Eastland Echoes

THOUGHT FOR TODAY: "If the nation's economists were laid end to end they would point in all directions." — (Arthur Mot-

Here's a Christmas present Fire Chief Billy Johnson and his de-partment would like to have: NO FIRES. But it's a hazardous season and everyone should practice all possible precautions, especially since Christmas trees and decorations frequently are the causes

Use of cotton and paper around a tree should be at a minimum and defects to tree lighting equipment should be guarded against. It goes without saying that fireworks should not be shot in town. . . Let's try to keep Tragedy from taking over, at a joyful season! Play it safe.

Wife: "John, I'm ashamed of the way we live. Mother pays our rent. Father pays our car and its upkeep. that Martha buys our cloth-My sister sends us money for food. I don't like to complain but I'm sorry we can do better than that."

Hubby: "You should be. You've got two uncles that don't send us a dime!"

Friday brings us the last downtown community - appearance of old Santa Claus, in the Chamber of Commerce - sponsored series. Be sure to join in the fun. Its a Christmas treat to see the kick the kids get out of it. Bring 'em Mrs. Wayne Hendrick of Anson; to see ol' Santa, on this final occasion of the rollicking series. Out-of-towners, you'll find a cordial Eastland welcome awaits Hammock of Sunray and Mrs.

GAROLD WINGATE HOME FOR YULE HOLIDAYS

technician in the Air Force who and the Rev. James Easterwood, is stationed at Barksdale Air pastor of the Anson First Baptist Force Base, La., arrive home Dec. 21 to spend his Christmas leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Cemetery in Anson. Garold Wingate, 1004 S. Bassett. Pallbearers will be G. A. Plum-He is to report to his base Jan. 8. mer, Warren Chalker, Bob Joyn-The last two Christmases he was er, Trintiss Jones, Harold Duron Okinawa, where he spent 18 ham, J. T. Cooper, Herb Weave months.



L. Shaffer has been named Rural Consultant to Federal Civil De-fense Administrator Val Peterson.

Mrs. Bennett, Eastland-Ex, **Taken By Death**

Mrs. Hollis Bennett, 51, Abi lene, former Eastland and Abilene teacher, died Tuesday at her residence. She had been ill for several months.

on, she attended Anson schools day night. and was graduated from Hardinyears before moving to Abilene in

and Crockett Elementary Schools in Abilene. Her retirement in 19-54 was due to ill health. She was married in Eastland in

Mrs. Bennett was a member of the Pioneer Baptist Church, the Delta Kappa Gamma sorority and

the Abilene Music Guild. Survivors include her husband; three brothers, Willard of Big

Church at Anson. Officiating was to be the Rev. Edward Laus, pas-Garold Wingate Jr., dental tor of the Pioneer Baptist Church,

Burial was arranged at Mount

From Merrimac to Nautilus

Town's Landmark Built by Eastland

Itasca, Hill County, who recent- came to this state from Clinton, service, Gill stated. ly celebrated his 93rd birthday, is Ill. a grandfather of Mrs. Tom Earnland in 1941.

Earnest visited Mr. Sanford.

Concerning this pioneer citizen the Itasca Item has the following Elizabeth Weekly of Milford were People were still talking about

the feat of the Confederate Frig- lived in and near Milford, until ate Merrimac, made over as an March 2, 1892, when they moved d, which appeared the Roads and sank the Cumberland a few months earlier, when William Hall Sanford was born 93 years ago on Dec. 1, 18-

He was just a month old when Gen Bragg met the Federal Army under Gen. Rosencrans in the River, and five monthe old when Gen. Stonewall Jackson was killed in May, 1863, in the Confederate victory at the Battle of Chancellorsville.

For Weekly Meet And later that year came the

Battle of Chickamauga Creek and fateful Gettysburg, decisive bat-tle of the Civil War, after which grown, Tuesday when the warbthe Confederates were on the defensive and the war became a test giving Christmas carols. of endurance, ending at Appomattox Court House in 1965.

toric era, through the almost unbelievable, mysterious veil of they had practiced nearly ten changes wrought down the years, minutes before the program. to this present day in 1955, has lived W. H. Sanford, who this month modestly observed his 93rd birthday in Itasca at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Redd.

Mr. Sanford was born at Cypress, Texas, in Harris County ust a few miles north of Hous-

His father was Ballaam O. Sanford, who came to Texas from Jackson, Tenn., and his mother

BE SURE-SEE Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland Quality Cars at Volume Prices

W. H. Sanford, a pioneer of was Eliza A. Paine Sanford, who ular advancement in the Federal

est and Mrs. Howard Upchurch. old, he moved to Hill County Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Kin-Another daughter was Mrs. S. A. with his parents, who bought the McCord, who died here in East farm now known as the R. E. ed here to spend the Christmas Evers place, in the Iverson com- holidays in the homes of their Not long ago, Mr. and Mrs. munity near Itasca. There he parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. grew to manhood.

> married on Aug. 3, 1885. For the next several years they

(Continued On Page Five)

Mr. Sanford and Miss Rosa

In 1864, when he was two years HERE FROM TEXARKANA

Quartet of Lions under Gen. Rosencrans in the Battle of Murfreesboro on Stone River and five months old when

with a brand new quartet, home- hadn't heard about the prank. lers were the program feature, the club gave the quartet enthusi- 10 hours of sunshine.

Members of the club, the singing panel consisted of Bill Frost, Through this now romantic his- Homer Smith, Norman Guess and Methodist Church. David Fry was as today. David Fry. They admitted that program chairman.

Other members "made it up" in silence in each instance, except

for the vigorous applause of



and Friday. High Thursday in the low 60s. Low Thursday night 35.

Eastland Lions stepped forth Judge Milburn S. Long, who astic reception.

President H. D. Reese presided over the meeting, held at the moved into East and Central Texperiments, but Countries, But Coun

The club presented a luggage the Northeast today as temper-Christmas gift to its sweetheart, atures as low as 47 degrees below Lou Ann Corbell. A gift ,by check, advance not to applaud the indi- was presented to the ladies who dradual relief was forecast for vidual numbers, so there was a prepare the food, Mrs. Ina Bean the stricken areas tomorrow, and Mrs. Jess Siebert.

