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Masonic Building Selected For Lingerie Factory

Obstacles in the path of locating a 75 to 80-employee lingerie manufacturing plant in Eastland apparently had been removed Thursday, except that the Chamber of Commerce had to find somewhere to raise \$4,000 to \$7,000.

This problem came about after members of the Eastland Masonic lodge had approved the use of the lower floor of their building, Mulberry and Olive Streets.

However, the lodge building is 40 by 95 feet, and the Hollywood-Maxwell Company, which wishes to locate the plant here, needs 5,000 square feet of floor space. So a special Chamber of Commerce committee worked out a plan with the Masons where by the Chamber of Commerce would lease construction of a 30 by 40 addition to the lower floor of the lodge building to bring the floor space up to the required amount, and make other necessary building alterations.

Then the \$100 per month lease on the building would go \$75 to pay off the Chamber of Commerce and \$25 to the lodge until the building is retired, when the lodge would be sole landlord again.

Chamber of Commerce Manager J. Tanner said the Hollywood-Maxwell firm definitely had picked Eastland as a location, and that by working out of the building and other details stands in the way of obtaining the plant here.

It has been estimated that the annual payroll of the firm here would be about \$90,000. The plant will manufacture brassieres.

EHS Softball Girls Guests At Dance

As a finale to the 1946 girls' softball season in Eastland, Manager Harry Harkrider, Bill Collings and J. Pryor of the EHS girls' team invited squad members and guests to a dance on the Roof Garden Hotel Connellee Tuesday night.

During the intermission, the team presented Don Hill with a "thank you gift" in appreciation of his donating the place for the dance.

Mrs. Ida Plummer, who is employed at the Eastland National Bank, is on a two weeks vacation.

Side Issues

By HENRY G. VERMILLION

News Story:

EATLAND, Texas, Sept. 5.—Atan Vermillion, 10, came unscathed today through a gruelling cross-examination as to his attitude on returning to school.

Parrying questions in brilliant fashion, young Vermillion defied the entire Eastland younger generation.

Asked by his father, "Aren't you glad school is about to begin again?" he shot back, "Naw."

"Why not—haven't you gotten tired of all this swimming and fishing and stuff?"

"Naw."

"Why, I'm surprised. Don't you think I was always glad to get back to school so I could wade those 10-foot snowdrifts the three miles from our home to the little red schoolhouse?"

"Naw."

"Well, I guess you made a point there. But surely you want to get back to your education—to the reading, and writing, and arithmetic, and stuff you'll need to know when you're grown."

"Naw."

With which the defense rested.

From time to time I have heard car dealers in Eastland and other towns condemned up and down for being black market operators, selling all their new cars out of town, and so forth.

I believe most such talk is just talk.

On the whole, I believe we have an outstanding group of automobile dealers in Eastland. Some of them may have at one time or another yielded to pressure—but let him

that is without sin amongst ye cast the first stone. Who, during years past, has never knowingly paid a black market price, or fudged even a little bit on strict war-time and post-war regulations?

Theo Lamb, who sells Chevrolets, says the talk is loud that he is getting lots of cars and selling them at fancy prices out of Eastland County.

The fact is, he says, and can prove, that Eastland because of its central location is the unloading point for Chevrolets shipped to dealers at Ranger, Cisco, Breckenridge, Coleman, Graham, Gorman, Comanche, and maybe another.

Maverick Field Ceremony Changed To Monday Night

The program of turning the new Maverick Field lights over to the school board by the Quarterback Club, scheduled Thursday, has been postponed until Monday night, it was announced following a meeting of the club Tuesday.

Hailed as the event Eastland has "waited 12 years for," since agitation for the lights began that far back, the official turning on of the new lights will be marked with ceremony, color, and a football game.

Admission price of 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students will be turned over to the Quarterback Club to help defray costs of erecting the lights. The club officer thought they had raised enough money before, but when final costs were totalled, found they still lacked a few hundred dollars.

Standout event of the evening will be an intra-squad football game by the 1946 Mavericks, who thus will be unveiled by their new coach, John E. Little.

Little also will introduce each member of the squad.

The presentation ceremony will be handled by Quarterback Club President Conard Reaves, who will do the presenting, and School Supt. W. G. Womack, who will accept on behalf of the school board.

A special event will be the first public appearance of the new Eastland Town Band directed by E. J. Pryor, who also organized it. The band is scheduled to appear at all home football games.

The new lights, of the best quality available, cost in the neighborhood of \$2500.

They complement new stands, erected on the east side of the fields by the school board at a cost of approximately \$3500.

Thus, in effect Eastland has a new \$6000 football field, since the turf was plowed up last spring and the field resodded during the summer.

The first home football game on the new field will be played Friday night of next week against Winters, a non-conference foe defeated in Winters last year in a close game.

Mrs. Georgia Patterson and son of Abilene visited here with her mother, Mrs. Rosa Bishop, last week end.

Subscriptions Written For Golf Course

Softball Tourney Play Is Resumed

Play was resumed in the Eastland Softball Tournament Wednesday night after a week's interruption by rain, and in a ding-dong pitchers' duel, Rising Star beat De Leon 2 to 0.

There were fewer hits than there were arguments over close decisions. Hits on both sides numbered three, two by Rising Star and one by De Leon.

A double-header was to be played Thursday night with Rising Star meeting Breckenridge and King Tractor of Eastland meeting Gorman.

It was hoped to wind up play in the elimination tourney this week end.

4-H Dairy Team To Enter State Contest

Eastland County 4-H Club dairy judging team composed of W. T. Eaton and Frank and George Robinson of Ranger, with Buddy Cravens of Eastland as alternate, will enter the State Junior Dairy Judging contests in Waco Friday, said reports N. R. Watkins, Ass't County Agric. Agent.

In the contests, the team will judge six classes of Jersey cattle and will give both oral and written reasons for some of their placings. Also, they will be competing with teams from all over Texas.

