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FE MEMBERSHIP GROUP SABOTAGE IS NCREASES IN EASTLAND CHARGED IN FIRE - FIGHTERS' RANKS SPANISH

(Established November, 1887)

bership list of the re Department has in nine per W. Hennessee an Thursday.

ee stated Thurs additions to the life group-persons who his waist down. s paid or voluntary 15 years--were Jin Overby, Neil Day, Cox. Jr., and Charles

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are L. A. W. A. Martin, Argie slight. Hightower

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Church of God

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n and adults of the looked.

ec. 31, at 8:30 at needed.

ecautions are to be merce office.

921, as has Fehl.

Woods, one of the men who thi ear became a lifetime member has been a semi-invalid since Feb. 1925, when his back was broken

while in service of the depart ment. Woods is paralyzed from Woods had been a paid fire

man five months until the acci dent and previously he was a vol unteer fireman. An alarm came in from Carbon

that the school there was on fire gold badge telling of Enroute to the fire the truck over turned and Woods was injured. I was only a small fire; the damage

The firemen haven't forgotter er" of the group, Woods nor has the city. He i voted a sum each month by the city commission. Woods welcome ance how having served the softball season each year be

cause he is the official scorer for been a fireman the fire department, sponsor of the softball field.

Appeal Again Is

Issued To Aid In

The money donations would b

Donations may be made at th

needed by the needy, it was said.

Chamber of Commerce office

left at the Chamber of Com

"If we have the coo

situation," one commented.

Nursery Children

To See Santa at

Party In School

ago by this citizen used to buy food and other item.

will be burning to Clothes and old shoes also may h

as only persons ex- all citizens able to give,

with fireworks shooting, there will be no alarm over

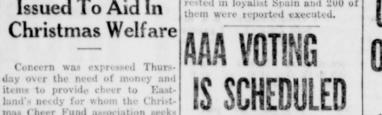
PERPIGNAN, France, Dec. 22. The Spanish government radio Barcelona today announced disovery of sabotage and "defeatplots in Barcelona, Madrid and Valencina, which were de-scribed as the biggest attempted

outbreak organized by agents of insurgent Generalissimo Franco nce the start of the civil war. Frontier reports, meanwhile aid there had been demonstra ons by civilians in the three owns because of food and fuel

ortages. The radio announcement cam shortly after reports of a gigantic spy and anti-Franco plot, which esulted in 1,000 arrests in insurgent Spain and reportedly delayed Franco's scheduled offensive

gainst Barcelona. Federal agents were alleged, in

the Spanish radio announcement, to have seized control of milk, coal and food supplies. Several U. S. REFECTS hundred alleged agents were ar rested in loyalist Spain and 200 of hem were reported executed.



The election of AAA commun abinet.

Eastland is divided into five ommunities — Carbon, Eastland, Gorman and Rising day.

Thomsen, Carbon at the Carbon Trading ompany, Cisco at the City Hall, Castland at the courthouse, Gor-Sunday, represented the feeling an at the tabernacle, and Rising cicans.

There will be an election of one

Santa Claus will arrive at the county convention for the purpose "period of history when man wa Eastland WPA nursery school at of electing county committeemen unlettered, benighted and bestial. "period of history when man wa Germany requested that the Inited States make a public state-



Organization of a game preerve at Cheaney this week markformation of the eleventh such unit in the county, Extension Agent Elmo V. Cook pointed out Wednesday. A total of 3,945 acres were

pledged for inclusion in the Chesney game preserve, making a total in the county of approximately 100,000 acres. More will be add

Thus far there are 200 farm Kellam, state director of the ers and ranchers cooperating National Youth Administration the game preserve activities. Othvith offices in Austin, will visit er game preserves are in the Al-Ranger Friday to inspect the NYA len Ranch, Pioneer, New Hope, rojects in operation in the city Grandview, Shady Grove, Kokond to be present when the cornerna, Nimrod, Sabanno, Staff and tone of the Ranger Boy Scout Cisco vicinities. abin is laid by Congressman Clyde Perfection of the Allen Ranch

organization is calendared for Thursday, Dec. 29, at a meeting at the home of W. H. Jackson on The cast read for the east road from Strawn to Desdemona County Agent Cook has ob-

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 19. - A rved that interest in Eastland slight improvement in employment inty in the work is greater than many counties over the state. It and a fairly substantial gain in manufacturing pay rolls occurred estimated 15,000,000 acres are luded in preserves. Among the in the manufacturing industries ger counties cooperating in the of Texas from October to Novemounty where landowners includ- Business Research of the Univered 500,000 acres in preserves.

In Eastland county 400 signs inlustries, however, failed to make WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 .- Act- have been erected advising of as favorable a showing as did the areas that are part of game pre- manufacturing, and as a conse

Revenge May Be Murder Motive

By United Press

disclosed by the German press to- den Dawson Murchison, 55, who was shot to death by deer hunt-

ers Tuesday night. Murchison was forced to kill a Mexican deer hunter several years ago in order to protect a fellow fficer. surpris hunter while the latter was butchring a deer out of season.

The grand jury freed Murchi-dustries (except agriculture) was

Murchison was shot to death on the King Ranch when he and

MANY NOTABLES WILL SEE CORNERSTONE OF SCOUT CABIN PLACED

Friday aftednoon at 3:45 the visor of NYA; Winton Watkins, riren atop the Ranger Fire Sta-NYA district engineer; Jack Hale, NyA area supervisor from Eastteam whistles at the Eureka Tool land and other NYA and WPA of-Company's shop and at the Ran-ficials from Fort Worth.

ger Steam Laundry will blow call-The Ranger High School band ng attention to the cornerstone will furnish music for the ocaying at the Boy Scout cabin, casion and the National Youth Adhich will begin promptly at 4 ministration string band of Ranclock. ger will also play.

A large number of notables It was indicated today that the rom this part of the state and ceremony of laying the cornerom Austin and Fort Worth will stone, though simple, would atpresent, headed by Congress- tract considerable attention among man Clyde L. Garrett, who will government officials throughout ay the cornerstone in ceremonies this part of the country and a which will last but 40 minutes. J. C. Kellam, state director of present. large crowd is expected to be

the National Youth Administra-Jack Hale has sent special in tion will make his first trip to vitations to superintendents Ranger Friday to attend the cere- schools in Eastland county where nonies and to inspect the NYA NYA projects have been sponsorprojects that are being conducted ed to improve buildings and grounds, and most of these have

Mayor Hall Walker, who has indicated that they would be ponsored the NYA projects in present and would bring along a Ranger, announced today that number of the youths who have Major Carl Wallace of Ft. Worth, worked on their projects. district supervisor of WPA, and

would be present for the occasion. Others who have signified that they would attend are mayors and commissioners of the towns in

Lebannon, district project super-Olden Missionary Society Has Tree For All Its Members

The Missionary society of the Olden Methodist church met at the pastor's home for the Christmas built in in such a manner as to The meeting was opened by the

uests singing "Silent Night." The devotional was given y Mrs. Hoyt Vineyard. Mrs. J. located on Homer street, between Paul Eppler conducted several Pine and Main.

