

I should be exalted... there was to me a thorn in the... 2 Cor. 12:7...



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By H.V.O.

TOM CREIGHTON... note of appreciation... Eastland County...

LARRY FINLEY, EHS... did a real public service...



...although some had been... Larry shot the snake...

...EVE BEEN reminded... the Civic Theater meeting...

...THIS COMING WEEK... we are out of town to be with...

...MR. JOHN GOODWIN... out of the Dairy King Drive-in...

...MR. HERMAN D. ALSUP... director of bands at Gorman...

...SAVINGS G.R.O.-W FAST... in Insured Accounts at...



PRO TEMPRE TO PRO TEMPRE - Eastland Mayor Pro Tempore James Reid, right, presents an official resolution to State Senate Pro Tempore and Acting Governor-for-a-Day Tom Creighton Tuesday.

First Phase Of City Clean-Up Is Now In Full Swing

Eastland's annual Clean-Up Drive, sponsored by the City of Eastland and the Civic League and Garden Club is in full swing...

DeLeon Band To Play For Dance Here

Texas Dance Band of De Leon will provide music May 1 at the Eastland Volunteer Firemen's Dance...

VISITS MOTHER - Mr. E. J. Bowden of Tucson, Ariz. visited last weekend in the home of his mother, Mrs. Lucy Rusk.

Nephews Of Local Woman Drown in Abilene

Double funeral services for John Clyde Chapman, 20, and Thomas Eugene Dodson, Chapman's 13-year-old nephew, were held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the N. 16th and Hickory Street Church of Christ in Abilene...

Admission Certificates Required for Gage Trial

Mrs. Earl Conner and her cast of actors from the Junior class have set the 29th of April as the day on which Miss Nancy Gage is to be tried in District Court...

William Taylor, 47, Former EHS Gridder, Buried

Funeral for William Harry Taylor, 47, one of the key members of the famous Four Taylors of Eastland High School football fame of the late 1930s, and son of Mrs. A. H. Brown of Eastland, was held Tuesday, April 13, in Odessa with burial in Sunset Mausoleum there.

Highway Department Is Asked for Interchanges, Accesses by Eastlanders

Formal requests for additional interchanges and access roads for Interstate Highway 20 at Eastland have been placed in the hands of Resident Engineer R.P. (Buddy) Haun by three local groups.

Anna and Steve Hart Are Honored Readers

Once again it is National Library Week and the Eastland Public Library wishes to stress again the importance of reading.



ANNA and STEVE



BOB KING... trip winner

Bob Kings Win Las Vegas Trip For Ford Sales

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King will leave Eastland Friday, May 7, for Las Vegas, Nev., for a four-day and five-night all-expense paid trip, paid for by Ford Motor Co.

Brother Of Women Here Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for John Frank McCabe, 72, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Robert Lee with the pastor, Rev. Bill Beatty, officiating.

Volunteer Workers Will Conduct '65 Cancer Crusade Next Tuesday

Scores of volunteers in Eastland climax their intensive fight against cancer next Tuesday, April 27, with a city-wide house-to-house campaign.

Freyschlag INSURANCE weather report

SUNDAY - Fair, Sun rises 5:13, sets 6:44. Moon rises 3:30 a.m. Fishing good. MONDAY - Cool, Sun rises 5:11, sets 6:45. Moon rises 3:32 a.m. Fishing best. TUESDAY - Sunny, Sun rises 5:10, sets 6:46. Moon rises 3:31 a.m. Fishing best. WEDNESDAY - Partly cloudy, Sun rises 5:09, sets 6:47. Moon rises 3:30 a.m. Fishing poor.

Social Security Number Goes Up in This County

Monthly old-age, survivors, and disability insurance benefits in Eastland County now total \$244,600, R. R. Tuley Jr., District Manager of Social Security in Abilene, said today on releasing his annual benefit data report.

The new monthly figure represents an increase of 6 percent over the corresponding period last year.

"This increase can be attributed to the changes in the law in recent years, as well as to the growth of our aged population," Tuley said. This money stimulates county business; most of it is spent for food, clothing, and shelter.

"There is no longer any doubt, Social security benefits are helping to stabilize the income and spending power of many residents in this county."

Monthly benefits first became payable in January 1940, and they have continued without interruption for years, accompanied by a steady growth in the number of beneficiaries. Tuley noted that as of December 31, 1964, some 4,250 countians were collecting over \$2,935,400 annually from social security.