Scouts Describe Trip To Camp Philmont

A description of their 10-day trip to Camp Philmont with the Eastland Senior Boy Scout Troop was given to Eastland Lions Tuesday by Dan Collie and Eddie Hart.

Collie gave a graphic description of the camp located high in the New Mexico Rockies and of the experiences of the boys there. Hart described the trip to the camp and the boys' experiences soon after arrival.

WEST WARD P. T. A. GROUP TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the West Ward P. T. A. at the home of Mrs. L. E. Corbell in North Hillcrest Monday at 1 p. m. to plan for the regular meeting of the group in the West Ward School Sept. 24.

Neil Day Takes Office As County Assessor-Collector

Neil Day, appointed Eastland County tax assessor-collector Saturday by the Eastland County Commissioners Court to fill out the unexpired term of Clyde Karkalits, who resigned, took office Tuesday.

Day's appointment by the court followed his choice by the County Democratic executive committee Saturday as the party's nominee to be placed on the ballot in the general election in November.

Day took office faced with a problem in that two of his deputies, Misses Frances Harris and Betty Murphy, had resigned to be married.

He announced that Mrs. Martin Jean Morton had been appointed a deputy in the office.

Day said that despite the fact that the tax roll is due to be made up in less than a month, he feels the office will have it out on time; that the staff will work at night as much as is necessary to do the job.

Karkalits had defeated Day for the nomination in the first Democratic primary. The position was taken in the Democratic committee meeting that had the resignation of Karkalits taken place before the second primary. Day would automatically have become the party choice so it was logical to appoint him.

R. L. Rust Family Reunion Is Held

A reunion of the R. L. Rust family was held in Eastland Sept. 1 and 2. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Conway, their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Hanna and baby, Connie, all of San Antonio, Clifford B. Rust, Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mann and children, Meridel and Jerry, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rust and children, Wanda and B. J., Jr., of Dothan, and Mrs. Willena Amsler and daughter, Glynn of Eastland.

The group spent a portion of the time fishing and hunting on the Rust farm west of Eastland.

J. B. Williams Gets Deputy Sheriff's Job

J. B. Williams successful candidate for sheriff in the recent Democratic primaries this week was appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff John Hart who will retire in Williams' favor in January.

Hart said he had planned to appoint as deputy whoever won in the recent primary.

"Mr. Williams can get the feel of things learn who to watch and so forth and step right on in in January," Hart said.

Fox Succeeded By Edwards As Head Of School

M. D. Fox, head of the Eastland County Vocational School, has resigned to take a place with the State Board of Education and E. B. Edwards, trades and industries instructor in the school, has been named acting director.

Fox, who has guided the destinies of the school since it was first established, accepted a job as district supervisor of agricultural training. His territory will correspond generally with that covered by the Dallas office of the Veterans Administration. He and his family will continue to live in Eastland.

Edwards came into the school here recently after serving about four months with a similar school at Stephenville.

His appointment was made on a tentative basis, said County School Supt. Homer Smith, because the county board appointing him did not have a quorum present. Smith said there was little doubt the appointment will be made later by the full board on a permanent basis.

It was announced that Carlos Turner of 107 East Hill Street, formerly with the Cisco city schools, is a new instructor in the distributive education department of the vocational school. He is taking the place formerly held by John E. Little, now Eastland High coach and instructor.

\$7,000 To \$10,000 Sought To Renovate Nine-Hole Layout

A subscription campaign was underway in Eastland this week to raise \$7,500 to \$10,000 for reconstruction of the Eastland Golf Course, which has been dormant for a number of years.

Chief promoter of the project is Galand Poe, Lone Star Gas Company employee, who has been pushing for the subscription of 75 to 100 shares in the organization at \$100 per share.

The sum to be raised would be used for reconstruction of the nine-hole golf course only, and the project would not include a clubhouse.

It was reported that an Eastland citizen had pledged that if the golf course is put back into use on a first class basis, he would see that there was a clubhouse, without any further financial solicitation.

Eastland, sitting in the middle of golf courses at Ranger, Breckenridge, Cisco, and Rising Star, is possibly the largest town in this section of Texas without a course.

The old course, on land owned by the city, is located just north of the railroad tracks not far from Eastland Lake, and near the new Texas Lighthouse Aggregate plant.

University Courses May Be Given Here

Hardin-Simmons University extension courses will be taught in Eastland again this fall if the demand is sufficient, it has been announced by Dean R. A. Collins of the school.

Regular university professors will teach the courses here and in other towns of this section where as many as 20 persons enroll, and the demand will determine what courses will be offered. The greatest demand in the past has been for English, education and history.

Two-hour classes are held once each week in a convenient location in each town, usually the public school.

Persons interested should communicate with Dr. R. A. Collins, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, Texas.

NEW EASTLAND SORORITY ORGANIZED, PLEDGES MEMBERS, AND ELECTS OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

Pictured below are members and the sponsor of the Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Phi, new Eastland sorority group which had its formal pledge ritual, followed by a dance for members and husbands, in the American Legion Hall Aug. 25.

The ritual ceremony to install as pledges Mesdames Arthur Ernest, Harry Blackwell, Gene McGehee, Don Chamberlain, Jack Gourley, M. H. Perry, R. L. Spencer, D. E. Pittman, Pat Miller, R. D. Estes, Jr., and John Little. Mrs. W. P. Watkins is to be initiated later. Officers elected and installed were Mrs. Johnson, director;

Mrs. Ernest, president; Mrs. Miller, vice-president; Mrs. Perry, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Gourley, recording secretary, and Mrs. Estes, treasurer. First meeting of the group is to be at the Women's Club at 3 p. m. Tuesday, Sept. 10.



