# TIDBITS

OUR COUNTY lost a good man, and many people, a good friend with the death this week of Veteran Newspaperman Joe Dennis of Ranger. Longtime publisher of the Ranger Times and associated with O.H. Dick of the Eastland Telegram, Mr. Dennis was a professional newspaperman of the highest calibre, and a gentleman to the letter. In the short span of years that it was our pleasure to know him, we found that he was a virtual storehouse of knowledge about the business, this area, but more importantly, the people of our area. And looking back, all would agree that his concern for other people was the hallmark of his character. Another thing that you remember about Joe, is that he seemed to always keep things in their proper perspective: his first allegiance was to his Maker, and all other things fell into place properly. For so many years, he was the Ranger Times, and he'll be missed. Along with our sympathy to his family, goes our thanks for the privilege of having known Mr. Joe.

**GOOD SAMARITANS were Nursing Home Chief Eugene Frost** and Rev. Haston Brewer, pastor First Baptist Church, who, scouts report, were out on the highway during the ice storm rescuing cold, strnaded travelers who were housed temporarily at the warm and friendly Valley View and Eastland Manor Nursing Centers until highways cleared.

MR. AND MRS. Jack Debo and Mrs. M.C. Crimmons, all of Fort Worth, were holiday visitors in the home of their mother, Mrs. Ruby Whaley.

QUESTION: What comment would Joan of Arc, born 561 years ago, have today on the fuel shortage?

TO SAVE Channel 5 cable viewing, writers should ask KRBC to "waive" their request to Southern TV for exclusive carriage. Here's an important reason: especially next spring during the stormy season - - we've learned that Eastland falls within the reporting area of the Fort Worth Weather Bureau Office, and therefore severe weather reports would come from that area, and not from KRBC which feeds from the Abilene Weather Bureau, the area for which stops at Cisco.

GEORGE WALLACE is the Democratic nominee for president in 1976 from our latest informal poll, and this respondent suggests Ronald Reagan or John Connally as Republican standard bearer. Yes, the writer says, President Nixon should complete his term, and Gov. Briscoe should be re - elected.

STATE REP. Joe Hanna left Saturday for Austin where he will serve as a delegate to the State Constitutional Convention which Masonic grave rites. begins Tuesday with ceremonies to include speeches "by just about everybody in Austin"

Key topics seen by Rep. Hanna to be coming up for much debate and study are the right - to - work law; permanent school funding procedures; requirements for county judges to be lawyers; homerule charter restrictions lowered from 5,000 population to 1,500; courthouse locations; etc.

"I hope to get on a local government committee", Rep. Hanna said. "I favor the elections of certain public officials rather than appointments as is recommended by the 27 member Revision Committee". In fact, Rep. Hanna says he agrees "with about 85 percent" of what is being recommended.

"I'm going to Austin with an open mind", he said, "realizing that when the original Constitution was written in 1876, Galveston was the largest city with a population of about 20,000. Times change, of course, but I'm not in favor of change for change sake alone"

The some 218 amendments to the present document reportedly cost an average of \$84,000 ach, and I want us to come up with a Constitution specific enough to know the intent but elastic enough to permit growth and change, the good representative says.

He sees a possible choice by the people, perhaps in next November's General Election, and he cited Florida as a recent



## **Joe Dennis Former Publisher Buried Sat**

Joseph Allen Dennis, 81, a resident of Ranger since 1919, passed away at 1:15 a.m. Friday, January 4, in the Olden and Bill Craig of Ranger General Hospital Breckenridge. following a short illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 5 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church with the Vinson, Wayne Simpson, Lloyd Rev. Tom Satterwhite, pastor, Bruce, T.C. Wylie, Dr. Luther officiating. Interment was in the Evergreen Cemetery with W.P. Watkins, Bill Terry, Tom Dunn, George Falls, Lester

Mr. Dennis was born Oct. 28, 1892, in San Saba, Texas. He married the former Ethel Jane Long Jan. 16, 1913, in Goldthwaite. He was a retired publisher of the Ranger Times and Eastland Telegram.

Mr. Dennis was a member of the First Baptist Church and Wednesay had served as a Deacon of the church for many years. He was a member of Ranger Masonic Lodge 738, Dallas Scottish Rite be the meeting place of and Moslah Temple of Fort Eastland Civic League and Worth and Timbers Shrine Club Garden Club's first meeting of

of Eastland Co. governed by Moslah Temple. He had 40 years perfect attendance in the Ranger Lions Club and had served in all offices except tail

Worth, Mrs. Mae Horton of

Talpa, Texas, and Mrs. Stella

Fields of Wheeler; two grand-

daughters, Mrs. Jo Ann Rogers

of Lubbock and Mrs. Pam

McGregor of Jefferson; one

grandson, Joe Wayne Dennis of

Jefferson; and four great

A son, Norman, preceded

Pallbearers were Harry

Henry, Ben Lancaster, J.R.

**Elect Officers** 

Tuesday the Eastland

Volunteer Fire Department

elected their officers for the

The newly elected officers

are Jack Graham, Chief; Jack

Mace, 1st Ass't. Chief; Mike

O'Dell, 2nd Ass't Chief; Ray

Harbin, Secretary - Treasurer;

Johnny Grimes, Chaplain;

Dale Carmack, Drill Captain;

and Casey Moseley, Mascot.

volunteer fire department.

was held in Ledo Saturday.

Mike Arthur was elected as a

new member of the 30 man

him in death June 23, 1958.

Volunteers

grandchildren.

coming year.

Eastland.

Hunt, Floyd Killingsworth, George Robinson, Jesse White, everybody. all of Ranger; O.H. Dick of

an hour behind time. Honorary pallbearers were Schools and others will R.V. Robinson, Rankin Britt, O.C. (Stubby) Warden, Buddy

tendent Wendell Seibert stated Gohlke, Wayne Mathews, Dr. that Eastland School teachers and students and students will come early Monday morning Crossley, Pat Collins, Kenneth and "Just join the President".

> would be an almost impossible situation, he said, because of certain complicating factors. The vocations school students who go to Cisco in the afternoon would be under a heavy strain in trying to rearrange their

Rearranging bus schedules for outlying students would be another almost impossible chore.

But the biggest deterrent to

"Already there are more

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## **Election Time Coming Up**

**Candidate For** 

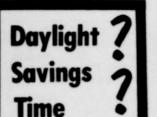
**County Judge** 

Eastland County Judge Scott

Bailey has announced that he

## Supt. O.L. Stamey Plans To Retire

It now seems in most of the County and State government election, incumbents will be



will be a candidate in the May 4th Democratic Primary for re Morning comes an hour early Monday for school students, Judge. Bailey, a Cisco resident, teachers, city employees and is married to the former Mary

If you didn't set your clock "UP" Saturday night, you're Melissa, 4 years old.

operate by the new revised Daylight Savings Time. Eastland School Superin-

and cooperation he has always received from the people of Eastland County. He said that a full and formal statement of his candidacy would be issued at a To reschedule school hours later date.

**MavettesOpen District Play** 

schedules, he said. district game.

rearranging the school schedule, even if possible, would be the imposition upon working parents such as those employed at Vasserette.

with 16 points followed by Smith with 12, Pinkerton with 8 than 250 kids at the elementary and Price with 6. Teresa

offices coming up in this year's running for re - election. Most have not announced or filed yet, but they have until February 4 to do so. With the Scott Bailey To Be filing deadline still so far away, no races have shaped up yet for any office.

> The only county office holder that indicates he will not seek re - election is County School Superintendent O.L. Stamey of Cisco.

