

EASTLAND TELEGRAM



PRICE 10c

Holidays

Eastland Public Schools

Green Kindergarton will

dismiss Friday, Dec. 19, re-sume classes Monday, Jan.

observe same schedule, gett-

Olden dismisses Friday,

Carbon dismisses Tues-

Dec. 19, 2:30; resume Mon-

day, Dec. 23, resume classes

Former Resident

Mrs. Janie West Bills, 81.

of Alvarado, formerly of Ea-

stland, died about 10 a.m.

fuesday in the Alvarado Nur-

She had lived in Alvarado

Funeral was held at 2:30 p.

m. Wednesday in the East-

and Church of Christ, with

r. D. Boston, minister of Al-

arado, and Bill Wheatly, Ea-

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Jr., of Dallas announce the

birth of a daughter, Jennifer

Lou, at 5:40 a.m., Tuesday

Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott.

Buried Here

ang home

about two years.

ing out Thursday.

day, Jan. 5th.

Monday, Jan. 5.

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TidBits By H.V.O.

YOU'LL SURE want to take a night out of your busy sche dule to drive around town and see the beautifully decorated houses, yards and doors. Many have become traditional sights looked forward to evcry year by young and old. There's just Christmas everywhere in Eastland.

SP 4 SIDNEY O. High, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom C. Hich of 607 W. Main St., and an EHS graduate, has been assigned to the Headquarters Co of the 8th Army at Seoul, Korea, as a message control cl erk with the Adjacent Gena al's Corps. His address is Sp.4 Sid High, 453-75-5021, Hq. 8th U. S. Army (AG-C) APO SF 96301.

CORRECTIONSVIILLE: Pecan show photos Sunday should have been credited to Lloyd Armtsrong, and seems like we always get Hollywood-Vassarette Plant Manager Jo-Ryan's name misspeiled Apologics, all around. REMINDS OF a Journalism

113 note on the first newspaper in America:

Newspapers are, of course our oldest medium. The first held on Friday and the rehe- those who enjoy the symph- McNair one in America appeared in 1690. Penjamin Harris, London bookseller imprisoned for printing seditious pamphlets, fled to Boston and began is suing Publick Occurrences, Forreign and Domestick 'Once Occurrences happen, oftener.)

OLD RIP and Eastland fea tured prominently in the Dacissue of the Texas ember Good Roads Association New sletter, in a Season Greetings listing of farou rochura Texas landmarks: Odes a' giant Jack Rabbit, Kilgore Richest Acre, Crystal City Poprye, Muleshoe's Mule, S., yder's White Buffalo, Fre-ericksburg's Coffee Mill, Dal bart's Empty Saddle, G 1 e 1 Rose's Camptorour, Poteet Strawberry, W e atherford's Peter Pan and, of course, Rip in Eastland.

SPECIAL SCOUTS report



REPRESENTING EASTLAND at the All-Region Band Contest in Brownwood last Saturday were: left to right, (front row) Mike Robinson, Stacy Blair, Jeff Jackson, and Randall Treadwell, (back row) Diane Mahaney, Susie Hanna, Maria Griffin, and Earin Miller. Mike and Earin will be competing in try-outs for the Texas All-State Band January 24 in Austin.

5 Maverick Band Members Make All-Region Listing

The Texas Music Education | were designated as alternates All-Region Band was held on They were: Stacy Blair, Ran Dec. 13 in Brownwood and st-dall Treadwell, Marcia Grif udents came from 43 schools lin, Mike Robinson and Earin on Friday afternoon to try-ut Miller, with Jeff Jackson and on pre-selected music, with Diane Mahaney as alternates This year's All-Region Band 105 being selected as outstan ding musicians to play in the was the best that has ever as All-Region Band. It was a 2- sembled in this region and the day activity with the try-outs concert was a big success for

ata Land.

arsal and concert on Satur- onic band. day in the Brownwood High Two of the Eastland stud school Eastland was represented to ary out for the Texas Ali-

tone, Diane Mahaney on Con- Robinson on trumbone. They Blair on trumpet, Randall iney were seated in the top of Treadwell and Mike Robin in neur section and made the All on trombone, Marcia Grifta on Alto Clarinet and La. ii Miller on B-flat Clarm

keen this year, and those who region, and the Austin region. represented Eastiand dia trainely well under this pres-stre as five were selected to play in the band, and t w o students school (class A com-

Hollis Thurman, Local's Cousin, **Buried Monday**

Grid Banquet Set Jan. 10 By Q.B. Club

The Eastland Quarterback Club met Monday night at El lementary School and elected new officers.