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News From... CHEANEY

By Special Correspondent

At this writing there are several numbered on the sick list: Mrs. Lee Swain and Mrs. Dezil Arnold are patients in the Gorman hospital; Mrs. Bill Logan is much improved since last week; Mr. and Mrs. Matt Davis left Monday for Temple, where Mr. Davis will undergo surgery; John Love was also ill and unable to attend Church

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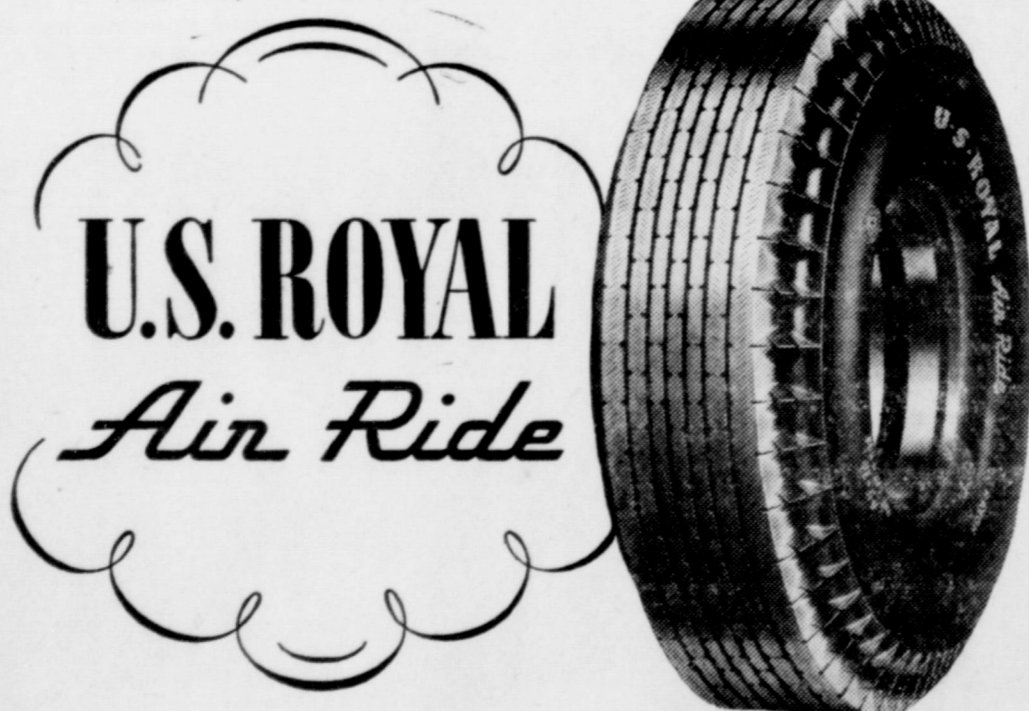
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet were visitors in the Luther Perrin home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Seaburn and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perrin and the girls were callers in the Bill Tucker home Monday night.

Mrs. Hayden Neal and son of Ranger, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blackwell one day the past week.

Mrs. Lee Bishop entered the City County Hospital, as a surgical patient at Ranger last Wednesday.

Miss Wanda Myrick visited her sisters, Mrs. James Jennings and Mrs. Beasley in Fort Worth last week, returning Saturday afternoon.

Guests in the Joe Butler home last week were his brother, Frank Butler of Wenchell, Tex., whose wife departed this life August 4th; Also a niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Steward of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Box and daughter of Eastland visited relatives and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker were Eastland visitors Thursday. Visiting also in the McGough home, at Olden.

Dave Love left Monday for a visit in Austin with a buddy, Charles Allred, with whom he served 26 months in the Naval Campaign in the South Pacific. They were based in New Caledonia.

Mrs. L. M. Haagensen and son, John of Weiser, Idaho, returned by plane to their home, Friday after spending a three weeks vacation with the parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudson.

Mrs. E. R. Underwood, whose 80th birthday was Wed., Aug. 21, spent the day quietly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker, Jno. Tucker and Misses Ellen and Betty Tucker and Mrs. Charlie Miller and Earnest Calvert of Ranger, enjoyed the noon meal with her.

Brother McCormick and sons, George and Richard of Abilene were visitors at Cheaney church Sunday morning and were dinner guests in the Ann Love home.

The John Tucker family were visitors in the Henry Perrin home Sunday.

New subscribers this week to the Record are Mrs. E. R. Underwood and J. W. Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Mahan of Eastland visited her sister, Mrs. Walter Underwood and family Sunday.

Mrs. John Blackwell and Belva Jean, near Staff, were visiting relatives here the latter part of the week.

Kenneth Brown made a business trip to Hamlin last week.

Week end guests in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudson were his brother, W. H. Hudson and son and a small playmate, all from Weatherford. The two small boys will spend a weeks visit or more here with the Hudsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Melva Love had as their Sunday dinner guest, Mrs. E. R. Underwood.

Mrs. J. M. Watkins, Mrs. Alma Craig, Mrs. Eva Wright and daughters, Georgia and Frankie, of Gorman attended Church at Cheaney Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Authur Love and family. The daughter and sister of the above named.

Mrs. Elmer Blackwell was a caller in the Clifford Seaburn home Saturday morning.

Visitors from Olden at Thursday nights church service were Mrs. Ada Burns and Mrs. Estell and baby, Mrs. Burns is an aunt of Mrs. J. B. Blackwell.

Brenda Joyce was born August 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crouch at the Gorman Hospital. The little lady is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Melton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hudson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huddleston, near Salem, parents of Mrs. Joe Hudson.

Callers in the J. W. Case home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller left Sunday for Menard to be at the bedside of his mother, who is gravely ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Roxie Fairchild. They accompanied a grandson, Gus Kinman and family of Cleburne, who came by for them.