More people in Eastland County, he said, could draw social security benefits if they knew more about the law, and for that reason they are urged to visit or call the local social security office whenever they have a question concerning their benefits or responsibilities.

As of January 1965, in the nation at large, almost 20 million beneficiaries were receiving payments at the rate of \$16 billion per month.

The average monthly old-age retirement benefit in January was \$77.57 for all states, while in the State of Texas the average was \$69.43, Tuley said.

The following table shows the number and amount of each type of monthly benefit paid in Eastland County, as of December 31, 1964:

Beneficiary No. of Total of Group	Bene. Payments
Retired Worker	2349 \$156,299
Wife or Husband	827 27,725
Widow, Widower, or Parent	443 26,711
Mothers and Children	360 16,628
Disabled workers and dependents	271 17,155

The year 1965 marks several milestones in the history of social security. The January 1965 benefit payment marked the 300th month of payment since monthly benefits first became payable in January 1940. The number of monthly benefits currently being paid will reach the 20 million mark in 1965. In addition, August is the 30th anniversary of the signing of the Social Security Act by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Tuley added.

Fund Still Short In County Screw Worm Program

Two thirds of the \$3,100 quota in the current screw worm eradication fund drive has been collected from Eastland County ranchers and livestock men, according to Oscar Schaefer, Cook, chairman of the animal health committee.

Glyn Gilliam, Ranger banker and treasurer for the committee, recently informed Schaefer that he had sent a check for \$1,921.87 to the Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation, Dallas, sponsor for the screw worm elimination program in the state.

"We are grateful for the many contributions on this program," Schaefer said.

"This is one of the finest programs that we have ever had in the livestock business and I am confident that we will go over the top in the fund raising campaign," he continued.

Many ranchers have said that the savings in time, labor, wear and tear on the cars and pickup trucks, gas, oil

and medications as well as freedom from the frustrations of looking for, catching and doctoring 'wormy' animals has been tremendous in Eastland and all other counties in the state.

Reports from the various committees who have worked

to make the drive successful. He urged those who have not been contacted for their contribution to take it to their bank in the next several days. Any bank in the county will accept the contribution he said.

NOTICE

To all persons in Eastland County who are now Notary Publics and who plan to requalify for the 1965-67 term:

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Olden Judged This Week in State Improvement Contest

Olden is one of three Eastland County communities entered in the Texas Community Improvement Contest which is sponsored by the Electric Extension Service, Texas A&M University. Nimrod and Scranton are also entered, and these three communities will be competing in the contest along with eight more communities in District 8.

The tour of Olden will be conducted Wednesday morning, April 28, 8:30 to 11 a. m. and will begin at the Community Center. During this tour, the communities will be judged on community organization, improvement in the community, and community services and facilities. Stops in the tour will include the Community Center, fire station and the homes of the following: Gilbert Copeland, Olden Kellar, Lee Williamson, L. J. Williamson, I. E. Talley, Gaylon Ashton and Carl Boustead.

Project accomplishments for 1964 in the long range improvement plans included erecting Community Center signs, repairing kitchen and installing bathroom, new roof, buying benches for Community Center, testing 65 water wells in community, cleaning vacant lots, sponsoring first annual community homecoming, installing guard light and organizing Olden volunteer fire department.

Plans for 1965 projects include community water system, erecting name signs, purchasing recreational equipment, cleaning of vacant lots, street improvements, community homecoming, new industry, and improving game room.

Project plans for 1966 include street improvement, new industry, painting Community Center building, building dog irons for fire place, improving game room. The community homecoming, aiding in school plant addition, street improvement and encouraging residential growth are among the plans for 1967, and plans for 1968 include encouraging residential growth, new fire truck and remodeling of Community Center.

Already judged is the record book containing stories, newspaper clippings and pictures showing the progress made during the year of April 1, 1964 and March 31, 1965. This score along with the tour score will determine the District winner.

Judges will be R. E. Burleson, reports and evaluation specialist at Texas A&M University, Mrs. Jean Henry, County Home Demonstration Agent of Hamilton, and James Denton, Jr., Area Farm Management Specialist of Gonzales.

Oil Paintings On Exhibit At CofC Sunday

The Art Show which has been on display during the past week at the Chamber of Commerce will be open to the public from 1 until 5 p.m. Sunday, April 25.

Exhibited are 29 oil paintings that won awards in the West Texas Art Association show last October in Sweetwater. They were selected by judges from some 200 entries of oils, pastels, water colors, and mixed media. Macie Hyatt, member of the Cisco Art Club, won honorable mention for his entry.