"It's about time to let election to the office of County somebody else have the job". he indicated. "I have been here long enough and am ready to Nicholas of Carbon. Judge and retire" Mrs. Bailey have a son John, 6

Stamey has been County years old and a daughter School Superintendent for the last 101/2 years, since he filled In making his announcement, an unexpired term of office Judge Bailey asked the news February 24, 1964. Before that media to express his aphe had worked out of the preciation for the assistance Superintendent's office as a supervisor since 1958. He has been active in Eastland County Education some 50 years. State Rep. Joe Hanna is

announced for re - election. County Judge Scott Bailey indicates that he will run on the Democratic ticket in the May 4 primary. He took office Jan. 1, 1963.

County Treasurer Mrs. Helen Tuesday Eastland High Justice states, "Yessir, I'm School boys A&B teams will going to run again this year." open their district play against County Clerk Johnson Comanche at 5:30 in the Smith states that as far as he Maverick Gym. The girls A knows at the moment he is team will play their second intending to run for re election.

> County Surveyor Chester H. Breneman a also intends to run for re - election. His is an honorary, non - paying position.

Criminal District Attorney Emory Walton indicates he will be a candidate for re - election. Walton became County Attorney in 1969, after serving as an assistant county attorney since April of 1968. The office designation changed to criminal district attorney in 1971 and he was elected for an unexpired term of office in 1972. Distric. Clerk Joel Grey of the 91st District Court states that he will run for re - election in this year's elections.

Judge Esco Walter of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals indicated he will seek re - election to his six year term of office.

At the moment two of the county's Justice of the Peace. M.D. Underwood of Ranger and C.W. Swanner of Gorman, are undecided about running for re - election.

Justice of the Peace B.A. Butler, Jr., of Rising Star, who has been in office 14 years says yes, he will definitely run again.

L.W. Dalton of Eastland indicates that he will seek re election as Justice of the Peace for his district.

And J.P.A.C. Holder of Cisco figures he will run for re election.

Clarence B. Dill, commissioner of County Precinct 4 states that he plans to run for re election to that office.

Because of the redistricting of the County's commissioner precincts for the 1974 elections, there will be no incumbent up for re - election in precinct 2. This office will be up for grabs.

state which had a re - writing, where the entire document was presented and then about four controversial items offered as separate choices to be decided so that the entire constitution wouldn't be axed because of some one or two points. That sounds reasonable, Hanna says.

One of our members is going to ask that we do the job in 90 days; I'm more concerned about coming out with a "good instrument" and not worry too much about the time it takes.

Rep. Hanna guesses that Price Daniel will probably be elected permanent president of the Convention. Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will serve as interim president.

It's good to know that we're represented in Austin by Joe Hanna at this historic and oh - so - important event.

#### Mrs. Lora 1.4 Head of Fort Mrs. Dana Delameter Dies From Injuries

Mrs. Dana Denise Delameter, 23, of Albuquerque, N.M., died at 7:30 a.m. Friday

#### Mrs. Thomas **Funeral Services**

Mrs. Genevie Thomas, 77, of Jackson, Miss., formerly of Cisco, died at 9 a.m. Thursday in Jackson, Graveside services will be in Oakwood Cemetery under direction of Holly -Rhyne Funeral Home.

The Rev. Mart Agnew, retired Baptist minister, will officiate.

Born April 10, 1896, in Georgetown, Colo., she married Richard Thomas in 1913. He died in 1959. She lived in Cisco 40 years before moving to Jackson.

Survivors are two sons, R.H. of Hobbs, N.M., and C.L. of Jackson, Miss.; two daughters, Mrs. R. Hintz of Denver, Colo. and Mrs. Joe B. Hall of Longview; 10 grandchildren and 10 great - grandchildren.

### FULLEN MOTOR CO. Laugh A Day

From the Advocate (Laurel, Nebraska): "An unbreakable toy is quite useful for breaking up other toys."

at Hendrick Memorial Hospital from injuries she received in a two - car accident near Eastland Wednesday.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in Dallas.

The accident occurred on Interstate 20, 3.4 miles east of Eastland at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday. Mrs. Delameter was a passenger in a car driven by her husband, Wayne, 25, who was not injured.

Driver of the second car, was Mrs. Ellen Boggus, 67, of Gordon, who was taken to Eastland Memorial Hospital with facial cuts and bruises.

Eastland Highway Patrolman David Mohon and Don Claxton investigated the accident. Claxton said the accident occurred in the westbound lane of the icy highways as the Boggus car went out of control.

At the same time, the Delameter vehicle turned toward the median to avoid a collision. The Boggus car then skidded back across the highway, striking the Delameter car, according to Claxton.

Mrs. Delameter, a Dallas native, was a housewife.

presented by Marie Gromann twister. Mr. Dennis had also of Brownwood. served on the Board of Regents

of Ranger Junior College. Hostesses for the noon luncheon will be Mrs. Marcus Survivors include his wife of O'Dell, chairman and Mmes. M.H. Perry, William Leslie and Ranger; one son Dwaine F.H. Lund.

Kirk and Tony Lewis.

Meeting

**Civic League** 

The Women's Clubhouse will

the new year, Wednesday, Jan.

The program, "En-

vironmental Geology" will be

Dennis of Jefferson; one brother, Walter Dennis of Kadoka, South Dakota; six Reservations may be made

by calling Mrs. Marcus O'Dell sisters, Mrs. Madeline 629 - 1395 before 12:00 noon, Moreland of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Dee Archer and Mrs. Wilma Monday, Jan. 7. Neal both of Bentonville, Ark.,

## decided", he said.

Friday things were back to normal after the county's first big freezing ice storm of the year.

Roads and highways were clear of hazardous ice. Kids were happy that the ice was gone, and the sun was out, so they could go outside.

Parents were happy that schools opened Friday after being delayed because of the weather conditions, and the long holiday vacation was over. Sgt. Jerry Mathews of the Department of Public Safety was very happy because there were no fatalities on Eastland County roadways during the holiday period. Last year seven fatalities occurred.

The sudden icy conditions did cause one accident with serious injury to Eastland County Residents. Wednesday Mrs. Patsy Miller, nurse at the B&W Clinic in Eastland was seriously injured in a one car accident east of Ranger. Killed when the car turned over was her father, John Brennan, 73, of Cross Plains. Also injured was her mother.

Thursday Mrs. Miller was The quarterly Central Texas taken off the critical list at Fireman's Association meeting Eastland Memorial Hospital. According to Director of Outgoing president of the Nurses, Martha Brasher, both association is Johnny Grimes of Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Brennan school study hall by 7:45' Tankersley was high in indicated Seibert. rebounds with 9 and Karen He admitted that it will be Jones snagged 6.

The girls' basketball team kind of dark coming to school got ready for district play by EASTLAND City Manager compiling a winning 9 - 5 Lewis Tiner indicated that city record in pre - season games employees will come to work at and tournament play. They took second places in both the "City crews will just go Baird and Gorman Tour-

over Cisco, 49 - 30.

The Mavettes opened their

regular season with a big win

Ann Haun was high point girl

ahead and ctange over to an naments. hour earlier until otherwise

## **Back To Normal After Storm**

an hour early.

the proper time Monday.

are doing very well. Criminal District Attorney Emory Walton and County Judge Scott Bailey were both

happy that there were so few DWI's this holiday season. There were less than a half dozen cases.

Last year during the holiday season six out of seven fatalities were caused by alcohol

Walton suggested that the reason for less deaths and DWI's was the fact that less drivers were on the road this year due to the gasoline shortage.

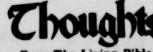
Said Judge Bailey, "People were a little more sober in disposition because of the energy crisis perhaps".