Mrs. Jennie Kimbrough and son,

Harlan, lately from the Merchant Marine service, returned to their home in Big Spring Monday after a weeks stay with relatives. The Hatley Deans, Ben Freeman and her father, Cicero Weekes. A brother, Dick Weekes and Mrs. Weekes, of Comanche also visited here over the week end. Their small daughters, Ann and Sue returned home with them after a weeks stay.

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News Items From OLDEN

By MRS. C. L. JAMES, Special Correspondent

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson Sunday night in Weatherford. Rev. and Mrs. Starnes, Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Weatherford.

Mrs. Grace Buck, Mrs. Frieda and son, Billy Ed, visited in the Rev. Nelson home Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Head and boys from Brownwood, visited in the Rev. Nelson home Sunday.

John Mac Edwards has been visiting in Fort Worth this past week. Little Miss Joyce Rae Fox, daughter of Bess Fox entertained with birthday party last Friday at home on her 6th birthday. About 40 children attended. Coca and she were served.

There will be singing Sunday afternoon (Sept. 8th) at 2 p. m. at the Baptist Church. Everyone cordially invited to come, and sing some one with you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Adams and Mrs. Vance and son of Eastland were afternoon visitors in the J. Haffen home.

George Duncan of Bells, Texas, has been here visiting in the home of his son, Harry Lee and Joy Ann.

The Church of Christ meeting was held last Friday night. There was preaching and singing and a large crowd attended. Two joined

her mother, Mrs. Willie Bockmon the past week.

Victor Edwards and family have moved into the Longston place, east of Olden. Mr. Edwards works for the Lamb Motor Co. in Eastland.

Jimmie Jarrett of Texas Tech Lubbock, has been home between terms visiting his mother, Mrs. Stella Jarrett and other relatives.

Miss Mabel Whisenant of State University, Austin has been home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whisenant, and other members of the family.

Mrs. Frank Vurnham has returned to her home in Bloominggrove, after visiting her brother, Mr. Lassister and wife, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bond and children of Abilene were week-end visitors in the Euell Bond home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vermillion attended Presbyteria and Presbyterial in Merkel this week. They were accompanied by some members of the Presbyterian Church in Eastland. Mr. Vermillion being sent as delegate of the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burns of Eastland, were Sunday visitors in the Carl Butler home.

Mrs. Nettie Fox has returned home from a visit to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Rusk and boys returned home last week from Carton, Tex. where Mrs. Rusk and sons had been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harris. He was working in Leveland. They left last Friday night with their household goods to Leveland where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heineman of Fort Worth, were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lois Groves.

Mrs. Bertha Owens has returned home from Long Beach, Calif., where she visited her daughters for several weeks.

Miss Thelma McCane of Fort Worth, visited her sister, Mrs. Edwards, the past week end.

The Olden Football Boys were at Brownwood Lake last week—for football training. 14 boys and Coach Thompson.

J. L. Dean of Loving, has bought some land from Hillary Bockman, (a cousin) and expects to build soon. The house has been sold to an Eastland family.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Bryant left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth, where Millard is working in the Bomber Plant. She is looking for a house or apartment.

Mrs. Pearce Waters of Houston and niece of Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Olden and Mrs. Charles McCoy, and Mrs. Jim Carlyse of Eastland passed away at her home last Friday, and was buried there Saturday. She was the former Miss Fay Britton of Strawn.

Mrs. Charlie McFadden is ill with her back and hip.

Mrs. Baldrige Crawford and sons of Kermit were here last week end and Labor Day visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Pit Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid and son, Jimmie, accompanied by Mrs. Reid's mother, Mrs. Lou Crank, left this week to make their home in Bisbee, Ariz., where they formerly lived before moving to Olden.

News From . . . FLATWOODS

Mrs. Laura Murrell, who has been visiting her children in Monohans, Odessa and other points returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis May of Amarillo are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will May.

Joan and Edwin Robertson of Carbon visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson, Wednesday.

Marcus Greiger is confined to his home with a heart attack, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Webb of Colorado visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb, Wednesday.

Wayman Clark, who has been visiting his father, Owen Clark of Big Spring the past month, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. June Wood and son, Donnie, of Fort Worth visited his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Mollie Evans and Mrs. Minnie Foster, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Tolon of Byran and enroute to Rotan, where he will teach agriculture, were week end visitors of her grandmother, Mrs. Laura Murrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bond of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bond, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reese, Patsy and Anna, of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Richardson, Bobbie, and Janice of Carbon visited their mother and sister, Mrs. Deany Reese and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Murrell had as her guest over the week end her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hartman and Harold of Dallas. Harold was enroute to Byran to enter A. & M. College, Mrs. Lane Turner and Lane and Lona of Monohan and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Murrell of Odessa and son, J. F. enroute to Arlington to enter Agriculture College and her niece Mr. and Mrs. Earl Young of Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Massey and Miss Billie visited her mother, Mrs. John Clark, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herring of Stanton visited her parents and other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wilson of De Leon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Vaughan.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Adams, who have been pastor of the Baptist Church near El Paso are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Turner enroute to Arlington.

Bill Vann is confined at home with a nervous break down.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mangum and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Webb, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson were shopping in Ranger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Clark, Gene and Jane visited her brother, Mr. Mrs. Charles Rodwick of Brownwood, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders of Stephenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Justice, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amy Vann visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cobb of Cisco, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Justice visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Webb of Eastland Sunday.

Eastland Man Goes To Camp Bowie Sale

Harvey C. Todd, Jr., 412 S. Connellee, Eastland, was one of the veterans attending the surplus property sale at Camp Bowie, Brownwood. Tod purchased five transformers and 100 feather pillows, for a total of \$54.50.

The sale to veterans opened Tuesday and will continue through Monday, excluding Saturday. At the close of the day's business of the third day, 648 veterans had registered at the sale, buying surplus property with a reported cost to the government of \$114,947.33.


Hundreds of items were on display, among them such items as jigsaws, rowing machines, punching bags, printing presses, parallel bars, hand tools, butcher blocks, used combat boots, tarpaulins and shoe tags.

