtis, who introduced the bill in the Senate, is a member of the Senate Agriculture Committee and did not respond to the survey. McGovern was the only member of the Senate Agriculture Committee not from a peanut - producing state who responded to the

While none of the Senators registered strong disagreement with the USDA - sponsored legislation, all who oppose legislation with the '74 administrative changes in effect do so because they feel the administration is trying to force legislation.

Senator Bentsen said, "If the Department of Agriculture has issued these harsh guidelines so as to force Congress to re write the peanut program, it has defeated its purpose. I believe Congress should not consider the proposed new legislation until the Oct. 24

'There is a proper procedure for the changing of commodity programs, and the Department should follow it. There are those who criticize the peanut

guidelines are withdrawn.

program as over - expensive and perhaps Congress should look into those charges. However, this must be done by public hearings and Congressional consideration, not by administrative fiat.' Bentsen is critical of the '74

administrative changes, saving

they are disastrous to Texas peanut growers and to the economies of Texas peanut producing areas. In a letter to Secretary Earl Butz he said, "Your announced administrative changes have rendered the peanut program unworkable". He, point - by point, rebutted the '74 changes, citing dramatic loss of property rights, growing stockpiles and lowered domestic prices.

In a joint letter to Butz with House Speaker Carl Albert and House Agriculture Committee Chairman W.R. Poage, Senator Talmadge stated, "We refuse to legislate under the pressure of this type of punitive and arrogant tactic. Cooperation and compromose between, separate, co - equal branches of government are basic to our Constitutional principle of separation of powers. When the Executive Branch tries to force the Congress to legislate by using arrogant and abrasive pressure tactics, our Constitutional system of government cannot function properly.

"We will be willing to consider the Administration's legislative proposal for peanuts when you withdraw the disastrous and punitive program changes that you have announced for 1974. Therefore, we request that your announced changes be rescinded and that you meet with peanut growers in each peanut producing area and discuss the

whole matter with them." Talmadge separately registered shock and dismay and accused Butz of attempting to discredit the program through te '74 changes.

SENATOR Ervin, noting that, as of late November, Butz had not responded to communications on the peanut program and '74 changes from members of Congress, said, "I personally feel that any change in support program or acreage allotment lease provisions for peanuts should be carried out legislative act rather than by departmental regulation. The Secretary's proposal to eliminate the lease and sale of acreage allotments for peanuts would be particularly harmful to our small farmers in North Carolina, and I would, therefore, hope that the Secretary would rescind this particular provision without

"The Chairman of the Senate and House Agriculture Committees have informed the Secretary of Agriculture that they will be glad to consider the Administration's legislative proposals for peanuts when he withdraws his announced changes for the 1974 crop. I support the position of the Chairmen as I feel that the producers stould be given an opportunity to present their views on any proposals which

livelihood. Senator Allen said he cannot understand why the program needs to be changed as it is liked by the farmers on one hand and provides the world

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pensive protein on the other. He says, "It would appear to me from a reading of these regulations that they are a deliberate attempt by the richest out of business. Agriculture Department to

build up considerable surpluses of peanuts at the very time when we have been successfully reducing the surpluses created by previous crop years. The only rationale I can ve dor euch a foolish action is so that enemies of the peanut program within the Administration can use next year's surpluses as an attempt to scandalize the program in the public eye."

Allen referred to the Talmadge, Albert and Poage letter to Butz, "I endorse and stand with thess three distinguished public servants in this regard. Frankly, I can see no chance at this time that the legielation which Administration has sent to tte Congress will receive any serious attention by our Committee until such time as the new regulations are modified." Allen said he can see no reasons for changing the program at all, but if constructive changes are sought which will not harm the

consideration. "These regulations are designed to put so much pressure on the present peanut program that Congress will be forced to take action on new peanut legislation. Congress will not be intimidated by such tactics", said Senator Nunn. .. we do not intend to discuss

growers, they may receive

new peanut legislation under this kind of threat." Nunn criticized the administration's methods and said farmers and others affected by the 1974 changes should have adequate time to study, comment and work out alternatives. Senator McGovern, the only