The winning entries are being shown in the West Texas district, and exhibits have already been held in Snyder, San Angelo, Big Spring, and Lamesa. The next showing will be in Abilene.

Mr. Hyatt, a director for the association who arranged the exhibit here, has invited the public to see this outstanding display of area work.

Invitation Golf Tourney Is Set

The annual Cisco Invitation Golf Tournament will be played at the local country club course on July 16-18, according to an announcement Saturday. Plans for the event will be announced at a later date. Committees to handle various details are expected to be named soon.

F. W. Bessel was the first to measure the distance to a star in 1835. Gas flame welding with oxygen and hydrogen was invented in 1897.

Woods; secretary, Mrs. Desale Hooks.

Residents of surrounding towns are urged to attend this tour as the support of the area towns and support of the business people in these towns is needed, as this tour, will be considered as a very important part of the tour score.

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REPORT ON COUNTY FINANCES FOR 1963 and 1964

Article 1665, revised Civil Statutes of Texas requires that an annual financial report be made each April, copies of which shall be filed with the Commissioners Court and the District Judge of the County. Each time an annual audit is delivered to the Commissioners Court and the District Judge, the County Auditor shall send a report to the bonding company of each district, county and precinct officer showing the condition of that particular office (Acts 1955, 54th Leg.).

The above mentioned report was duly filed with the Eastland County Commissioners Court on Monday, April 12, 1965. As your County Judge and Budget Officer, I feel that the public might appreciate some comparisons and comment on this report and the financial condition of Eastland County for the past two years. These comparisons will be based upon the expenditure of funds and the payment of bonded indebtedness which concerns County-wide funds and no attempt is made to discuss receipts or disbursements for the individual precinct road and bridge funds.

On January 1, 1963 cash in all funds \$274,119.55; bonded indebtedness \$56,000.00, net \$218,119.55.

On January 1, 1964 cash in all funds \$220,925.53; bonded indebtedness \$41,000.00, net \$179,925.53.

On January 1, 1965 cash in all funds \$204,064.24; bonded indebtedness \$26,000.00, net \$178,064.24.

These figures reflect \$40,055.31 less net than was on hand on January 1, 1963. During the past 2 years Eastland County has been called upon to furnish right of way for the building of State Highways in the total amount of \$38,875.59. This sum reflects the actual net expenditure from the County-wide road and bridge fund over and above the amount shared by the State Highway Department. This right of way was used for State Highway 6 and 206 and the obligation to spend this money was incurred prior to January 1, 1963. Eastland County has always been willing to shoulder its fair share of State Highway right of way purchases. Other expenses which were over and above normal operating expenses include items such as a new photocopy machine costing something over \$10,000.00, to be used by the County Clerk's Office, ballot boxes, a camera for the Sheriff's Department, office furniture, air conditioners requested by various county offices. The total amount spent for these items for the past two years was \$12,743.19. While these items were costly they are still practically new and will provide good service for many years to come.

Also a number of costly elections were paid for by Eastland County as well as a rather large sum of money spent to cover the County's cost of holding lengthy criminal hearings in this county as well as \$1,683.54 paid Palo Pinto County for change of venue trial. During the years of 1963 and 1964 Eastland County has paid \$30,000.00 on its bonded indebtedness.

In conclusion, the County-wide net worth appears to be less on January 1, 1965 but the County has something to show for its money. The purchase of extensive right of way, expenditures for capital outlay, unusual expenses and criminal trials account for considerably more than that sum. Also our debt has been reduced from \$56,000.00 to \$26,000.00.

It is my sincere hope and desire that every tax payer will become familiar with the financial operations of our county. These records are open for inspection and a quarterly statement is published in one of the County papers every three months. Eastland County has an 80c per \$100.00 tax rate based on some of the lowest property values in the State of Texas.

Respectfully submitted,
SCOTT BAILEY
COUNTY JUDGE

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'Evening in Paris' Is EHS Annual Band Banquet Theme

By HOMER TERRY
"An Evening in Paris" was the theme for the Annual Band Banquet of the Eastland Band Boosters Club, Thursday evening. Members of the band as well as their dates enjoyed the "Evening" on a setting of an open street cafe in Paris.

The invocation for the banquet was given by Wendell Seibert, superintendent of the Eastland Public School System followed by the welcome given by C. F. Huffman, vice president of the Band Boosters Club. The response was given by Jimmy Finley, president of the Eastland High School Band.

The meal for the evening was carried out in the theme by eating by candlelight and having the tables decorated with Paris plate favors. The meal was catered by Eubanks Barbecue.