Christmas games preceding the presentation of gifts from the Christmas tree. Immediately following the tree another game was played. This ber; while pay rolls were up 1.3 game was filling in blanks and

another warden came upon a par- per cent. Compared with Novem- the correct answer and arrangement free." ty of "headlight hunters," who ber, 1937, there was a decline of dent look under tree." the correct answer was "Presiwere using lights illegally in stalk- 6.1 per cent in employment and arrangement Mrs. C. O. Bragg. president of the society, won and 5.9 per cent in pay rolls.

employment and pay rolls were gift was an expression of appre-

worked on their projects. The cabin, which when com Tanner Dickson, area supervisor, pleted will probably be the best in this section of the state, is being built with NYA labor. The cornerstone was made from a large Eastland County; the Commis- land County courthouse, which Sioners Court; H. A. Ziegler, dis-sioners Court; H. A. Ziegler, dis-crict supervisor for N. Y. A.; R. D. Fort Worth. Inside the stone will be placed a metal container, in

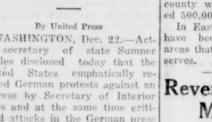
which the names of all local scouts, scout officials, city commissioners, county commissioners and project supervisors will placed. The container will be aled to preserve it for future enerations to see when the cabin is finally abandoned and razed.

The structure will be 20 by 40 feet, with a large porch extending down one entire side. Lockers for scouts and their euipment will be leave a large assembly hall for all indoor scout activities. The building will be the first unit of a Mrs. Willie Backman led in a park program, which will center around The Willows, and will be

> Eastland In Line For Drop In Rate On Fire Insurance

Industries making favorable found to her supprise a gift from Cooperation of Eastland citi-comparisons with 1937 in both the members under the tree. This zens in maintaining the present employment and pay rous and ciation for Mrs. Bragg's faithful asked Thursday by Chief A. W. and efficient service in her office. Hennessee of the fire department. Cake and coffee were served With this being the Christmas nd with many smiles and "Merry and holiday season, Hennessee Christmas," the guests departed. asked that children take care in Although happiness and gaiety not shooting fireworks near dry were evident with all, each guest's grass. thoughts and silent prayers were He urged adults to check the for Rev. Armstrong and his wife insulation on their Christmas and during the critical illness of the other lights. PARIS, Dec. 22 .- The Italian former's father. Thus far, said the fire chief. Those present were Mmes. Wil-Eastland has a low record of fires lie Backmon, H. C. Adams, J. P. for the year which if continued sador to Italy, has announced it | Eppler, Guy Hendrick, T. H. will give a material reduction in the fire insurance rate. considers the Laval-Mussolini ac- Stanton, L. S. Hamilton, G. A Edwards, Grandma Edwards, Busis driving license for six months. Judge B. W. Patterson presided. Members of the jury were Fred **OF COSTER SAYS** Letter Acknowledges **NO FUNDS LOST** Picture Sent Ford

By pre-



unty to serve for the year 1939 on President Roosevelt and his The protest was made yesterday

by Dr. Hans Thomsen, of the Ger-Cisco, man embassy, here, and was first tive for the slaying of Game War- of 9.3 per cent from the corres

The election will be held in verbally, that Ickes speech delivered at Cleveland las an overwhelming majority of Am

Every farmer in Eastland who In the address Ickes criticize Americans who accept decoration mplied with the 1938 farm program is eligible and urged to at- from dictators, mentioning by tend and participate in the elec-tion in his community at which and Henry Ford, both of whom time three community committee- have been given medals by Gernen and two alternates will be many

Ickes also charged that Gernany's recent persecution of Jews ing deer. Two Mexicans were

2:30 this afternoon for a party of | of the 1939 association.

Children To Get

vision had been made by other or

Mrs. Sam Butler was named to

of underprivileged children to

phone the names to 465 or give to

H. J. Tanner, secretary-manage

Visit In Eastland

Rev. Robert E. Bowden, former

pastor of the Church of God at

day for several days. It was probable officials of the

church at Eastland said, he will

Two More Families

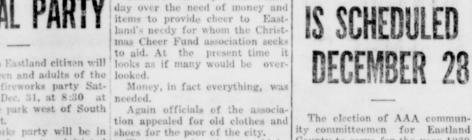
Now Home Owners

County Clerk records showed

of the chamber of commerce.

Rev. Bowden Will

Courthouse Square.

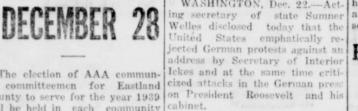


will be held in each community on Wednesday, Dec. 28, at 2 p. m.

Welles said he had informe

Star at the tabernacle.

carried the nazi nation back to a taken into custody. delegate and one alternate to the



L. Garrett.

GERMAN NOTE ON ICKES' TALK

said.

tal of 113,479 workers in thes establishments during November ALICE, Dec. 22 .- Revenge was an increase of 1.5 per cent over advanced today as a possible mo- the preceding month, but a decline

ponding month last year. Total weekly pay rolls in these estabishments totaled \$2,625,209, dur ing Uovember, an increase of 5.5 per cent over the month before but a decline of 8.6 per cent from

Will Lay Stone

will lay the cornerstone of the

langer Boy Scout cabin in cere

nonies Friday afternoon at 4

'clock. In addition to Judge Gar-

ett a number of state WPA and

NYA officials will be present. The

program is scheduled to last only

Texas Show Gains

40 minutes

November, 1937. Employment in both mancfac

By United Press

Francios-Poncet, French Ambas-

government in a note to Andre

0.9 per cent above that of Octo-

-wide movement is Dallas ber, according to the Bureau of sity of Texas. Nonmanufacturing quence the gain in total pay rolls was very moderate, the report Reports from representative groups of the manufacturing in

ustry of the state indicate a to

ht scenes will be the children's mothers, the put Church of God to- and the children, it was announce ed Thursday.

3 characters in the of the church. Hathcoat, wife of directing. e time it was anstmas program will

the Sunday School ng at 10 o'clock. will fill the pulpit at evening services.

ntries Strive For Solidarity

By United Press

Peru, Dec. 22 .- The Argentina, Brazil were reported today ed an 11th-hour exiews to salvage a leclaration of Amer-

y from the deadlock ina and the United the Eighth Pan-Ameri-

losed that President ntina initiated the which some believe in new instructions ine delegation.

mas Topic totary Meet n Local Hotel

ph M. Perkins, presi-Texas Federation of cinet No. 3 position. s, spoke on "Chrst- cials-elect that the oath of office

ipkin and Ben Hamner of the program

an annual custom, pared Jan. 2 to administer the oted Christmas pres- oaths of office for any of the new

Underprivileged He will arrive on a truck of ing given by the which will be toys and food for

the nursery children. The public has been invited to attend the party.