Perhaps drivers were more cautious and law abiding this holiday season. Perhaps slower speeds were also a factor. The completion of highway construction on I - 20 was certainly a contributing factor to the reduction of fatalities.

In a six month period starting the first of last year more than 12 deaths were recorded on the stretch of road from Putnam into Callahan County, said Dist. Atty. Walton.

Coach Charlotte Mason admits that her small, but fast team faces some tough opponents in district play, but she is sure they can hold their own with aggressive play and pride. She says that Tuesday's contest with Comanche will be exciting, interesting and a very good game. Miss Mason believes the

district championship will be decided between Hamilton. Comanche, and Eastland.



#### The Living Bible

Young men who are wise obey the law; a son who is a member of a lawless gang is a shame to his father. Income from exploiting the poor will end up in the hands of someone who pities them. God doesn't listen to the prayers of men who flout the law. A curse on those who lead astray the godly. But men who encourage the upright to do good shall be given a worthwhile reward. Rich men are conceited, but their real poverty is evident to the poor.

Proverbs 28:7-11 Religious Heritage of America

E REYSCHLAG **NSURANCE** WEATHER REPORT **New Front Due** 



J.M. Smith of 110 N. Walnut in Eastland celebrates his 78th birthday Tuesday. He still likes to put in a full day's work at the Smith plumbing Company which he began in 1932 and which his son Roy Lee still runs. He has been in the plumbing business in Eastland close to 50 years, almost since he came here in 1919 to work in the oil fields

From 1921 to 1931 Smith worked for the Crouch Plumbing Company. Then the depression came and he was laid off; out of necessity he began his own company.

Some say that the biggest mistake Crouch made was in laying off Smith. For in the past 40 years because of dependable workmanship and care the business has grown from a small shop at the back of his house to its present location, 114 N. Seaman.

Roy Lee was six months old when J.M. started his own shop. Roy Lee has a son - in - law working for him now, so actually the company has become a three - generation business.

For the entire season of each year, the Smiths hunt deer down at Catoola. What does he like to do besides plumbing and deer hunting? "Deer Hunting again" J.M. says with a smile. "I work all year so I can go hunting"





Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hubbard are getting ready for an Angus bull sale scheduled for January 19, 1974. The sale will be held at the Eastland Livestock Auction. They have had 37 bulls on a gain performance test for 140 days. The bulls have been gain tested by James Ratliff at Ranger.

They averaged about 600 pounds each when weighed in

on August 22. The test will end January 9th when all the bulls will be weighed again. By sale time the bulls will be 12 to 14 months of age.

Small grains in Eastland County got off to a good start, but growth has been hampered by cold, dry weather. Insects have caused damage

bugs without an economic loss to some fields, especially green than plants that are suffering

population is growing.

from lack of fertility, moisture bugs. There is only way to or from moderate to heavy determine if greenbugs should levels of leaf rust infection. be controlled in small grains. By not controlling greenbugs This is to inspect your field until populations reach levels once or twice each week that can cause economic depending on how active damage, producers give greenbugs are and how the beneficial populations of nabids, parasitic wasps, When small grains are three to six inches tall, as is the case spiders and others an opportunity to increase their in most fields, populations of 100 to 300 greenbugs per linear numbers and bring greenbugs populations do not build up until foot of row can be tolerated before chemical controls will there are many greenbugs or other aphids in the field. Once be needed. Plants that are growing vigorously can support populations of beneficials begin to increase, it is not larger populations of greenuncommon to find that 25 to 50

percent of the greenbugs have

fallen prey to the beneficials. Therefore, chemical controls should be reserved for those cases where beneficials do not bring damaging greenbugs populations under control.

Larger wheat plants can tolerate heavier populations of greenbugs without suffering economic losses. Information on population levels that various size plants can tolerate and on how to inspect your field is presented in MP - 339 "Suggestions for Controlling Insects and Mites on Corn, Sorghums and Small Grains". This publication is available at our office.

Livestockmen that have cattle grazing on Coastal bermuda grass should watch these animals closely for "shakes" or "staggers"

Recent cases have been reported in counties southeast of us.

Symptoms of affected cattle include severe muscle tremors, incoordination, weaving or bobbing of the head, a wild eyed expression and an inability to rise when down. Salivation and stiffness or weakness of hind legs may also be evident.

Animals may die from drowning, dehydration or a may help.

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direct effect of the toxic principle. The number of animals affected in a herd can vary from 10 to 100 percent.

What can be done once animals are affected?

We suggest handling them with care and driving them slowly off the bermuda - grass onto green oats or other small grain or into a pen. The cattle should be fed all the hay they can eat plus a feed high in carbohydrates, such as a low protein grain cube.

piano, \$350.00; three piece maple bedroom suite, \$125.00; As a preventive measure 12 x 15 ft. biege carpet and pad, mowing the bermuda grass \$50.00. See at 1202 Desdemona Blvd. t- 50

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To Late To Classify

LOST: Saturday in downtown shopping area, ladies black leather purse with two strap handles. Contains Social

Security card, driver's license,

title to car and Blue Cross

insurance policy. Finder keep money and please return papers to Mrs. Betty Lewis, 101 Travis St., Tel. 647 - 1348. t- 3

FOR SALE: Kimball spinet



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Parade CALAD Quart	Betty Crocker HAMBURGER & TUNA HEL	PERS 59°	46 oz. 3/\$100
DRESSING 59°		5° Unbeatab	le produce
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100% FREEZE-DRIED COFFEE 8 oz. size ONLY \$179 with this coupon	Del Monte	9° Texas Juicy ORANGES I. 10°	CELERY Stock ZY
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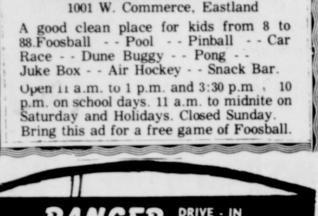
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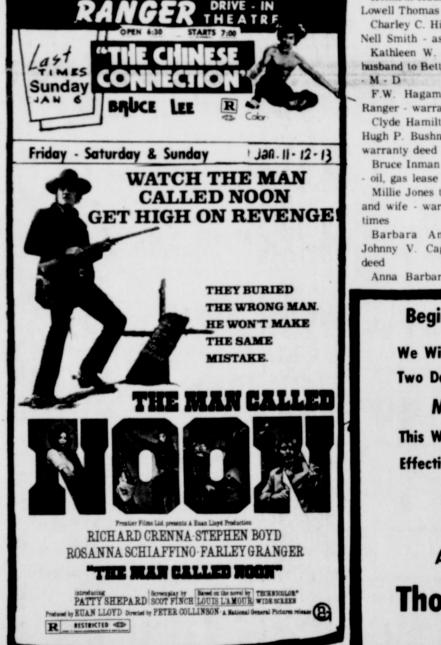
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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

Guy Cooper and others to St. Holding Est. - oil, gas, mineral Arturo R. Camacho - Chev. lease

Ranger Phil R. Taylor - Ford Pkup -Wyndle L. Armstrong - Chev.

Eastland. 91st DISTRICT COURT

Breck.

In Regard: Carla Kay Bridges - Change of Name INSTRUMENTS FILED COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE Joe (Patrick) Agnew and wife to John Gerhardt warranty deed

Leon Bint to Lynn Bint warranty deed J.R. Bilharty and others to

BSG Co. - partial release oil, gas lease BSG Company to Pat W. Davis - partial release oil, gas

BSG Co. - to H. Wayne Hanks partial release oil, gas lease BSG Co. to Leon Thompson partial release oil, gas lease BSG Co. to Alvin E. Holland partial release oil, gas lease BSG Co. to James K. Allen partial release oil, gas lease B.A. Butler - to West Tex. Utiliities Co. - esm't & right of

> City of Cisco to Jack P. Davis warranty deed A.B. Cornelius to Lee Alton

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

Cook Bros. Lumber Co. to

Mrs. B.B. Wheat - release abstract of judgment Paul Cawley and wife to

Patrick Agnew and wife warranty deed Bernard M. Campbell and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas lease C.F. Coates and wife to A.C.