Elected were: Bill Harrison resident; Bob Mueller, vice president; and Jeff Glazner ecretary-treasurer.

The club also voted to ho the football banquet on Jan. 10 at the Elementary Cafetor ium. Time and price of lickets will be announced later.

The next meeting of th Quarterback Club is sene lu ed for Jan. 6 at the Elemen tary School.

Marvin Hays, 59, Long of Carbon, **Buried Monday** Marvin Franklin Hays,

of Irving, brother of Mrs. Locone Wyatt of Eastland, died Saturday in the Irving Community Hospital, after an illness of several weeks.

Funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Fust Baptist Church in Carbon with the Rev. Dick Murray officiating. assisted by the Rev. Bruce

Burial was in the Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon ents will go to Austin Jan. 24, He was born January 24, 1910 in Arkansas and lived in by: Susie Hanna on Auto Sax- State Band. They are Earin Carbon before moving to Irvophone, Jeff Jackson on bari- Miller on clarinet and Mike ing in 1965. He was employed a month (or if any Glut of tra-Alto Bass Clarinet, Stacy have this opportunity because Chemical Company and was a member of the Baptist church, Survivors include his wife; son, Bryan of Irving; a

Lie competition in the Ausdaughter, Mrs. June Cavanun contest will include une augh of Ozona; four grand-"the competition was very may regions, ours, the Waco children; three sisters, Mrs. Wyatt of Eastland, Lorene whill be an "open class com-Mrs Maebell Bennett of Big Spring, and Mrs. Mildred Powell of Midland. One son preceeded him in death.

peres, with class AAAA), of the students grade (freshman Mrs. Porter Woods is visit optiomore, etc.) liene Winner ng in the home of her daughthis type of contest will er. Mrs. Jarry Jetion of San imas, Calif. D ...

musicians in this state. Winners of the competitio in Austin will go to Dallas i: February, and play in the l'exas All-State Band, rehear-

Visit Santa In Eastland Saturday And Be His Guest for Big Free Show

NERCULES OF THE UNIVERSE!

SUMMIT MEETING OF THE MONSTERS!

GREAT

CARTOON FEATURE = COLOR

ARNOLD SLAVE -STERLARE, MOREDWAY - More Filles BAREER

the 13 tabulous

Listen, kids, those little elves who help Santa Claus at the North Pole are really good helpers.

They have worked so hard that they finished early and so Santa can take time to come right here to Eastland! Honest. Saturday (the first day of the school holidays and so already a big day for school kids) Santa will come riding on a fire truck! (See, Santa couldn't bring his reindeer this time so the Eastland fire department is loaning him a truck.)

Santa will get off the truck on the northwest corner of the square (that's the corner where one of the red lights is; over by the Eastland Drug Store). Santa will walk all the way around the square, and he will have candy to give to each one of you kids, and YOU ARE INVITED TO WALK WITH HIM. Won't that be fun?

When you and Santa have gone all the way around Mrs. Bills, 81, the square, you will walk down to the Majestic Theater. There you will see "Alakazan, the Great," a full-length feature cartoon in color. (The show is free so don't take along any money unless you want some popcorn or cold drink. And, Mommy and Daddy are invited, too, if you want to take them.)

After the show is over, Santa will give you more candy.

At 2 p.m. Saturday, Santa will be back downtown, letting you kids tell him what you want for Christmas and giving out more candy

Rep. Musgrove Is Speaker For Lions, Rotary Meeting

State Rep. Burke Musgrove of Breckenridge spent the bet- | fluence in the House is sure to ter part of two days this week in Eastland, speaking before following the 1970 consus, he two service clubs (on the not- said, and guessed that there so-popular subject of state taxation and spending) and presentatives. reporting on other matters of President Roy Smith presid interest to Eastlanders.

