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Legion Post To Observe 27th Birthday



By Col. Don Brasher

The new suits for the Mavericks were displayed to the football boys Tuesday March 26th. The pants are scarlet with a two-way elastic stretch in back and a white stripe down the side. The jersey is scarlet around the shoulders and has a scarlet stripe on the arm. The numerals are also scarlet on a white background. The pads are lined with foam rubber and covered with nylon.

The Mavericks are going to have a newly lighted and re-soiled field to open their 46' grid season. No other field in the Eastland district will be as well-lighted. This coming season the Mavericks will have the best field, the best equipment, the best coaches and the spirit and determination to go through the season undefeated.

Spring training starts the 8th of April, however the boys are anxious to start now, and Coaches Little and Harvey are just as anxious to get started.

The Quarterback club of Eastland is taking an active part in the sports program of Eastland High School. They are going to give an annual banquet for the boy's participating in athletics.

The "T" formation used so effectively the past few seasons will not be used this year. Coaches Little and Harvey have decided to use the single and double wing-back. To refresh your memory the Mavericks were district champion in 1944 and runners-up in 1945. With our new suits and field we are going to win the district and maybe the state.

The tennis eliminations for the inter-scholastic league were held Thursday March 21st. In the senior division, Bill Eddleman will represent Eastland in singles and John Jackson and Charles Lucas will be the doubles team. For the juniors, Kenneth Benham will play single and Dan Amis and Richard Bourland, doubles.

Coach Little expects his team to bring back a few honors from the district meet at Gorman. From this corner, it appears that Kenneth Benham will cop the singles title in a walk.

The line up for the district meets at Comanch is as follows: Tennis, volleyball, baseball, literary April 6th. Track and field events April 6th at Gorman.

Parker Tells Rotarians Of County Hospital

At a meeting of the Eastland Rotary club Monday noon, Don Parker, Eastland County Auditor, spoke on the City - County Hospital located at Ranger, which was established in 1924 and since 1928 has been under the superintendency of Miss Anna B. Kennedy. Erected at a cost of \$60,000, the City-County Hospital, recently renamed the Ranger General Hospital, has 16 room and 32 beds and is well and modernly equipped. It is operated jointly by the County of Eastland and the City of Ranger, and until recently the two shared the expenses but now the County pays the operating expenses and the hospital makes no charge for charity cases. It does a general hospital business.

The governing board for the hospital is composed of Dr. C. L. Jackson, brother of the late Dr. W. L. Jackson, who for many years headed the hospital staff; Dr. J. H. Cato of Eastland, Dr. F. T. H. of Eastland and Dr. E. E. Crawford and L. L. Bruce of Ranger. The hospital is on a sound financial basis, Mr. Parker said and plans for its improvement are being considered.

NO PEEPING ALLOWED
TACOMA, Wash. (UP)—Tacoma police will scratch their heads in wonderment for a long time to come.

A police dispatcher broadcast the command: "All cars—go to South Jay St.—a horse is peeping in the window."

Officers, armed with lariats, departed for an investigation of a new type "Peeping Tom," but when they arrived the horse was gone.

N. E. GRISHAM IN DISTRICT ATTY. RACE

N. E. Grisham, Eastland attorney, announces he is a candidate for Criminal District Attorney in the forthcoming election, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary next July.

Grisham moved to Eastland in 1919 and has lived in Eastland practically all his life with the exception of the time spent away in school and in the army. He practiced law with his father, the late R. N. Grisham, for five years prior to his entry into the army. He served four years in the army, having enlisted as a private, and was assigned to the 90th Infantry Division in 1942, and was separated from the service January 22 of this year.

He is 32 years of age, married to the former Sybil Holder, and has two children, a daughter, Ann, and a son, Bob. He is a university graduate. They live on their farm one mile north of Eastland.

Grisham states that he will make a formal announcement later, but that in view of the requests from friends over the county who have asked him to run for the office he feels that he should offer his services. He stated: "I have never sought public office before, and when I am elected your District Attorney I will do my duty, as under my oath, I am directed to do, in upholding the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas."

Last Rites For Mrs. Arney Held Mon. Afternoon

RANGER, Texas, March 28 — Last rites for Mrs. T. A. Arney were said Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Baptist church with Rev. David C. Ham officiating. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery with Morris Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. She died Saturday March 23, 1946.