Scott - oil, gas lease Margaret Cagle and others (deceased) to the Public proof of heirship

Prudence Dee Boyd to Nasario Soto and wife warranty deed

J.H. Elam to A.C. Scott - oil. gas, mineral lease First State Bank to T.C. Fisher and wife - release deed

of trust First Nat'l Bk., Cisco to Leonard Hollander and wife release deed of trust

First Fed. S&L Assn to Foy Warlick and wife - release deed of trust Charles L. Fox and wife to Eastland Nat'l Bank - deed of trust

Bobbie L. Glasson( doing business alone) to St. of Tex.

notice state tax lien Harbin - release venders lien Ray N. Griffin and others to Ora Roberts - oil, gas, mineral

lease David G. Griffith and others to Leniul H. Hampton and wife ratification lake lease E.W. Harbin to L.A. Harbin

release venders lien Dwight H. Hamilton and wife to John Lee Roper and wife -

quit claim deed Libbie L. Harris to Kenneth Hudson and wife - quit claim deed

Charley C. High and wife to Kenneth Hudson and wife warranty deed

Kenneth Hudson and wife to Lowell Thomas - deed of trust Charley C. High and wife to Nell Smith - asgn. lake lease Kathleen W. Hagaman and

husband to Betty Anne Hopper F.W. Hagaman to City of

Ranger - warranty deed Clyde Hamilton and wife to Hugh P. Bushnell and wife -

Bruce Inman to R.W. Drake oil, gas lease release and wife - warranty deed - 3

Barbara Ann Kerley to

Ralph C. Hart - oil, gas, mineral lease

L.E. Jones Const. Co. Inc. to Tri - Mark Dev. Inc. - release vendors lean and deed of trust W.L. Lewis and wife to Lois Ramsey - trust agreement Aubry G. Laurence and wife to Paul Cawley and wife -

warranty deed Francine Ann Monk to C.C.

Pippin and wife - warranty deed Morton Valley Water Supply

Corp. to U.S.A. - deed of trust Thomas A. Munnerlyn and wife to Troy L. Hatcher and wife - warranty deed

Cecil J. Maples - atty in fact for beily sue Maples to James Woods Jr. and wife - warranty deed

J.P. McCracken and wife to Kitty M. Hudson and others warranty deed

J.P. McCracken and wife to James V. McCracken and others - warranty deed Sara McKissock and husband

to Frank Riggs - deed of trust James McCormick and wife to Eastland Natl Bk - deed of trust

Jim McHargue to A.C. Scott asgn oil, gas lease G.M. McConal and wife to

Jim McHarge - oil, gas, mineral lease

Dan C. Nichols and wife to James R. Whitley and others warranty deed

C.C. Pippen and wife to Frances Ann Monk - deed of trust

Jim Pate and wife to Hugh P. Bushnell and wife - warranty deed

J.D. Parker and others deceased to the public - proof of heirship

Frank Riggs and wife to Sara McKissack and husband warranty deed

W.A. Robinson and wife to 1st St. Bank Ranger - extension venders lien deed of trust

Jimmie J. Rowan and wife to Ralph H. Greenwood and wife warranty deed

Katheryn Smith and others to Richard R. Harrell and others warranty deed

Henry A. Schaefer and wife

to A.V. Jones and sons - oil, gas, mineral lease

Mrs. M.B. Shook to West Tex. Utilities Co. - esmit & ...sht of way

Floyd H. Scott to Ralph C. Hart - oil, gas, lease Neal D. Tankersley to Eastland Nat'l Bk. - deed of trust

B.A. Tunnell and others to Millie Jones to Wayne Webb Petroleum Corp of Tex. - oil, gas lease

> Trans - Tex Motels, Inc. to Gen. Am. Life Ins. Co. - deed of

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Almost five million telephones later (the six anuary) the company has

BUT...had the 1950 ration of employees per 10,000 phones been maintained, the company would now have 157,000 Texas

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Lab-	Wednesday	6:30- 9:30
English 123 ( Composition and Rhetoric)	Tuesday	6:30 - 9:30
Business Law 243 (Business Law)	Tuesday	6:30 - 9:30
Welding 203 (Oxygen-Acetylene)	Tuesday	6:30 - 9:30
	-Thursday	6:30 - 9:30
Government 223 (State and Local Government)	Wednesday	6:30 - 9:30
Math 123 (Trigonometry)	Thursday	6:30 - 9:30
English 213 (Reading in English Literature)	Thursday	6:30 - 9:30
Photography 113 (Basic Photography)	Thursday	6:00 - 10:00

G.R. Whittington and wife to Joanne Bengmann - md B. Fred Wright to Jewell Thomas - deed of trust

warranty deed

Carmenlita Alvarado and Barbara Ann Morgan

**Beth Harris** 

Zona Kay Underwood

MARRIAGE LICENSES Patricia Delynn Chambers

Doris Gladys Westbrook and husband to O.E. Rose warranty deed Jerry W. Warren and wife to B.J. Chafin - warranty deed

Delbert R. Tarver and wife to

Prewitt Oil Corp - oil, gas lease

R.D. Threet and wife to A.V.

F.D. Underwood and wife to

Jones and sons - oil, gas,

Jackie E. Bibby and wife -

mineral lease

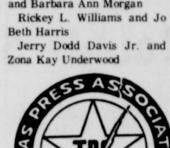
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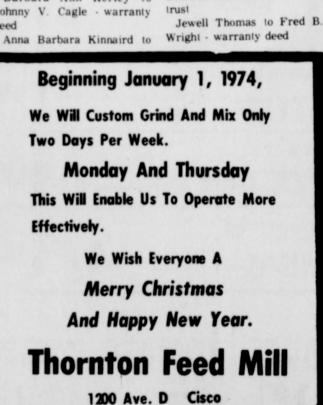
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AUSTIN, Tex. - Legislative leaders expressed optimism for success of the state Constitution Convention which opened at noon Tuesday (Jan.

Planning committees have worked out a fast-paced 81day schedule which may, or may not, hold up.

Optimists see at least a 50-50-chance of success, noting that of 12 constitutions offered voters in other states during the last 12 years, half were rejected, frequently on a single issue,

**House Speaker Price Daniel** Jr., projected presiding officer of the historic convention, the first since 1875, hopes to have committee hearings started by January 16.

Preliminary briefings by corresponding committees of the 37-member Constitutional Revision Commission will precede the committee hearings. Daniel claims the conven-

tion, composed of 181 legislators, will be successful because delegates have a downto-business attitude and are the best prepared group (thanks to work of the Revision Commission) ever to undertake such a task.

Such controversial issues as right-to-work inclusion in the constitution, legislative pay raises and appointive appellate judges, under Daniel's plan, would be submitted to voters as separate issues. That procedure, the speaker maintains, would prevent jeopardizing a largely-non-controversial document because of a handful of hot potatoes. Eight substantive commit-

tees and five procedural com mittees are proposed to handle the initial hearings and study starting next week. POLITICAL SEASON ON -Major candidates are getting

in place for the 1974 primary races. Attorney General John Hill

announced for a second term. Agriculture Commissioner John White announced for a 13th.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe revealed his plans (back in late October) to seek a second term.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will be doing the same. Others already on the starting blocks include Railroad Commissioners Jim Langdon and Mack Wallace, Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong and Treasurer Jesse

McBrayer.