Helen Taylor, former sweetheart of the Lions, home from ed to cope with the stinging cold. college - Baylor - for the holi- In many places motorists by the days, was a visitor. Willard Grif- thousands were stalled. fin also was a guest.

The club will hold its regular Adirondack Mountains in Upper New York reported the 47 below meeting, after Christmas, Dec. 27, when Everett Plowman will be in charge of the program.

Clear to partly cloudy Thursday Installment Loans Custom Made For Each Customer EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK Member F. D. I. C.

Santa Party on Square Friday Ending CC's Pre-Yule Series

Ask Game Board to Stock

Sabanna District in Deer

Valley Game Preserve Associ-

ation, meeting recently, voted

unanimously to ask the State

Game Commission to stock the

The association had voted at

This preserve as of Dec. 16

had a total of 54,434 acres

signed up and it has been in-

creasing at the average rate of

about 2,000 acres per week.

The preserve is in the southern

part of Eastland County and

the northern part of Comanche

Following are recently sign-

an earlier meeting to ask wild

preserve with deer.

turkey stocking.

Wednesday at the First Christian

Church, Cisco, for Harvey J.

Wooldridge, 84, retired cattle buyer who died Monday in Gra-

The Rev. Ervin Watson, pastor,

officiated, assisted by the Rev.

M. L. Agnew, pastor of the Okra

ham hospital.

Is Successor

Karkalits. Mr. Webb said that he

years, most of the time in East-

land, also has been an accountant

daughters. His teaching career

Winter Opens

Mild As Lamb

In West Texas

Winter huffed and puffed its

far as West Texas was concerned.

greeted winter's beginning here to-

zero were reported.

zero temperature.

Warm, pring-like temperatures

Gradual relief was forecast for

where trains ran late, power failur-

There was however, little snow

accompanying the cold wave. The

BE SURE-SEE

Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland

Quality Cars at Volume Prices

es were common and schools clos

ed during his tenure.



Hastland Welenram

VOLUME TWENTY-FIVE

EASTLAND, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1955

Brown, J. C. Cook, Arnold But

ler, J. Davis Smith, I. N. Poy-

Carbon - C. O. Sutton, El-

Spencer, Henry A. Schaefer.

Point School House five miles

ner, J. F. Alderman, John Ed

mondson, Loyd H. Dillinder

E. Limley, Don Estes, J.

Poyner, T. G. Gray, B.

Bennett, Keith Whitt.

J. E. Allen. Cisco -

Bank Party Is Enjoyable For Fifty Guests

Employees, officers and direc-tors and their families enjoyed the annual Christmas party Born on Aug. 11, 1904 in An- the Eastland National Bank Tues-

Cattle Buyer The Yuletide event, held at the Simmons University. She taught bank, was attended by about fifty in the Eastland schools for several persons. After a delicious dinner, **Laid To Rest** Christmas movies were shown, then, presently, Santa Claus ar-Wednesday Mrs. Bennett taught in Central rived and distributed gifts in his jovial manner,

David Fry, cashier of the bank, was master of ceremonies.

Skilled Aircraft **Workers Needed** By Civil Service

Skilled aircraft mechanics and Baptist Church. The body was aircraft engine mechanics are ur- taken to Blanco for graveside Spring and C. B. and Curtis, both gently needed to replace reassign-rites at 4 p.m. Wednesday. Hamof Ralls; two sisters, Mrs. L. B. ed military personnel in a number ner Funeral Home of Cisco han Hammock of Sunray and Mrs. of Air Force installations in the dled arrangements.

> "Normal activity at major Air Force bases throughout the nation requires many qualified technicians," Gill said. "The continuing realignment of personnel, derealignment of personnel, designed to increase the efficiency Post; Allison of over man power utilization, has created openings for considerable numbers of qualified civilian worker. As a result, Air Force installations are currently engaged in a broad employment program designated 'Operation

Homefront.' " "Skilled aircraft mechanics and aircraft engine mechanics are particularly needed, and immedi-

bases in Arkansas, Louisiana, year's term. Oklahoma, and Texas." Qualified mechanics may obtain information and directions

for applying for positions in the area of their choice at any Post Office. Mechanics employed through Operation Homefront will receive all prevailing pay and job advantages, and will in addition have opportunity for careers and reg-

Kinnaird and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper. Mr. Kinnaird teaches in Texarkana College.

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ed members, all land-owners in 44 Join Boosters at Funeral was to be held at 2:30 Director W. V. Gill announced p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist today. Eighth U.S. Civil Service Region, Mr. Wooldridge was born in Blanco on Jan. 5, 1871. He lived today. Band's Yule Concert Webb Quits Tax

the Eastland High School Band Mr. Gill described it as "a band Boosters Club were signed up cantata, on a simple scale." prior to the informal Christmas high school Tuesday night.

Stanley Webb, county tax as-For the busy Yuletide, a siza-

Commissioners Court yesterday band, was in charge. appointed J. C. Allison, who has Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carothers been employed in the county tax and Mrs. Fern Sparks were at employment opportunities office during Mr. Webb's tenure, the door and refreshments were exist at a number of Air Force as his successor in the unexpired served after the concert by Mr. and Mrs. Carothers, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. Webb, whose home is in Steve Potts and Mrs. Gill, wife of Cisco, has accepted the position of the director.

secretary of the school board, Narrator for the concert was which is the equivalent of tax as- Joy Robertson, who gave Scripsessor-collector for that organiz-ation, succeeding the late Clyde story being interspersed with the

deeply appreciated the co-opera Airman Who tion and friendships he has enjoy-Mr. Allison, who said that he Mr. Allison, who said that he will be a candidate for election Died In Wreck to the post at the proper time, was born just south of Eastland 73 years ago. He taught school 27 Laid To Rest

was spent in Breckenridge and

and, in former years, a newspa- Scranton, who was killed in a car stated. per publisher here. Mr. Allison accident at Laredo, was buried at Dr. Ward, who has accepted a as the result of a survey conduct- fin of Olney staked two regular has a wife and six sons and three | Carbon Wednesday afternoon.

direction of Hamner Funeral nal sermon as pastor of the Mayor Smith said the immedi- H&TC Survey. Both are slated for Home, was held at Carbon Metho- church Sunday, Jan. 1. Beginning ate program probably would in- 1,700 feet with rotary. dist Church with the Rev. Grace with the second Sunday in Janu- clude the addition of a 100,000 of Caddo officiating. Military ary, Dr. Bell will become interim gallon storage reservoir, two from the west and 450 feet from

In the course of the program, concert by the school bands at the the ward school musicians gave a Eastland Chamber of Commerce, sessor - collector for the past five ble attendance heard the concert. and junior high students present nual industrial development conyears, has resigned his post ef- Howard E. Gill, Booster Club co- ed the Christmas story, in verse ference of the West Texas Chambfective Feb. 1 and the County ordinator and director of the and music. It was heartily received. Many compliments on the held in Abilene Jan. 26. band were heard following the

for the serving table.

