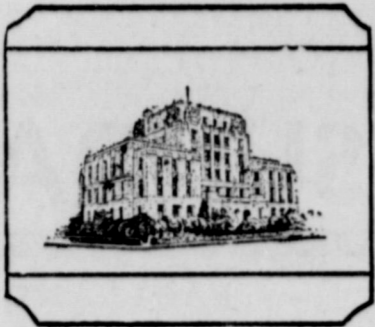


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"Hands Across the Sea," one of the one-act plays ACT will present February 4, 5, 6, 7, at Bell Hurst Playhouse is rehearsed by from left, standing, Don Werley, Myrna Dobney, Bob Davenport, Kathy Stephens, John Russell, and Adela Sedillo. Seated, Don Nicholas, Anne Angus, and Johnny Paul Grimes.

Civic Theatre To Present Play Soon

Eastland Civic Theatre will present "An Evening of One Acts," February the 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, at Bell Hurst Playhouse.

Reservations may be made for any performance by calling 629-1141. Performances will be at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, and at 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

ECT has presented two other "Evening of One-Acts" in addition to several three act plays.

Primitive Baptist To Have District Meet in Dublin

The regular 5th Sunday District Meeting of the Primitive Baptist Church will be held at Bethany Primitive Baptist Church, 700 E. Elm St., Dublin.

There will be all day services on Saturday, beginning at 11 a.m., and again at 2 and 7 p.m. There will be plenty of food and singing between the preaching services.

Shady services will begin at 10:30 with singing, and preaching will be at eleven. Everyone is invited to attend and hear some Old Fashioned Gospel preaching and enjoy the fellowship.

I. G. Willis

Texas Rehab Center Translating Hope Into Reality For Two Handicapped County Boys

Haden Johnson, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, Lake Leon, is walking proof of the benefits of West Texas Rehab Center in Abilene.

The story with a happy ending had its beginning Sept. 29, 1964, when Haden was

born in Blackwell Hospital in Gorman. A hydrocephalic, Haden underwent his first surgery at the age of six weeks in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. At the age of one year, he had three surgeries to his credit.

Patience parents devoted

their lives to the tedious treatment required to maintain fluid balance in the lad.

Four years ago, Haden began treatment at West Texas Rehab Center in Abilene. It was a slow process wherein staff and parents united to teach the child to walk, talk

and enjoy his surroundings. Four years, 208 trips and 30,784 driving miles later, Haden is the growing boy shown in the picture. Weekly visits from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. include physical, occupational and speech therapy.

Needless to say, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are grateful to the Center and to the March of Dimes for their care and concern. Haden was Eastland County's March of Dimes baby in 1965 and 1966. It is a long road, the Johnsons are still on the road and Haden is growing.

County citizens who wish to make contributions to the West Texas Rehab Center may do so by contacting the First State Bank in Ranger. Some one will be at the bank during the six and one-half hour telephone program Saturday night.

Page Lee Emfinger, two and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Emfinger of Eastland, was born a Spina Bifida hydrocephalic. Although paralyzed from the waist down, through physical therapy at the Rehab Center in Abilene, he is beginning to learn to walk with the aid of crutches.

Once a week for the past year he has been taking treatments in Abilene and exercising to gain strength and is now able to unlock his braces and sit down by himself.



LONG ROAD WITH HAPPY WINDING — These two handicapped Eastland county youngsters are living proofs of the worth of the Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene and the March of Dimes program. At left is Haden Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, Lake Leon, and at right Page Lee Emfinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Emfinger, Eastland, who are learning to walk with the aid of treatments at the Center.

Mavs Lose to Ballinger In Cage Action Tuesday

The Eastland "A" Boys lost by a slight margin in a game against Ballinger in the Eastland Gym January 26, 1971, with Ballinger scoring 45, to Eastland's 42.

The Eastland "B" team also lost to Ballinger's "B" team, with a score of 34 to 29.