SPEED LIMIT CHANGE DUE With President Nixon's signature of the nationwide 55 miles per hour speed limitlaw, Texas has no choice but to follow suit.

The State Highway Commission, under a new law passed in special session last month giving it authority to establish new speed limits to meet emergencies, scheduled a January 8 public hearing.

Result of the hearing was clear in advance: the limit will be lowered to 55 mph - probably enforceable by late January or early February.

The alternative: losing some \$240 million a year in federal

highway assistance.

AG OPINIONS - political action committees have to report expenditures to influence elections, Atty. Gen. Hill held. However, Hill said that de-

termining whether such committees come under campaign reporting and disclosure law provisions is a question for factual determination in each case.

· In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

• A law requiring financial statements by public officials is constitutional, and district judges are covered.

· A county commissioners court may transfer surplus road and bridge funds into the general fund. · A member of the Parks and

Wildlife Commission is entitled to reimbursement for expenses for meetings which are not regularly scheduled.

· A person who spends in excess of \$200 per calendar quarter by paying another to communicate directly with a legislator would not have to register under the new lobby

· Texas Rehabilitation Commission can act on behalf of the state in entering an agreement with the Secretary of

Health, Education and Welfare to carry out provisions of the Social Security Act. The commissioner of TRC is the proper official to execute the agree-

APPOINTMENTS - Gov. Briscoe appointed Ralph Dur-den of Corpus Christi to the Texas A&I University board of directors, succeeding William H. Atkinson of Kenedy. Briscoe picked Edwardo Marquez of El Paso to be65th

district judge, replacing the late Judge Jack Fant. Blake Allen of Corsicana was named by Briscoe to the

Trinity River Authority. Joe Sage of San Antonio

was appointed chairman of a new permanent House subcommittee on military and veterans affairs.

Frank Hildebrand, Texas Tourist Development Agency executive director, is new first vice-chairman of the National organization of the U.S. travel

industry, "Discover America Travel Organization."

COURTS SPEAK - U.S. Fifth Court of Appeals held the housing authority of Hidalgo County should not have been allowed to seize belongings of a migrant farm worker's wife

for non-payment of rent. The state's authority to prohibit public use of the term "engineering" by unlicensed persons or firms was upheld by the Second Court

of Civil Appeals in Fort Worth. Texas Supreme Court approved Lipscomb County school trustees' plans to annex most of Lipscomb ISD.

FOOD STAMP CARDS SENT Three hundred thousand needy Texans received cards authorizing food stamps for them early this month.

Welfare Commissioner Raymond Vowell, meanwhile, alerted his field offices to give special handling to stamps for the aged, blind and disabled whosefederal assistance checks are late or incorrect.

Vowell said steps were taken to assure that none of

these go without food stamps this month because they do not have cash for bonus stamps or because of errors or late deliveries of supplemental security income checks.

#### SHORT SNORTS

Internal Revenue has set up a toll-free long distance line by which Texans in the southern half of the state can get guidance on their income tax problems. The number is 1-800-252-1000.

Texas Aeronautics Commission set a January 11 hearing on application of Trans Western Airlines to provide five DC-3 round-trip daily flights between San Antonio and Corpus Christi. On the same agenda, TAC will consider Southwest Airlines' request to suspend weekend flights between San Antonio and Houston due to fuel shortages. Another application, by Maverick Airways, proposes two round-trip flights daily between San Antonio and San Angelo.

Sunday, January 6, 1974



A big dog saw a little dog chasing its tail. "Why?" he asked. "I have been told," replied the little dog, "that happiness is in my tail. There- loved with all of the heart. fore I am chasing it. When I Half a heart is no more good catch it I shall have hap- than half a parachute. piness."

Said the old dog, "I, too, plying. A man was being know that happiness is in my interviewed for a job. "What tail. But I have noticed that did you do in the service?" when I chase it, it keeps asked the personnel manager. running away from me. But "I did as I was told," anwhen I go about my business, swered the man. So should it comes along with me." And what is our business?

every Christian. Do you want happiness? Psalm 119:2 answers, "Blessed" Well, do something about it or "Happy are they that keep now! Crave the Lord and His testimonies, and that seek comply with His Word.

First, there is the craving

The Lord is not to be the

last resort but the first resort.

He must be longed for and

Second, there is the com-

Him with the whole heart." Safeway Special! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Alcohol Bleach Detergent uice Mrs. Wright's ±Sweet Milk or ±Buttermilk (Limit 6) Orange. Scotch Treat. Frozen Rubbing. Isopropyl. Clear. Liquid. White Magic 100% Pure Orange Juice From Florida PARAL Bottle Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Big Buy! Safeway Special! Dog Food es Cold Capsules Cragmont. 10-oz. Bottles (Plus Deposit) Bel-air. 6-Count. Frozen **Tablets. Safeway 5-Grain** CONTAC 100-Ct. 15.5-oz. 10-Ct. Carton EVERYDAY PRICES Plus In February 1967, Safeway launched a New Pricing Program, DISCON-Safeway Meats Are Guaranteed! TINUED STAMPS AND THEIR EXTRA COST TO YOU and offered you low prices everyday throughout our store. When you compare our prices .... Compare Our Quality ... Compare Our Service, you'll see why it pays to

announced formally).

**Comptroller Robert Calvert** remains a question mark. Whe ther or not he retires, former Secretary of State Bob Bullock is running for his office, and State Sen. Jim Wallace of Houston is a probable.

Republicans have fielded in the governor's race Henry Grover, Jim Cranberry, State Rep. Ray Hutchison and Odell



A father is a person who forks over a few thousand for his daughter's wedding. then reads in the paper that he gave her away.

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John Boggus, Beaumont Lela Malone Boyd Haney, Gordon **Burt Herridge** Ellen Boggus, Gordon Zelma Lusk Juanice Jameson Kathy Munoz

D. Finley

Some crews worked 12 to 20

"We started work at 8 a.m.

Wednesday, worked all night

and ended our ice control work

about 4 p.m. Thursday, he said.

20 were clear of ice. However,

at 5 p.m. Thursday some

economist statio.ied

class

guides left'

filing their tax returns.

At that time all sections of I -

Erie Tucker weather. **Kim Gertrude** Patients in Ranger General hour shifts on the ice control Hospital Saturday morning work

were: Margaret Clements Vennie Carwile Maria Garcia Mae Silvers Mary O'Neill Edvth Yancev Chester Brenneman Jerry Cole Lewis Baggett Gertrude Jones Pat Brown Ida Harrell

Florence Urban Charlie Williams Gertrude Davis Estelle Stiffler Annie Sharpe Eula Lyon Rosa West Roxie Wilson Susie Underwood C.D. Jones Mary McCormick Baby Boy McCormick Winnie Pirkle Kathy Reynolds Baby Girl Reynolds Linda Baker Baby Boy Baker Rebecca Walker Lavoy Williams

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# **Texas Railway**

Sun is Out And Ice is Gone

stretches of farm roads still "We are sure glad to see the had ice, but most were sun come and the ice go; it's a graveled well. relief", said Texas Highway

The biggest problems were Maintenance Supervisor Owen the bridges and underpasses on 1 - 20. Most of them were iced Approximately 23 men and badly and there was some six trucks used some 250 yards difficulty on the steeper hills. of manufactured sand to keep The worst section was from overpasses, bridges, and roads State Highway 6 west on I - 20, driveable and clear during the for here the ice lasted longer, year's first bad spell of said Finley