Seminary Man To Supply For Cisco Church

Dr. A. Donald Belt, professor of psychology and counseling at Southwestern Baptist Seminary, Fort Worth, will serve the First Baptist Church of Cisco as sup-Airman 1-c M. J. Harris of of the church pulpit committee, spending \$15,000 to \$18,000 on

The funeral service, under the in East Texas, will preach his fi- Turner Engineers of Austin.

Metzger Is To Return Here In **Industry Check**

zo Been, M. M. Sheffield, Rising Star - J. W. Roach, Jim Ray Cox, E. D. Duggan, B. T. up an industrial survey to consid-Stovall, F. W. Roberds. Sipe ed the practicability of establish-- Mrs. Oma Poteet, ing a cement plant near Eastland has written from California, where Meetings of the association he has been on business, that he are held on second Tuesday will return here soon.

nights monthly at the Center In a letter to Manager H. J. Tanner of the Chamber of Commerce Mr. Metzger stated that he plans to arrive here early in Jan-

Tanner To Be On Program Of WTCC Affair

H. J. Tanner, manager of the Christmas observance. concert from their fall semester has accepted an invitation to speak repertoire and the high school on the program of the third an-

Paul D. Marable Jr., industrial development manager of the Oil News Furnishing decorations for the WTCC, informed Mr. Tanner that occasions were Poe Floral, for he is to be a member of a pane the stage, and Mrs. Clyde Young, of five experienced men who wi "use personal experiences fro their own community in industri

Reservoir For **Rising Star Is** Contemplated

ply pastor after Dr. H. M. Ward Smith indicated today that munici- lines of the northwest quarter of leaves, F. E. Shepard, chairman pal authorities were considering Section 471, SP Survey. water, system improvements there northwest of Eastland, E. W. Grifcall to become Missions Secretary ed for the city by the Marvin field locations on the P. H. Hood

OLD KRIS TO VISIT HERE AT 2:30 P.M.

A series of colorful Chamber Commerce pre - Christmas events in downtown Eastland will be concluded Friday afternoon with a Santa Claus party on the courthouse square.

Two previous Santa parties have been held - one on Dec. 10 the other on Dec. 17, both Saturdays. Friday was chosen this time because Saturday will be Christmas Eve.

President Hubert Westfall and Manager H. J. Tanner have been well pleased with the acceptance of the series and with the large crowds attracted.

Other events have included the giving away of Yuletide turkeys on two occasions, a community sing of Christmas carols, last Saturday night, and the playing of recorded carols over an amplifier

downtown. Also under chamber sponsorship, the square has been strung from the courthouse varicolored lights and a Christmas tree, about which the carols were sung last week-end, has been set up on the northeast corner of the

square and lighted. C. of C Christmas Chairman Carl Johnson stated that fine cooperation had been given all the way through as arrangements have gone forward for the pre-

"It is our hope and belief," said Mr. Westfall, "that the program carried out has served to emphasize Christmas spirit, in town and

Rotary Wildcat, 2 Regular Field

J. H. Elder of Midland No. 1-A Carrie E. Tipton will be a 4,200foot rotary wildcat eight miles north of Cisco, and a northwest offset to same operator's No. 1 Tipton, recent lime discovery.

Locations Staked

Location is 330 feet from the Rising Star Mayor Walter south and 990 feet from the west

No. 2 Hood will be 1,269 feet

Winners Announced in Yule Winter huffed and puffed its icy breath in many parts of the nation this week but the fearsome old man was as mild as a lamb so

day as the thermometer soared up to above 60 degrees in most of this the decoration contest sponsor, is a scene in which lighted canhome, 208 S. Oak Lawn, is the decoration contest sponsor, is a scene in which lighted canhome, 208 S. Oak Lawn, is the Oak Lawn; Jack Chamberlain Not only is today the first day

Winter was strutting its self in \$2.

the Civic League and Garden dles flank the sidewalk, glowing large front window, treated as a Club, today announced the win- electrical effects are in profu- fireplace, outlined in simulated 211 S. Oak Lawn. of winter but also the shortest day ners. A secret committee of judges sion, a spotlighted snowman and bricks; hanging on this mantel is Also Arthur Murrell, 401 Oak When it was all over, however, of the year — slightly more than lighted tree is in the window, a embroidered in sequins forming stic reception.

They are: W. H. Hoffmann, lighted tree is in the window, a embroidered in sequins forming above the large letters "Kim." The door chamberlain, corner of Hillcrest corner of Hillcres Prizes given by the club are the door is shiny with foil and glittered sign above says "Merry and Highway 80; Doyle Lasater, first, \$5; second, \$3, and third, yule decor and garlands of cedar Christmas." The house, trees and 106 N. Hilcrest; Joseph M. Perkand lights drape the windows, the yard are lighted.

Youngsters Out Of School For Season

As of today, the students of the they've already started.

Since New Year's falls on Sun- all set for a lot of fun. uary 3.

which to enjoy Christmas, and youngfolk.