Hopkins May Get A Post In Cabinet

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22-Wide spread reports, which the white house refused to confirm or deny, circulated through Washington today that Works Progress Administrator Harry Hopkins will be named to succeed Secretary of

ganizations for such an observ Commerce Roper, whose resignation is effective tomorrow. The report said Col. F. C. Hardirect arrangements for the pro gram. She has asked all who know

rington, chief engineer for WPA, would succeed Hopkins if the latter is named to the cabinet.

Court Will Okeh Bond of Officials At Jan. 2 Meet

> Members of commissioners court will meet Monday, Jan. 2, to approve bonds of new precinct Gorman and Eastiand, and his and county officials, Judge W. S. family will visit in Eastland and Eastland county beginning Mon-Adamson has reported.

> Commissioners' court the next two years will be comprised of three present members and one new member. The new member fill the pulpit at the Eastland will be Fred Siekman of Rising church Wednesday evening. Rev Star, who succeeds A. N. Snearly, Bowden is at the present pastor of

also of Rising Star, in the pre-Judge Adamson reminded offi-

^{Recting} of the Rotary ^y at the Connellee ho-^{way} be administered by any just tice of the peace, a notary pub He, the county clerk or himself.

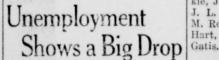
Friday that two Eastland families Judge Adamson stated that he have become owners of homes. and Clerk Galloway would be pre-John J. Boen and Mrs. Boen

purchased a six-room house, be onging to Michigan Realty Co.

ent of regret over Ickes' speech The United States replied that was unable to accept the Ger nan protest, which it described as eing ill graced.

Candies Saturday Welles warned that as long as attacks against U. S. officials continue in Germany the German Underprivileged children of Underprivileged children of Eastland will receive candy, nuts tacks of the same character to and other items from Santa Claus cease in the United States. at a community Christmas tree

Saturday night at 7 o'clock on the WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. Chairman Pittman, dem., Nevada, An Eastland resident, not desir of the senate foreign relat ing publicity, arranged for the mittee said today the American visit of Santa Claus and paid for people dislike the governments of the items when he learned no pro-Germany and Japan.



By United Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. -ecretary of Labor Perkins est nated today that non-agricultural employment had increased 1,000, 000 since last June, including ore than seasonal gain of 30,000 n November.

"Approximately 150,000 found nployment in November," she aid. "These gains were partially offset by declines, largely seasonal on the railroads, which laid off

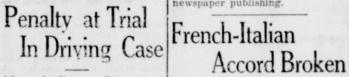
16,000 men." Meanwhile the Works Progress

Administration's request for emergency funds to avoid a shutdown Feb. 7, met opposition from anti-new deal democrats in con- processed into flour before shipthe Church of God at Big Spring. gress. Sen. King, dem., Utah, de-Bowden is at the present pastor of ment.

Last Ride Fatal to Fort Worth Youth distributed according to need.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 22.-Thomas Ware, 20, who had decdied to quit riding a motorcycle, died today of injuries suffered on his final ride.

or the hotel who them the past year. will not meet next Will be Supt. T. C. Williams, suc-Will and Mrs. C. L. Phodes have Description of Fort Worth, located at 609 South Walnut street. Mrs. and Mrs. C. L. Phodes have Mrs. C. L. Phodes ha



After pleading guilty to charge of driving intoxicated Sep-tember 24, M. C. Ellis received the minimum penalty allowed by aw Thursday in 88th district ourt. The trial was by jury.

Red Cross May

Send Flour To

By United Press

By United Press

Starving Spain

The panalty was for a five-day entence in county jail, payment cord of 1935 no longer valid, it Barker, J. A. Anderson, W. P f a \$50 fine and revocation of is driving license for six months. Was announced today. Members of the jury were Fred Gertz, E. F. Bender, Henry Kun-tory bordering on Italian posses-hostess in the absence of her mokle, J. H. Reynolds, W. R. Burns, sions in Africa. Presumably the ther, Mrs. Phillip Kribbs.

Kle, J. H. Reynolds, W. R. Durks, sions in Africa. Presumably the state of the stat

Japanese Policy In China Is Changed

By United Press TOKYO, Dec. 22 .- Premier Konoye, announcing a new Japanese policy toward China, said today Japan will abandon extra-territorial rights in return for a settlement with China to abolish all foreign concessions and a close

Home Is Damaged

Fire on Wednesday damaged the exterior of the kitchen of the George Harper home at 312 North

It was believed most of the Ammerman street in Eastland. It was believed the fire started flour would be distributed in loyalist areas, although the state de because of the burning of waste partment announced it would be material on the outside of the ome.

Damage was not exactly esti-Monetary Extension mated Sought by Treasury

Tech Student Home For Annual Holidays

told his parents he was going to gain to the Christmas ceeding C. S. Eldridge; Treasurer Garland Branton, sccceeding John purchased the six-room frame for the succeeding P. L. Crossley. Int street from Andy Rhodes. Street from Andy Rhodes for the Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite. | sons and two daughters.

R. L. Crafton, Route 1, Ranger is received a letter from E. G. Liebold, general secretary to Henry Ford, expressing appreciaald Coster-Musica in a "suicide tion for a letter in which Crafton letter" made public today, exhon enclosed a picture of Gov-Elect orated his brothers in the McKes-W. Lee O'Daniel.

The letter says, in part: "On behalf of Mr. Ford we serted that no millions had been wish to acknowledge receipt of lost in his operation of the myyour letter of Dec. 11, and to sterious crude drug department bethank you for the picture of Gov .-

elect W. Lee O'Daniel, which you

The letter states that the autonobile manufacturer was "very pleased to meet Mr. O'Daniel, and predicted he would prove ers, lawyers and high-salaried exe-worthy of the confidence the peo-cutors." Coster said the company ole of Texas placed in him.

Uncle of Eastland Woman Is Interred

held Funeral services were Tuesday at Hillsboro for A. J. Turk, 84, an uncle of Mrs. Grady Pipki nof Eastland.

with his parents to Missouri when

Collen Grey Satterwhite, stu-dent at Texas Technological col-cantile business, later in the real dreth, chairman of the boar

Officers for the Year FORT WORTH, Dec. 22 .--A native of Kentucky, he went Landreth Production Corporation, oil company founded at Breckena boy and after the war the family ridge in 1923, announced today

The officers are W. H. Landreth, chairman of the board; Ed Landreth, president, and R. H. He is survived by his wife, two Foster, executive vice president. All live in Fort Worth.

assets had merely been false prof-The letter, made public by the Musicas' attorney said the cond. tion of the firm was due to "bankshould have been in receivership

By United Press

son & Robbins swindle and as-

cruse the huge sums listed as

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 .- F. Don-

in 1929. The letter said that no illegal handling of narcotics or lcohol was involved.





WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 .- The Red Cross sought \$600,000 today to distribute 3,000,000 bushels of wheat among war-impoverished

civilians of Spain. Red Cross Chairman Norman Davis said that the program may

be put into effect immediately. Part of Eastland The wheat, donated by the gov

ernment through the Surplus Commodity Corporation, will be PAGE TWO

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Flatwood Girls'

Club History Is

Told By Sponsor

(Editor's note: Following is a

historical sketch of the Flatwood

M. W. Grieger, sponsor of the or-

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1

Party at Koko

Extension agents planned

Letters to Santa from Local Children

Dear Santa Claus: I want a you bring me these? Also nuts me a baby doll and a pair of Gene Autrey gun, marbles, and a and candy. Doris Ann Callaway. gun and scabbard and a football. Your friend, Raymond Bennett. Dear Santa Claus: I have been candy and fruit. My name is Mary

Dear Santa Claus: I want a wagon and an airplane and a Lone Ranger gun and a car, a train and dedrived to mark and a bat and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source a bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source a bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source a bar source and a bar and ball and a desr bar source a bar source and a bar and bar source a bar source and a bar and bar source a bar source and a bar source and a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source a bar source a bar source and a bar source a bar source and a bar source a bar sour a desk to write on at home, and Yours truly, Bobby Truly, East- suit, airplane, Gene Autrey gun, some nhts, fruit, candy. Donald land. Gene Cliatt.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little Dear Santa Claus: Please bring girl five years old, and I would me a cute pair of pajamas and like a big doll, a little pie set and me a cute pair of pajamas and like a big doll, a little pie set and house shoes, a pair of skates and anything else that you have left over. I want to thank you for bringing me so many nice things good, also mother and daddy. bringing me so many nice things good, also mother and daddy. Gene Jennings. last Christmas. Bring me some Your little friend, Marjorie Mcfruits and candy please. I love Carthy, Ranger. you. Janette Vance.

Dear Santa Claus: I want some a bat. I don't want much. Don't ther. skates and nuts, candy and fruit forget my sister and brother and and a baby doll. Nola Marie my mother and daddy. I am 8 Brown. years old and I am in the third

Dear Santa Claus: All I want friend, Bobby Edward Duggan, and a BB gun and scabbard, and a bi-cycle and I want a pair of Ranger. is a bicycle and I want a pair of Ranger. shoes and I will hang up stock-ings Christmas night. My sister Dear Santa Claus: I want a Roy Maxwell.

wants an electric stove and a tool set and a bicycle and an elec-dresser and a doll for Christmas. tric train and a pair of skates. I had to send a note for my sister That is all. From Harold Hudson, set and a scout knife and an erectoo. Don Hart. Dear Santa Claus: I want a and spurs, and nuts, fruit and

Dear Santa Claus: I want a pair of skates, a baseball, an axe, candy. Charles Perry. baby doll and some clothes for an airgun, a truck, a football and her and a little doll trunk and a scout knife. Billie Jack Johnson. doll buggy, and some skates, nuts, candy and fruit. LaVerne Cor-neffus. Dear Santa Claus: How are you? I want nuts, candy, fruit. I don't know what I am going to get Joyce Lou Armstrong. Me a baby doll and some nuts, candy and fruit. Thank you for what you brought me last Christ-mas. My sister wants a Bible and

Dear Santa Claus: I want a got Joyce Lou Armstrong. light and a horn and a BB gun | Dear Santa Claus; I want two and lots of Roman candles, fire Gene Autrey guns and a wagon, Hibbert. crackers, candy and nuts and and football and some candy, nuts fruit. I want a football and an erecto rset and ten packages of firecrackers and scout knife and where you live? It is hot here Boy pair of skates. Your friend, Joe I. Reynolds. Wayne Lanier.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a BB picture. W. D. Cannon.

cycle and a princess doll. I live on please send me an erector set and

Dear Santa Claus: I want a

ganization). axe, erector set, Mickey Mous watch, John L. Ernst.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring | stration Agent Miss Cornelia Fay some have a reasonable amount ca

Dear Santa Claus: I want a Dear Santa: I want a ball and doll and wagon, nuts, candy, dress and buggy. June Faye Guen-

Dear Santa Claus: I want a ent time is our assistant H. D. C. quarts. agent. ball and tennis racket

1. Have a well-equipped sewing Dear Santa Claus: I want a tool box. The girls were given a thimble and tape line. The other artitor set and a pair of cowboy boots

cles required in her box were scissors, thread, pins, needles, pin ushion and hem gauge. 2. Make a smock, slip and af-

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring to the girls the proper use of lay- sour pickles. ng and cutting a pattern by cutting the clothing ing. The patterns were then pass-ed among the girls and each girl This girl was also one of the win-Loraine Byrd, one of the oldest box of candy and I want a doc tor and nurse set. Gwyn Elayne

used them to cut her garments by. 3. Add a tie rack, shoe rack or Dear Santa Claus: I want a bi hat rack. The girls were shown a does the sun shine in North Pole cycle for Christmas. I want a doll where you live? It is hot here. Roy for Christmas. That is all I want. to make them for themselves.

4. Organized drawer space. The girls were urged by Miss Cald. this trip. well to have a place for every thing and every thing in its place, not only for neatness but also convenience. It is much easier and quicker to find an article when than it is to have to tumble everything upside down to find what _ you are looking for.

5. Take an inventory and keep clothing expenditures. An outline of this work was given to the clothing demonstrator, the sponsor of the club helped her to make her inventory asd keep her record. She in turn showed them to the club girls and explained to them how to fix theirs.

6. Check D. 105 each week. The irls were given this outline to out. The agent talked to them about their personal appearance and how they could improve their personal appearance and how they ould improve their looks by usng just a few minutes each day on the care of the nails, teeth, air and skin, and by eating the right kinds of food.

Activities of Club Girls On May 18, Flatwood and Koomo had an all-day joint meetdiscussing of garments and the roper labeling of them for exhibing. The morning was spent in N t was demonstrated to the girls. June 15 was Achievement Day. The girls took an active part in this, and in our community fair. The girls had their own booth in the county fair. They exhibited their work and won several prizes. The estimated yield in their garden products: vegetables 5,700 bounds, estimated yield; vegeta-oles canned 364 quarts; vegetables brined, 195 quarts; vegetables dried 1,120 pounds; vege-1 tables prepared and served. Num-N ber of planting feet or row space 1 10,600 feet. The garden goals for the year, were: 1. Provide 200 pounds per person of other vegetables for family and check plan with agent. Each girl was given a list of the vege-tables she could plant to score on. 2. Make a garden plan showing N number of feet and kinds of vegetables to be planted. A leaf of note book paper was used to draw 1 N the garden plan. This plan show-I ed the size of the garden and the N number of planting feet and the regetables that were planted and A

County Livestock Men Feeling Pinch Due to Rain Lack

Cook

Many of the livestockmen of The Flatwood Girls 4-H Club the county have had to obtain was reorganized Oct. 10, 1937 by roughage and grain for mainten-Assistant County Mome Demon- ance of their stock. However,

Byrd. Thirteen girls were enroll- continue to get feed all winter for

Mrs. M. W. Grieger was elect-ed by the girls to be their sponsor.