"I feel more than a little relief that the Cisco viaduct is now gone", agreed the maintenance supervisor for Eastland County. "However with all the new overpasses and bridges on I - 20, we have just about twice as much work". He hopes this is all the ice storms that Eastland County



County Agent DeMarquis business have a choice in filing Gordon reminds area farmers tax returns. An individual may that there will be a class on make a declaration of his Farmer's Income Tax January essential income tax by 23 at Farm Bureau Building on January 15, then file a return by April 15, the usual filing Hwy. 80 east at 9:00 a.m. James S. Denton, Jr., area date.

in If he doesn't follow this Stephenville, will conduct the procedure, then a farmer must file his income tax form by March 1, almost a month and a A Farmer's income tax guide

is also available free of charge half before most must file. Gordon admits that the at the county agent's office in the Eastland Court House. farmer's income tax is more "Quite a few people have difficult to figure than most, for picked one up", says Gordon, being a business it is more complicated. Here farm ex-"but there are quite a few tax

penses and depreciation must This government publication be figured. provides a lot of useful in-He believes most farmers, formation and covers the forms even though they have their and questions farmers have in taxes figured by an accountant, will benefit from attending the income tax meeting. The class

experiences this year. Others agree

According to Finley, traffic was running almost bumper to bumper Wednesday on I - 20, which made the highway department's job even more difficult. "Many times we'd have to wait to break in the

stream of traffic to sand and gravel' Luckily Wednesday's slick ice seemed to evaporate overnight. "Usually such a

small amount as we had Wednesday disappears rapidly", Finley indicated. "Perhaps it was because it is so dry now anyhow

The Maintenance supervisor was on the road most of the time Wednesday and Thursday. "You don't cover much ground at 30 miles an hour", he ad-

mitted. "So I spent most of the time behind the wheel. Anywhere there's paved road in the county, it's the

responsibility of the Eastland area highway department maintenance shop.

Demonstration **Council Will Meet Tuesday** 

Eastland County Home Demonstration Council will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 8th at 2 p.m. in the Eastland National Bank Community Room. Mrs. R.W. Gordon, Council Chairman, will be in charge of the business meeting. A special THDA election will be held in order to elect a new county TH-DA Chairman to fill the vacant office.

All members are urged to Day Or Night attend

### **RC&D** Project Directors Meet

There will be a meeting of the Eastland County Directors of the Leon - Bowque RC&D Project on Wednesday, Jan. 9th Member at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will be at the Eastland National Bank

Conference Room. Items to be covered at this meeting include:

(1) Financing for 1974

(2) Election of two representatives to the steering committee from Eastland County

(3). Review of needs and the status of projects in the County (4). Select directors, as needed to fill openings on the Board.

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a special effort to attend this authorized this newspaper to meeting, as we need your participation", said Sam annour.ce their candidacy for Powers, Steering Committee political offices:

Charles Haenisch, the new Project Coordinator for the RC&D area, will be at this meeting.

Eastland County Directors are Eugene Baker, E.F. Harrison, James Ratliff, Mike Collins, Bill Terry, H.V. O'Brien, Dick Foster, Winfred Fry, Jerry Pruitt,

Joe Criswell, Sutton Crofts, James Rutherford, Harry Sone, Othell Clark, Mack Stubblefield, Jerry Anderson, Gene Abbott, and Cecil Reeves. the state legislature.

The group will meet at the Stephen F. Austin hotel at 3 p.m. to discuss general administrative procedures and proposed recommendations for





#### Political Announcement The following persons have

JOE HANNA

State Representative

**To Attend Meeting** 

Eastland County Schoo

Superintendent O.L. Stamey

will attend a School Ad-

Council meeting in Austin next

ministrators Advisory

Wednesday.



### Completes **Studies**

Mrs. Mariana Jones Stockstill, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hittson, has completed her studies at Texas Christian University. She will receive a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree with her major in Speech and minor in English. Mrs. Stockstill hopes to teach. She attended Weatherford College for two years and was a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. Both at Weatherford College and TCU she was active in speech festivals and tournaments and on the Dean's Honor List.

## **Miss Deford** Honored

Miss Nannette DeFord was honored with a bridesmaids luncheon on Saturday, Dec. 29th, in the home of Mrs. M.H. Perry. Hostesses were Mrs. Randell Curry of Lubbock, Mrs. Jay Staggs and Mrs. Perry.

Decorations were carried out in the bride's colors of antique gold and white.

Those attending were Miss Nannette DeFord, Mrs. Nolan DeFord, Mrs. Pat Keith, Mrs. Travis Rogers, Mrs. Trixie Lester, Mrs. Terry Trout, Mrs. John Galbraith, Miss Phyllis Harbin, Miss Denise Strickland, Miss Sharon Lounley, Miss Randee Thompson, and the hostesses, Mrs. Randell Curry, Mrs.



## **County Looks** Better

funds.

**County Treasurer Mrs. Helen** Justice says that money - wise the county looks as good or better than years past. For December of 1973 there were \$465,836.92 in funds as compared to \$308,000 in 1970, \$337,000 in 1971 and \$405,000 in 1972.

The jump in funds is not due to a rise in taxes. "Revenue sharing has helped us the most", she stated. For in 1972 there was \$55,591.00 left over from revenue sharing funds. And in 1973 left over revenue sharing funds accounted for

\$43,997.28 REVENUE SHARING

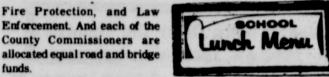
According to County Auditor C.H. O'Brien, revenue sharing funds are used in various ways by the county. They are placed in the county's general fund and used for Fiscal Administration, Capitol Outlay,



## Engagement

Announced

Mrs. H.E. Sullivent of Eastland is proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her granddaughter Karen Fay Sullivent to Billy Ray Gillean, son of Mrs. Archie Gillean of



Green peas

Rice with tomatoes

Pineapple pudding

Lettuce & tomato salad

THURSDAY, JAN. 10

Beef stew with

Cinnamon rolls

FRIDAY, JAN. 11

**Sloppy Jo burgers** 

Jello with bananas

MISCELLANEOUS

Mrs. W.L. Wright had her

children v visiting with her this

holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meroney and sons Wayne and

Eddy have just returned to St.

Petersburg, Fla. And her

daughter Nancy Trout and girls

Kathy and Donna of Eastland

Visitors in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. I.E. Talley during the

Christmas holidays were Mr.

and Mrs. Bill Hankiner of

Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Norman

Alford of Austin, Mr. and Mrs.

Jerry Alford of Eastland, Mrs.

Mackey Duckworth of

Eastland, Mrs. Hazel Mullings

of Eastland, Mr. Cecil Alford of

Olden, Mr. and Mrs. Bud

Griffin of Olden and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simmons

Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze

visited her.

Round up salad

Potato chips

Vegetables

Cornbread

Lettuce wedges

The federal government MONDAY, JAN. 7 requires that the funds be spent Steak & gravy in specific areas. Under the Whipped potatoes designation of law en-Green beans forcement, the constable's Tossed salad salaries are paid. Under the Hot rolls designation of Transportation a **Cake** squares major portion of employee TUESDAY, JAN. 8 wages and load maintenance **Barbecue Franks** costs of commissioner's Pinto beans precincts are paid. **Buttered** cabbage Since 1972 when the revenue Stuffed celery sharing program began, the Cornbread Fruit cobbler county has received a total of \$226,934 in funds. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9 The total in 1972 was \$108,934 Corn chip pie

In April '73, the county received \$32,013 for the first quarter payment and in July, \$31,014 for the 2nd quarter.

Eastland County has not received their third quarter payment. However, O'Brien called the Texas Coordinator for revenue - sharing in Washington, who said no disbursements would be made until after the first of the year. Thus the county auditor figures that the third and fourth quarter payments of \$29,000 each will be pa paid in one lump sum.