Mrs. Arney who had resided in Ranger for the past 21 years, was born in Missouri June 2, 1881. She was a member of the First Baptist church and until failing health prevented was very active in the work of the church. She was the daughter of the late Isaac and Ann Neff of Missouri, and was married to Mr. Arney February 4, 1899.

Survivors are her husband, Thomas A. Arney of Ranger, five sons, M. V. Arney of Gregton, F. G. of Alameda, T. A. Arney, Jr., of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Bert L. Arney of Pampa and Billy L. Arney of Ft. Worth. One son, Jackie L. Arney died in infancy. Eight grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were Felton Brasher, Aaron Stiles, George Robinson, O. R. Gaffner, Joe Graham, and W. A. Lewis.

Fire Destroys Morton Valley Gymnasium

Morton Valley's school gymnasium was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon following an explosion.

According to reports of the fire someone had attempted to light a hot water heater in the gym and on striking a second match, escaping gas exploded.

The booster truck from the fire department was sent out but the fire had too big a start to be brought under control.

Eastland To Be Host To Medicos Of N-W District

Eastland was host Thursday, March 28, to an all-day meeting of the Northwest Texas District Medical Society (13th District). The Society and Auxiliary met jointly.

Officers of the Northwest Texas District are: A. M. Roberts, M. D., Fort Worth; Frank C. Hodges, M. D., Abilene, vice-president; Joe R. Wise, M. D., Fort Worth, secretary - treasurer; O. B. Kiel, M. D., Wichita Falls, councilor.

CANDIDATE



N. E. (Everett) Grisham, above, returned veteran, announces as a candidate on the Democratic ticket, for District Attorney of Eastland County. The post is now held by Earl Conner, Jr. Grisham lives at Eastland.

Many Stores Have New Opening And Closing Times

A number of Eastland Merchants, but not all of them, have announced a new schedule for opening and closing their places of business beginning April 1st as follows:

Clothing Stores—Burr's, Altman's, Carl Johnson, J. C. Penney Co., Houlle Shop and the Men's Shop, will open at 9:00 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. except on Saturdays when they will close at 8:00 p. m.

Grocery Stores—A. & P. Store, Clover Farm Store, Piggly Wiggly and Lewey's Grocery will open at 7:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. except on Saturdays when they will close at 8:00 p. m.

Auto Supply Store—Western Auto Supply Store, White's and Lucas Tire & Home Supply store will open at 8:00 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. except on Saturdays when they will close at 8:00 p. m.

Furniture Stores—Home Furniture Co., Willy - Willys Furniture Mart, Eastland Furniture, will open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 6:00 p. m. except on Saturdays when they will close at 8:00 p. m.

Variety Stores—Wilson's and Perry Bros. will open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. except on Saturdays when they will close at 8:00 p. m.

Please Report All Local Red Cross Funds Now

Eastland Wednesday afternoon had over subscribed its quota of \$2,500 in the campaign for Red Cross funds, the total at that time being \$2,628, according to W. B. Pickens.

Mr. Pickens stated also that a number of lists were still out and urgently requested that all funds collected be reported not later than noon Saturday at it was desired to close the campaign and report all contributions at that time.

DAUGHTER OF FORMER EASTLAND RESIDENT DIES IN TENNESSEE

Funeral services were held on March 23rd at the Old Hickory Episcopal Church, Nashville, Tennessee, for Kay Bryan, age 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bryan. Interment was in Springhill Cemetery, Nashville.

Surviving besides parents are: Grandparents, Mrs. T. M. Bryan, Auburntown, Tennessee, and G. M. Harris, Eastland; Aunts and Uncles, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hale, Auburntown, Tennessee; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, St. Paul, Minnesota; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bagley, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris, Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Cayland S. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Harris and Edna and Frances Harris, all of Eastland. The Bryans formerly lived in Eastland.

STORE HOURS

At a meeting of local business men Monday morning it was decided to announce that beginning April 1, Eastland drygood stores would open at 9:00 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m., except on Saturday nights when they will close at 8:00 o'clock.

Eastland Girl Returns From Trip Abroad

Miss Glenna Johnson returned home from a tour of Italy Wednesday, March 20.

Miss Johnson left Eastland January 1, 1945, for New York, where she studied violin with Francis Macmillen. She left New York for Virginia in August. She sailed on August 6 aboard the U. S. S. West Point, and landed at Naples, Italy, August 15. She was with U. S. O. Concert Division, composed of eight girls, a vocal quartet, an instrumental quartet, from various parts of the U. S. and was the only Southern girl.