"B" Boys	
Ballinger 34 — Eastland 29	
Name	FG FT FTA F TP
Thomas	2 1 1 5 5
Barnes	2 0 0 2 4
Grimes	4 0 0 3 8
Reid	1 1 1 3 3
Jimenez	4 1 1 2 9
Team Total	13 3 3 15—29
Ballinger (34)	

Funeral Services Held Tuesday for Mrs. Simmons, 79

Mrs. Noma Simmons, 79, of Fort Worth, died at 9:25 p.m. Saturday at Boulevard Hospital in Fort Worth.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Arrington Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Ira Bentley officiating.

Burial was in Eastland Cemetery under direction of Shannon Funeral Home of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Simmons was born January 28, 1891, in Chattanooga, Tenn. She lived in Fort Worth 23 years.

Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Ada Hankins of Lubbock and Mrs. Dorcas Choate of Fort Worth; and one niece.

Final Services Held Wednesday For J. D. Ridling

James D. Ridling, 85, died at 6 a.m. Monday in Eastland Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient one week.

Funeral was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Arrington Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Claude Harris, officiating. Burial was in Acker Cemetery in Stephens County.

Mr. Ridling was born Nov. 3, 1885, in Decatur. He had lived in Eastland the past 8 years, moving from Stephens County. He was a retired farmer. He married Ruth Barker April 9, 1919, in Wayland.

Survivors are his wife of Eastland; one son, R. D. of Eastland; one daughter, Mrs. Pearl Hallmark of Eastland; one sister, Mrs. Florence Beard of Mineral Wells; one brother, J. A. of Ranger; four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

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Treadwell Named To All-Senior High School Band

Randall Treadwell, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Treadwell, was named first chair trombone at the 16th All-Senior Honor Band tryouts held at ETSU in Commerce last weekend.

Some 230 high school seniors from Tex., Okla. and La. attended the tryouts.

Audition for placements in the two bands were held from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. and from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. The senior band was entertained by a combo made up of professional musicians. At the close of the entertainment the results of the tryouts were announced.

Gene Lockhart conducted the second band while Dr. Neil H. Humford, director of the ETSU band, directed the first band.

Randall made 1st chair in the band directed by Dr. Hamfeld.

Each band presented a concert of four numbers. For the concluding number the bands combined to present the (Slavonic) folk suit.

Funeral Services Held Monday For Mrs. Cornelius

Celia J. Cornelius, 79, died at 5:55 p.m. Saturday, January 23, in Austin at the home of her daughter, Mildred Wilhelm, following an apparent heart attack.

Burial was held in Masonic Cemetery in Abilene Monday following funeral services in the chapel of Arrington Funeral Home in Eastland. Mrs. Cornelius was buried in the Perkins family plot.

Born January 29, 1891, in Eastland County, Mrs. Cornelius moved to Abilene where she resided for thirty-four years. In 1953, she returned to Eastland County and her childhood home where she lived for the next fifteen years. Illness later prompted Mrs. Cornelius to move to Austin to live with her daughter where she resided until her death.

Survivors include one son, E. E. Cornelius of Las Cruces, New Mexico; two daughters, Inez Harvey and Mildred Wilhelm of Austin; six grandchildren, John Richard Wilhelm of Ranger, Larry and Kay Wilhelm of Austin; and John, Bill, and Mike Cornelius of Las Cruces; and one sister, Mrs. John Lee Roper of Eastland.

Pallbearers for the funeral included Raymond Beck of Eastland; C. W. Cowden of Grand Prairie; Allen Kemper of Coleman; Alex Miller of Lubbock; Paul Price of Garland; and Bob Sumrall of Abilene.

While residing in Eastland County, Mrs. Cornelius was a member of the United Methodist Church of Ranger.

Music Study Has Meeting in Reid Home Here Wednesday

The Music Study Club of Eastland met Wednesday, Jan. 20, at the newly decorated home of the Durel Reids, 1203 South Seaman St., with overflowing warm hospitality.

Co-hostesses assisting Mrs. Reid were: Mmes. Floyd Robertson, Marvin Hood, Joseph M. Perkins, and Miss Van Hoose.

Upon arrival guests were served refreshments of coffee and tea, with dainty sandwiches, numerous cookies from a beautifully appointed tea table with an Ecru Lace Table Runner, an arrangement of White Carnations, Blue Iris and Fern, Silver and China Service, with Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins pouring coffee and Mrs. Mike Collins, tea.