Eastland Public Schools are on Parties are planned for many for the judges to remember all of merce has elicited much favorable them but they said that among comment with its lighted tree and exchanging of gifts, and they're

day—and Monday will be a holi- Students from the colleges are able mention were the following Mrs. A. L. Murrell, president of day—they go back to school Jan-home for their Yule holidays, and homes: Veon Howard, 1310 W. the Civic League and Garden

porch says "Merry Christmas," is decorated with a Santa and a Chamberlain, corner of Hillcrest

The Sneed home, 403 Oak ton, 514 S. Oak Lawn. Lawn, was aglow with lights, the peak of a front gable bearing a large lighted star. A Santa head and a sparkling sign which said mented about including: Otis B. "Season's Greetings" and outlin- Knox, 107 S. Connellee; H. B. ing of the trees, shrubs and house with varicolored lights completed the scene.

MacMoy, 708 S. Daugherty; the Rev. Richard R. Smith III, 805 S. Seaman; J. W. Eidson, corner of

So many homes were artistically decorated that it was difficult those they recalled as outstandingly lovely and deserving of honor- from end and side of the vehicle S. Seaman; F. W. (Red) Graham, test.

Jr., Oak Lawn; Darwin Miller,

ins, 1021 S. Seaman; Charles Lay-

Many beautiful trees glowed in windows, some of those most com-W. Plummer and Oak Lawn.

A trailerhouse on W. Comwreath-lighted window, showing

ary 3. Commerce; Carl Garrett, 813 W. Club, stated that she was delight-This gives them ample time in So it's a great season for the Plummer; C. W. Hoffmann, 903 ed with the response, in the con-Commerce; Carl Garrett, 813 W. Club, stated that she was delight-

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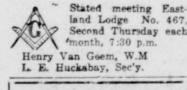
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FOR SALE: Tabletop stove, And fix furniture. 508 S. Sea-Frigidaire refrigerator, clay back man. heater. Good condition. 209 W.

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FOR SALE: 1941 Plymouth Good work car. Phone 508-J. FOR SALE: 1953 Plymouth, good clean car, low miles, owner gone to Japan. Phone 74-W.

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house, bills paid, close in. 209 FOR RENT: House - equal to 5

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FOR SALE: 3-room house, very 3 ranches and several homes in nice inside and out. Will sell empty or partly furnished. 602 S.

H. P. Pentecost and J. C. Day. FOR SALE: New 2 bedroom house, just completed, South Vir-County Mistories. (Give one for or call 875 for key. Tom Stamey. PIANOS FOR SALE: Christmas FOR SALE: 160 acres, goat 8 room house located 1009

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Group I, CWF, Meets With Mrs. Homer Williams

Group No. 1 of the CWF First Christian Church met recently at the home of Mrs. Homer Williams. Mrs. Lon Horn presided as chairman. Prayer was offered by Mrs. T. A. Bendy and Mrs. Gene Day brought the devotional.

Mrs. Bendy, Mrs. Pat Murphy and Mrs. Millie Brittain gave readings on Christmas. The meetng closed with the CWF benedic-

piced cake and coffee were servd to the following members: Mmes. Bendy, Murphy, Britain, Horn, Day, N. T. Johnson, C. M. Kelly, H. F. Ferrell, R. I. Malone, Margaret East; the hostess, Mrs. Homer Williams, one visitor, Mrs. Evans Hood and children Marc and Kathy of Odes-FOR RENT: 3 room furnished

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Desdemona Study Club Meets, Sat.

Saturday, December 17, in the home of Mrs. Homer Hall. The regular monthly meeting

and Christmas party was opened by singing "Joy to the World" and a Christmas prayer by Mrs. C. W. Maltby. Roll call was answered by each giving a Christmas custom of another nation. After the business session, at which Mrs. W. H. Davis presided, Mrs. J. L. Burleson lead the program and told "The Christ-mas Story" as recorded in the Gospels of Mathew and Luke, Mrs. S. Eldredge displayed beautiful Christmas arrangements of painted and dyed foilage and flowers, and gave instructions on making them. Gifts were exchanged from the beautifully decorated miniature, "old fashion, Christmas tree."

the following: Mmes. C. S. Eldidge, Homer F. Wade, Maltby, W. H. Davis, Margaret George Hilton, J. L. Burleson and the hostess, Mrs.

The next meeting will be in the ome of Mrs. George Hilton.



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Court Of Civil Appeals Eleventh District

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial Dis-

Appeal Dismissed R. C. Kennedy vs. Wiley C. Dawson.

Texas Employers' Insurance Association vs. Joe Cecil, et ux, et al (Opinion by Judge Collings). Continental Transfer & Storage

(Opinion by Judge Long). Nolan. Motions Submitted R. C. Kennedy vs. Wiley Simmons. Appellant's motion dismiss appeal. Dawson.

Motions Granted R. C. Kennedy vs. Wiley C. A holiday plate was served to Simmons. Appellant's motion to dismiss appeal. Dawson.

> Market Poultry & Egg Company vs. Adolph Mueller. Stephens Company. Nolan.

C. M. Payne, et ux vs. Hester Miss Melba June Taylor of Olden, Wallis Baldock, et al. Scurry. C. B. Whatley Estate vs. D. B. Whatley, et al. Scurry.

Cases Set for Submission January 20, 1956 Shirley Glover vs. Joe Ed Glov-

er. Haskell. Malone & Hogan Clinic Hospital Foundation. Howard. Marjorie Harvey Neill, et al vs W. C. Kimbrough. Eastland.

Donald G. Pierson. et al vs Wayman Smith, et al. Stonewall. Henslee. Haskell.

The Great Atlantic & Pacific

Tea Company vs. Joe Lang. Tay-



Duel In Mississippi

Lex Barker - Patricia Medina - Warren Stevens

LOOK WHO'S



Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Files, 10-10 S. Seaman, have announced the arrival of a daughter, Company, Inc. vs. B. F. Gee. Elizabeth, born Dec. 14 at Blackwell Hospital, Gorman. The baby weighed 6 pounds 71/2 She has a sister, Linda, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thompson and Frank Files, all of Gorman. The Files family has lived in Eastland the past seven years. Mr. Files is district scout for Lone Star Gas Co.

Sherman have announced the ar-Clyde Foster vs. Pace Packing rival of a son, born Saturday, Dec. 3. The baby weighed Southland Royalty Company, et pounds 8 ounces and has been

> Mrs. Williams is the former daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Taylor of Bells, Texas, formerly of Olden.