Miss Stewart was transferred to how many feet was used for each

er could go. She could not make Carried demonstrations. She has

ing the year. The club sponsor, Mrs. M. W. has been in club work.

Daily average crude oil produc-

Cover Company Is

Oil Production of

Motion for a new trial has been denied by county court to the Keep Klean Cover company, plain-Unless there is rain soon bring- tiff and loser in a case in which Notice of appeal to the appeled. Three dropped out early in the maintenance of their stock. Up late court at Eastland was given. the year, leaving 10 girls. In date, this season has been much In a recent judgment it was In a recent judgment it was ordered the company take nothing in its suit against Kelly.

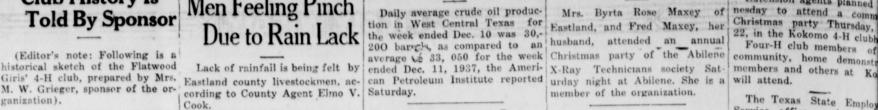
Gillespie County at H. D. C. agent vegetable. Miss 3. Conserve 10 containers of Mabel Caldwell, who at the pres- canned goods and brine five Mabel Caldwell, who at the pres- canned goods and brine five Sheriff Loss Woods and Depu-3. Conserve 10 containers of ty L. A. White were business vis-

Miss Caldwell, the agent, gave Grieger attended every regular Our demonstrations for the a demonstration on brining on- and special meeting during the year were clothing and gardening. ions asd cucumbers and the prop-Our clothing goals were: er care of them afterwards. The the sponsors of Eastland county at sponsor gave a demonstration on the Junior A. & M. Short Course. brining sweet peppers. The girls The club had various ways of used various kinds of vegetables raising funds for club expenses. for their canned products, in the brined vegetables. Cucumbers Eastland County Safety First were used for sour or sweet pick- ! contest and won first place which les, also for the 14 day or sweet gave them \$5. Cake and ice cream 2. Make a smock, shp and al-ternoon dress. The smock and slip chunk pickles. Peppers and on-patterns were used to demonstrate ions were used for either sweet or to the girls the proper use of lay-sour pickles.

In the judging and canning con- to place their name and a contrithe clothing demonstrators test on Achievement Day, Marga-and smock at the club meet- ret Grieger won 3rd place. This patch was a green four-leaf

ners of first place in our county club members, has entered the fair Girls 4-H exhibits. This en- Texas State Fair scholarship contitled her to a free trip to the test. To qualify one must: 1. be a model of these articles and given state fair, but she was only 10 club member three years. 2. be a pattern with instructions of how years old and the state rules were senior in high school. She is only girls 12 years of age or old- senior of Carbon this year. 3.

carried both clothing and garden-In the reporter's contest on ing demonstrations. Loraine was club reporter Emma Lou Byrd given first year credit in home won first place. This gave her a economics at Carbon from her free trip to the Junior A. & M. club work. One of the outstanding Short Course. This girl gave a full things this girl has done is to ou know just where to find it report of each club meeting dur- complete her club goals and to win her club pin each year she



Mrs. Byrta Rose Maxey of

Area Shows Drop Attend Abilene Meet

The Texas State Employ Service office serving Es A Missouri poultry farmer has county at Eastland will be Denied New Trial been elected to talk tarkey. been elected to Congress, where all day Monday, Dec. 26, announced Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxey *Agents to Attend

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Christmas Eve

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Dear Santa Claus: I want a BB

Thope you get all your orders of skates, a jacket, a dress and and a Gene Autrey holster, scab-right. Anetta and Mickey Don some candy and nuts. Please do Parish. Not forget the others. Your

412 Pershing street and my ilttle brother wants a hand car and a cowboy suit. I hope this is not too and I will take the bicycle and Dear Santa Claus: How are you? Dear Santa Claus: Please bring Mickey will take the cowboy suit. Will you please bring me a pair me a bicycle, nuts, candy, fruit

friend, Mary Halkias.

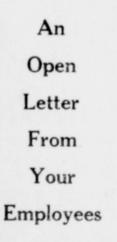
doll, a bicycle and a pair of house Dear Santa Claus: I am a big gun. And I would like a farm shoes and a pair of skates. Can girl eight years old Please bring set. And please send plenty of

Dear Santa: Please bring me s

From Judy Lee Hale.

Dear Santa Claus: Please send

me a football, a train and a BB



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* * * It's a great big Christmas Gift from you to us, and we thank you for it. We are glad that you like us, and our work. We want you to know that the feeling is mutual and how much we enjoy working at Penney's.

We are thrilled with the ideal working conditions that pre-vail at Penneys... We like our paid vacations and the Monthly Bonus Plan which permits us to earn an extra bonus nonthly in addition to our regular salary. Also the gratuitous benefits provided by the Penney Company, such as sick leave pay and the death benefits amounting to a year's salary in individual cases . . If there's anything you have left undone in your plans for our welfare, and your human interest in our problems we do not know what it is.

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Mrs. Guy Patterson Mrs. J. C. Koen

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nuts, candy and fruits too. Leon Nabors.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a big boy seven years old. Here is what want for Christmas. A train and bingo game, an erector set, a box of nuts, a stocking of candy, a tool set, Mickey Mouse watch, story book. Conner Van Hoy.

Dear Sasta Claus: I want a guitar, and I want some nuts, candy and fruit and a new dress too, and a Mickey Mouse watch. And I do want a bicycle if you have one left over, and a pair of kates and that is all I will ask of you. Mary Louise Hardwick.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring ne a doll and a cart. Florence Casey.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring ne an electric train, BB gun and nuts, candy and fruit, Chinese checkers, football, wagon, desk. Thank you. Dow Vessels.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy two years old. I want you to bring me a tricycle, a toy gun and a little chair candy, nuts and fruit. Your little friend, Fred Williams, Eastland.

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tals from every roof, and sleigh bells all a-jingle. I Give You Texas How about an "oldest joke"

Christmas is there." phrase Robert Browning. It may be the Charles Dickens' circus and declared, "There ain't Old Sweetheart of Mine"). And "Capital and surplus, \$1,000,- nus, umpire; R. M. Medley, coach

fluence but this commentator no sech animal." s has always thought that the Yulotide season in the "right little,

tight little isle" was just a bit Twain once said, "A certain lines: greet than anywhere else—a big amount of fleas is good for a "This g crackling in the fire-place, the dog; it keeps him busy and pre table laden with such delicacies vents him from broodin' over the You git a thorn witht every rose, Try Our Want Ads! as a whole roast pig ,steaming fact that he is a dog." But ain't the roses sweet!" Try Our Want Ads! t, with a red apple in its mouth,



BY HARKI GRAISON

ing Christmas tours

of the holiday dates.