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MISS MURPHY WED TO FRANCIS BROCK TUESDAY EVENING

Miss Betty Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Murphy, 718 North Wanut Street and Francis J. Brock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brock, of North Ammerman Street, were united in marriage at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening.

Rev. Fred Porter, pastor, read the double ring ceremony before an altar of ferns and tall floor baskets of white gladiolas.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Robert Murphy, wore a gray dress trimmed in blue, with blue accessories. She carried a prayer book bouquet of white gardenias.

Miss Patsy Sparks was maid of honor, and Howard Martin Brock served his brother as best man. Robert McFarland and Rudolph Little were ushers. Mrs. Donald

Kinnaird played the wedding music.

The couple left immediately for College Station, where they will make their home while Mr. Brock attends Texas A. & M. College.

Mrs. Brock attended Hardin Simmons University, and has been employed at the county tax collector's office for the past year.

Mr. Brock attended John Tarleton before he entered service and has entered A. & M. College since receiving his discharge.

Out of town relatives here for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wilson and Miss Mary Joy Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bryant of Ranger, H. B. Murphy of Abilene, and a service buddy of the groom, Lt. Francis Branco of Bascome Air Field at Austin.

Mrs. Fred Hoffmann and daughter, Jane returned Sunday from a six weeks vacation spent in Los Angeles, Calif., visiting their daughter and sister, Lois Hoffmann, and a sister of Mrs. Hoffmann's, Mrs. John Thoms.

REITA BARTON, LESLIE D. BOND ARE WED AUG. 31

Miss Reita Barton, daughter of Mrs. Mary Barton and Leslie Dean Bond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bond, were married in an evening-tide ceremony at the Church of Christ Aug. 31.

C. E. Moore, Church of Christ minister, performed the ceremony before an audience of relatives and close friends.

The bride wore a blue wool suit, with brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was an orchid. Miss Doris Bond, sister of the groom, was maid of honor and wore a pink wool suit with a shoulder corsage of white gardenias. Travis Bond, Jr., served his brother as best man.

The church was decorated with tall white floor gaskets of gladiolas and ferns. Miss Glynn Castleberry sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly."

Mr. and Mrs. Bond left immediately after the ceremony for Lubbock, where they will live while he attends Texas Tech.

Mrs. Bond has been employed with the Texas Electric Service Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lusk have had as guests in their home their daughter, Mrs. James LaPan and infant son, Mike, who were here over the holiday week end, and Mrs. Lusk's nephew, Hugh Meadors, who has just received his discharge from the Army. Mrs. LaPan and her husband are moving from San Antonio to Baytown.

Fay Earnest of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Lydia Earnest and his brother, Rex and sister, Kathleen, over last week end.

Shower Is Honor For Miss Betty Murphy

The Business Women's circle and the Primary Department teachers of the First Baptist Church sponsored a shower tea honoring Miss Betty Murphy, bride elect of Francis J. Brock, at the home of Mrs. Pat Crawford Monday evening.

Mrs. Crawford met the guests at the door and presented them to the honoree, to Miss Patsy Sparks, and to Mesdames Howard Brock, R. C. Wilson and J. E. Bryant of Ranger, aunts of the bride elect, and Miss Mary Joy Wilson, also of Ranger, a cousin of the bride.

They were registered in the dainty white satin bride's book, the handiwork and a gift of Mrs. Tom Amis, by Miss Ima Louise Little.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth, and centered with an arrangement of gold zinnias. A large crystal punch bowl and trays of dainty cookies and salted nuts in crystal holders, were attractively arranged and presided over by Mesdames Ita Parrish, Amis, and Miss Christine Garrard. Others assisting included Mesdames Ina Jones, and Lindsey.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received and displayed.

Breakfast Opens Session Of Council

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church opened this fall session Tuesday morning with a breakfast in the Annex of the church. The room was decorated with attractive arrangements of zinnias. Breakfast was served at small tables seating four, each table centered with bouquets of roses. The menu consisted of a fruit plate with sweet rolls and coffee.

Mrs. T. L. Cooper was program leader. Mrs. W. Q. Verner sang "My Task" accompanied by Mrs. E. L. Wittrup.

Mrs. J. C. Carothers gave "Verses to Live by," and Mrs. T. A. Bendy gave the devotional. The group sang "To the Work."

Mrs. J. Curtis Koen gave an inspirational talk on the work for the coming year, and passed out the new year books. She announced that the monthly business meeting would be on the first Monday of each month at the church at 7:30 p. m. so all could attend.

Mrs. Koen and Mrs. Cyrus Miller were hostess and were assisted by the executive committee.

Thirty five guests registered.

COUPLE GUESTS OF BRIDE'S PARENTS

Captain and Mrs. D. A. Jones of Long Beach, Calif., are the guests of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roper. Mrs. Jones is the former Miss Alva Roper. This is the first Eastland visit of the couple since their wedding last March in Winslow, Ariz. Captain Jones is temporarily stationed in San Antonio. He is with the Army Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Roper have had Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Roper and Handley as visitors in their home.

CORINTH CHURCH TO HAVE REVIVAL

A 10-day revival will begin Sunday morning, Sept. 8, at the Corinth Baptist Church. Rev. Nugent Ballenger will preach at morning and evening services, according to G. Fambrough. He extended an invitation to the public to attend.

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MISS JONES WEDS RAY PRYOR HERE IN HOME RITUAL

Miss Betty May Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jones, became the bride of Ray Pryor, son of Mrs. Ethel Pryor, in an impressive ceremony in the home of her parents Saturday evening, Aug. 31.

Rev. J. W. Ford read the ceremony before an improvised altar of greenery, tall white baskets of white gladiolas, and white candles in tall candelabra, which were lighted by Ernest Jones, Jr. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a perfection blue wool two piece dress with brown accessories, a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

Miss Dolores Rushing was maid of honor, and E. J. Pryor was best man. Mrs. Pat Miller sang "Because," accompanied at the piano by Miss June Morehart.