Like most of his constituents, Rep. Musgrove indicated that he's against the additional taxes recently enacted by the state, and generally is in favor of reducing governmental spending, he said.

Rotary Club and Tuesday. to ed. Guests included Josep the Lions, both in luncheon meetings at the White Eleph-ant Restaurant. Perkins of Eastland and Ted Hodgson of Perth, Western Australia. The Lions Club vot-

Using charts, he showed that state government spending has increased 150 per cent in the past 20 yets, far exceed-Dick Dixon presented Club

taxes."

tland minister, officiating. The conservative, rural in Burial was in the Eastland cemetery. be reduced after redistricting She was born Jan. 9, 1838, in Brownwood. said, and guessed that there Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Earl Akers of Al-varado, and Mrs. Marie Farwill be some 22 less rural rerington of Midland; and a son, ed at Rotary with Bill Angus Bill Schoopman of Odessa. program chairman, introduc

ing Rep. Musgrove. Guests were Dick Dixon, and Bob Qualls and Lafrence Davis both of Cisco. Mike Collins was program

cheirman for the Lions and Dec. 18, an Dallas. President Jeff Glazner presi- The baby weighed seven He spoke Monday to the President Jeff Glazner presipounds and six ounces. She has one sister, Jill, three years old. Grandparents are Mrs. Hub Lewis of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott, Sr. of Dallas.

Maternal great-grandpary ents are Mrs. Ellen Lewis of



at Mr. and Mrs. W.B. (Wes) Harris will celebrate their Thurman of Breckenridge, co-50th Wedding Anniversary on Dec. 22. No formal celebra- Eastland, were held Moniny, visit during the holidays. Mr. H. is a patient at Hickm Nursing Home. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have been residents of Eastland for the past 47 years. Their daughter is Gerry Galloway of Odessa.

Members of First Presbyterian Church will meet at 5:30 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 21, for a supper following by worship services and carol singing.

Those attending are asked to bring gilfs for Goodfellows.

Pack meeting at 7 p.m. Thurs-Methodist Church.

Horton Tire Co. Presenty



If any man will come after me, let him deny himself. and take up his cross and follow me.-Matthew 16:24 First-born of many brethren, Thou!

To whom heaven and earth must bow:

Heirs of Thy shame and of Thy throne, We bear Thy cross, seck Thy

crown.



Presents the WEATHER -

Partly cloudy to cloudy Wednesday through Thursday with a high Wednesday near 70, low Wednesday night near 50 and a high Thursday 75. Interium. A verbal acceptance Winds from the southeast 5- of the 20.6 per cent increase has been accepted by the com-15 m.p.h.

Funeral services for Hollis usin of Cotton Graham of are invited to drop by for a ridge Cemetery under the Grand Concert is a combinadirection of Melton Funeral tion of three groups, the All-Home.

He was born December 25, 1912 in Carbon and died unexpectedly while at work Dec. 13

Survivors include two sis-

fred of Coleman, Clyde of Ballinger, and Dewey of San An- student can receive in music tonio.

There will be a Cub Scout day, Dec. 18, at First United Everyone is urged to attend.

Extends T.V. Franchise 11 Years In pretty much of a an 11th , pany. It had rejected several our decision, the Fastland other lower requests. Lone pal liability law which goes City Commission passed on Star had warned the city that into effect Jan 1. first reading a resolution to if the matter had to be taken

permit Lone Star Gas Co. to to the Railroad Commission increase rates in Eastland by for decision, that they would 20.6 per cent, at the regular lask for 33 per cent increase, its. commission meeting Monday evening at City Hall.

In one of the longest sessions on recent times, commission also granted Souern Television System Corp.

a franchise extension 11 years, and handled several other important matters. Mayor Frank Deaton presid- ends in 1973. It was agreed

ed and all commissioners were that the firm would never acpresent. Lone Star orginally request-

ed a 25 per cent rate increase. programs. and the commission had tabled that rate on two previous sion meetings, and Mo day was the

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chief to be named later. 60th day since the orginal application, and a great deal of Voted to purchase the Police Unit radar for \$1,345. negotiating between city officials and gas company officials has transpired in the

GOODFELLOWS sing for three days to play in the Grand Concert before the entire Texas Music Educator State Band, the All-State Or

chestra, and the All-State Choir, with the last selection always being a combined number.

