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By HVO

*************** EASTLAND POST OFFICE will be closed Thursday in compliance with President Nixon's proclamation of a National Day of Mourning at the death of Former President Harry S. Truman, according to Postmaster Marcus O'Dell. There'll be no city or rural delivery, no window service and the office will be on a minimum Sunday schedule

Wonder how Harry would have viewed the Postal Service, or more specifically, what he would have said of it?

THANKS TO all went to extra effort to help decorate our town for the holiday season. We all to often fail to realize just how much extra trouble it is to do the nice things everybody enjoys so much. Take for example Mr. R. M. Sneed's beautifully- lighted raio tower in the west part of town. Can you imagine a more impressive display for this town?,

HOW'S THIS for a switch? A wise old sage once said, if you don't know, it's wise to ask? So here's asking: how would the populace feel about a bond election? A specific one of a conservative nature with guidelines for certain projects which the city is presently in the midst of, and others, under consideration. Ready cash for sewer line extensions to ALL needed points, water line extensions, park renovation and maybe some badly needed paving. Eastland's booming and the demands (certainly welcome) on the city's operating limited funds is great. Completion of some of the projects, and certainly they must be completed, is going to press close and keep the city strapped, and at such a wonderful growing time, being strapped may not be the way to be, some hold. So this spokesman, and certainly others at City Hall, would appreciate thoughts, opinions and suggestions.



EDGAR ALTOM ...nearing retirement

A long career of public service comes to an end Friday, when Eastland County Tax Assessor- Collector Edgar Altom retires.

A kindly man, Mr. Altom is highly respected at the Courthouse and at the Statehouse in Austin for the thorough and effecient manner in which he has conducted his office

It is indeed a rare man who succeeds in the intricate business of assessing and collecting taxes. The matter of evualations, assessments and collections in themselves ends for misunderstandings and confusions. It is to Mr. Altom's credit that he retires with very few such encounters on his

Old Rip 'Flys'

(ED. NOTE: From the December, 1972, issue of Southwest Airlines Magazine, still another tribute to Old Rip, who now rests in a permanent tomb. for 24- hour respects on the north side of the Eastland County Courthouse.)

OLD RIP, THE HORNED FROG OF EASTLAND:

.It is a West Texas tradition that a horned frog can live a hundred years without food or water. So in 1897 when the citizens of Eastland began to build their new courthouse, a live horned frog was sealed in the cornerstone. When the building was torn down, 31 years later, the cornerstone

"If you can't take the heat,

get out of the kitchen!"

large crowd and a live frog was found. Scientists say it couldn't be so, but "Old Rip" was acclaimed in the press and became the subject of newsreels, columnists, poets and preachers. He made a triumphal tour, climaxed by a call on President Calvin Coolidge in the White House. Old Rip died. His embalmed body is on view in a glass tomb in the Eastland courthouse.

James W. Fox Services Tuesday

James W. Fox, 74, retired farmer and clergyman of Eastland, died at 4:45 p.m. Saturday in Eastland Memorial Hospital after an apparent heart attack. Funeral was at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in Arrington Funeral Home Chapel.

a friend of the family. Burial was in Merriman Cemetery. Mr. Fox was born in 1898 in Eastland County.

Survivors are five daughters. Mrs. Helen Thomas of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Rosezell Emerson of St. Louis, M., Mrs. Ruby Rowland of Decatur, Ala., Mrs. Jeannie Schleppe of Ranger and Mrs. Jimmie Hughes of Olden: two brothers. Walter of Olden and A. E. of Eastland: four sisters, Mrs. Annie Terry of Eastland, Mrs. Bertha Rainey of Eastland, Mrs. Latha Taylor of Lancaster and Mrs. Nell Whitehead of Cisco.



was opened in the presence of a

Officiating was Bill Bolenger,

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Edgar Altom To Retire From Tax Office

collector has been an officer of mixed emotion. A necessary evil, many hold, but when officials like Edgar Altom conduct the affairs of the office, most agree that it's done in fairness and with efficiency.

And the county's one revenue- raising office doesn't always have an easy go of it. Deadlines follow deadlines.