In the Spacious Living Room a lovely arrangement of colorful Nasturium added more colorfulness to the scene. The flowers compliments of Mrs. Perkins, fresh from her floral house.

In the absence of President Mrs. C. L. Bigley, Mrs. Mike Collins, first vice president graciously presided. Calling the meeting to order, she welcomed the member and guest, then requested all to join in reading of the national Federation Collect, by Ruth Halley Ottoway.

She then read the quotation, for the Lesson, "A Bid of Music Creates a Sense of Togetherness. That Sweetens the Day" — by Sarah Miles.

Mrs. Collins then presented Mrs. Reid, leader for the program. Song of the Month, "Praise to the Lord—From Stratusund Gesangvuch, was sung in Unison, with Mrs. Frost, leader; Mrs. Russell, Pianist.

The songs were followed by Officer and Committee Annual Reports. All unfinished business was finished, and new business introduced. One application for Club membership was received.

Members and guest were cheerfully shown through the beautiful home.

Attending were members: Mmes. Sallie B. Bishop, Mike

Band Boosters Will Meet at Band Hall-7:00

The Eastland Band Booster Club will meet at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, in the Band Booster Hall.

All members are urged to attend.

Now Debt Free . . . From Brush To Beauty Is Bible Chair Story

Thick scrub and brush covered that spot in the summer of 1967. But in October the foundation was laid, and on January 26, 1968 the Biblical Studies Center (Bible Chair) for short was officially dedicated. With its simple, but attractive design, its neat lawns, and situated so as to fairly breathe a quiet and peaceful atmosphere, the "Bible Chair" has been proclaimed by many to be one of the very nicest buildings on, or near, the CJC campus.

Although the building with its furniture and equipment would be worth \$40,000 or more now, those responsible for making the decision to build three years ago did not have that much money at their disposal. The friendly folks at the local bank, always ready to help with an endeavor such as this, readily arranged a ten-year, \$20,000.00 note that made building possible.

To the Eighth Street Church of Christ, who own and operate the facilities, that note looked "awfully awesome!" But today all anxiety is gone, faith has been strengthened, and what looked like a "long, hard pull" is finished. The note has been completely paid! Exactly three years from the date of its official

dedication, the building will pass into the full ownership of the Eighth St. Church of Christ as the note which stood against it is burned.

Writing to sister churches of Christ who have helped to pay for the building, A. Z. Myrick wrote: "We have reached the end of a road that could have been very long." To this should be added the fact that many friends of the Bible Chair (not members of the church of Christ) who have attended the evening Bible classes offered during the last five years, have also made contributions to help liquidate the building indebtedness. In many instances, these friends have shown as much enthusiasm for the Bible Chair and the work it is doing as the members of the 8th St. Church of Christ. Their help continues to be appreciated and is tremendously encouraging.

On Tuesday Evening, January 26, at 7 o'clock (the regular time for the meeting of the Bible Class) a special gathering is scheduled for the Bible Chair. It is hoped that all of our friends from Cisco will plan to attend. Many interested visitors from out of town are expected. The happy occasion will be celebrated with an old-fashioned dinner on the ground (in the Bible Chair), including fried chicken, ham, and all the extras, served at about 7 o'clock. A short series of colored slides will be shown telling the story "From Brush to Beauty in Three Years—Well Done!" A devotional will close the program following the burning of the \$20,000 note made three years ago!

Present teacher at the Bible Chair, Gary B. Adams, appears in one colored slide made when the brush and scrub still covered the hill side. He just about summed up the feelings of all of those connected with the building of the Bible Chair and its operation when he said: "It is a tremendous thrill to see this beautiful building, which really is a part of the 'college community', covering a spot formerly given to weeds and brush. Perhaps the work done through these facilities may help to bring some young person out of the brush and weeds of life to a higher plain of service to God and mankind."

The story of the Biblical Studies Center can truly be called "From Brush to Beauty in Three Years." To all of those who have helped to reach this point, we say: "WELL DONE!"