The decorations were made of Paris fancies and the stage of the elementary school was the scene of a sidewalk cafe where the entertainers were seated with their dates. The booths for the sidewalk cafe were fixed with red and blue streamers and silver stars.

Entertainment for the evening was presented by "The Singing Chefs" a group consisting of Debbie Belle, Gary Rollins, and Bill Herridge. The musical group brought numbers of folk music, most of which came from the famed group folk singers, The Kingston Trio.

After several musical numbers, Mr. John Foster, director of the Eastland High and Eastland Jr. High Band, presented awards to two Junior High students. The outstanding musician award went to Larry Lane and the most improved award went to Robert Robbins.

Mr. Foster also recognized the people who worked very hard on the decorations. He closed the banquet, thanking all the band members for their cooperation during the school year and all who made the year for the band one of the "greatest" yet.

May 1 Is The Deadline For Wheat Plans

Farmers (producers) who signed intentions to participate in the 1965 wheat and feed grain programs are reminded to check their intentions and make sure to meet the conserving base requirement.

This reminder comes from County Office Manager Jesse G. Meredith. The provision is very important in order to qualify for diverted and price support payments.

Final date to dispose of excess wheat, barley or oats is May 1, Meredith said.

Grazing diverted acres area from May 1 through October 31 will cause loss of diverted and price support payments and producers who plant intertilled competitive crops with peanuts should remember that in order for the area to be deducted, it must be at least two normal rows wide and the crop must compete with peanuts for moisture, and growing season, according to Meredith.