To attend one of these con ters, Mrs. Nell Cole of Lub- certs is an experience that is bock and Mrs. Lillian Munn of not forgoiten. To be a mum Ballinger; three brothers, Al- bur of one of these organization tions is the highest honor a

City Passes 20.6% Gas Hike;

what they claimed they need

to realize a fair return on

Southern Television Pres-

ident Glenn Scallorn of Del

Rio and formerly of Eastland

appeared before the commis-

sion and requested the exten-

sion. The present franchise

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In other action the commis-

Named an assistant fire

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EASTLAND, TWIAS

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their investment here.

in the T.M.E.A. Contest. That's all. But that's quite a

CITY GROWS BY 205 ACRES

the

ganization designed to help Send your contributions to those needing help by help-James Reid, treasurer, P. O. ng you share. A'l the organi- Box 391, Eastland, now. ation does, actually, is take These have already our contribution, combine it their contributions: with other contributions; then Previously reported \$ 815.50 see that the money is spent Eastland National Bank in the way it will bring the

most to those who need help. Men's Fellowship Bible

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GOODFELLOWS is an or-|lot, isn't it?

294.00 employees

Class 250.00 Mr., Mrs. J.H. Pittman 5.00

Glen E. Bryant 10.00 E. A. Ivey 10.00 B.W., Letha Robertson 15.00 John S. Kimble 2.50 Mr., Mrs. L. A. Scott 25.00 Mr., Mrs. W.F. Deaton 20.00 Mr., Mrs. Jack Germany 10.00 Anonymous 5.00 Ladies Auxiliary, Post 4136,

ing he said. VFW 10.00 J.W., Lura Harper 5.00 Eugene, Martha Williams 10.00 Della Johnson and Minnie n

15.00 Lay Mr., Mrs. Hood King 10.00 Friendship Club 5.00 Mr., Mrs. E.E. McAlister 10.00 Neil Seabourn 10.09 Mr., Mrs. Jimmy Hart 10.0 ence committees as the culprit Mr., Mrs. D.S. Brinkley 10.90 responsible for many of the ad-

Rebecca Circle, First Christian Ch. 5 00 Mr., Mrs. John Morren 5.00 ually, might not stand up. TOTAL \$1,567.00 They now lump everything

FULLEN MOTOR Co. bill, the controversial and tion-LAUGH-A-DAY

bling in the family room one Julia Havens were her son, A. day about who would be the J. Havens of Stephenville; her mother in their intense game daughter, Mrs. Ruby Turner of House. and daughter Jerri of Arling-

Suddenly, the neighbor girl got up and huffed out of the room, her head held high: "And I'm going to have my mother call your mother and a friend, Tommy Marlin give her a piece of my mind."

tion t dexes for the same per-beautiful piece of luggage as M. Johnson of Gorman. iod. Those two factors, he said Christmas gift from the club. are often cited as "reasons



MRS. VIRGINIA SEELIG of Fort Worth, right, will portray the mother of Amahl in Menotti's Christmas opera, "Amahl and the Night Visitors," to be seen Christmas Day from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. on KTVT Channel 11. The opera will be presented by the School of Church Music, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. Mrs. Seelig, daughter of Mrs. Clyde L. Garrett of Eastland, is resident voice teacher at the Seminary.