They are active members of the Brookhollow Christian Church where Mr. Evatt has served as a deacon and a member of the official board. He served as property chairman for 2 years.



RICHARD D. EVATT
Richard Evatt To Quitaque As WTUCo Manager

Abilene, Texas — Richard D. Evatt of Abilene, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Evatt of Eastland, has been promoted to local manager for West Texas Utilities Company in Quitaque. Mrs. Evatt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Sherman, also of Eastland. The announcement of the transfer and promotion of Evatt was made today by Vice President Durwood Chalker of Abilene.

Evatt has been employed by WTU for the past 10 years in Abilene, and during that time worked as a lineman on WTU distribution crews in the Abilene area, and as a line-serviceman in Abilene. Born in Hamlin in 1934, Evatt spent his early life in Eastland and is a 1952 graduate of Eastland High School. After attending Ranger Junior College one year, he was employed in the Signal Department of Texas & Pacific Railroad for four years.

After serving 2 year with the U. S. Army with foreign service in Germany, Evatt moved to Abilene and was employed by Treanor Equipment Company until he joined WTU in 1960.

Mrs. Evatt is the former Annette Sherman of Eastland. The Evatts were married in Eastland in 1959 and are the parents of a son, James Howard, 5; and a daughter, Sheri Ann, 2½.

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Taxpayers Ask?—

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

(Q) The IRS says it will figure the tax for more people this year. Who can take advantage of the offer?

(A) Up to 30 million taxpayers may have IRS compute their tax. To qualify, income should be less than \$20,000 and consist only of wages or salaries, tips, dividends, interest, pensions or annuities. The taxpayer must also take the standard deduction.

Previously, IRS could only compute the tax for those with less than \$5,000 of in-

come, primarily from salaries and wages. These limits disqualified many low and middle income taxpayers as well as retirees living on pensions or annuities.

If you want IRS to compute your tax, just follow the instructions for entries on the return and mail it, with attachments, to the IRS Service Center for your area.

Besides computing the tax, the IRS will also compute retirement income credit for those entitled to it. This computation has proven confusing to many taxpayers in the past.

(Q) When can I expect to get my W-2?

(A) Employers are required to issue W-2 statements on 1970 wages paid and taxes withheld to their present employees by the end of January. Since this falls on a Sunday,

the deadline for employers to issue these statements is February 1.

Anyone who left a job before the end of the year should have received a W-2 within 30 days after his last pay check.

(Q) Where can I get information on the changes that will affect my 1970 return?

(A) A summary of the major changes in the law are listed on the cover of the 1940 income tax packages most taxpayers will receive in the mail. Information on how to handle these changes are explained in the instructions.

Additional information on the tax law changes as well as other aspects of tax law may be found in Your Federal Income Tax. This publication may be obtained from most IRS offices for 75c.

(Q) My husband is over in Vietnam in the army. What should I do about our tax return?

(A) You are not required to file a return until 180 days after he leaves Vietnam. If you want to file earlier because you are expecting a refund, indicate in the space where his signature should go that he is serving in a combat zone.

(Q) Does the income tax surcharge apply to all money earned in 1970?

(A) Yes. The income tax surcharge rate for 1970 is 2 1/2 percent.

(Q) My teenage son earned enough money in 1970 to owe tax. Does that mean I will lose my exemption for him?

(A) Not necessarily. As

long as your son is a full-time student at least five months of the year or was under 19 at year end, the amount of his earnings will not affect his dependency status. However, the other dependency tests, support for instance, must be met.

(Q) What tax rate should I use when I report my maid's wages for the fourth quarter?

(A) The combined rate is 9.6 percent, 4.8 percent each for employer and employee, and should be used when filing your Form 942, Quarterly Report on Household Employees, for the months of October, November and December. The deadline for filing and paying the tax is February 1, 1971.

Note that the rate goes up effective January 1, 1971 from 4.8 percent to 5.2 for both employers and employees.

(Q) I have income from a farm I own as well as from a part-time job. Do I come under the filing provisions for farmers?