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farmer's mail box . . . No exsuce Giles Will Appoint for a veteran to miss a session of the Breckenridge American Le- Many Old Workers for a veteran to miss a session of the Breckenridge American Legion Post. On the appropriate day, signs reading "Legion Meets To-By United Press night" are placed on traffic mark-AUSTIN, Dec. 22. - Bascom vate Operative No. 2-11-44 says that the most popular tune for former employes when he becomes fiddle bands and music machines land commissioner on Jan. 1, he

in beer taverns is "It Makes No Difference Now." Odd that folks out for a good time seem to pre-Bridegroom Fails to fer tunes tingled with melancho-Bring Along Bride ly, A perennial favorite has the

lugubrious line, "I wish I had lied as a baby and then I'd have LOCKHART, Texas .- A youth who asked a justice of the peace to marry him recently was great-Sometime, if I ever get around to marry him recently was great-to it, I'm going to write a book by surprised to learn that the bride on the "forgotten men" in Amer- would have to be present for the ican literature. Eugene Field, who ceremony. He told the justice he Well, anyway, pass the turkey. thereby contributed more in could steal the girl away from her

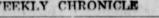
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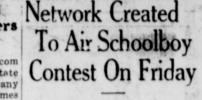
farmer who saw a giraffe at a Frost Is on the Punkin" and "That bank. One read aloud the sign, Higgins of Dallas, S. M. U. alumthere will be space for Frank L 000" and the other asked, "Sam, at McMurry College, Abilene, Stanton (everyone knows "Mighty ef you had a million dollahs, what head linesman; Charlie Swartz of Today's bit of philosophy: Mark' Lak a Rose") and those priceless would you do?" The other re- Houston, R Twain once said, "A certain lines: plied, "I'd pay it on my debts field judge. The other re- Houston, Rice Institute alumnus,

"This world that we're a-livin' in jest as fur as it would go." Is mighty hard to beat;

prizes for everybody but the Chinese who own it.







A special network of 24 Texas radio stations has been created to broadcast the game between Lubbock and Corpus Christi for the 1938 Texas Interscholastic Football Championship .

The game will be played at the Cotton Bowl in Dallas on Monday, December 26th. Official starting time has been set for 2:00 p. m., and the network will go into operation at 1:50 p. m. to give pregame color and activities. Play-byplay descriptions will be given by er of the Columbia Broadcasting

Bynum Saam, ace sports announc-System By Boyce House contest to deetrmine the most leaf Whittier) will be given a A favorite story of Senator of Senator of Senator ancient jest in the world? My place. So will James Whitcomb Tom Connally's: Two negroes nomination is the story of the Riley (you remember "When the were standing in front of a T. C. U. alumnus, referee; Jimmy

"The Good Earth" has won

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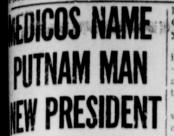


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MIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1938



Dr. B. F. Brittam of Putnam is w president of the Eastlandan Counties Medical socie-

Dr. A. K. Wier of of officers chosen were Dr

and, secretary-treasurer; Dr. Roy Justice Clyde R. Grissom of the Cockrell, Baird; censor for these appellate court at Kastland, un-yoars. Table to attend, was read by Dr. Dr. J. H. Cat of Eastland M. L. Stubblefield of Gorman aceting in May at San Antonic. Jackson of Carbon, Roy Cockreil and Dr. Cockrell of Baird the al- of Baird, W. S. Pedigo and Paul Pedigo of Strawn, R. B. Wolford Dr. Pearl B. Waddell of Cisco of Mineral Wells, Grover Wood as elected to membership at the and W. B. Quinn of Breckenridge, neeting. The nominating commit- W. H. Guy and T. B. Bryant of tee was composed of Dr. T. E. Dublin, Ben R. Buford of Dallas, Payne of Eastland, Dr. George Joe C. Alexander of Dallas, M. L. Blackwell of Gorman and Dr. W. Stubblefield of Gorman, George Jackson of Ranger. Dr. Ben R. Buford of Dallas Blackwell of Gorman, D. V. Rod-gers of Gorman, A. K. Wier of W. L. Jackson of Rangdiscussed "The Serum Treatment Ranger, W. L. Jackson of Rangding Dr. A. K. Wier of of Pneumococcus Pneumonia," er, P. M. Kuykendall of Ranger, Dr. Brittain was chosen and Dr. Joe C. Alexander, also of L. C. Brown, C. C. Cogburn, F.

meeting last week in the Dallas, discussed "Treatment of T. Isbell, C. H. Carter, T E. Payne, Gonorrhoea in the Male." E. R. Townsend, J. H. Caton, all A paper on "The Doctor in of Eastland. Joe H. Holt of Rang-Brown, Eastland, vice presi-Brown, Eastland, vice presi-Court," prepared by Associate er, a technician, also attended.

Typist

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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So for them-and with them-we're telling you now That we're grateful for business you've placed here, and how!

We all send our wish for a season of cheer, And to you-Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! 1 1 march

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Following is a list of instru-ments filed the past week in the Federal Land Bank to A. C. Wiloffice of County Clerk R. V. Gal-

Anderson et al, partition and Loan Association to Mrs. Barron et al to D. J. Jobe, war- deed of trust; M. F. Gill et ux to an's lien; Z. H. Been et ux al, conveyance; L. V. Hughes et to Ed Sherrill et ux, warranty ux to J. T. Anderson, warranty deed; J. A. Beard et al to J. N. deed.

Gas Gas All Time ansfer of vendor's lien; W. R. Short to public, affidavit; T. A. Fate to E. A. Tate, warranty leed; Stuart L. Williams et ux to E. C. Harron, warranty deed. Constipution Eastland Citizens Nyal Mr. and Mrs. Cyras B. Frost of Eastland attended a testimonial Mineral Oil panquet in honor of Senator Moris Sheppard Saturday night in Austin. A portrait of Sheppard, for 36 A son-bob! runing relief hung in the entrance corridor of the Texas capitol beside those of s predecessors. Undertaking Co. 590 Corner Drug Store Eastland make the HOME Gay

Eastland to Mrs. G. E. Mick cemetery deed; Clyde C. Craig et ux to B. E. Garner, warranty deed.