Annexed the 205 acre airport tract, including Aztec Mobile Homes into the city lim-Authorized City Manager Lewis Tiner to make prelimmary arrangements to discuss with an engineer, for improvements that need to be

Discussed the new munici-

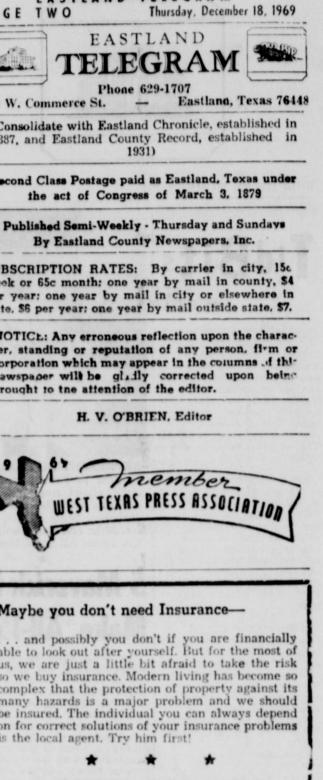
made to the disposal plant. Tentative plans call for the consideration of a sanitary next summer, after the sales tax funds begin coming in, and a piece of equipment can be purchased.

Authorized a Christmas bonus of \$15 for each city employe.

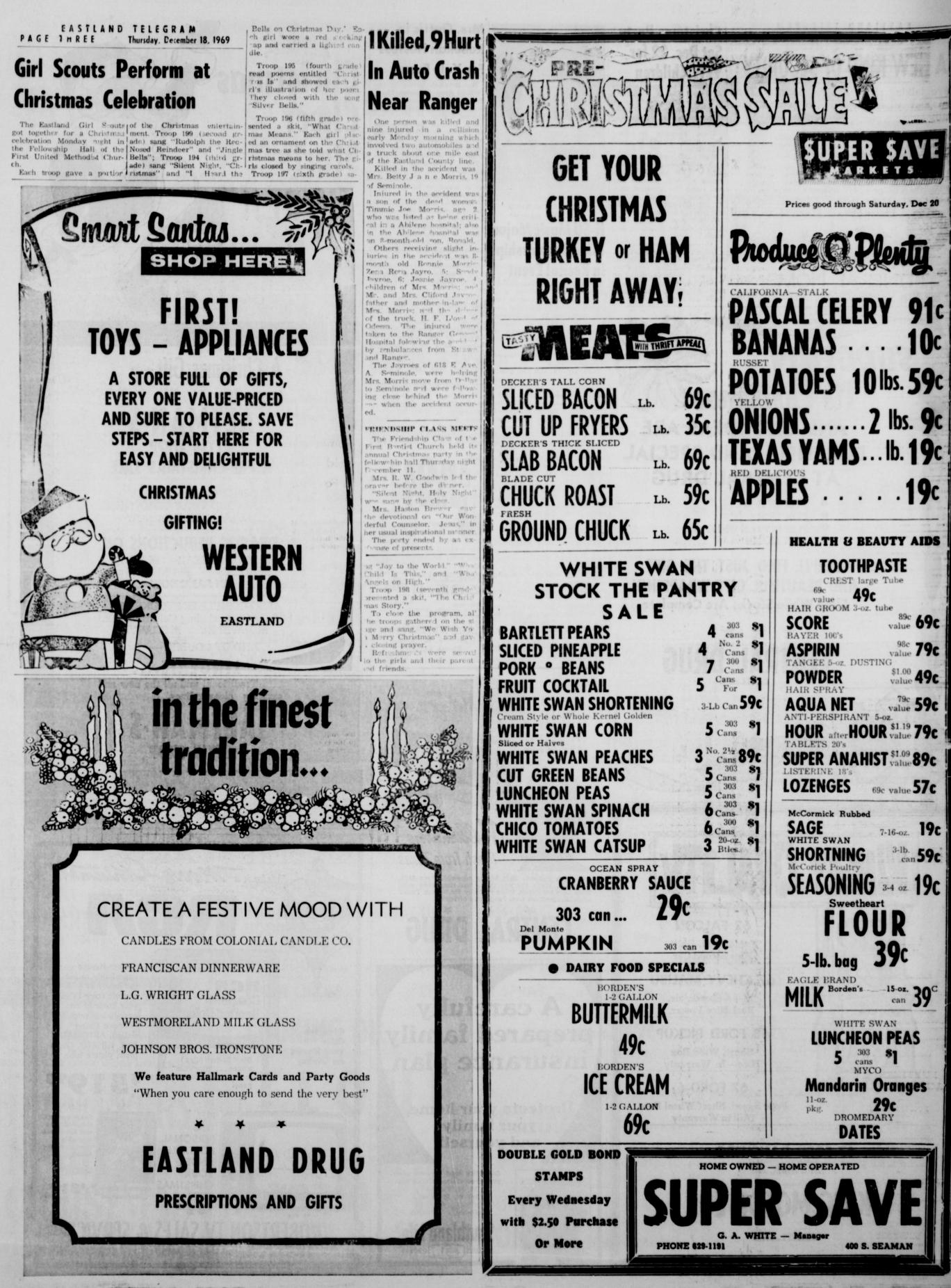
Agreed to hire another policeman immediately, especially for the holiday season, and also to provide additional help during the coming year, so that all the city policemen can attend the special train-ing school in Abil dife. Such training is manditory a fter the first of the year.