(A) You do if at least two-thirds of your gross income is from your farm operations. If that is the case and you do not file a declaration of estimated income tax by January 15, you should file your tax return and pay the entire tax due by March 1 to avoid a penalty.

Other taxpayers not qualifying as farmers have until February 1 to file their final returns and pay the tax due, in place of paying the last quarterly estimated tax installment or filing and paying an estimated tax declaration due January 15.

Taxpayers who do not have to file declarations, such as those whose withholdings equal or exceeds their tax due, have until April 15 to file their returns.

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THE GORDON SPOT

By DE GORDON, County Agricultural Agent

As we talk to agricultural producers throughout the county we find that most of them are feeling pretty low. Some had poor crops in 1970 and the weather doesn't look very good for this year.

There will be no small grain crops in Eastland County this year. This means little or no livestock grazing until spring. Some cattlemen report they will not have enough hay to feed throughout winter. Some are out of livestock water and face the possibility of having to sell their livestock.

With dry soil most farmers

are hesitant about applying fertilizer in orchards and on crop land. Weather forecasters don't give much hope for the near future.

However, a good rain could change everyone's attitudes and we could be optimistic again and look forward to reaching our goal of increasing agricultural income in Eastland County by 3.7 million dollars by 1976.

We met with a group of peanut farmers at Carbon Monday night, Jan. 18 to discuss peanut production. Charles Bradberry who owns a

new farm supply store in Carbon arranged for the meeting. He asked Keith Whitt of the Gorman Peanut Company to discuss peanut seed and new promising varieties. Whitt was very optimistic in his remarks. He said there would be a good supply of high quality peanut seed available this year. It was his opinion that Eastland County farmers have not nearly reached the potential in peanut production. He gave as an example Caddo County, Oklahoma. Their average yield is about twice that of Eastland County and Whitt said there is not that much difference in their soil and ours.

Whitt said some new peanut varieties have been developed that will yield better than our present varieties. He also had some complimentary remarks to say about Dr. Charles Simpson, New peanut breeder at the Texas A & M Tarleton Experiment Station at Stephenville. This young man, Whitt said, will make a big contribution to peanut production in this area.

At least three bankers from Eastland County are planning to attend the 19th annual Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers at Texas A&M Feb. 15-17. Bill Terry of Ranger, Jeff Glazner of Eastland and Jer-

ry Pruitt of Cisco plan to attend. This is one effort being made by the banks of Eastland County to help the county reach its goal of increasing farm and ranch income by 3.7 million dollars by 1976. The school will help them solve the complex problems being faced within the agricultural industry.

World-famous grass breeder Dr. Glen Burton of Tifton, Georgia will be in Texas on January 28. He is the man who developed Coastal Bermudagrass, Coast cross-1 and over 20 other new grass varieties for the south.

He will present a 1-hour slide discussion on bermudagrasses and other grasses for cattle production in Texas. The meeting will be in the District Courtroom, Brazos County Courthouse in Bryan, starting at 7:30 p.m. That would be about a 200 mile trip from here, but the information learned from Dr. Burton should be worth your trip if you are considering improving your forage crops.

Thirty three people attended the farmer's income tax meeting Jan. 12. There was a lot of interest shown in the new arm records available in our office. In fact we gave away all the record sheets we had, but more have been ordered.



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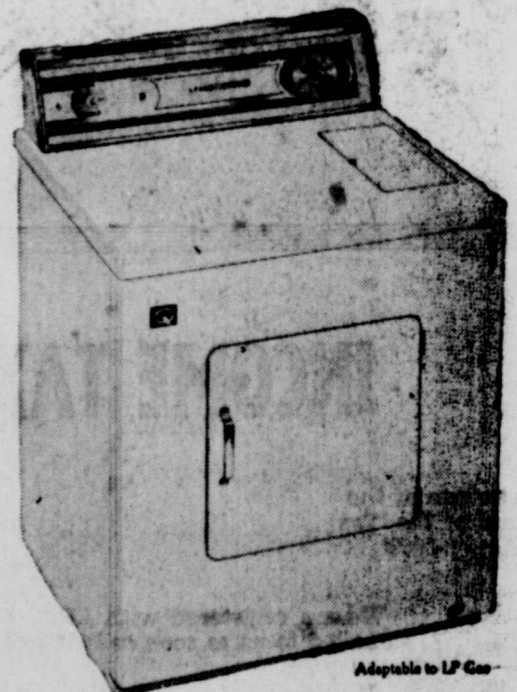
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The document also deletes Tennessee from the list of hog cholera eradication States and the special provisions pertaining to the interstate movement of swine and swine products from and to such eradication States are no longer applicable to Tennessee.