Continental Southland Savings and Loan Association to Metroolitan Building and Loan Assoiation, transfer of lien Eugene Day et ux to J. A. Beard et al, and gas lease; Connie Davis to blie, affidavit; Mrs. G. W. Dunway to public, affidavit; East-

land Investment Company to J. A. liams, appointment of trustee; F. H. Fowler et ux to public, affi-Nettie H. Anderson et al to davit; Farm and Home Savings

Agnew et ux to Mrs. Nina Laffoon, warranty deed; N. each. varranty deed; J. J. C. Gailey to J. I. Encke, trustee, Judge Geo. L. Davenport presided. Harold Brawner to A. D. Parsons, warranty deed; comb, labor and ma- Hill and Hill to George P. Hill et Loraine Powell, charged with burglary, was found guilty and given a two-year prison tence. He was charged with entering Nov. 13, a home occupied by Jeff Honea.

ignment of oil and Keystone Pipe and Supply ental Southland Sav-company to J. H. Hicks, release of Loan Association to Mrs. vendor's lien; Mrs. Lillie May Pourl Elliott, warranty deed; Cis- Layton et al to Katie Muncill, co Federal Savings and Loan As- warranty deed; Katie Muncill et sociation to R. W. Kinnon et ux, al to Mrs. Lillie May Layton, wardeed of trust; City of ranty deed; Katie Muncill et al vs. J. D. Muncill et al, copy of

Clifford Eison was found dgment; R. R. Mason et ux to guilty of "breaking into jail to Johnston, warranty deed; rescue a prisoner" Oct. 30 at W. Rust et ux to Mrs. A. D. Gorman. He, too, was given a Norcop, deed of trust; Charles F. two-year penitentiary sentence, Sparr et ux to Wavery Massenthe term to begin Nov. 24. e, warranty deed; F. H. Stewet ux to R. H. Stewart. war-nty deed; D. G. Streater et ux o Cisco Lumber Supply company, N.N. Charles naterialman's lien; Sparr to Eastland National Bank,

At Austin Banquet

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DAY OR NIGHT

MBULANCE SERVICE

Bats 100%; And Its Period of **Christmas Week**

Criminal District Attorney Earl Conner, Jr., scored 100 per cent in cases tried Monday and Tuesday in 91st district court.

Jurors apparently disregarded this being Christmas week and sentiment, it was observed. Seven criminal cases were tried. Convictions were obtained in

Edgar White was found guil-

ty of driving intoxicated Nov.

15, fined \$50 and costs, his

driving license revoked for six

months and given a 15-day

county jail sentence.

NANA A

sen-

rently. Gilbert Amos was charged in

found guilty in both cases and given two two-year sentences, the terms to sun concurrently. Other cases set for the week

Small Change Is **Observed** In Area



John H. Green was charged with forgery in two cases. He was found guilty in both cases and given two two-year sentences, the terms to run concur-

two cases with burglary. He was

were re-set for next month.

January Allowable

Daily allowable for West Cen-

et by the Railroad Commission at

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The district allowable is an in-

rease of 266 barrels, the boost

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In Eastland county the daily al-

owable next month will be 3,065

barrels whch is the same figure as

and Sunday shutdowns.

December.

barrels from which the



Attend Marketing

Meet at Eastland

Cooperative marketing of wool

ialist in cooperative marketing, ral Texas for January has been both of College Station, nad W. R. Lace, Stephens county agent. Majority at the meet were of Eastonthly production will be reduc- land county.

meeting conducted by the Midwest on the roof of the Connellee Ho-Marketing Association in the tel. A representative crowd from enjoyed an evening of old-fashioned dances. Congressman Clyde L. Garrett extended welcome to the visitors

W. R. Nisbet, extension service husbandman; C. E. Bowles, spec-Salve, Nose Drops

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from Anson, of which there were 20, and those from Abilene and Carl Springer, Eastland other cities. He also spoke of the ney, was a speaker at the 20, and those from Abilene and purpose of the Festival and ex- Aspermont FFA banque **Regarded Success** tended praise for the work. The grand march opened the

evening with every one taking A Folk Festival, viewed as part followed with the old-fashhighly successful, under the aus-pices of the Civic League and joned waltz and then the Vir- HOUSE FOR SALE-Wi ginia Reel and several others pop-Garden Club and under the chair-

balance easy terms. Donald ular long ago. manship of Mr. and Mrs. Claude The Civic League and Garden naird, Insurance and Rentals and mohair was discussed at a Maynard, was held Friday night Club extended thanks of apprecia- change Building, Eastland, tion to H. J. Tanner, secretary of WE HAVE STORED near Chamber of Commerce, for his assistance in promoting this project, land one baby grand plan benefit affair staged for the one Spinet Console, will balance against them rather elfare of the needy of Eastland. ship. Write Jackson Finance All proceeds will be used to supply clothing, food and toys to pany, 1101 Elm, Dallas, Tex FOR SALE-Second hand] needy families this Christmas. for sale, \$10, at 107 East

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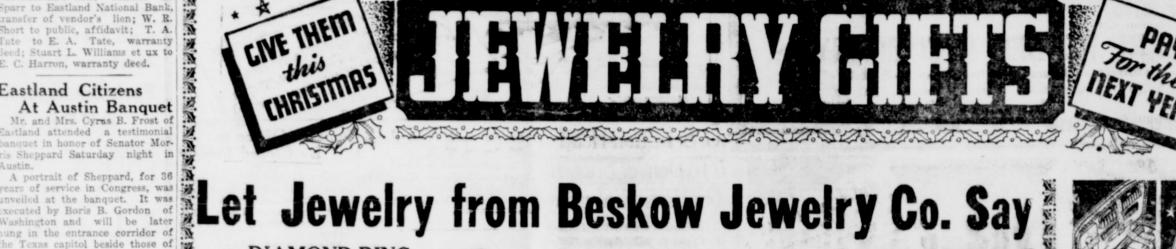
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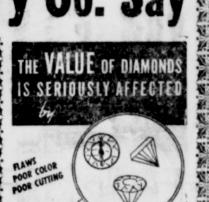
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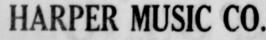


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HERE AND THERE BY CECIL BARHAM

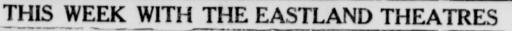
WEET "THE HARDY FAMILY" AMERICA' NO. 1 SENSATION

Mickey Rooney, who has created the average American boy with ndous success in the Hardy Family pictures, goes Wild West ndy Hardy in his current hit. He was born with a stick of t in his hand on September 23rd in Brooklyn, N. Y. He his first appearance on the stage at the age of eleven months at Theatre, New York, and was featured in his own song-act when he was four. He scored his first success in the Guire comedies. At the age of sixteen he is veteran star, shad one smash hit after another in the past year in "Stable-koys' Town," and "Love Finds Andy Hardy". At the pres-e is the number one box office star of the United States.

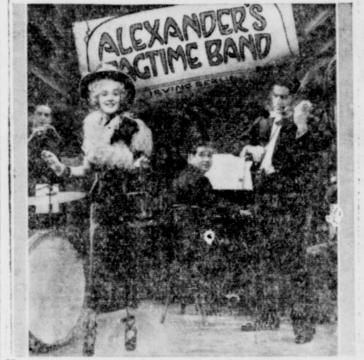
mimediate success and has since appeared in score the Hardy pictures.

DEN, as lovable "Ma" Hardy was born in Birmingham, ember 26th, and like so many fine actors and actresses, raining in the provincial theatres of her native country. on the stage and screen since the age of nine. Her ictures were "Sweethearts" and "Test Pilot," in addition successes.

thes Andy a good lesson in the new hit when Andy ky after winning his football letter. She was born in a, November 2nd, she began her career on the stage ide school. Selected as the perfect type for Polly, she r a long-term contract and is considered one of Holly-







Don Ameche, Jack Haley, Ethel Merman and John Carradine.