NEWS FROM

Mrs. A. G. Crosby and Judy C. C. Westfall, et al vs. J. W. Crosby's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

> Mrs. Sallie Bishop and Mrs. Wheeler of Eastland were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley.

Eastland visitors recently.

Mrs. Allen Crosby was absent om Sunday school and church

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams of al vs. O. D. O'Daniel, et al. How- named Billy Wayne.

> COMPLETE EXTRA LABEL OR ADDRESS

SLIP INSIDE EXPRESS PACKAGE-JUST IN STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Beth of Burkburnett were recent visitors of Mrs. Crosby's mother, Mrs. Bessie Bennett, and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson, Mrs. M. A. Abel, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were Eastland visitors

The A. E. Fox family were

correct destinations safely and on time. The "from" and "to" addresses should be hand-printed on the top and repeated on one side of the package. Black crayon or heavy pencil are best to use. Ordinary ink may smudge or run and become illegible. Gummed labels, preferably typewritten, are also good. Address labels, as well as tags for boxes, crates and odd-shaped items may be secured free at railway express Write or print clearly and be careful of abbreviations. Identify the state. For example, there are 28 communities named Madison in as

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airlines and coordinated as necessary with the rail facilities of some 241 of the country's railroads.

able to be out and about again. | Eastland recently. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope visit-ed in Eastland lately with Mrs. flu at his home. Allen Crosby has been ill with

Pope's aunt, Mrs. Mollie Webb. The Rev. Boyd Tabor of Moran ness in Eastland recently. preached at the church here and he and Mrs. Tabor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard. The who recently sold their farm with the J. L. Littles.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Ranger recently.

Mrs. A. G. Crosby, of Burkburn- son, and family. ett, spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby and Mrs. Bessie Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Crawley of Kokomo were visitors to Mr. Crawley's brother, Floyd Crawley, Olden were recent visitors in the and Mrs. Crawley.

Mrs. L. G. Powell, accompanied



recently due to illness, but she is by Mrs. T. E. Pope, visited in

John M. White transacted busi-

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing, Tabors visited in the afternoon home here, have moved to Comanche, our loss being Comanche's

and Mrs. Floyd Crawley spent two days recently in Amarillo with the Judy Beth, daughter of Mr. and Henderson's son, Chester Hender-Mrs. Vern Garrett of Kokomo

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson

visited with her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Little, lately. The J. C. Foreman family

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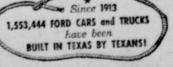
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Dear Santa: been trying to be a good boy. Have your little elves been work-

ing real hard? Love. Mark Layton

HOSPITAL NEWS



Hospital follow:

Mrs. Minnie Crosby, medical.

Mrs. Roy M. Turner, surgical. Mrs. W. H. White, medical. J. F. Holloway, surgical.

Mrs. Clara Bisbee, surgical, was death. dismissed this morning. Frank Sayre, medical, was to be dismissed this afternoon

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GIFTS-HOW MUCH DO

THEY COST?

gift taxes may be a timely one. Faircloth and Terry Treadwell. A them home Monday. They took Although it may surprise some people, the federal government levies a tax which applies to gifts Perry and a duet, "Peek-a-Boo," their Christmas books.

I'm going to leave your reindesire to tax ordinary birthday deer some sugar and you some desire to tax ordinary birthday and Christmas gifts. The law therefore excludes from taxable gifts spruce tree. Mrs. A. F. Taylor, were made of them eating at their want you to bring me a pair of the first \$3,000 given to each in- teacher and club sponsor, gave tables in their room and in the

Would you please bring a rattler able gifts, gifts to the church, comgiver an exemption of \$30,000- Clauses were given as favors. before the tax applies.

is of money or of property. If it Carolyn Key, Jeannie Morren, and a tour of her new s of property, the tax is computed Karen Green, Jeannie Wright, 211 S. College street. on the fair market value of the Marilyn Huckabay, Janice Den-

of his death. This may or may not be accomplished. The federal law provides that transfers made with the provides that the provides that the provi n three years before date of death the hostess, Georgia Bess Fairshall be deemed to have been made cloth, and her motter, Mrs. Fairin contemplation of death and shall cloth, and her mother, Mrs. Fairbe taxable in the estate of the one McKinney. who dies.

It may be advisable to "look a Patients in Eastland Memorial gift horse in the mouth" for the gift may cost the one who receiv-Mrs. Minton Hanna and baby es the gift in income taxes as well daughter, born at 2:57 p.m. Tues- as the giver in gift taxes.

For income tax purposes the cost basis of property received by gift Terry Moore, surgical. is the cost to the giver regardless Mrs. A. L. Gallagher and baby of the fact that the giver may have is the cost to the giver regardless paid a gift tax on the gift. other rule is that in case of property received by inheritance, the cost basis is the fair market value at the date of the decedent's

An example will show the application of the rules. Suppose a farmer acquired his land in the early days at a cost of \$10,000. This property is now worth \$50, 000. The farmer wishes to retire and to escape estate taxes, so he gives the farm to his daughter.

TELEVISION PROGRAMS

KRBC-TV

THURSDAY, DEC. 22

3:00-Homemakers Fiesta

3:45—Modern Romances 4:00—Pinky Lee

4:30-Howdy Doody

5:00-Kalvin Keewee

5:30-A Christmas Program

6:00-Evening Report 6:30-Reel Music

6:45-Invitation Playhouse

7:00-You Bet Your Life 7:30-Peoples Choice

8:00-On The Farm

8:30-Ford Theater

10:00-Late Report

10:15-Man Behind The Badge FRIDAY, DEC. 23

7:00-Today 9:00-Ding Dong School

12:45-Movie Museum

1:00-On Your Account 1:30-Daily Devotions

12:44-Previews

1:45-Brighter Day

2:00 - Matinee Theater

3:00-Homemakers Fiesta

3:30-Mr. Sweeney

3:45-Modern Romances

4:00-Pinky Lee

4:30-Roy Rogers 5:00-Kalvin Keewee

5:30—Superman 6:00 Evening Report

6:30-Coke Time 6:45-News Caravan

7:00-What's New 7:30-Life of Riley

8:00-Highway Patrol

8:30-Steve Donovan 9:00-Calvalcade of Sports

9:45-Red Barbers Corner

9:30-The Ernie Kovacs School 10:00-Late Report 10:10-TV Weatherfacts

10:00—Home 11:00-Sign Off 10:15-Waterfront

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THURSDAY, DEC. 22 3:00—Movie Marquee 4:15—Tricks and Treats