The amendments of the regulations will be published in the Federal Register. Detailed information concerning the amendments may also be obtained from Dr. Robert Morgan, ANH Veterinarian in Charge, P. O. Box 1027, 203-205 Post Office Building, Jefferson City, Missouri 65101; Dr. W. W. Bird, ANH Veterinarian in Charge, Post Office Box 510, 548 U. S. Court-house, Nashville, Tennessee 37202; and Dr. E. S. Cox ANH Veterinarian in Charge, Room 301, 702 Colorado Street Austin, Texas 78701.

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 Agricultural Research Service (1-28-71)

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Engagement, Wedding Date Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Glenn R. Marple announce the engagement of their daughter, Claudia Vernelle, to David Earl Frost, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Dalla's C. Frost of Eastland, son of Lt. Col. (retired) and Mrs. Don C. Frost, formerly of Eastland.

The Bride-elect is a graduate of Jefferson High School in San Antonio (cheerleader, Shakespear, Lassos, National Honor Society). She attends Texas Women's University College of Nursing in Houston (Alpha Lambda Delta and Omega Rho Alpha Honor Societies).

Her fiancé also graduated from Jefferson High School. He is a senior pre-med major at Texas A&M University, where he is Commander of Squadron 12, member of the Ross Volunteers, and a Distinguished Military Student, and a member of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

A late May wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Satterfield of Altus, Okla. visited Mrs. C. W. Burgett Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buregtt accompanied them to Fort Worth Monday evening to attend the Texas Baptist Evangelism Conference.

Drinkers Advance To Alcoholism In Preditable Stages, Study Shows

FORT WORTH — Problem drinkers advance from one specific stage to another with remarkable predictability, according to findings in alcoholism research conducted at Shadel Hospital in Seattle, Washington.

Shadel, which has treated some 17,000 patients in the last 35 years, now has a sister center in Schick Hospital, opened recently in North Richland Hills, Texas, suburb.

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Scott Bailey
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A survey of 554 male, former patients at Shadel Hospital reveals that the majority began drinking at age 18 or 19 and showed symptoms of potential alcoholism in two or three years.

During the developmental zone of alcoholism, which usually lasts about 12.5 years, the potential alcoholic begins drinking once a week or on some other regular basis. He drinks more and faster than his associates and mixes "doubles" or "triples."

"At this level, the person is doing something to get ahead of the game compared to his social-drinking companions," writes Shadel Hospital Director James W. Smith, M. D., in "Western Medical Journal."

During this stage, the person may experience "blackouts," periods of temporary amnesia which occur only when he has alcohol in his system. Although he may act "normal" at the time, he later has no recollection of happenings during the blackout.

The developmental zone continues as the alcoholic becomes drunk whenever he drinks and goes on periodic drinking "bouts."

The zone of overt alcoholism which usually lasts 5.9 years is the optimal treatment phase because the alcoholic admits to himself and others that he has a drinking problem. In addition, he usually experiences marital, financial and occupational difficulties.

At this stage he begins to

protect his supply. Dr. Smith writes of a surprised husband who discovered his alcoholic wife drinking out of her steam iron.

During the deterioration phase, the alcoholic develops tremors, extreme nervousness, sleeplessness and, in some cases, vitamin deficiencies and general fatigue.

The research concludes that the complete development from social drinker to deteriorated alcoholic requires about 18.4 years.

The final stage is death, for alcoholism is a fatal disease. Writes Dr. Smith, "The alcoholic may die of his brain damage, his liver damage, or his heart damage, unless he succumbs to one of the other fatal complications to which alcoholics are prone."