Franciska Gaal and Tone In "The Girl Downstairs"

Society, Comes to Lyric Screen Tuesday

home of wealth in Switzerland. The story is a modern comedy ro mance written by Sandor Hunya dy, famous Continental dramatist forman Taurog directed.

playing a wealthy young playboy falls in love with Rita Johnso Rita's father, Walter Connolly, de cides that he doesn't like Tone and orders his servants to refuse him admittance into the house. To out wit Connolly, Tone strikes up a friendship with Franciska Gaal, th cullery maid. He poses as a chauf-

MANY STARS in 'SISTERS'

"The Sisters," the Warner Bros

the production has fourteen feaured characters. They are played y Anita Louise, Jane Bryan eulah Bondi, Henry Travers Dick Foran, Alan Hale, Ian Huntr, Donald Crisp, John Warburton oseph Crehan, Harry Davenport and Lee Patrick.

FIDLER AT HOME Jimmie Fidler felt perfectly at home while playing the role of himself in "Garden of the Moon,"

Sophisticated Comedy of Kitchen Maid Who Crashes urday at the Lyric.

Marking her third American feur and Miss Gaal falls in love dio from which he broadcasts regscreen appearance, Franciska Gaal, with him. When in a series of ularly on Tuesday and Friday evnoted European stage actress, has amusing complications Tone pre- enings. the starring feminine role opposite Franchot Tone in "The Girl Downstairs," which opens a 2-day showing at the Lyric theatre next Tuesday. In the new picture Miss Gaal has the role of a scullery maid in a home of wealth in Switzerland.

The supporting cast include

Miss Gaal, an accomplished vo

production starring Bette Davis and Errol Flynn, which opens to-day at the Lyric has twice as

playing on the midnight show, Sat-The motion picture studio reproduced in detail for his broad-



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PAGE EIGHT ASKS AUTO **DRIVERS** TO **USE SAFETY**

Criminal District Attorney Ear Conner, Jr., Wednesday solicited the cooperation of all drivers to assist in keeping traffic violations and accidents at a minimum during the holiday season.

"Particular attention mented the official, "will be directed to drivers operating under the influence of liquor, as statistics recently received from the National Safety Council show that most accidents resulting from influence of liquor occur during the period from Dec. 20 to Jan.

Conner requested the cooperation of citizens in reporting all accidents to officers

It was pointed out that progress in reducing accidents in the U.S. this year was greatly aided because of investigation of mishaps and scientific study of the causes.

ardous, it was said.

Father Is Buried

Gunsight.

home near Gunsight. He had been a resident of Stephens county for many years and was well-known.

services.

and Mrs. Williams of Eastland. Three grandchildren and two

brothers also survive.

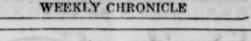
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Will Become Christmas Bride

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we shall always remember the kind



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Pageant Slated

Announcing "The Bethlehem Inn," a Christmas pageant by Fred W. Wolff, that will be pre-Mrs. Jack Ammer sented by the Methodist Church Christmas Day, Dec. 25, in the church auditorium. The pageant is church auditorium. The pageant is church auditorium. The pageant is crossley. scheduled for 7:30 Sunday eve-

A cast of 50 characters will Dwyer. enact the story with a double quartet supplying hidden music. Cast of characters:

Ruth Hale.

Hannah, a blind beggar-maid, Mr. Earnest Jones, Jr.; Simcon, Miss Frances Lane.

Sulla, a Roman inn-keeper, Mr. A. C. Simmons.

Jephthah, a Hebrew stable-boy, Miss Wilda Frost. Mr. Maurice Harkins.

Mr. Tom Davenport.

BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor Penney Force Feted bara Ann Patterson. Dorcas, Bar-Women of Bethlehem: Huldah, Mrs. Jack Ammer; Deborah, Mrs.

Trumpeter of Rome, Mr. Leon Traveler from Capernaum, Mr.

James Fields. Cast of characters: Spirit of Christmas, Miss Ima Hebrew Shepherds: Issachar, Mr. Albert Blanchard; Zebulon,

Mr. Cyrus B. Frost, Jr. Joseph of Nazareth, Rev. Phil-ip W. Walker. Mary of Nazareth,

Wise Men from the East: Balchoir, Judge W. P. Leslie; Casper, Patterson Mrs. Pledger, Miss Lou-

Miss Wilda Dragoo, Mrs. Art and Mrs. W. J. Peters, Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Mrs. Thomas Dabney, Mr. Bob Searls, Mr. Leslie Cook, Mr. John Turner, Mr. Bert Clifton.

is reported improved.

jured recently in an automobile

Tim Herman of Chicago, Ill., is Horace Horton. Both are students ber. at Northwestern university at Ev-

Aaron Hale of Gorman was a

Miss Jessie Lou Trott of Texas Tech at Lubbock is home for the ricultural classes, the other

and holidays. Miss Melba Riek, student of years of vocational agricu Lillian Kimble, Mrs. R. Stokes, Howard Payne in Brownwood, is training.

in Eastland for the Christmas season

Miss Ouida Sanderson, student Children of Bethlehem: Miriam, Mr. Bert McGlamery; Service to ise Karkalits, biss Roberta Kin- of Texas Tech at Lubbock, is and scholarships. naird, Miss Jo Riek, Miss Thelma spending the holidays with her

The festively de orated home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Searls was the scene of the annual Christmas affair honoring the store force of Penney's department store, A decorated Christmas tree was the center of the theme and was

loaded with the eschange gifts Hale. Herald of Rome, Mr. Jack presented at the close of the ev ening.

Regular employes of the store received a Christmas bonus and anston, Ill. the others employed received two

weeks salary checks. Various games were enjoyed during the evening.

Guests listed were: Mr. Mrs. Cohen of Morton Valley, Mrs.

Mrs. O'Neal, Miss Edith Fields, Traveler, from beyond Jordan, thasar, Mr. Grady Morton; Mel- Miss Vida Morrison, Mrs. Guy

Conduct Ceremon At Ranger School Eastland Personal L. E. Haynes, who has been ill at his home because of influenza,

Mrs. Ora Cotton of Cisco, in-

F. A. Chapter of Scranton accident at Cisco, is reported imducted the ceremony for in tion of the Ranger F. F. A. proved. She is the sister of Mrs. L. E. Haynes of Eastland. as Greenhands at the Ranger

School Tuesday morning, A (Christmas season visitor with hand is a first year F. F. A. Scranton has a long-establis chapter and only two of th

boys making the trip with W visitor Thursday in Eastland. Cowan, Jr., of Scranton

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The Scranton Future Fa

exchanged ideas with the Ra was extended the Ranger |

boys as to projects, recre An invi visit the Scranton chapter.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 19

Scranton FFA Boy

Twenty-fve members of the