The girls spent five months on a tour of Italy. Since the war was over and the 5th Army returning home, they had more time for sightseeing. An Army officer accompanied the girls, and made all engagements and reservations. A car and a driver was furnished for the musicians, who played to the largest theatres and to the smallest outside theatres. They had from twenty people up to 5,000 people. Their headquarters were in Naples. They toured Pisa, Florence, Venice, Foggia, Bari, Trieste, Rome and other places. They flew to Palermo, Sicily, and Athens, Greece, where they stayed a week, then flew to Casablanca, North Africa, Tripoli, Lybia, and Cairo and Alexandria, Egypt.

They left February 25 aboard a Victory troopship carrying enlisted men, 50 officers, 30 women, and 600 Egyptians, and docked at New York on March 11. They spent one week there, then flew to Oklahoma City and by train to Fort Worth.

Miss Johnson said she enjoyed seeing the ancient ruins of Rome and Athens, the people of Greece being very interesting.

Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Eastland.

Local Baptist Will Conclude Revival Sunday

The Rev. Levi Price of the First Baptist Church of Tahoka is preaching in the revival being held at the First Baptist church in Eastland, which will close Sunday night. Fine crowds are attending and the interest is increasing each service. The Rev. Mr. Price is preaching great gospel messages and has an unusually attractive way of presenting the message.

The services are conducted each morning at 10:00 a. m. and each evening at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will close on Sunday and a goal of 375 has been set in Sunday School on Sunday morning. Everyone is invited to attend these most helpful services.

The Rev. Mr. Price will have for his sermon subject Sunday morning, "He Lingered," and Sunday night, "The Judgement." The nursery is open each service to care for children of that age.

NOTICE TO READERS

Due to the demand by Chronicle readers, especially those among our "OLD TIMERS," for more articles from Ed S. Reynolds carried recently under the caption...

Californian Writes of His Trip Back To His Native State of Texas

By Ed S. Reynolds
137 Boylston St., Los Angeles

Mr. Reynolds has agreed to write more of the articles for publication and they will begin appearing in our issue of April 5.

Interested readers, who for any reason may desire to write to Mr. Reynolds or see him personally, his address until further notice is—

202 EAST OLIVE ST.
Eastland, Texas

MISS JOHNSON



Miss Glenna Johnson, above, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Eastland and a violinist of note, has just returned from a trip abroad.

J. B. Williams Announces For County Sheriff

J. B. Williams of Gorman has announced as a candidate for sheriff subject to the Democratic primaries.

What His Friends Say About Him
"We have known J. B. Williams for many years. We knew him before he went to the army and have known him since his returning, and know him to be the same quiet, positive, sober-minded citizen that he was before entering the services of our country. He served as a peace officer at Gorman before he joined the Navy and had the respect of all officers who came in contact with him, as well as the law-abiding citizens of his precinct. His home has been in the Gorman community during his lifetime.

J. B. states that he will be glad for you to investigate his record in his home community, as an officer and also as a citizen."

Mr. Williams' Statement
"It was my intention to make the race for sheriff before I went into the service. After I enlisted of course I thought no more about it until I was released.

I want to state further that I have an honorable discharge and have returned to Eastland county to continue my home and my sincere desire is to up-build and make our county a more desirable place to live. I stand for law enforcement and for up-building morally. I shall conduct my campaign on a high plane, honestly and courteously to everybody.

So far I have two opponents. I have only met them since their announcement. Both seem to be nice fellows and I have no criticism to offer as to either of them and hope it remains such during the entire campaign.

I want you to investigate me and if you will support me I will appreciate it and in return will do my best to make you an officer you will not regret having voted for."

Local Theatre To Be Remodeled And Modernized

B. E. Garner of the Inter-State Theatres announced Wednesday that a contract for a 50 year lease on the Connellee Theatre in Eastland had been closed. He also announced plans for the remodeling of the building, which will be closed while under construction. Workmen have been engaged for several days on the interior of the building.

Plans for the new theatre calls for many changes including re-arrangement of the front. The space on the north side now being used as a beauty parlor will be used as a ladies lounge and rest room, while on the south side, what is now used as the manager's office will be a men's lounge and rest room. On the mezzanine floor will be rest rooms for both men and women and a general lounge. The manager's office will also be located on this floor.