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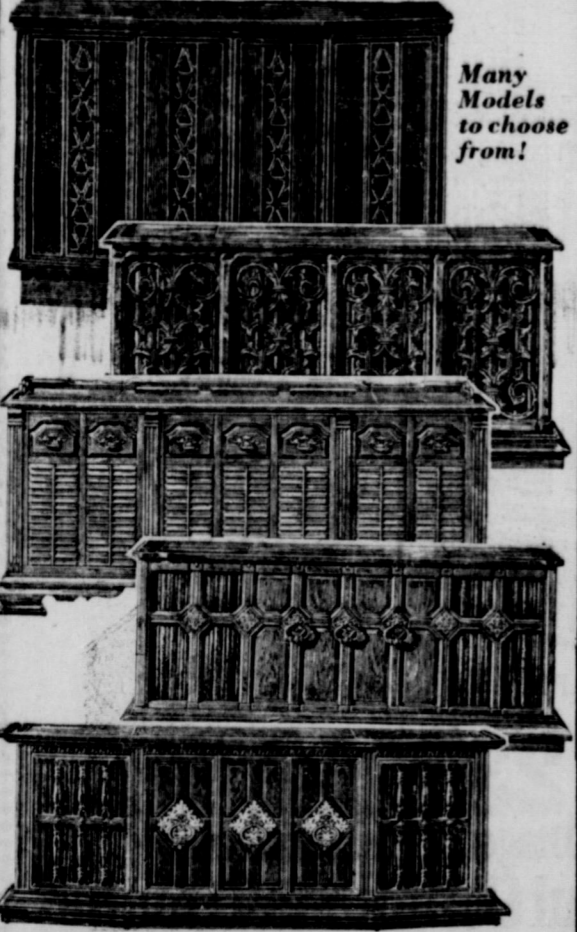
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 Irene Ollie Sides of Ranger to see Ethel Smith.

Mrs. Zelma Lusk Is Hostess for Flatwood HD

The Flatwood club met in the home of Zelma Lusk, Thursday, Jan. 21. Mrs. Herrell called the club to order, read the creed and prayer. Mrs. Lusk gave the devotional, from Romans 13:9-13 and lead in the singing.
 Mrs. Brown called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. Lusk gave the council report.
 Mrs. Horne was selected to make the birthday apron.
 Four members were chosen to take a cake to the rest home.
 Fannie O'Brien gave the recreation report.
 Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Graves, Snerrill, O'Brien, Hastings, Brown, Horne, Cashing, Gregory, and Hostess, Mrs. Lusk.

Mrs. Horton Is Hostess For Club Meet Jan. 21

The Thursday afternoon Club met Thursday, Jan. 21, with Mrs. James Horton, First Vice President presiding in the absence of the President, Mrs. J. F. Francis.
 The Club voted to cooperate with the Civic League in their spring clean-up campaign. During the business meeting the Fisk Scholarship Fund was discussed. A worthy student may obtain this Scholarship for College; "In the Eastland Public Library Report," Mrs. Jos M. Perkins, chairman, reported over 15,000 books in the library now.
 Mrs. E. G. Rice, program chairman, announced the topic "Unity with Diversity." The discussion was led by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins. The fourteen members present added to the program by reminiscing about their Federation experiences of the past years.
 Mmes. Arthur Murrell, and Mrs. Cyrus Frost, Sr. were hospitable hostesses and served a lovely tea plate. A most interesting table of antiques were displayed on a separate table.
 Members attending were Mmes. D. L. Childress, T. M. Conie, Pat Crawford, Ed Ethridge, Herman Hassell, James Horton, Marcie Johnson, Jos. M. Perkins, E. G. Rice, Floyd Robertson, R. L. Young and hostesses Mmes. Arthur Murrell and Cyrus Frost, Sr.

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 3 lb. cans **69¢**

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 10 1/2-oz. pkg. **25¢**

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 3 16-oz. \$ **1.00**

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 3 No. 2 1/2 cans **\$1**

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DECKER'S QUALITY Sliced Bacon lb. **59¢**

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