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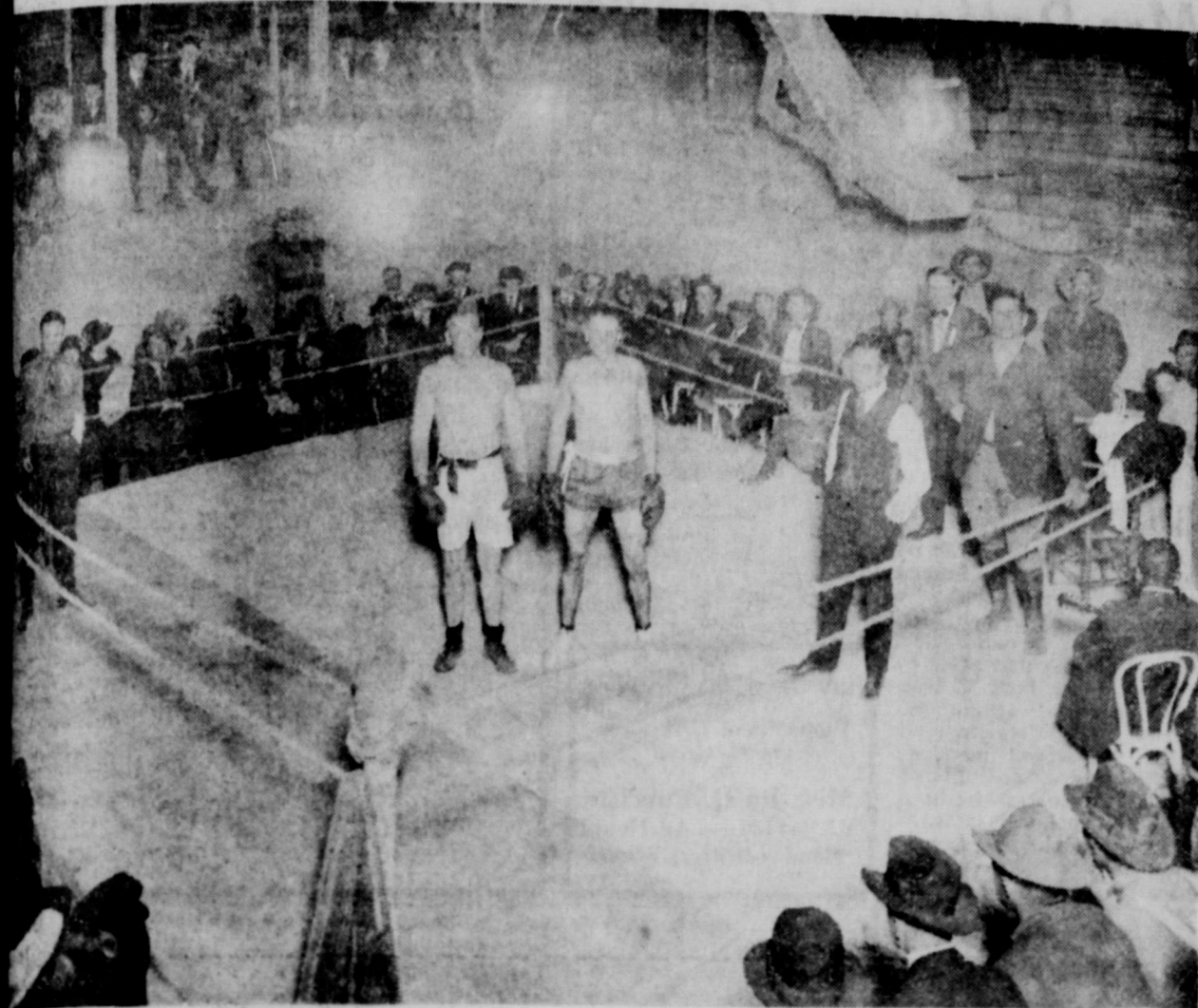
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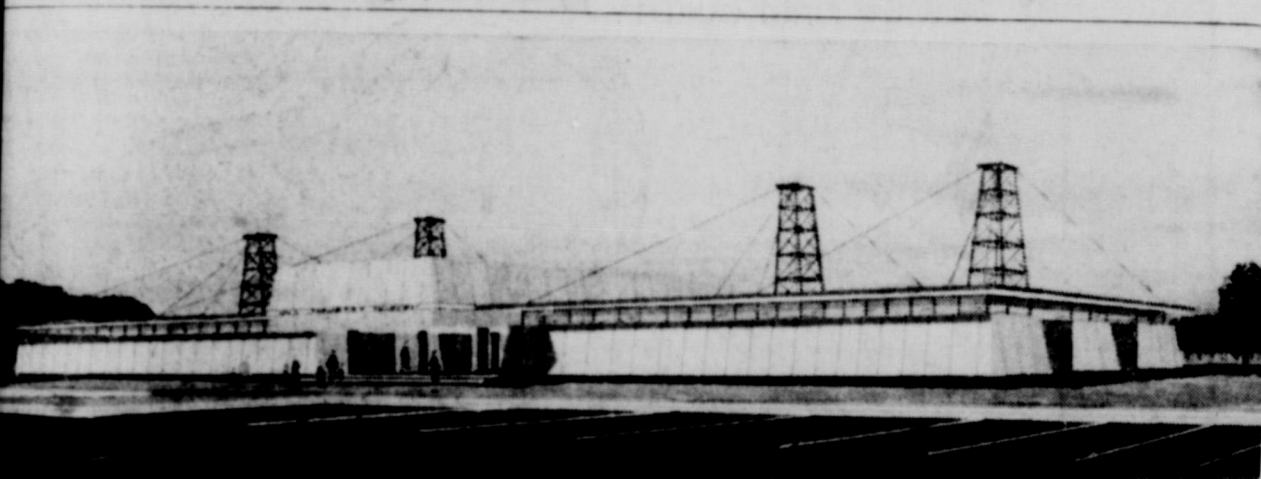
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MANY DO YOU RECOGNIZE? — This picture made in Eastland in 1920 and the fight ring was inside an indoor swimming pool, located at the somewhere near the present city hall, according to Hank Ponders, now of Massillon, Ohio, who was in Eastland this week and left the picture. Ponders, standing at left in the ring, was in Eastland in 1920 with a construction crew which built the Exchange Building. He could remember but few of the spectators or officials, the fighters not at all, but recalled that police "raided" the scene soon after this picture was made and the fight never came off. Who knows more about the event?



ARCHITECT'S DRAWING of Ranger's proposed Texas Museum which would be erected on a 25-acre tract, and Charles L. Fox, executive director of the project of Ranger on old U. S. Highway 80. The structure posed museum.

Miss Williamson Represents Texas Convention

Miss Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Williamson of Eastland will represent Texas at the annual convention of the National Federation of Music Clubs, which is being held at Andrews High School in Acepella, Texas, Monday, April 12, at 8 p.m.

She is a member of the choir, Dale Williamson, stated that the last time Texas was represented at the convention was four years ago, by a Texan group.

Battle Charged With Threatening Boy, 14

For the second time in less than a year James Battle, Ranger Negro hotel owner, will face a grand jury.

Battle is currently free under \$1000 bond on a charge of allegedly "threatening a minor boy with a pistol" on Monday, April 12, at 8 p.m.

He was taken into custody by Patrolman Bill Bollinger of the Ranger Police Department, assisted by Constable Raph W. Veal.