controversial together, and you just have to vote 'for' or 'against' the whole ball of wax." Two youngsters were squab-Guests in the home of Mrs











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CENTRAL DRUG

Children of members of VFW and Ladies Auxiliary will be special guests at a Christmas party from 7:30 to 11 p.m. Monday, December 22, at the VFW hall. Those planning to attend may invite friends to come

Christmas Party

Set Dec. 22 for

with them. The party, which will be well-chaperoned by mem-bers of VFW and the Ladies Auxidiary, will provide fun and games for younger children and music and dancing for the teen-agers. The ladies

will serve refreshments. A spokesman said the VFW canteen will be closed for this event.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Funk of Lawn, Mr. and Mrs. Bert. Pickett of Abilene, Mr. and

Funk, all of Hico

Miss Mary Ann Turner, so-Mrs. Bill Whatley and Grace phomore from Eastland, won a \$75 scholarship grant in the eighth annual Scholarship Recital sponsored by the Abilene Alumnae Chapter of Signa Alpha lota and the School of Music of Hardin-Simmons University, according to M : s Garland Morrow, chairman of arrangements. Miss Turner won the grant

in the instrumental division by performing "Pierce Heroi-que" by Franck. She is seek-ing a bachelor of music degree with a major in applied organ. She studied piano under the late Mrs. F. L. Dragoo, having started at the age of their last non-district game. six. She has studied organ under Ben Karnes, Phil Simpson, Jan Wishcamper and John Ellis, and she is presently a student of Dr. Ronald Hough of H-SU.

Miss Turner is a graduate of Eastland High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turner of Eastland

TEAMS IN 2 TOURNEYS

All of the EHS Basketball teams will be in action this weekend with games in Carbon, De Leon, and Baird. The boys and girls A-teams will enter the De Leon tournament Thursday night, take time out to play Baird in Baird Friday night, and return to De Leon Saturday night to wrap up the tournament.

The boys and girls B-Teams will be playing in the Carbon Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



Mrs. Gattis Is

CWF of First Christian Church held its Christmas party Monday in the home of Mrs. Eldress Gattis. Mrs. George Sallee opened the meeting and held a short

Christmas

Cheer

business session. The opening prayer was led by Mrs. O. M. White.

The caurch-wide Christmas party will be held Friday night. Each one attending is asked to bring a gift for Goodfellows.

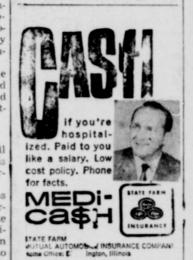
The Rev. Eugene Williams pastor, gave a Christmas story entitled "The Physical Light" and "The Spiritual Light. Gifts were exchanged from beautiful lighted tree. Mrs

Gattis' thouse was decorated throughout. Refreshments were pruns cake, Christmas tree sand wiches, coffee, and spiced

tea. The next meeting will be held January 12 in the education building of the church. Present were Mmes. Georg Sallee, Ressie Cramer, W. G. Verner, O. M. White, La Malone, Elna Ruth Mannke B. H. Clifton, James Ward, and Guy Robinson; the Rev. Williams; and Mrs. Gattis,

hostess. These are the last game

scheduled before the Christ mas holidays. The Maverick teams will return to action January 2 in De Leon for