If it's not voter registeration time; it's automobile registeration time and tax rolls must be maintained all the

Mr. Altom holds a distinction of having been instrumental in the cooperative working with oil and gas companies over the years in arriving at dwindling assessments of minerals and taxation thereof. He made the roll for years.

"Compliance" is a key word too. Laws and rules are laid down at the state level by legislators and others, and intretations (often conflicting) on such things as voter registeration, auto licensing, etc., have to be made and procedures set up to follow the instructions. Sometimes but not too often, the intreptations haven't always been what the public would have preferred but it's follow the rules for

the tax collector Of pioneer stock, Mr. Altom's

folks came to this county from Arkansas and settled in the Plesant Hill area. Over 50 years ago he married

Ada Poe, daughter of the late W. J. Poe, and he set out teaching school. And he farmed, but mostly he taught himself, mainly about being a good man from the good book. These early years were around Cottonwood and Bluff Branch.

One of his colleagues at the courthouse this week summed up Mr. Altom after some 35 years of working together, "I'll tell you one thing about Edgar, he's always dependable."

He came to the Courthouse in Jan. of 1937 as a deputy in the tax collector's office. (He was ordained a deacon in his church the same year).

He became chief deputy in 1940 under the late Clyde Kirlites, but decided on private business later in that term to go to Rising Star where he was with an insurance firm for a while. He later joined the Pipkin Grocery Co. as an accountant where he served for some ten years until the firm was sold, and he and his family decided to remain in Eastland.

That was in 1956, and he joined the county auditor's office where he remained until 1959 when he became chief deputy in the tax assesor's office until 1964. He was then elected county tax assessorcollector and took office in 1965.

Trout, announced for the office

Mr. and Nrs. Altom live at 607

and his chief deputy, Nancy children. Their son Garner, is hospital administrator in the Panhandle of Texas. He has two sons. Their daughter, Mrs. S. Walnut St. They have two Donald(Elaine) Tow lives in

Asked what he plans to do after Jan. 1, Mr. Altom answers in his kindly and friendly way."Well. I guess I'll do a

The yard may benefit, but his friends in the courthouse and around the square and the county, will miss working with



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Rich Named To Who's Who

R. T. Rich, Jr. of Hobbs, New Mexico has been selected in the Who's Who of American Colleges and Universities. This honor only comes to one half of one percent of all college students. He will be receiving a certificate of recognition at his school in Hobbs. New Mexico.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Rich of Denver City, Texas and the brother of Pat

Pam Coplen Gets BS Pamela Gwynne Williamson

Coplen received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Home Economics Dec. 16, 1972 at Lamar University in

She attended school in Olden where she was a 1968 graduate. She also attended Sam Houston State College in

She is married to John Edd Coplen formerly of Eastland, who is now an industrial arts teacher in Beaumont.

Pam is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Williamson of Olden. Her parents along with her sister, Susan and grandmother, Mrs. Lee G. Williamson all of Olden, attended the ceremonies

Appoints

to the board of directors of ABC theater circuit.

Curtis, secretary of the

circuit headquarters in Dallas theater there, the Majestic. Advancing through the ranks, department and eventually became its head. Then, he became an officer of the company, serving as treasurer and comptroller and then

Rice Accepts Becky Jackson

Rice University has accepted 149 freshmen under its early decision plan for enrollment in the fall of 1973. The total freshman enrollment will be approximately 600 students.

The early decision plan was accepted is Becky Max for the 1973 enrollment date.

instituted by Rice in 1964 to Jackson, daughter of Mr. and allow particularly wellqualified candidates to apply for admission at the end of their

Mrs. M. M. Jackson, 1011 W. Commerce, Eastland.

Regular applications are accepted through February 1

Mrs. Williams Celebrates 102th at Eastland Manor

Mrs. Minnie Rose Williams, now residing at Eastland Mrs. Williams is an extraordinary woman indeed.

She tends to her business

customed for so many years.