Senator replaying in the survey to every question point - by point, said the 1974 program changes are inoperable and designed to work heavy financial damage on peanut farmers. McGovern sees the USDA action as another attempt in the administration's continuing policy of "trying to

get the government out of agriculture", leaving farmers at the mercy of market forces which will drive all but the

McGovern said he will support legislative efforts by members of the Senate Agriculture Committee from affected states. He said, the current demand and supply situation "indicates the need to think about expanded, rather than reduced, incentives for peanut production." The U.S. needs "a full - scale policy retooling, based on problems of scarcity rather than problems of abundance," he feels.

Republican Senators Tower and Bellmon issued more optimistic viewpoints than their fellow legislators. Tower believes the 1974 administrative changes "should definitely expedite legislative progress and possible compromise for future peanut programs." He hopes legislative compromises can include the alterations announced in the '74 program.

Bellmon said, "...the Administration is not totally committed to these changes and would be willing to compromise at certain points."

### First Meeting Of The Year

The Eastland County Art Association will have their first meeting of the year Feb. 7 at the Eastland Gallery, just off the square at 310 S. Lamar

The Association will meet the first Thursday of each month. At that time they will select (by vote) a picture of the month to be placed on display.

Meetings are open to everyone and membership is \$3.00 a year. If interested in joining please call Janice Stroud, 629 - 8004, or Jeanne Livingston, 629 - 2349

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Gordon said the meeting is

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### Shakespeare Visits Eastland Civic Theater

Each year the people of Eastland and the surrounding area eagerly anticipate an Eastland Civic Theatre production. This year the Civic Theater has gone a step further. In addition to the play production, which will be announced soon, the theater, for the first time, is planning a Shakespeare Workshop. It will include scenes from some of Shakespeare's finest plays, with a synopses of the play given by a narrator.

Sixteenth century England found itself in the wake of the Renaissance, and the Reformation. It also witnessed the rule of Henry VIII, who started the Church of England as a result of a disagreement with the Pope in Rome over his habit of changing wives. With the advent of the Renaissance, Elizabethan literature emerged with all of its passion, hatred, comedy, pure love, jealousy and revenge - all the human emotions that made a mark on the history of man.

Please don't let this opportunity fo stepping back into 16th Century England pass you by. The finished performance will be one night only, April 23rd, Shakespeare's birthday.

As a prelude to this endeavor by the Eastland Civic Theater, a program will be held at the theater on Monday, Jan. 38 at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. James P. Morris, instructor of History and English at Ranger Junior College, will present an authoratative program on 16th



Century England. Included in this program will be a background on the customs, people and temperament of the times. Mrs. Morris will have slides to enhance her presentation. All members of the theater and all interested persons may attend the program free of charge at the Civic Theater Monday, Jan. 28th at 7:30 p.m. This workshop will be the first of many to

Mr. and Mrs. Garland B. Garrett announce the fortheoming marriage of their daughter Alice Gwenette and Donald E. Wagner Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Wagner Sr. of Lake Elmo, Minnesota.

The bride is an employee of Tandy Corporation of Fort Worth. The bridegroom is stationed at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, at present.

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### Las Leales Club Meets In Women's Club

Las Leales Club met Jan. 21 of Dwight Eisenhower, comat the Women's Clubhouse for a piled from four books, inprogram titled "Mister Ex -

Members answered roll call Gordon presented a biography

### Party Held By Homemakers

'Very successful' was the report to the Eastland Chapter of Young Homemakers at their January meeting concerning was Julie Chaney, President of the local club. The party was a fund raising project for the club and proceeds had been designated to go toward a scholarship for a senior homemaking student.

Prizes were offered to the five members who had the largest total sales and all sales added up to \$500. President Chaney announced that Clara Park won first place with Nona Fox placing second, Shirley Ables, third and Julie Chaney and Charlene Jones next.