A reception was held in the dining room immediately after the ceremony. The bride's table was centered with a triple tiered cake. Miss Rushing served frosted fruit punch from a large crystal bowl placed on one end of the table. Mrs. Jones served the cake, after it had been cut by the bride and groom.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in the Lamar apartments. Mr. Pryor is employed with the Lovelace Transfer and Storage. Mrs. Pryor is employed with the Sharples Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bains and daughter, Miss Lillie Bains, visited their son and brother, Curtis Bains and Mrs. Bains, in Leesville, La., and Mr. Bains brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bains, over last week end.

Martha Dorcas Class Meets For Party

The Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church met for a party in the home of Mrs. Jack Ammer at the Leon Plant last Friday evening. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Roy Stokes, James Watson, and Guy Quinn. Mr. E. S. Perdue, president, presided over the business session in which reports were read and an announcement made of the bazaar to be held in the basement of the church the latter part of November. Mrs. Will Martin gave the devotional. Mrs. Ina Bean gave 10 rules for ruling old people.

The nominating committee presented the following slate of officers: Mrs. W. P. Leslie, teacher; Mrs. W. H. Mullings, assistant teacher; Mrs. J. H. Parker, president; Mrs. Roy Stokes, vice-president; Mrs. George Cross, second vice-president; Mrs. Frank Jones, reporter; Mrs. Charlie Jo Owen, pianist; Mrs. George Lane, assistant pianist; Mrs. C. E. Owen, song leader. Mr. R. E. Sikes, historian.

Sweetheart gifts were exchanged and names revealed. New names were drawn for the new quarter.

Plans were made for a devotional to be given each Sunday morning before the Sunday lesson. Mrs. W. M. Jessop was appointed chairman for September.

The house was beautifully decorated with bouquets of zinnias. Refreshments of sandwiches, pink cookies and frosted punch were served to 28 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Jones spent the week end in Stephenville with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fenner and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

MISS HARRIS WEDS FRANK CLYMER IN G. S. POE HOME

Miss Frances Harris, daughter of G. M. Harris, 914 South Bassett Street, became the bride of Frank Clymer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clymer, Kokomo, Ind. in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Weems Dykes at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Gayland S. Poe, and Mr. Poe, Sept. 2 at 7:30 p. m.

The bride wore a London fog blue raw silk dress, with brown accessories, and a shoulder corsage of white gardenias. The maid of honor was Mrs. Bill Bagley of Breckenridge, sister of the bride. She wore a pink sheer wool dress with brown accessories, and a white carnation corsage. Gayland Poe was best man.

The wedding march was played by Gay Poe, niece of the bride. The improvised altar was of greenery with tall white floor baskets of pink gladiolas.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony, in the dining room, where the bride's table was resplendent in a white cut-work linen cloth, centered by the triple tiered cake, decorated with pink rosebuds, hearts and lilies of the valley. The cake was surrounded by streamers of pink satin ribbon held in place by pink carnations. White candles in tall crystal holders stood at either side of the cake, which was served by Mrs. W. S. Poe, after having been cut by the bride and groom. Miss Marguerite Lanier assisted in serving.

Miss Hazel Harrell served the

punch from a cut glass bowl placed at one end of the table. Guests included the family and close friends of the bride, and were registered in the beautiful white bride's book by Mrs. J. R. Gilkey, Jr.

Mrs. Clymer chose for her wedding trip a caarmel wool suit, with a short jacket, worn with a dark brown crepe blouse and a wide suede belt.

Mrs. Clymer is a graduate of Eastind High School, and has been employed in the county tax collectors office, for several years. Mr. Clymer attended Purdue University before he entered service. The couple will live in Chalmers, Ind., where the groom is employed.

WMU Has Meeting In Church Monday

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Pat Crawford presided, and gave the devotional, "Security in God."

Monthly reports were read and approved. Mrs. F. H. Porter gave the closing prayer. Those attending included Mesdames I. C. Inzer, N. R. Watkins, Pat Crawford, O. C. Ward, Dillard, L. L. McMillan, W. H. Kuykendall, A. M. McBoe, J. H. Hart, Charles Butler, F. H. Porter, L. E. Barber, and Miss Ida Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fields and son of San Angelo visited relatives here last week.

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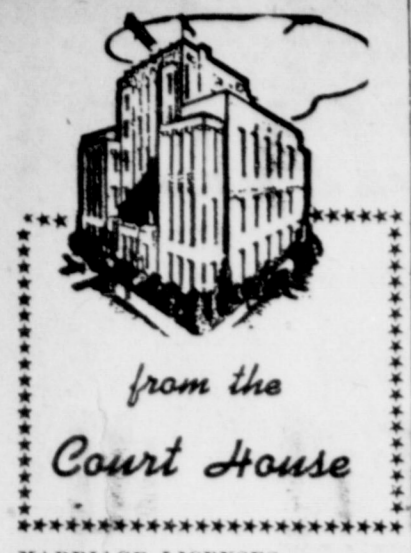
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INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week: C. M. Askev to E. A. Fields, Jr., warranty deed. Leonard W. Alldredge to W. B. Ensor, warranty deed. G. E. Blanton to E. E. Gentry, warranty deed. Geo. E. Brasher to Charlie Stacy,