The County auditor has set up a separate account in the bank for revenue sharing funds. He figures the cost in the county's books and takes revenue sharing payments out of the county funds. Then he reimburses the county from the revenue sharing account, which requires only one simple check for total expenditures.

Under the capital outlay designation, the funds have been used to buy a new boiler for the courthouse and to provide for major repairs to the Courthouse building, that are now going on.

> **To Recite Vows** George Sims of Howard Payne Mr. and Mrs. L.A. (Jeff)

> Harbin would like to extend an invitation to all friends and relatives to the wedding of their and Bill Phelps of Wichita Falls daughter, Laura Suzanne to visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave John Michael Magin on Putnam last week. Saturday, Jan. 12, 1974, at 7:30 p.m. in the Bethel Baptist Church in Eastland. A and David visited J.B. Baze of reception will be held following the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church. No local invitations are being

mailed.

Fort Worth last weekend.

Mrs. James L. Bigby, Susan and Sandra of Fort Worth spent Sunday night and Monday with Mrs. C.L. Bigby and John.

Mr. and Mrs. F.G. Clark, Karen and Allen of O Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carr, Laurie and Doug of Dallas spent Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Scott.

Mrs. Alton Thompson has returned from an extended visit with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pettit and her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson of Fort Worth.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Alford on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Day and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Day all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Southern, Dana, David and Dan of Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Alford of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Altom of Wellington and Doug Altom of Austin spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Altom.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan of Kerrville spent the New Year weekend with Mrs. Ima Jordan

Mr. and Mrs. James Baker and children spent last Thursday night with their grandmother Mrs. Cleo Greenwood.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Baze and David were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been of Carbon, Miss Jo Ann Been of Devine, Mrs. Mary Black, Mr. and Mrs Don Massengil and Mrs. Eunice Lasater of Eastland.

Mr. Tony Jordan of Miami,

Florida, Jack Lewis, Mr. and Fannie O'Brien on Friday. TONY'S CAFETERIA specializing In GOUD HUOD

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Beautiful, beautiful is the new book, Civil War, The Years Asunder by the editors of Country Beautiful, just published at \$15.95 by the CB Corp., 24198 West Bluemound Rd., Waukesha, Wisconsin

Mrs. Walter Shaller of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jordan and Raymond of Hamlin visited Mrs. Ima Jordan during the Christmas holidays.

Visiting Mrs. A.W. Wright during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Vaughn, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Bradshaw of Mc-Camey.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Murl Ford and Shirley on Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lutz and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Morris and children and Tommy Ford of Lubbock and Mrs. John Reed of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young and children of San Angelo visited Mrs. Cleo Greenwood on Sunday night.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Wilson on Sunday before Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. John T. Wilson and Terry of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Don T. Wilson and Stephen of Kennedale, Hayden Wilson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Milligan, Cindy and Lana Faye of Eastland.

Mrs. John Edwards of Abilene, Mrs. Lewis Shell and children of Denton visited Mrs.

And what a feeling of satisfaction it must be to Eastlander J.C. Poe to know that through his efforts, important historical material belonging to his family is now a major part of this Civil War document.

The big, 9 by 12, book contains many, many beautiful color photos, reproductions of famous paintings, and black and white drawings and actual photos, including some Matthew Bradys.

The book quotes generously from J.C. Poe's The Raving Foe, The Civil War Diary of Major James T. Poe, C.S.A., Poe's great - grandfather who was a Federal prisoner on Johnson Island. The excerpt tells vividly about prison conditions, and activities of the

prisoners. Lavishly illustrated the book contains excerpts, quotes and original material divided into five main headings: Prelude to Battle, A Nation at War, Behind the Lines, What Price Victory and But Not in Vain.

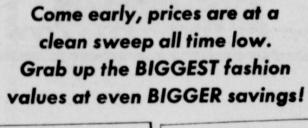


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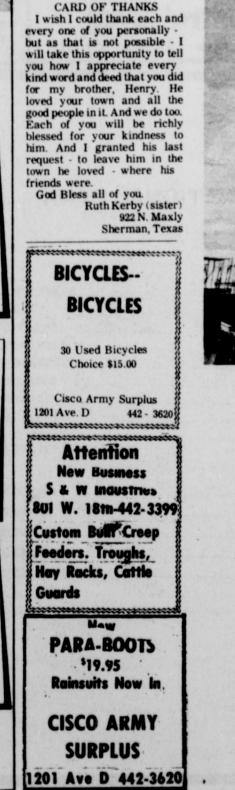
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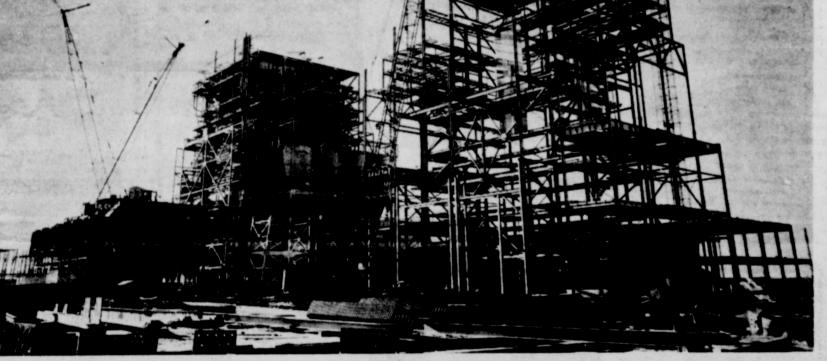
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7:30 p.m. UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

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ship 11:00 a.m.; S Evening Worship 7:30 p.m NORTH OSTROM ST.

CHURCH OF CHRIST H.S. Lewis Worship10:30a.m.; Evening Worship 5:00

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Rev. Haston Brewer Sunday School 9:45 a.m.: Morning Wor

ship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship 7:30. BETHEL BAPTIST

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.; Training Union 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NO. SEAMAN ST.

Rev. G.L. Norris Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Wo ship 11:00 a.m.; Baptist Training Union

6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.; esday Night Service 7:00 p.m. HARMONY BAPTIST CHURCH

RUDY FAMBROUGH- Minister Sunday School 9:45 a.m.: Morning Wor ship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m. MANGUM BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A.J. Thomas School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Training Union 6:00 p.m. : Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. ST. FRANCES CATHOLIC Priest John Mitchell Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Robert W. Marsh

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning 00 a.m

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Brooker of Mrs. Bob Hastings Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carbon Brooker, Sue and Ann also of Abilene visited Mrs. Clara News

Funeral services for Claude C. Jones were held in the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel Whitehorn of Dallas visited last T Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Ruth Craighead last 2:30. Mr. Jones passed away in weekend.

He had lived in Carbon several years. He was a retired laborer and a member of Jehovah's Witnesses Church. Mr. Jones was born Feb. 9, 1883. He was married to Fannie

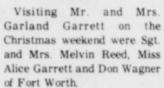
Mae Anthony Sept. 26, 1925 in during the holidays. Survivors include his wife, six daughters. Mrs. Lavina Mae Stubblefield, Hobbs, N.M., Mrs. Willie Jean Clark of Brady, Mrs. Betty Lou Regian Carbon, Mrs. Cartha Fay spurgen of Denver City, Misses

Abilene: four sons, Marvin J. of Clovis, N.M., J. Lee of San Augustine, Audie and Altus of Cleburne; three brothers, L.D. Jones of California, Ivy Jones of Arizona, and Harvey Jones of Carlsbad, N.M.; five sisters, Mrs. Edna Partee of Cleburne, Mrs. Minnie Luttrell of Brownwood, Mrs. Flossie Boyd

of May, Mrs. Rachel Teague of Denton, Mrs. Eddie Wilkerson of Big Springs; also 27 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCrum of DeLeon.