The main floor space will be arranged with a row of 11 seats in the center and a row of 12 seats on either side. The balcony will be so arranged that it may be enlarged if necessary.

Present number of seats will be 1,200 and total capacity will be 1,400 or better.

The entire inside of the building will be worked over, re-arranged and new materials will be used and the most modern equipment will be installed.

Olden Boy Loses Hand While Out Hunting Sunday

Joe Garrett, son of Clyde Garrett of Olden, accidentally shot off his right hand Sunday while on a hunting trip.

According to reports of the accident, Joe was climbing through a fence when the shotgun he was carrying was accidentally discharged, striking him in the right hand. All of the hand with the exception of the index finger and thumb was shot off and the first joint of the thumb was removed after he was taken to the Ranger General Hospital.

Joe played guard on the football team and was a letterman. His father is an employe of the Texas Electric Service company.

Sunday Service To Dedicate New Nazarene Church

This Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. B. Walker, District Superintendent of the Abilene District, Church of the Nazarene will be speaking at the Eastland church. This special service at 2:30 p. m. will be held for the purpose of dedicating the building to the Lord for worship and evangelism.

The work on the Church building is practically completed, with the exception of a few items not obtainable without some waiting period. The congregation have already used the building for worship services.

The citizens of Eastland are welcome to this service of dedication, and it is expected that a number of Nazarenes from out-of-town will be present. Rev. Frederick Fike, the pastor, will be preaching at both the 11 o'clock worship service and the 7:30 evangelistic hour.

Auction Sales Date Changed To Wednesday

The M. & M. Sales Service, which conducts regular weekly livestock auctions in Eastland at their sales barns on South Daugherty street, announce this week that the sales day is being changed from Tuesday to Wednesday. The auction will otherwise be conducted as heretofore.

It was necessary, Ben Matthews of the sales firm stated, to change the auction from Tuesday to Wednesday in order that the auctioneer might have more time for the sales.

Sales at the M. & M. Sales barns have increased each week since the opening date and on last sales day there was a liberal amount of cattle on hand despite the rainy weather.

Livestock from a wide section is flowing to the Eastland sales.

Latin American Culture To Be Stressed At Meet

AUSTIN, Texas — Latin-American culture, which is so much a part of Texas, will be emphasized when the Texas Folklore Society holds its twenty-eighth annual meeting at the University of Texas May 17-18, Frank Goodwyn of Austin, president, announced today.

The Hispanic element in folklore as characterized in folk tales, songs, music, and dances, will make up the program for the meeting, Mr. Goodwyn said.

Local meetings only were held by the Society from 1942 through 1945, but this year the state-wide meeting will be revived, with several hundred members expected to attend.

Accident Victim Taken To Dallas From Hospital

Butch Smith, small colored boy, who was critically injured in an accident in the east edge of Ranger last Monday night, was removed from the West Texas Hospital to Dallas Saturday.

Little hope had been held for the child's recovery at first but he rallied and improvement was soon being made.

His father, Leroy Smith of Los Angeles and Sophie Braddock of McKinney were instantly killed in the accident, in which five others were slightly injured.

LOCAL FLYING SERVICE POPULAR IN THIS AREA

One of the busiest men in Eastland these days is Cliff Edwards, owner and operator of Edwards' Flying Service at Weaver Field.

Edwards, an experienced pilot and airplane mechanic overhauls and repairs planes of most any description and his services are so well and favorably known among aviators and plane owners that ships are brought to him from far distances. Edwards is also equally proficient as an instructor and has a long list of students training most all of the time. One of his latest students to get license was Dr. Reynolds of DeLeon.

Free India Stamps Laid To Chandra Bose

LONDON (UP)—London philatelists believe they have solved the riddle of who issued a series of new "Free India" postage stamps.

British troops found the stamps in a building near the banks of the Irrawaddy. They were all delicately colored, produced by a photogravure process, and included the words Azad Hind (Free India).

The stamps varied in value from half an anna to 12 annas and six of them carried a surtax. Seven of the stamps depicted Indian scenes while the other two showed a map of India with a broken chain across it.

There was no evidence that any were ever sold to the public.