Her hobbies consist of playing "42" and visiting with friends. Manor Nursing Home reached According to Mrs. Williams her 102nd birthday Wednesday. nothing is so great as a friend, and she has many

Her granddaughter of California was here recently matters as she has been ac- for a visit. This was the first time in almost 4 years since

having seen any of her family. Mrs. Williams says it is just as amazing to her as anyone else that she has lived so long but she is grateful and longs for good health more than anything

Congratulations to you Mrs.

Spanish Club Enjoys Christmas Party Dec 15 The Eastland High School Germany home by luminarias. Luminarias are small paper colored pinata. It was soon sacks filled with sand and little broken and candy went flying. candles. It is an old Spanish To end the fiesta on the right belief that if luminarias are put note, Steve Lopez, a member of

Spanish and sophmore English at Eastland High School. The Spanish theme was carried out throughout the party as guests were led to the

Interstate

Spanish Club held a Christmas

party Friday, December 15th in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Germany. The Club is spon-

sored by Mrs. Laura Harbin

who teaches two levels of

William R. Curtis has been named vice president, and Francis Barr has been elected Interstate Theaters, Inc., it was announced Wednesday by Joe S. Jackson, executive vice

company, and Barr, head of the advertising- publicity department, are veterans of the pioneer theater chain, both

starting as ushers. Curtis in 1938 and Barr in 1933. Curtis has spent the entire time with Interstate in the

after working in the flagship he joined the accounting

Barr was a long time publicist of the Interstate theaters in Dallas before becoming head of the circuit's advertising and publicity in

Mrs. Williams

outside leading up to a house, the club, played some Spanish that they will guide the Christ selections on his guitar. Members of the Spanish Club child there on Christmas who attended the fiesta are: Robin Alexander, Albert As guests entered the home Baker, Steve and Stacy Blair Rex Boney Steve Bulgrin, Leo flowers. The flowers were Gaeta, Susie Hanna, Anna made from tissue paper by a Hart, Becky Jackson, John

FROM ARKANSAS TO TEXAS - - The late Marian Altom, father of

Edgar Altom of Eastland, is shown front here when he was in charge of

this log- hauling team for the late Captain Poe in Arkansas. Others

shown are Ben Hines and J. Lucas - - all of whom later moved to Texas

and settled in the Long Branch area of Eastland County.

they were greeted by the sight of misletoe and large, bright few Spanish Club members. The main event of the fiesta

was the home- made Spanish meal. To start things off the Robinson, Russell Smith, Angie guests were served doritos and cheese dip. Then they Hanna, Ann Haun, Paula proceeded buffet style through the line of good food. A Robertson, Patti Robinson, Guacamole and Mexican salad Deborah Whaley, Phil were prepared by members of Rollins, Steve Criscuoli, and the club and home made enchaladas, tomales, tortillas and FELIZ NAVIDAD frijoles prepared by Mrs. Jimenez. Mrs. Jiminez is the mother of John Jimenez, a member of the Eastland High School Spanish Club.

Following the meal pralines prepared for the fiesta by Mrs. Virgil Seaberry Jr. were served. She is the mother of Nancy Seaberry, a member of the club. As the fiesta drew to an end

the guests were blindfolded and

FREYSCHLAG Insurance WEATHER, REPORT

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Ellen Campbell

Barbara Johnson

Juanita Vasilio, Cisco

Truman Been, Carbon

Luther Carter, Ranger

Johnnie Partee, Rising Star

McPherson.

Carl McGough

Baby Boy

Breckenridge

William Murphy

Donald, Kinnaird Sr.

Ruth Reeves, Gorman

Betty Daniels, Olden

Maurice Morgan, Cisco

Francis Kanady, Cisco

Velma Clement, Cisco

Lou Ann Gossett, Cisco

Judy McPherson

Athalie Overand,

Herbert Mathiews

May Rice

Breckenridge

James Pittman. Rising Star

Mary Hammett, Rising Star

Wheeler Hammett, Rising Star

Arda Tibbs

Roland Earp. Rising Star

Ben Cunningham, Ranger

Horace Browning. Carbon

Addie Faulkenberry, Rising

Girl

Beulah Hamilton

Rosemary Savage and Baby

Patients in Eastland Memorial

Hospital Wednesday morning

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Wednesday morning were:

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Motley - Warranty Deed John Deere Co. to J. C. Lewis

Abstract of Judgement K. B. Homes to Jimmy D. Atkinson et ux, - Warranty

Lone Star Co. vs Lucille Davis, et al to The Public certified copy Judgement

Vernon Mahan, et ux to J. D. (Buddy) Rodgers to 1st Fed S. 7 & L. Assn. Ranger Mechanic Material Lien Assignment

Missouri- Kansas Texas Railway to Norman C. Gilbert Quit Claim Deed

Patsy C. Chambers Maynard

et al to Johnny Mack Sansom et ux - Warranty Deed Ernest Franklin McClinton dec'd to The Public - certified

Mrs. Etta Purdy Cunningham to Don L. Purdy Mineral Deed

copy Probate

Fed. S. & L. Assn - Deed of

Leonard A. Rickey et ux to 1st Fed. S & L. Assn - Deed of

James W. Reid, Trustee to B. E. Hanson - Warranty Deed Annie Fay Richardson to Howard E. Worley Jr. et ux -

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Tom B. Stark etal to 1st Natl Bk Cisco - Deed of Trust Down Town Cafe. Rita K Smoot, dba to State of Texas . Notice State Tax Lien

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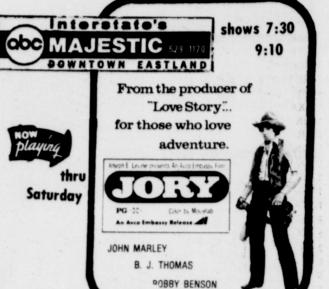
John Smith dec'd - The Public - Proof of Heirship Ella Smith et al - Irwin S. Oral - Warranty Deed Translinear to Mike Collins -

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AN ORDINANCE

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MATERIALS AND METHODS PLUMBING STALLATIONS PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THIS OR-DINANCE: PROVIDING A SEWER - ABILITY CLAUSE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Eastland:

CHAPTERI TITLE CITED

1.1 This ordinance shall be known as the Plumbing Ordinance of the City of Eastland, and may be cited as such.

It shall be unlawful for any person, association of persons, co - partnership or corporation to engage in the business of plumbing, or do or perform any plumbing as defined in this ordinance, without first having procured the necessary licenses and permits as hereinafter provided for, and all plumbing, plumbing work and workmanship and materials shall meet the requirements of this ordinance and shall pass all inspections required in this ordinance in regard to the work done.

CHAPTER2

INTENT AND PURPOSE 2.1 PURPOSE: For the protection and preservation of life and of the public health, safety, property and the general welfare of the people, the following provisions are enacted relating to the installation, alteration or repair of pipes, fittings and fixtures for water, sewage and natural gas in all buildings and structures and all property now erected or to be erected. changed, constructed, reconstructed, repaired or altered in the City of Eastland, if same be connected to either the City water, gas or sewerage systems. The intent and purpose of this ordinance is to regulate the construction. erection, enlargement, alteration, maintenance or repair of all piping, fittings, fixtures, etc., about any and all premises in the City of Eastland, and outside the boundaries of the City of Eastland, if same be connected 6 either the City water, gas or

sewerage systems.

26.3 PENALTIES: Any person, either by himself or agent, and any firm, corporation or other entry who violates any of the privisions of this Coee shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction of any such violation, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ! (\$100.00); and each day during which such violation continues shall constitute a separate and distince offense. In any case of a violation of any of the terms or provisions of this ordinance by any corporation, the officers and agents actively in charge of the business of such the business of such corporation, shall be subject to the penalty herein provided. Any offense defined herein which has been defined by laws of the State of Texas as an offense and for which penalty has been described shall be punished as provided in said State Law, and nothing herein shall be held as fixing

any penalty contrary to a penalty provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

(Chapters 3 through 26.2 of such ordinance are omitted herefrom for publication purposes.)