During the trial, Battle contended that he had fatally shot Don Gonzales at Battle's Little Gem Hotel in Ranger on July 4 in self-defense because the Latin American had attacked him with a knife.

Glenn Scallorn, Commissioners Discuss System

Glenn Scallorn, Southern Televisions Systems Corp. executive of Del Rio and former Eastland resident and former local manager of the Eastland County system, appeared before a special called meeting of the Eastland City Commission Thursday afternoon.

He apologized for the reception service of the past few weeks and pledged his company's complete determination to improve the service where possible. He explained that weather conditions are affecting cable systems throughout the Southwest and that hopes are that these will clear soon. Service will be improved through the engineering department, he said.

Complaints about reception were originally aired at the regular monthly meeting of the commissioners Monday evening. All commissioners were present of the Thursday meet except Commissioner Dr. M. A. Treadwell Jr.

2 FHA Members Attend State Meet In Dallas

Arlina Arnold and Sharon Harbin, members of the Future Homemakers of America chapter of Eastland High School, attended the state meeting of the Texas Association, Future Homemakers of America, in Dallas, April 23-24, according to Miss Loretta Morris, advisor of the chapter.

Theme for this meeting was "Homelife — Foundation for Peace."

Arlina Arnold served as voting delegate to the meeting; and Vocational Homemaker Teacher Miss Morris accompanied the group to Dallas.

Featured speaker for the event was Tad Corbet, Bible lecturer and Baptist minister from Lubbock.

Interest Good For 1st Annual Preacher Tourn.

The first annual Ministers Golf Tournament in the state will be held May 7, Friday, at Long Cedar Country Club between Ranger and Eastland.

Entry fee for the event is \$3, according to Chairman Jack Arrington, and presently some 30 players have signed up.

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FROM ARIZONA
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hart, Traci and Cindy of Bisbee, Ariz., have been visiting this weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Blair.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Poe have returned from a recent visit in Clyde, Abilene and Baird with friends and relatives. They also transacted business while there.

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Beef Cattle Short Course Set For May 3-6 At Olden

Beef cattle short course for farmers will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 3-6, at the community center. The four-day course is being sponsored by the co-sponsors of vocational agriculture students of Ranger, Olden and Eastland High Schools. The course is being arranged by Beverly Dudley Jr., instructor at Ranger High School, Gilbert Copeland, and W. L. Sims, vocational agriculture instructor at Eastland High School. Thornton, beef producer and specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency, will be the speaker in the course. Thornton is a graduate of Technological College, and much of his college work was in technical agriculture in the field of animal husbandry with major emphasis on beef cattle. After graduation he worked as herdsman at

C. E. Yoakam Ranch at Cherokee, Texas six months and then taught vocational agriculture at San Saba seven years and Kerrville, Texas three years. Thornton has a wide and varied experience in training livestock and meat judging teams for state competition. In addition to working with beef cattle, he has raised registered Poland China Hogs and has had considerable experience as a sheep and goat raiser. He has worked closely with registered breeders, commercial cattlemen, and Vocational Agriculture students in the field of beef production. During the dates the short course is in progress, Thornton will be available to assist cattlemen with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to the local co-sponsors. Cattlemen interested in attending the short course should write or call Dudley at Ranger High School, Copeland at Olden High School or Sims at Eastland High School. An entry fee of \$2.00 will be charged. Beef cattle shortcourse certificates

will be presented to each cattleman who attends all the training sessions. Thornton states that the field of beef cattle production must take a close look at efficiency of production in the future. With land prices, feed, and taxes rising, the producer is meeting more and more competition for the consumer's dollar at the meat counter. From the economic view of the beef cattle business, there is every indication that in comparing the producer of yesterday and the producer of tomorrow, beef must be produced to sell cheaper in order to be a profit-making business. Thornton indicates that the beef cattle shortcourse will deal with the methods of producing beef at a lower cost and the ways of producing the kind of beef that the housewife wants to buy. He also states that the course will include such important fields as the meat-type steer, selecting bulls and replacement heifers, proper range use, supplemental winter feeding, and will be altered to meet the wishes and interests of the farmers and ranchers enrolled.



HOMER WILLIAMS is shown putting muscle into the act of holding a 30 pound catfish high enough that the fish's tail won't drag the ground. He hooked the 30-pound beauty at his cabin on the north side of Lake Leon the first part of last week. Mr. Williams and his wife wrote friends in Odessa, informing them of the big catch, and they got the urge to do some fishing. The friends, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Whitefield and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Collins, have been visiting this weekend with the Williams.