Philatelists decided the stamps were issued by Subhas Chandra Bose, Indian left-wing politician and leader until his death in a plane crash of the so-called Indian National Army. The stamps were printed in Burma under the auspices of the Japanese who planned to use them after their victory in India, but the Japanese campaign failed and the stamps were never used.

Eastland Rites Today For Mrs. Opal Harbin

Funeral rites for Mrs. Opal Harbin, 35, who passed away at the Eastland hospital Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock following a lingering illness, will be held this afternoon at 3:30 at the Baptist church which she was a long time member, with the pastor, Rev. F. H. Porter, officiating. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, Roy Harbin, three daughters and two sons and a number of brothers and sisters. She was the former Opal Lisenbee of Cisco, daughter of Geo. Lisenbee of Vernon.

PROGRAM TO BEGIN 9 P. M. SATURDAY

Dulin - Daniel Post of the American Legion Saturday night and Sunday will celebrate the 27th anniversary of its organization with a special program at the Legion Hall, Eastland City Park.

Visiting speakers will be Weaver H. Baker, Chairman State Board of Control, Austin; Clyde L. Garrett representing the Veterans Administration, and Herman Namt, Department Commander of Texas.

The celebration will begin with a dance from 9:00 to 12:00 midnight at the Legion Hall. A 7-piece out-of-town orchestra will furnish the music.

Sunday, at 12:15 the Ladies Auxiliary will serve luncheon. Following this will be a musical program and following this there will be addresses by the guest speakers.

The dance is for Legionaires and their aides, but the general public is invited to attend the luncheon.

Disappearing Act Of Car Has Owner Puzzled

GAINESVILLE, Tex., (UP)—A disappearing act recently performed by a maroon 1939 Chrysler sedan belonging to Bob Brown Gainesville automobile dealer, has its owner stumped.

Brown left the car locked in the garage on a recent Saturday only to return Sunday to find it gone. He presumed an associate who also possessed a key to the garage was using the car.

Sure enough, the car was back in the garage Monday morning right where Brown had left it. Brown felt fine about the matter until he learned that the other key owner had been out of the city during the week-end and consequently had not used the car.

The auto dealer is still anxious to solve the mystery and to get in touch with anyone who saw the car during its week-end leave from the locked garage.

Mechanization In Sugar Beet Industry Seen

DENVER, (UP)—A "mechanical revolution" is gaining momentum in the sugar beet industry, according to members of the American Society of Sugar Beet Technologists, who met here for their 1946 convention.

It was predicted that mechanical processes in cultivating and harvesting sugar beets would spread through the entire industry within the next 10 years.

Much labor for manual harvest of the beet crop in the mountain states must be imported from Mexico each year.

California Town Plans Museum Of Old City Hall

ALHAMBRA, Cal. (UP)—Alhambra's first city hall, rattling and tired from three previous moves, is going to be transferred to still another spot—this time to serve as a museum.

The wooden building will be used to house the original City Commission table, pictures and other mementos of early days gathered by pioneer attorney Judge William Northrup.

Judge Northrup set up his first law office in the building in 1902 during the real-estate boom days, invited the council to meet in the building later.

Then the building had to be moved twice to make room for new buildings and city halls, became a lumber yard office, restaurant and housing facility.

HAS GREAT GRANDSON

Mrs. Nora Andrews and Mrs. L. A. Hightower were in Abilene Wednesday to see Mrs. Andrews' new great grandson, Charles Sewell, Jr., of Abilene. Mrs. Sewell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Manly of Abilene.

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Outlines Plans For Building Veterans' Homes

WASHINGTON (UP)—Housing Expediter Wilson W. Wyatt today outlined plans for building 850,000 "durable, liveable safe" prefabricated homes for veterans this year and next at an "average factory price" of \$4,000 a piece. The expediter testified before a senate banking sub-committee. The senators are considering the administration's emergency housing bill, designed to produce 2,700,000 "M"-low-cost homes for

veterans by the end of 1947. The 850,000 pre-fabricated dwellings would be part of this total.

Wyatt wants the sub-committee to write into the measure a government guarantee of a market of 75 per cent of the prefabricated homes built this year and 50 per cent next.

Tuberculosis claims nine times as many victims among persons on relief as those having annual incomes of \$3,000 or more, according to Dr. George C. Turner of the Chicago Municipal Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments have been filed in the County Clerk's office:

W. W. Anderson to W. M. Bailey, warranty deed.

Johnnie Aaron to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way.