(12 - 21, 12 - 24, 12 - - 31, 1 - 4)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed proposals addressed to Junior College, Ranger, Texas, for furnishing, delivering and completely assembling furniture and equipment in the new Library Building now under construction will be received at the office of the President of Ranger Junior College until 2:00 p.m. January

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and waive any or all formalities. All bids should be good for 30 days and be accompanied by

descriptive material. The bids are to be awarded on a lump sum basis.

Jack Elsom President Ranger Junior College Ranger, Texas

Music Club. To Meet Jan. 3

The Music Study Club will meet January 3 at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Durel Reid at 1203 S. Seaman. The program will be on Crescendo of Pleasant Sounds (Music in the Acquaintance · with great music installs a love of that which brings courage and lofty ideas and tends toward clean, moble living."- From Junior Pledge to Music

Mrs. Lyerla Honored With Dinner

Mrs. Ora Etta Lyerla was honored with a birthday dinner in observance of her 85th birthday in the home of her son and daughter - in - law, Mr. and Mrs R.G. Lyerla on Sunday, December 17, 1972

Hosts for the occasion were her sons and daughters - in law: Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Lyerla of Morgan: Mr. and Mrs. O.E. Lyerla of Scottsdale, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. B.R. Lyerla of Clifton, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Lverla and Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Lyerla of Eastland.

the Board of Trustees, Ranger VassaretteClosed For Holidays

Hollywood Vassarette is closed from December 22, until January 2nd.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Talley treated friends and relatives to Christmas dinner and Christmas tree in their home

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Those present were: Miss Vicky Rambsy of Austin Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Alford, Mrs. Mackey Duckworth, Mr. Gene Falls, Mr. Norman Alford of Austin, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. I. E.

Sgt. John M. Brashears and family of Fort Polk, La. spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Brashears. and grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brashears of Eastland.

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were served to friends and relatives by her grandchildren.

Mrs. Lyerla was born in Arkansas in 1887 and moved to the Flatwood Community in 1905. She was married to the late Oscar E. Lyerla in 1910 and they reared their five sons in the Flatwood Community.

Wonderful **World of Books**

With the publication of a thoroughly illustrated book entitled MODERN AMERICA Sterling Publishing Company, \$3.95), G. Bruce Woodin has completed the textbook series "A Fresh Look at American History." which educators have been awaiting with interest. This series takes an exciting, innovative approach to the study of history. It brings historical events to life, shows tributions from members of all races and religions, and discusses the political, economic, social, and cultural processes that affect our lives.

MODERN AMERICA tells a panoramic story of the years from 1877 to the present, largely through biographies of several of America's great men, stressing the problems they faced, the sometimes brilliant, sometimes faulty resolutions of these problems, and their aftermath. This, like all the books in the series, is written like an adventure story, in lively personal language (Theodore Roosevelt is Teddy," Edison is "Tom," JFK is "Jack"), and the style quickly creates suspense, intimacy, and a feeling of im-

mediacy. The series has been set in large type with over 100 photographs, drawings, and political cartoons in each book over 150 in MODERN AMERICA), making them excellent texts for reluctant readers or adults who want a quick survey of major events. At the end of each chapter, author Woodin supplies a checklist- glossary, review questions, and stimulating projects which get the student

involved- - experiencing history instead of just reading about it - to develop a deep awareness of the forces at work in our society. In a teachers' section at the end are subjects for classroom discussion. In Volume 5, Mr. Woodin outlines he problems America faces today, and assures the student that he or she, having read the book, is already more knowledgeable than most Americans and has the tools to

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In the late Eighteen

Seventies Mr. Fornhathour

was that of a little grand-

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Olen, son of A. J. and S. E.

Clara daughter of A. J. and S.

E. Richardson Born March 5,

1883, died June 10, 1884. Three

little white stones in a row.

Richardson, Born July 16, 1880.

Latham.

tember 20, 1879.

Died: June 6, 1881

Died March 31, 1880.

and Florence Murchison, Born Feb. 26, 1889, Died November 19, 1889, age 8 months and 12 The first grave with a marker

Truman B. Latham Born

Aug. 8, 1880 Died December 26.