District Officer Gives Music Club Program

Eastland Music Study Club met Wednesday, April 21, for a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. Don Russell at Bell Hurst Ranch, with Mrs. Don L. Kinnaird, Jr. presiding. Special guest was District President Mrs. T. A. Mitchell of Fort Worth, who was presented with a lovely corsage of white carnations as she arrived. After lunch, which was served from several beautifully decorated tables containing fragrant spring flowers, the group assembled in the living room for the program. Guest speaker Mrs. Mitchell spoke on Federation News and Views and discussed the Parade of American Music. She also discussed Texas composers and compositions from the 18th century to the present time, stating that the historical society is collecting its works and placing it in the Fort Worth library for permanent preservation. She then played a number of their selections on the piano. Present were Meses Russell, Kinnaird Jr., Floyd Robertson, T. E. Richardson, Sallie Bishop, Clara Cockrill, A.

D. Dabney Sr., Jack Frost, D. L. Houle, Kinnaird Sr., A. L. Murrell, Don Parker, Ita Parrish, Joseph Perkins, Don Pierson, Grady Pipkin, Kenneth Thompson and Mitchell; and Miss Marjorie van Hoose and Mrs. McCorkle of Fort Worth.

SCHOOL MENU

Eastland High School menu for this week has been announced by Mrs. Laverne Wingate as follows:
Monday — Italian spaghetti, green beans, harvard beets, hot rolls and white cake with divinity icing and coconut.
Tuesday — Steak and gravy, whipped potatoes, black-eyed peas combination salad, hot rolls and pineapple pie.
Wednesday — Hamburgers with tomatoes, lettuce, onions, and pickles; and one-half pimento cheese sandwich, potato sticks and pumpkin pie.
Thursday — Fried chicken, macaroni and cheese, English peas, carrot curls, hot rolls and fudge cake.
Friday — Tuna fish salad (sandwiches for elementary school) whole kernel corn, buttered carrots, sliced bread and prune cake.
Guests of Mrs. John Brown recently were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and Beverly of Fort Worth.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley last weekend were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whately of Hico; and their children, Miss Gracie Tankersley of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tankersley and children of Troup, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Warren and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dick and children of Kermit. John and Florence Barber spent last Tuesday and Wednesday in Stephenville with his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Bradford.

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Scientists' Sunday Topic

The Christian's approach to final victory over death will be a central theme at all Christian Science churches this Sunday. The subject is "Probation After Death." One of the Bible selections to be read is from Galatians: "He that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting." Also included in the Lesson-Sermon will be these lines from the denominational textbook: "Emerge gently from matter into Spirit. Think not to thwart the spiritual ultimate of all things, but come naturally into Spirit through better health and morals and as the result of spiritual growth. Not death, but the understanding of Life, makes man immortal" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 465).

Calvary Revival Begins Tonight

Calvary Baptist Church, 205 North Oak St., will begin revival services tonight, April 25, continuing through May 2 with Rev. J. Frank Wilson of Sweetwater as visiting evangelist. Evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m. April 25 is also homecoming day at the church with all-day preaching and dinner on the ground, according to the pastor, Rev. Earl Williams. Everyone is invited to attend revival services and the homecoming.

Cemetery Working

The annual cemetery meeting will be held all day May 1 at Alameda Cemetery with basket lunch at noon. After the meeting, there will be a program of singing.

VISITS FORDS

Mrs. Lillie Bigby and Jerry Myrick, both of Big Spring; and Mr. and Mrs. John Reed of Carbon visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Ford.