4:45-Evening News 4:55-Weathercast

5:00-Mickey Mouse Club 6:00-Cisco Kid

6:30 The Lone Ranger 7:00-You Bet Your Life

7:30-People's Choice 8:00-Dragnet

8:30-Ford Theater 9:00-Lux Video Theater

10:00—Texas News 10:15—Weather Telefacts 10:25-News Final 10:30-Count of Monte Cristo

12:00-Sign Off FRIDAY, DEC. 23 6:50-Let's Go Fishing

11:00-Tonight

7:00-Sunup

8:00-Kitty's Wonderland 9:00-Ding Dong School

9:30-The Ernie Kovac's Show

10:00-Home

11:00-Texas Living 11:45-The Jones Place 12:45-Ann Alden Show 1:00-Curtain Call

2:00-Matinee Theater 3:00-Movie Marquee 4:15-Tricks and Treats

4:45-Evening News 4:55—Weathercast 5:00-Mickey Mouse Club

6:00-Cowboy Thrills 6:30-Rin Tin Tin 7:00-Ozzie & Harriet

7:30-Crossroads 8:00-Dollar A Second 8:30-The Vise

9:00-Ethel and Albert 9:30—Passport to Danger 10:00-Texas News 10:15-Weather Telefacts

10:25-News Final 10:30-Suspense 11:00 Tonight 12:00-Sign Off

Scalerunners Are Entertained At Christmas Party

The Scalerunners Juvenile Muic Club was entertained with a Christmas party after school recently at the home of Mr. and Pupils made red crepe paper Mrs. S. S. Faircloth Jr., Highway

presided, and Joyce Robertson accompanied the group in singing Christmas carols.

Piano solos were played by Since thoughts of gifts come Karen Green, Lila Lane Middlequit naturally to mind during the ton, Jeannie Wright, Jerry Dukes, they have been working on during Christmas season, the subject of Marsha Treadwell, Georgia Bess the month of December and took made by one person to another. was played by Mary Ann Man-However the government has no ning and Donna Kay Ford.

munity chest, and similar charit- in red and green, Cokes and colable organizations, and allows each ored popcorn were served. Santa Thanksgiving time; this was be Present were Lila Lane Middle-

property at the late of the gift. dy, Donna Kay Ford, Mary Ann The purpose of many gifts is to remove the property from the taxable estate of the giver at the time able estate of the giver at the time

Kindergartners Are Entertained By Teachers

The Green and Culbertson Kindergarten had a Christmas party Tuesday at 902 W. Plummer.

80 east, with their daughter, hats which they wore during the Georgia Bess Faircloth as hostess. party. They were served ice Donna Kay Ford, president, cream, topped with a Santa Claus, and cookies. There was a gift exchange in front of a brightly lighted Christmas tree.

> The kindergarten pupils com their Christmas books. Colored home movies have been

boots. I would like a grader and dividual in each calendar year. each girl a doll and each boy a living room by the Christmas truck or a Roy Rogers Ranch. During November each child

made a poster to take home at sides their daily project. They The tax applies whether the gift ton, Sarah Earnest, Shelia Sneed, for refreshments, TV program, This group has gone on hikes,

various tours and visited the high school for a magician's show and the Fire Prevention poster distheir teachers.

Kindergarten will resume at 9 a.m. Tuesday Jan. 3. Those enrolled are Stephen

Lund, Forrest Lightfoot, Karen Green, Andrea Rhodes, Tania Faircloth, Anne Whittington, Lana . Pittman, Marvin Grady Pipkin, Bob Day, Grey Pierson, Susie Sneed, Gary Pipkin, Jeff Germany and Mary George Perkins. Pill Hoffmann, Wyn Boaen, Dean Macdonald and Marsha Treadwell have attended also.

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beautifully - decorated homes Sanford, of Itasca; Mrs. Joe Wier, of Covington, and Clyde Sanford, as the League had asked, through of Corpus Christi. the Telegram, that all lights be left on so the judges might make great grandchildren, and four their decisions, was a good idea great, great grandchildren. because the Casebolts and many The last year or so his section because the Casebolts and many hearing have grown a little dimdecorated homes of the city.

Now The Telegram would like those who did not get to see the nomes might still do so, for they are all so pretty.

Orchids to First Baptist Church for honoring students of the e Oil News church home from College Christ-

Santa will be back in town Friday afternoon, kiddies (and grown-ups, too) so let's all go downtown to welcome him.

SOCIAL ENDAR

Thursday, Dec. 22 6 p.m. - Primary II Dept., First Baptist Church, will meet for a party at the church. 7:30 p.m. - The Gleaners Sunday school class of First Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernestine Pierce, 614 S. Daugherty, for a Yule program-

STRICTLY FRESH

YOU can really get a bang out of quitting smoking. Proof: Fellow in Knoxville, Tenn., reached into his pocket for a coffin nail. Pulled out a twoinch firecracker.

Scientists in London have at last discovered a sure-fire method of telling a female's true age. Only dared work it so far on flies and mosquitoes. Requires complete dissection and analysis of all the bits and parts of the

Yuletide note for bachelors: cooing under the mistletoe can lead to billing as "Mr. and Mrs."



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CANARIS STUDIO

Town's -

(Continued from Page One) to Itasca. Mr. Sanford has resided there virtually all of the time since that period.

In his active years he was a carpenter and building contrac tor. He has built, or helped build almost all of the houses that today are considered landmarks in Itasca and many in surrounding com-

His wife died March 1, 1894, FMANNS, the BILL COLLINGS ried to Miss Minnie Augusta and the R. M. SNEEDS-and to Goodman, who lived near Cle-

Mr. Sanford has four children: Riding around looking at the Mrs. C. R. Redd and Floyd K.