Jr., warranty deed. E. D. Bochman to Mrs. L. M. Wittie, warranty deed. E. D. Bochman to Mrs. L. M. Wittie, warranty deed. Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Hall Walker, release of lien. Bettie Chambliss to Federal Lank Bank, Houston, agreement. City of Ranger to Ella Drienhofer White, warranty deed. Addie Culwell to Carl Burns, warranty deed. E. M. Carter to Calvn Z. Roady, release of vendor's lien. City of Rising Star to C. C. Rutherford, warranty deed. Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Joe G. Williams, release of deed of trust. City of Cisco to Charlie Cofer, special warranty deed. M. D. Dean to H. C. Fridge, Jr., warranty deed. Eastland National Bank to Richard F. McClung, release of lien. S. G. Evett to O. L. Wilson, warranty deed. First State Bank, Rising Star to M. G. Joyce, transfer of lien. H. C. Fridge, Jr. to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust. Elizabeth Freyschlag to Homer Hudson, warranty deed. First Federal S & L Assn. to Robert L. Allen, release of deed of trust. H. L. Francis to J. A. Gober, warranty deed. J. A. Gober to H. L. Francis, deed of trust. Elba Ham to R. H. Asmore, warranty deed. Albert Hill to Thomas B. Piburn, warranty deed. Lucie E. Harrell to N. A. Brown, special warranty deed. B. H. Hutton to Mrs. Ina Cawley, warranty deed. R. W. Higginbotham, Jr. to City of Rising Star, agreement. E. W. Kimble to S. S. Powers, release of vendor's lien. Dr. E. W. Kimble to A. H. Bibby, lease contract. Kattie Keathley to C. M. Caldwell, warranty deed. W. G. Kirk to Weldon Glasgow, special warranty deed.

Juanita S. Lyon to Lucie E. Harrell, warranty deed. G. N. Mahaney to C. S. Surles, deed of trust. J. F. McWilliams to Madolyn Wanda Sone, quit claim deed. S. E. Price to W. A. Hallum, warranty deed. H. E. Pye, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship. S. S. Powers to A. H. Bibby, warranty deed. Fannie Parrack to John Dossett, warranty deed. W. H. Phillips to H. S. Phillips, deed. F. W. Roberds to Della M. Seale, release of vendor's lien. F. W. Roberds to J. D. Sandefer, Jr., oil and gas lease. Charles Rutherford to Alma Burns, warranty deed. Jesse E. Richardson to L. King, warranty deed. Robert W. Russell to J. W. Clark, release of oil and gas lease. Robert W. Russell to Laura E. Murrell, release of oil and gas lease. Harry B. Sone et ux to Newt Lewis, warranty deed. J. W. Sewell to J. D. Sandefer, Jr., correction oil and gas lease. C. L. (Dick) Starr to R. L. Parsons, release of vendor's lien. E. V. Stacy to C. H. Stacy, warranty deed. C. S. Surles to State Reserve Life Insurance Co., transfer of lien. Rebecca Sublett to T. S. Stanfield, oil and gas lease. R. B. Spencer & C. v. Clyde Benham, abstract of judgement. J. M. Smith to Leonard W. Alldredge, Jr., warranty deed. Dave Steele to L. D. Yancey, warranty deed. H. H. Tompkins to Ace Lucas, warranty deed. H. S. Wilson to C. L. Starr, release of vendor's lien. W. F. Watson to Mrs. Joe W.

Gray, warranty deed. Mattie Ware to John Steele, warranty deed. R. G. Warren to W. F. Barton, warranty deed. NO CIVIL NO PROBATE SUITS FILED The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week: Bertha Brown v. Lindon L. Brown, divorce. S. G. Batterson v. Lone Star Peanut Company, debt on salary. Jetty Wright v. Inita Wright, divorce. ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS The following orders and judg-

ments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week: Joyce Hanson v. R. E. Hanson, judgment. Mary Bell Johnson v. Tony Volney Johnson, judgment. Chester F. Ervin v. Elsie Ervin, order of dismissal. Oma Arledge Preslar v. A. A. Preslar, order of dismissal. Fausteen Nollis v. D. L. Nollis, judgment. Aubrey L. Armstrong v. R. Gray, judgment. City of Cisco v. T. J. Smith, et al, order confirming sale of real estate. City of Cisco et al v. R. B. Braley, judgment.

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—By Special Correspondent—

Miss Margaret Jackson of Denton spent the week end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson of Kingsville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thomason Sunday and Sunday night.

Charles Davis, nine year old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Roberts received a broken leg and other injuries Monday morning when he was run over by a truck driven by White Pittman. The accident which is said to have been unavoidable happened near the offices of the Peanut Association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Haile and his mother, Mrs. Laura Haile were injured in an automobile wreck on a narrow bridge between Gorman and De Leon Saturday evening.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Haile suffered fractured knee caps and other serious bruises while the elder Mrs. Haile suffered a broken leg, a badly lacerated hand and other injuries. All are at Blackwell Hospital in Gorman but Mr. and Mrs. Haile will be taken to Dallas for treatment. The other car involved in the accident was occupied by Doc Short, Billie Joe Dolberry and a Thompson boy.

Mrs. M. F. Boston and Mrs. Pearl Swancy and their father, Mr. Daniels returned from Monahans Saturday night where they had been at the bedside of their sister and daughter, the former Esta Lee Daniels. She suffered a stroke and little

hope is held for recovery. Mrs. Zelpha Daniels remained at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Koen of Graham spent the week end in Gorman. Miss Rae Nell McMillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McMillan became the bride of Bill Bettis, son of Mrs. Ethel Harrell in a ring ceremony performed at the Baptist parsonage, by Brother Hanley, Sunday afternoon Sept. 1, at 3 o'clock. After a wedding trip to New Mexico they will make their home in Gorman where the groom is employed by Smith Bros.

Ladies of the Elm Home Demonstration Club left Sunday morning for a trip to Carlsbad. The club had earned the money for this trip and those going were Mesdames H. L. Capers, D. J. Jobe, Dave Harper, Eula Meador, H. A. Kinney, Polly Barron and little Sharon Capers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Estin returned from Massachusetts Saturday. They are returning to Texas to make their home. They will live at Bryan where Mr. Estin has a position with A. & M.