Ms. Florence Murchison, wife of N. W. Murchison

Still born son of Mr. and Mrs Cordelia, daughter of A. J. Robert Davis, Feb. 18, 1922. and S. E. Richardson Born Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. October 2, 1878, Died Sep-**Edward Haines**

> Mrs. Rosa Reagan Haines. widow of Edward Haines Died May 1, 1922

Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lawrance. Mexican infant

George H. Jay, son of Mr. and Hannah Latham, wife of Tom Mrs. George Jay. Born June 3. 1853, Died Sept. 11, 1880. The Latham Born May 16, 1827, town of Jayton in Kent Co., Tom Latham Born ? Died Texas was named for this many years later, buried man's father

take an active part in welfare work, education, government, or even politics, to help to solve these problems. He encourages the additional study which is needed to prepare for one of these important careers.

The four other titles in the series are identical in format to MODERN AMERICA, each one may be used independently. The first book, FOUNDING AMERICA(1492- 1763) begins with a broad view of the civilizations that flourished on this continent before Columbus. and goes on to present the emergence of slavery, contrasting the barbarous conduct of early explorers, the cruelty and intolerance of the Puritans, with the intellectual courage of Roger Williams, for example, and the wisdom of William

In Volume 2, REVOLUTION AND CONSTITUTION (1763)1797) the forthright report of what actually went on during the War and in the Constitutional Convention (and after it) makes this period and its famous names come vitally

Volume 3. PIONEERS (1797) 1850) traces the expansion of America not only through explorers such as Daniel Boone and Lewis and Clark, but through pioneers in other perhaps more important directions, people such as Frederick Douglass, Henr y D. Thoreau, Eli Whitney, and

Harriet Tubman. SLAVERY(1850-Volume 4 in the series, but it is particularly well structured for independent use. In it Mr. Woodin looks back to the arrival of the first blacks in America and shows clearly how slavery became a way of life, what it was like to be a slave and to live in those days, how

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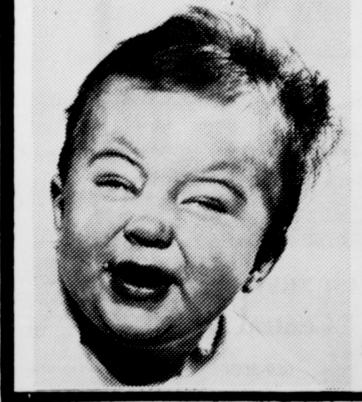
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The Commission extended the filing deadline from December 31 to June 30, 1973. Advertising industry and individual sign owners requested the extension because the previous deadline did not permit sufficient time to comply with the Texas Highway Beautification Act.

The Act requires a permit for each existing or planned sign. In 1970, 2.68 deaths were Also, anyone erecting or recorded for each 100 million maintaining signs within 660 miles of motor vehicle travel on feet of an Interstate of Federal aid highway must have a license to engage in outdoor advertising

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Falls officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pat Moseley of Olden. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Boyd of Fort

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Music was by a quartet consisting of the Rev. Gene Chamness, Mrs. Bill Herod, Tom Dunn all of Ranger, and R. Rodgers of Eastland. Maid of honor was Dollie

Jean Moseley of Olden, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Daniel Dunson, Mrs. Dewayne Boyd of Fort Stockton and Julie Ann Moseley Flower girl was Billye Ruth

Hill of Fort Stockton. Ring bearer was Todd Greer of Many, La.

Neill Woodward and Roger Puckett, both of Fort Stockton, lighted candles and seated

The bridegroom's brother Dewayn e Boyd was best man. Groomsmen were Jim Moseley of Olden, brother of the bride, Ricky Honaker of Fort Stockton, and Kent Bowman of

The bride wore a gown of Velvet with v-shaped lace yoke, large puffed sleeves and

Her attendants wore gowns of candlelight crepe and red velvet with long gathered sleeves and high round

Following a trip to Cloudcroft, N.M., the couple will live

in Stephenville. The bride is a graduate of Olden High School and is a junior biology manor at

Tarleton State College. The bridegroom is a graduate of Fort Stockton High School and is a sophomore pre veterinary major at Tarleton State College



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