There are 11 grandchildren, 23

The last year or so his sight and portunity to enjoy the beautifully- mer. However, he is active physically, for his age, and he mentally alert. One of his favorite to ask that those with decorated pastimes is sitting in his easy homes leave their lights on every chair on the front porch of the night through Sundey night so Redd home and passing the time chair on the front porch of the of day with his friends and neigh-

(Continued From Page One)

th for the Christmas issue the south lines of the northwest Manning and Mrs. Bowen, teach Yule messages from most of quarter of Section 2. No. 3 Hood ers in the department, and by the firms in town and numerous spots 450 feet from the south and Mrs. Wheat. Mrs. M. A. Treadwell 969 feet from the west lines of the Jr. is superintendent of the

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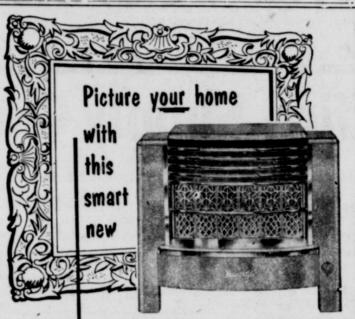
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the large Yule tree

dier many years ago, germane to and coffee were served by the hostesses, Miss Eunice Nall, Mrs Ella Birmingham and Mrs. Wayne Caton. The table bore a green and red theme, featuring cedar frond age and Yule symbols

Mrs. J. C. Whatley, president pened the meeting with a brief. essage of welcome and Christas wishes for the personnel.

The members, most of whon are teachers in the schools, there stended the Majestic Theater for he preview of "Good Morning Miss Dove," the picture billed for the Majestic Christmas Day and Monday, the theater having issued complimentary tickets to the

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Serve Them "Gym" Dandies

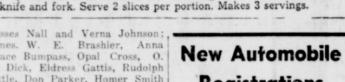
HERE FROM H-SU AND FROM CORPUS CHRISTI

6 slices toast

6 slices process cheese

1 can condensed tomato soup

Miss Lou McFatter, freshman Pkup. at Hardin-Simmons University and student at Hendrick Memorial Hospital nursing school has come home for the holidays to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mc-Fatter. Charles McFatter of the U.S. Navy training devices, Corpus Christi, on leave for the holidays, is visiting in Arkansas and will arrive here this weekend for a Yule visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McFatter.



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Mrs. Neil M. Day, 911 S. Daugh- and Mrs. Arvil B. Craven and son, erty, Eastland, is teaching English Richard, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. in Denton High School. She is a Vernon A. Craven and children, member of Alpha Phi social soror- Vernell and John, Waco, and Mr.

classroom program - prepares lessons, administers assignments and carrie out the testing program. The program is designed to give

students practical knowledge in experienced teacher, before they in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Rodney Spencer.

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ling anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Dec. 26, at the home of Mr. and G. S. Craven, 105 E. Sadosa, Mrs. J. D. Craven, Matador, Tex-

ried Dec. 24, 1905, in Merkel and lived most of their married life in Matador, where Mr. Craven owned the City Drug Store. More re-cently they lived in Brownwood and several months ago they moved to Eastland, where Mr. Craven Ann Day(is one of 186 stu- is a pharmacist for Davis Drug

Mr. and Mrs. Craven have three sons and they and their families will assist at the Golden Wedding Miss Dar, daughter of Mr. and anniversary party, as follow: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craven and chil-During this course, the prospect-ve teacher takes over the whole and Rachael, Matador.

CHRISTMAS AT MIDLAND

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tanner will teaching, with supervision from an Christmas holidays with their son

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wallace NTSC student teachers do their are leaving Friday for Lake Jackork not only in Denton public son to spend Christmas with their schools, but also in nearby towns, son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and including Dallas and Fort Worth Mrs. E. E. Hendrix and children, school systems.

Tom Wallace and Jennie.

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. . D. B. Raney

at the New Hope Baptist Church Friday night, December 23 at 7:30

Mrs. Artie Sherrill took her Joyce. mother, Mrs. Will Gray, to see an uncle, who was ill at San Angelo

Mrs. J. A. Caraway is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Melton Luttrell in Fort Worth.

Charles Raney is home from A&M for the holidays.

Mrs. A. N. Bradford accompaned her sister, Mrs. A. L. Stiles, to Jayton, Sunday.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Martin Steward in the loss of her brother, Mr. Galle, who pas sed away in Abilene last week

Miss Hazel Newnham attended a party for the nurses of Ranger General Hospital Friday night.

The Community Club held their innual Christmas Party at the club Thursday, December 15. Those present were: Mmes. Ida Raney, R. E. Miller, Vallie Jones, J. C. Bradford, H. E. Martin, and Mrs. W. R. Leonard, Stevie and

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First Baptist **Evangel Class** Meets for Party

Evangel Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met recently for its Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fagan, 207 S. Connellee.

After the group sang carols, Miss Christine Garrard gave the devotional, followed by accordion music in the background played by Mrs. Bryan Johnson.

The Fagan home was decorated with green cedar and red berried plants. Snow balls of ice cream decked with lighted candles, compliments of Foremost, were served with coffee and cake.

Jackson, the Rev. and Mrs. Har-vey Kimbler, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Mrs. Spark

Bowen and daughter, Trecia. Harold Hitt, Mrs. Bonnie Garn-Ola Eldridge, Flo Barber, Mar-garet Fagan and the host and the porch. hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Fagan.

HERE FROM TUCSON AND TARLETON STATE

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Mrs. Frank Sparks Hosts Thursday Afternoon Club At Yule Party

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brey Van Hoy, Miss Garrard, ed with red satin ribbon and bells nylon net cloth that hung to the Mrs. Victor Edwards, Mrs. Adele and surrounded by Yule cards. Short and was bordered with glittered pink felt trees. snow men to greet the guests on

> Mrs. Turner Collie assisted Mrs. Sparks in the hall, where the top of the newel posts of the stairway sparkled with large square glittered red candles, while sequin-studded felt Yule trees adorned the sides.