Treadwells Win Honors In Tennis Tourney

The M. A. Treadwell Jr. family played in the Abilene Easter Tennis Tournament this past weekend at Abilene and all came home a winner. Randall was entered in the boys 12 year old singles while he played in the 14 year old doubles. Marsha Treadwell was entered in the 18 year old singles and also the 16 year old singles bracket. Terry was entered in the 18 year old singles, and in the 18 year old doubles. Dr. Treadwell and son, Terry, teamed up together in the father-son bracket. Here are the results of the Tennis Tourney:
Boys 12 singles: Quarterfinals: Colmen defeated Randall Treadwell, 6-2 and 6-1. First Round of 14 Boys doubles: Pendergrass and Garriker def. Black and Randall Treadwell, 8-6 and 6-0.
Boys 18 year old singles: Terry Treadwell def. Whitt Cline 6-1, 6-1. def. Harper 6-4, 6-3. Quarterfinals Bruce def. Treadwell 9-7, 6-3. Boys 18 Doubles: Treadwell and Horton def. Harper and Osborne 9-7, 6-2. Quarterfinals Treadwell and Horton def. Paylor and Scott 6-3, 6-1. Ragland and Williams def. Treadwell and Horton 6-4 and 6-3.
Girls 18 singles: Pat Sloan def. Marsha Treadwell 4 - 6, 7-5, and 6-3.
Girls 16 singles: Linda Russell def. Treadwell 1-6, 6-3, and 7-5.
Girls 16 doubles: Marsha Treadwell and Stephanie Letz def. Fannin and May 6-0 6-0. Treadwell and Letz def. Pannell and Wells, 6-0, and 6-0.
Treadwell and Letz def. Hutcheson and Hutchison, 6-0, 6-2.
In the Father-Son division the Treadwells of Eastland walked away with top honors. In the quarterfinals Dr. and Terry def. Darner and Darner 6-1 and 6-2. In the Semi-finals they defeated Ivy and Ivy of Austin 4-6, 6-1, and 6-1. In the finals Dr. Treadwell and Terry defeated Black and Black of Corpus Christi 3-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Make It A Foursome For Annual Clean - Up

Clean-up time is workout time for three important tools in the house — broom, rake and paintbrush. But be sure you add a fourth one—the trash can. Trash and rubbish are an open invitation for fire to enter your home, says Fire Marshal Guy Robinson. "A good, vigorous clean-out job, repeated at regular intervals, is one of the smartest things you can do to keep your home and your family safe from fire," the Chief adds. Maybe you don't have anything you would call "trash" around your place. Call it clutter then. Go up in the attic and take a good, calculating look at any old mattresses,

stacks of papers and magazines, discarded draperies and lamp shades. Check closets for old clothing and cleaning rags. Go over the basement for workshop scraps, oily rags, paint cans. Don't miss the garage either. Get rid of it all — this fuel for fire — and you and your house will likely be around much longer to enjoy that new paint job and spruced-up yard you gave it this Spring. "National Fire Protection Association figures show that about one of every twelve fires starts in rubbish," Robinson points out. "That's why using the trash can is so important, during Spring Clean-Up and all year round."

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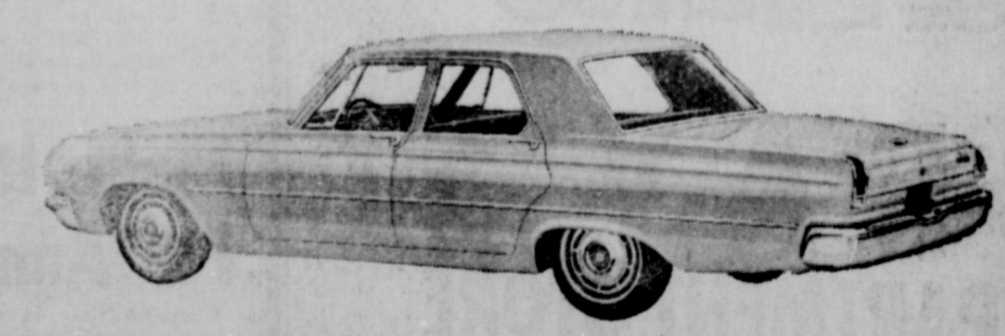
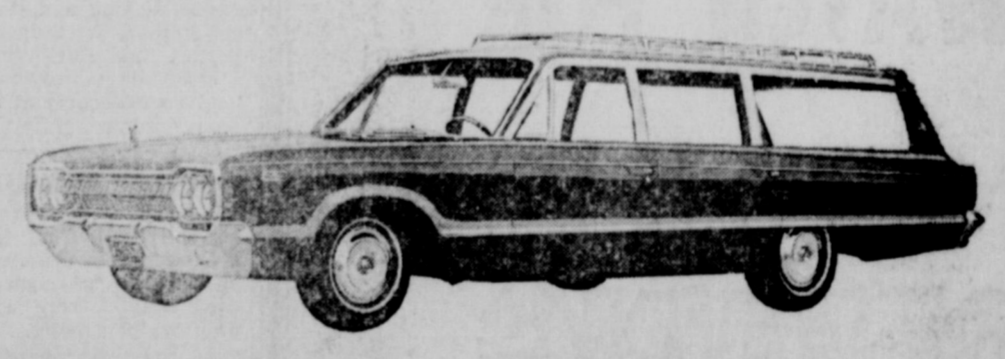


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