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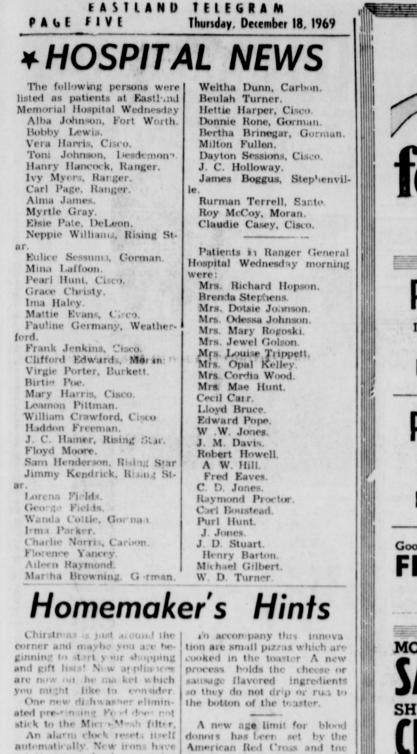


MARY ANN TURNER EHS graduate **H-SU Music Major** Wins Scholarship In Recital Event





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A new age limit for blood donors has been set by the American Red Cross and the American Association of blood Banks. Blood now will be ac-cepted from donors up to the 66th birthday. The old age limit was 61. Healthier older Americons and an increased need for blood caused the change. De-

rotating spray knobs, a regular spray and a light one for per-

Manent-press, A new automatic bacon

cooker from one leading ap-pliance manufacturer cooks up to eight slices of bacon, thick

or thin, in five to ten minutes.

It has a variety of settings and

All You Can Ea

BUFFETS

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Each Wednesday Night

Beginning 5 p.m.

mand for blood is rising about should be on the market in late 1969 or early 1970. Several toasters now boast a special setting for toaster-warmed partries.

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	Recreation Center lew Management
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	ad entitles you Free Game





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CARNATION LIGHT CHUNK TUNA FISH reg. con	3 for 89c	A.F. BISCUITS B-oz. can 8C
Ine-303 an Greens with Turnips 2/39c Green Giant Peas and Onions 303 can 31c NOODLES Chow Mein 303 can 23c APPLESAUCE 303 can 4/\$1 DOG FOOD Roxey tall can 3/29c Rotel Tomatoes and GREEN CHILLES No. 1 can 21c CRISCO COOKING OIL	SEASON SALT Lowerys 3-oz. 29c CHILI POWDER Eagle 1-oz. 19c COFFEE MATE large 6-oz. 49c Old Spice AFTER SHAVE Reg. 1.50 99c O.J. BEAUTY LOTION Reg. \$1.00 69c Shurfine HAIR SPRAY Reg. 73c 39c 48-oz. bottle 89c	MELLORINE½-gal. cins.3/\$1COFFEEFolger's1-lb. can73cKARO SYRUPRed Labelquart65cOLEOAll Sweet1/4s2POT PIESMorton's8-oz.5forBEEF DINNERSMorton's11-oz.49cBREAD DOUGH21-lb. loaves39cCAN DRINKSShasta10-oz.can10/\$1CATSUPFood King12-oz.4/\$1BAR-B-QSAUCEMorton's16-oz.41c
FLOUR Shurfine 5-lb. bag 39c Cream PIE Morton 3 for \$1	S BANANA) Golden R POTATOES Russets. Navel Calif. sun-kissed Oranges lb.	sh Produce Jeatures! lipe Ib. 10c 10-Ib. bog 69c Rome cook or eating 19c Apples Ib. 19c lim Size Ib. 9c





SCS Recommends Plans Leon-Bosque Project

Cong. Omar Burleson has lies. Work was initiated on this nounced that the Leon-Bos- program in 1965.

que Resource Conservation & The Eastland County direc-Development Area has been tors include Sam Powers, Joe recommended by the Soil Criswell, J. T. Gregory, E. F. Conservation Service to rece- Harrison, B. W. McKinnis, W ive a planning authorization. B. Wright, Glyn Gilliam, A. D. Mr. Burleson said that this Jenkins, E. G. Henderson Mr. Burleson said that this Jenkins, E. G. Henderson recommendation was for final James Rutherford, Mike Colapproval by the Senate and Tins, Mack Stubblefi 11 and House subcommittees on agri- Dick Foster.