The program was presented by Mrs. Jack Hubbard, a noted art teacher and artist from Rising Star. Her program was on Tissue Paper Collage and each member, with the helpful instructions of Mrs. Hubbard, fashioned and created her own

Shirley Ables and Julie Chaney served refreshments to members Clara Park, Connie Watson, Jeannett Duncan and guests Sherry Jennings and Myrna Lewis.

The February meeting will be "Yeast Breads" presented by Mrs. Bill Gressest of Gorman and will be held in the Eastland High School Homemaking Cottage.

cluding Eisenhower's own "At Ease'

Mrs. Alma Hassell, hostess, 'H.S.T. - J.F.K.''. Mrs. Dee introduced Mrs. Gordon and read the quotation "Biography is the only true history",

> Mrs. Wendell Seibert presided and Mrs. Charles Marshall read minutes of previous meetings.

Officers elected for the 1974 -1976 terms of office were Mrs. Gene Boney, president; Mrs. the tupperware party the group Rudolph Little, vice president: had hosted. Making the report Mrs. Marshall, secretary; Miss Karen Green, treasurer; Mrs.

### Committee Finishes Plans

The Thursday Afternoon Committee for the Library Benefit met and finished plans for the Illustrated Lecture and Tea to be given Jan. 31 in the Conference Room at the Centennial Memorial Library at 3 p.m. Plans were made for displays, seating, and refreshments.

Alice Cushman Jobe will be the guest speaker, lecturing on the British Isles and showing slides. Alice Joyce is well remembered in Eastland, having graduated from Eastland High School. She is a graduate of Texas University at Austin, receiving her B.S., M.A. and PH. D. degrees there. She is now associate Professor of English at John Tarleton College. Alice spent six weeks this past summer in the British Isles accompanied by her mother, Mrs. A.E. Cushman, librarian.

Tickets for the Lecture and Tea may be purchased from Thursday Club Members or at the Centennial Memorial Library

Johnson, co - chairmen of the project committee.

Mrs. Betty Cooper will review "P.S. You're Not Listening" by Fanny Kimbel at the Feb. 4 meeting.

Present were Mmes. James Horton, Glen Swift, Marshall, Don Kinnaird, Seibert, Boney, Floyd Robertson, Bert Herridge, M.S. Dry, Clara June Park, Steven Church, Gordon, Little, Hassell and O'Dell; and Misses Johnson, Green and Becky Simms.

Eastland will have a treat and the library will benefit by your purchase of a \$1.00 ticket to an illustrated lecture.

Dr. Alice Cushman Jobe will be the guest speaker, illustrating her lecture with slides of interesting places in England and Scotland. Tickets will be available from Mrs. Jos. M. Perkins, Margaret Corbell or at the Centennial Memorial Library next week. The program and tea will be Thursday afternoon, Jan. 31, at

> Thursday, January 24, 1974

### Baptist Women

The Baptist Women's organization of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Jan. 22, in the home of Mrs. J.O. Jolly for their regular Bible study with Mrs. M.A. Treadwell as teacher. The calendar of prayer for missionaries was given by Mrs. Haston Brewer.

Announcements and plans for January and February activities were made. Mrs. H.W. Sims. WMU director, led the members in thanking Mrs. Bill Wofford for her leadership in several capacities in the organization. The Wofford family will leave next week for their new home in Mesquite.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames: David Martin, John Nevill, Norris Starr, Roy Young, Dave Fambrough, H.B. Cameron, I.C. Inzer, Bill Wofford, Clyde Evatt, Haston Brewer, J.O. Jolly, Eddie Simms, Lee Graham, H.L. Weaver, Edgar Altom, Don Martin, Dee Gordon, Frances Zernial, Jesse Richardson, Roy Rushing, H.W. Sims, James Wortman, ayle Chaney, J.D. Ables, Esco Walters, M.A. Treadwell and Marvin Hood

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