In the living room a green tree, versity of Arizona, will arrive bejeweled in multicolored ornahome this weekend for a Yule visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Harris, Morton whose bases were enriched with Valley. Their other son, George gilded pine needles and cones, Harris, sophomore at Tarleton lighted the piano. Mrs. Grady State College, has come home for Pipkin and Mrs. B. W. Patterson led the members as they sang

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Coffee, fruit cake, sandwiches Mrs. Garrett Is the Tuesday Luncheon Club.

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Mrs. Sparks, president of the class of gold and silver Christmas trees of white carnations.

A picturesque simulated forest with black accessories of gold and silver Christmas trees of white carnations.

Mr. Hogan's best many control of the control of the carnations. which had been decorated terpiece for the table in the dining er, Mrs. Richard May, Mrs. Au- with a large holly wreath, festoon- room which was laid with a red

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins presided at the silver tea service and Mrs. Robert G. Perkins served the sauce-topped fruit cake. The table also bore such delicacies as smoked turkey, open faced cheese and cucumber sandwiches, cran-

berry salad and mints. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Arthur Murrell, Mrs. R. E. Sikes

and Mrs. C. W. Hoffmann. The buffet was artistically ornate with gold and silver angels in front of a replica of stained glass windows, enhanced with gold grapes and leaves and lighted by red candles in a gold candelabrum.

Mrs. Sparks Also Entertains Her Tuesday Club

and cookies were served from her dining table whose appointments were the same as the afternoon

Present were Mmes. A. F. Bendy, M. L. Keasler, Clyde Grissom, W. E. Chaney, Milburn S. Long, Grady Pipkin, A. H. Johnson, Jack Frost, Joseph M. Perkins, Tom Haley, Virgil T. Seaberry and the hostess, members, and a guest, Mrs. Dave Pickrell of Ran-

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Mr. and Mrs. Marthon B. Hogan are at home in Wichita Falls, following their wedding trip to South Texas and Matamoras,

They were married in a doublering ceremony read by the Rev. Jesse Price of Garland, Texas, at 6 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 3, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Roberts of Gor-

Given in marriage by her fath-In festive Christmas dress, the reception rooms of Mrs. Frank ald L. Kinnaird. satin, accessories of white satin

> Mrs. Edward Roberts Goldthwaite, matron - of - honor, wore a frock of blue velveteen with black accessories and corsage

Mr. Hogan's best man was his brother, 2nd Lt. Elton Glenn Hogan of Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls.

During the reception which folowed, Mrs. C. E. Jarrett served the wedding cake and Mrs. A. V. Poe Jr., both of Dallas, and Mr. Littlefield served the punch. The bride's table was laid with a white Abilene will spend the Yule weeklace cloth and centered with a mound of pink carnations.

The new Mrs. Hogan School in 1949. She was employed by Southwestern Bell Tele-phone Co. in Eastland four years before being transferred by the company to Wichita Falls in Au-

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hogan, 307 N. Oak, Eastland. He served two years in the U.S. Army in Korea. He is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of Wichita Falls and has been with the company 10 years, a part of the time before the Korean War.

Class Hostess At Yule Breakfast

The Willing Workers Class of First Christian Church met for a Christmas party before Sunday school Sunday morning from 8:30 to 9:45 at the home of Mrs. H. R. Garrett, 502 S. Hillcrest.

White and pastel candles in pastel-hued angel hair burned throughout Mrs. Garretts reception rooms while the dining table was laid with a red linen cloth appliqued with sequins - sparkled green and white felt Yule trees. The centerpiece was an imposing sleigh with reindeer. White can You can serve a Christmas din- dles in a cloud of angel hair more multiple white tapers

Mrs. E. K. Henderson and Mrs.

The Christmas tree was a green

department and clothing stores Bernice Tankersley, Ada Cox, M. G. Cartwright, Ruth Norris and the hostess.

Olden WMU Is **Entertained By** Mrs. Griffin

Olden WMU met Monday night at the home of Mrs. E. W. Grif-

The meeting opened with group singing "Silent Night." Mrs. W. E. Matlock led the prayer and following the business session, "secret pal" gifts were exchanged from an artistically decorated Christmas tree.

Cake, coffee, cocoa and candy ere served.

Present were Mmes. Lester, Lowe, Talley, Warren, Alford, Butler, Matlock, Hutto, White, Cagle, Thess, Rodgers and the -Reporter



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Beethoven Club Hosted By Mrs. A. F. Taylor

The Beethoven Junior Music lub met for a Christmas party at 5 p.m. Saturday at the home of their club sponsor, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, 700 S. Seaman.

An informal program was opend with the group singing "White Christmas" with Phyllis Phillips at the piano. Jan Robertson played "The Mariner's Song"; Gaila Walters sang "Silent Night," accompanied by Mrs. Taylor, and Linda Huckabay played "Jolly Old Santa Claus."

Jeannie Pittman told a Christmas story, "The Greatest Story Ever Told," and Carolyn Miller led the club members in singing Christmas carols with Julia Lynn nzer at the piano. Gifts were distributed from a

rilliantly - decorated tree Julia Lynn Inzer. Mrs. Taylor gave each of the girls a manicure set in a needlepoint purs

Ice box fruit cake, iced punch and a lighted candle in a brightly colored gum drop were on each refreshment plate. Mrs. Taylor was assisted in serving by Jeannie Pittman and Jettie Seay. Her dining table was decorated

end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. with white chrysanthemums, W. S. Poe, parents of Gayland S. flanked by white candles, while graduated from Gorman High Poe and grandparents of Gayland the buffet held a manger scene. Present were Mainelle Cole.

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HERE FROM HILLSBORO

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hightower of Hillsboro will spend the week-end with his brother and sisterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank High tower and the four will attend the Hillsboro - Stamford

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Yule Party After Meeting

Eastland Rebekah Lodge No. 177 met recently in regular session. Ruby Crawley presided as

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Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged and hot tea, coffee and fruit cake were

Present were Genoa Brown, Ruby Crawley, Beatrice Mc-Adams, Frank Martin, Ethel Alldridge, Mae Mitchell, Johnnie Mathiews, Mae Woods, Lee Campbell, Irma Kelley, Ethel Harbin, Stella Grigsby, Edna Ballew, Tommie Crawford and the hostess, Olive McCain.



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