Lt. Bill Parr and little Annye Kate Blair were in Temple Saturday to visit Mrs. Marvin Blair, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hooker of Fort Worth visited friends here over the week end.

Mrs. Betty Fears Smith and Miss Gerry Walker of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker, Jr.

The girl who won't marry you may have a dozen reasons. Chances are the first one is that you don't have enough money, and the eleven other reasons are things that she wants.

News From ... STAFF

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Williamson of Plainview, were guests of relatives in the community recently.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard, were business visitors in Eastland and Ranger last Monday.

Frank Williamson had business in Eastland last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Dennis of Ranger, were visiting in the home of Mrs. Dennis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White last Monday afternoon.

L. G. Powell was a business visitor in Ranger last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard visited with relatives in Eastland last Tuesday.

M. O. Hazard attended to business in Ranger Tuesday afternoon.

J. C. Allison and sons, John and James, and Betty Allison of Eastland, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Allison of Dawney, Calif., attended the revival meeting at the Baptist Church here last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Allison of Calif., are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Van Green of Eastland.

Mrs. R. A. Parker and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald were shopping in Ranger last Monday.

A. G. Crosby and Junior Henderson were Fort Worth visitors recently.

Jess Joplin of Merkel, was a guest in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Mr. Nelson on last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville, Jimmie and Earl, visited in Eastland and Ranger Saturday.

I. S. Echols was a business visitor in Eastland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jones of Rising Star were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brumlow over the week end.

The recent rains have been very

beneficial to peanut and feed crops and to pastures, and put out water for stock as tanks that were very near dry were filled by the rains. And we now have a good season for planting fall gardens.

Mrs. Maurice Hazard and son, Donald, accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Little went to Eastland last Wednesday afternoon to do some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland, were the guests Friday afternoon of their daughter, Mrs. O. T. Hazard and Mr. Hazard.

Bobby Joplin of Merkel spent the past week with his sister Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Mr. Nelson.

The revival meeting which was in progress at the Baptist Church here the past week, closed on last Sunday evening. Large crowds were in attendance.

Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald were in Eastland Saturday to do some shopping.

Miss Ina Little and Winston Boles of Eastland, attended the revival meeting at the Baptist

Church here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and son, Roy Neil, motored to Merkel Sunday to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Jennie K. Hines and daughter, Mrs. John M. White were Ranger visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Van Geem, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Butler, Mrs. J. C. Allison and Nelson Allison, of Eastland, attended the revival meeting at the Baptist Church here last week.

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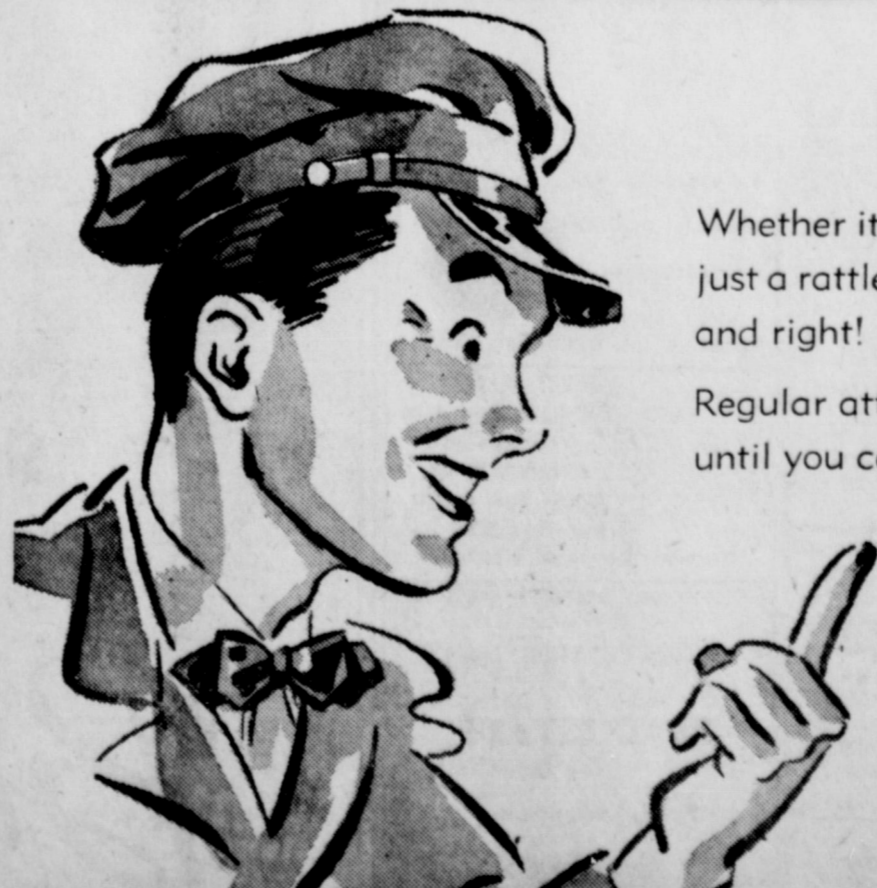
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town or two.
 "I wish I could get all those cars to sell," said Lamb sadly.
 As a matter of fact, just three cars he has sold went outside Eastland County—one to a doctor friend in Abilene, one to a man in Dallas, and one to a Strawn resident, Lamb said. And he said he'd show anyone his books to prove it.

W. S. C. S. MEETINGS TO BE RESUMED

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church will resume weekly meetings beginning Monday, Sept. 9, with a yearbook program at the church at 3 p. m. Mrs. Ina Bean will be the leader, Mrs. N. P. McCarney announced, and urged all members to be present. The W. S. C. S. did not meet during August.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis of Sterling City and Mrs. Ethel Norman of Dallas were guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham. They left Thursday morning for Sterling City, accompanied by Norman Durham, who visited with his grandparents.

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