The Eastland County direct cultural appropriations. He sent the notice to Gene tors of the Leon-Bosque RC&I Gilbreath of Dublin, chairman Area will meet Dec. 17, 1969. of the Leon-Bosque Area, who at 2:00 p.m. iin the Eastland aid that this is the last hur- County Cimmissioners Court dle to be passed in order to room. The group will select achieve the goal of local agri- land County on the steering cultural and business leaders director to represent East n Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Committee and discuss possib Bosque and Somervill count- le projects for consideration

IT HAS BEEN By Vada Arnotd

Who said there is no Santa me. I would like to have some Claus? That cannot be true, fruit, nuts and candy. I have for in searching old files, there been a good little boy. I am have been Santa Claus letters four years old. I love you, and more letters for years on Randy Lewis.

Dec. 1938: Dear Santa: For In this "Has Been", children Christmas I want a bicycle, of this area and others will some fire crackers and lots read letters written by their and lots of nutz and candy. I Dads and Moms when they have been a real good little P. S. I love you. were little boys and girls and boy just ask my mother and loved dear old Saint Nick with all their hearts. daddy or my school teacher for I have sure been good in December 22, 1949, this let- School, I love you, Keith Butwas printed with other ler.

Santa Claus letters in the Ris- | The same year: Dear Santa Claus: please bring me a tri-Claus: please bring me a triycle that Ican ride and any want some candy, apples, orother playthings you have for anges and a rope and some



FOR FAST ACTION

and a wagon and firecrackers, have been a real good little but, will have my tree lights boy and I want you to come on and a lunch under the tree to see me. I have a little tree for you. Lots of love to you. to see me. I have a little tree for you to put my presents on Shirley Ann Hamlett. I want you to please bring me some little cars A little gun, an A B C book, some candy nuts and fruit and firecrack

STA-PREST. MR. LEVI'S" CLASSIC Traditional Levi's ers. Santa be sure to don't forget the other little boys and ls. Santa, look under my ee for some cake and a glass milk Thank you. Love-Larry White. Dec. 1938—Dear Old Santa:

am a little boy seven years you come to see me. I want a size for me. Don't forget all my friends. Love Monty Jones.

Dec. 1938-Dear Santa: I want you to bring me a doll and a doll buggy. I go to scho ol. I like my teacher a whole lot. And I study good. Please be good to my mother and my daddy and all my friends. I vill close hoping you find me Love-Wanda Kirkland. December 19 1940-Dear

Santa: I would like very much to have a cowboy suit and un that shoots a stick. thought I would tell you I already have some boots so don't bring me any. If you have some boots iust give them to some other little boy. Your friend—Welden Hill. Dec. 1940—Dear Santa Claus: I have one pretty doll.

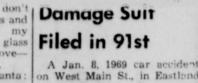
but if you don't think I am greedy. I would love to have another doll with a doll buggy. I'm crazy about dolls with pretty dresses. frilly caps and curly hair. In case mother doesn't have time to write to you bring her a lot of pretty things Tarnk vou. Joan House

Dec. 1940. Dear Santa: Please a Tractor and bring me bing H me and alenty of R. Candy mute and fruit. Yours tradu_Howard Lee Walker. Drc 1040 Dear Santa: I know you are getting a lot of letters telling you how

letters now, from good little nuts. My aunt is coming to boys and girls. I won't write our house for Christmas ple- you a long letter telling you ase don't forget her. She is a how good I have been for I am always good, I think. Will Dec. 1938: Dear Santa: I you please bring me a doll ta

ble and chairs and a table cloth and napkins for the table years old and have been real A pair of white cowboy boots size 81/2, a belt with two guns in a holster. My old broom is worn out, if you have an ex-Dear Santa Claus; I am a little boy four years old, I deed it. I'll be in bed asleep

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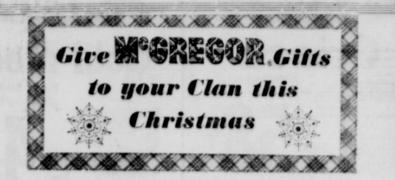
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