Holiday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Delbert Smith last week were her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brancecum. Lonny, Vicki and Jodi of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Brooker during the weekend. and Mrs. T.D. Rev. Whitehorn of Favetteville. Arkansas, and Miss Sylvia

the Blackwell Hospital of Gorman Tuesday at 9:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beeler, Gary and Melissa of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Washburn and Daniel of Arlington visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Garrett

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Petree were Mr. and Mrs. Red Petree of Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold Jackson. Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robertson and David of Abilene, Mrs. Larry Mary Jane and Marie Jones, of Castleberry and Christi, Camp Hood

> Larry Thackerson who has been serving with the Armed Forces in Korea has returned to the states just before Christmas and will be stationed at the air base in San Angelo.

> Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Rovce Kinard and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Warren of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fields of Olden. Mrs. Diane Kent of Cross Plains and Larry Thackerson of the Air Force.

Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hale were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant, Kevin and Karen of Mozelle, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stephenson and Tonya of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nance of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ervin of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Edwards, Mark and Alice of

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hagan last



Abilene.

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weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ingram, Robert and Robin; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Weathers, Tray, Bob, Lundy of Tremont, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Ingram, Charles and Jill of Allen.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Roberts and Mary Lee visited friends in Carbon Thursday.

Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rogers were their children and grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rogers of Abilene, Don Rogers of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huddleston and family of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Clement and family of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Rogers and Ricky of Fredricksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. L.D. McCurry and Dean of Missouri City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair and Chuck of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Thompson, Brad and Brvan of Richardson spent the Christmas weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clower, Keith and Wendy of Sweetwater spent Christmas with the Truman Bryants

Alvin Johnson of Fort Stockton spent Christmas with his father J.B. Johnson and Iola

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings spent Christmas with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grun of Ovalo.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. F.J. Stubblefield for Christmas were sons and families Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield of Buttesville, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stubblefield of Carbon, Mrs. Arabel Cohn of Eastland

New Years Day guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. R.B. Murray were Mrs. Mary Emerson of Gorman, Mrs. Harvey Fairburn of Canton, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Nowlin of Fort Worth, Rev. and Mrs. Delbert Smith, Mrs. Mabel Pavne of Carbon and Mr. Sanders of Illinois.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Clyde Hall were her grandaughter Mrs Barbara Hall of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Athol Claborn of Trent, Gene Guy of Worth and Travis Fort Spence of Rhome.

## What's Going On At The Chamber De Jomes Wright

Eastland merchants enjoyed one of the best Christmas seasons ever, and are grateful to the many people who shopped in Eastland. - - We regret to lose, M.H. Perry, Marcus O'Dell, Wade Freeman, R.P. Haun, and Saul Pullman, who all have served three years on the board of directors. But we are happy to have Otis Coleman, Ray Winingar, Obie Duncan, M.L.

Terrell, Veon Howard, and Jim Hogan on the board for a three year term If you have been thinking of putting in a taxi cab, better come by the Chamber office

and have a talk soon. We have a check from our good friend Victor Cornelius in the amount of \$600 to help someone along the way. Certainly this is needed.

Thanks and a tip of the hat to Otis Coleman, Buddy Carter

look who's new Rev. and Mrs. Bill Goff of Maracay, Estado, Aragua, Venezuela, are the proud

parents of a son Samuel Neal, born December 17. The baby has one brother, Gary. Rev. Goff was the pastor of Bethel Baptist Church from 1966 to 1971.

and Emmett Lasater for the help during Santa Claus time. The Centennial books are moving fast. We are mailing several out each week. So you need to get yours soon. Price is \$2.50 if you want one mailed, please add 20c for postage.

The Chamber wishes each of you a very happy, healthy and prosperous year.

### Eastland Memoria Hospital

Helga Tiner, Administrator of Eastland Memorial Hospital, announced the appointment of Mrs. Polly Mohon, R.N., as Director of Continuing Education

Mrs. Mohon is married to David Mohon, who is employed by the Texas Department of Public Safety. They have one son, Michael, age 3.

Mrs. Mohon is a graduate of St. Paul School of Nursing, with experience in all areas of nursing services.

The first formal In - Service Program conducted by Mrs. Mohon was on Isolation Techniques and Procedures. Forty - five employees attended the program, which was

held on Nov. 29th in the Hospital Conference Room. Speakers for the program

were Dr. B.B. Alexander, MD, and Mrs. Cletis Williamson, < age 3. He is a graduate of North ASCP, laboratory supervisor. Dr. Alexander, a member of Bachelor of Business Adthe Hospital Infection Control Committee, spoke on the was formerly employed by principles of infection and Goodyear Tire and Rubber isolation, the complexity of care due to an influx in patient

load, problems of cross contamination, and classifications of communicable diseases with regulations governing same. Mrs. Williamson spoke on modes of infection tran-

smission, hospital sepsis causes, sources and control, and the susceptibility to changes in micro - organisms, and had for display several graphic charts prepared bs Mr. Gary Wilson, X - ray

Technician. Mrs. Mohon concluded the session by calling attention to the new isolation cart, which will be used for the special cases.

### Armstrong Employed

Mr. Larry Armstrong has been employed by Eastland Memorial Hospital as Director of Plant Operations, and is, also, responsible for developing **Hospital Safety and Preventive** Maintenance Programs.

Mrs. Martha Brasher, RN, Director of Nurses, assisted by Mrs. May Dell Bahr, RN, Instructor of the LVN school at Cisco Jr. College. Also assisting with classes were Mrs. Polly Mohon, RN, Director of In - Service Education and Mrs. Norene

Rourke, LVN, who is responsible for the aide orientation program for new aides. Aides receiving Certificates

Mr. Armstrong is married to

the former Juli Moser. They

have two children, a daughter

Texas state University with a

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Recognition

Kelly, age 8 and a son Steve,

were: Oleta Wreley, Berta Townzen, Nettie Parten, Denise Brandon. Billie Mayfield, Kathy

Munoz, Gloria Ayson, Marie Gardenhire, Earmon Liles, Louise Dorsey, Betty Jackson, Ruby

Caffey, Betty Lewis and Sally Frasier



FIRST CHRISTIAN Mo Sunday School 9 30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. CHURCH OF GOD

Main & Connellee Rev. Ronald Bear Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning

Worship 11:00 a.m. Family Training 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m. CHURCH OF CHRIST Daugherty St.

Jim Pennington

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Morning Wor ship 10:20 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:00 p.m

> HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CH'IRCH Priest Raleigh Denisor

Sunday School 11 a.m.; Holy Com munion 11 a.m.

> CARBON FIRST BAPTIST Rev. Delbert Smith

School 10:00; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Ev Training Union 5:30 p.m.; SEvening Worship 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service 8:00 p.m. CHURCH OF CHRIST

Jack Landrum Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Worship 7:30 p.m. FIRST UNITED METHODIST Rev. C.C. Shultz Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. OLDEN BAPTIST CHURCH

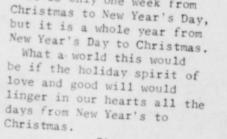
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Frank Kilbourne

Bible Class 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. FLATWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST Wilkie E. Moore School 9:45 a.m. Morning ship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 Wednesday evening 8:00 p.m. OUTHSIDE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH 107 New St. Rev. A.J. We Morning Worship

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\$17,091,104.45

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided Profits	637,907.39
Other Liabilities	341,563.33
Deposits1	5,861,633.73

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