A. B. Allen et ux to C. C. Phippen, warranty deed.

G. E. Boland to Roxie Fox, warranty deed.

Charles A. Bobo to Mrs. Gertrude Love, warranty deed.

W. L. Boggs to Charles Rutherford, warranty deed.

Floyd Brewer to Premier Oil Refining Company, warranty deed.

Bula B. Butler to Jack Murrehead, right of way.

Orville Battenfield, et ux to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.

T. L. Braton to G. E. Blanton, warranty deed.

A. L. Brin to Abe Cohn, warranty deed.

Z. Z. Bowen to R. J. Rains, warranty deed.

Elsie Birdsong v. Peyton Birdsong, judgement.

J. N. Cone to E. W. Cotten, warranty deed. Natalie Cunningham to F. L. Kelly, release.

City of Cisco to Mrs. K. H. Pittard, deed.

Virginia Joan Clarke to J. W. Jones, warranty deed.

L. B. Cozart et ux to D. B. Cozart, warranty deed.

L. B. Cozart to D. B. Cozart, release.

D. B. Cozart to Charles D. Witherspoon, warranty deed.

William H. Cole to Mrs. Virginia Quinn, deed of trust.

P. L. Crossley to G. E. Blanton, warranty deed.

J. W. Cozart to Roy Wells, quit claim deed.

Dave E. Carter to J. M. Sherrill, warranty deed.

Mrs. Rose V. Coplin to E. D. Thomas, release.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Cities Service Oil Company, release.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to J. M. Davis, release.

City of Ranger to Don Butler, warranty deed.

L. H. Choate to Robert S. Davis, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Cinda L. Duncan to The Public, affidavit.

M. J. Eppler to J. L. Turner, warranty deed.

Eastland National Bank to Cecil Sylvestre, et ux, release.

J. F. Edmondson, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.

J. F. Fore to T. B. McCracken, warranty deed.

First Federal S&L to I. E. Talley, et al, release.

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First National Bank, Cisco, to L. L. Walker, release.

A. E. Guy et ux to James F. Byrd, warranty deed.

Lois T. Groves to I. E. Talley, correction deed.

E. J. Gilbert et al to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.

J. T. Hendrix to W. O. Guy, release.

J. W. Gigham et ux to Jess F.

Kirk, warranty deed.

Gladys Reed George to A. D. Gordon, warranty deed.

J. H. Hyatt to James H. Bryant, warranty deed.

Ira L. Hanna to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way.

Burk B. Hunt to C. D. Simpson, warranty deed.

Minnie L. Hill to G. T. Brown, warranty deed.

W. W. Hill to G. M. Hill, warranty deed.

Mrs. Myrtle Huffman to L. Shelton, release.

J. A. Hancock, et ux to Olan C. Lee, warranty deed.

Mrs. Nannie Jones to William H. Cole, warranty deed.

C. E. Leatherstock to First National Bank, Strawn, transfer.

Mrs. Bera Leazar to J. J. Beck, release.

C. P. Mosley to D. J. Weathers, warranty deed.

Henry R. Mayberry to J. F. Haynes, warranty deed.

W. H. Mayhew to Harry Walkins, Jr., notice of L. P.

M. L. Miller to N. W. Usery, warranty deed.

M. L. Miller to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of vendor's lien.

W. J. O'Neal to W. E. Love, warranty deed.

C. C. Phippen to Federal Land Bank, Houston, assignment.

Guy Patterson to The Public, affidavit.

George L. Parrack to J. W. Cozart, warranty deed.

R. J. Rains to J. P. Morris, warranty deed.

F. T. Reames to E. C. Moorman, warranty deed.

C. E. Robertson to B. G. Marshall, release.

J. F. Robertson to First State Bank, Rising Star, transfer of vendor's lien.

C. E. Sims et al to O. L. Seal, quit claim deed.

H. C. Short to J. E. Wittie, warranty deed.

V. T. Seabury to The Public, affidavit.

Luther Shelton to Z. Z. Bowen, warranty deed.

State of Texas v. Thomas J. Bray, judgement.

L. J. Tullios to Cisco Independent School District, sheriff's deed.

Bela Tucker to E. C. Moorman, warranty deed.

A. B. Taylor to R. W. Smith, judgement.

E. D. Thomas to R. W. McCauley, warranty deed.

E. D. Thomas to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of vendor's lien.

A. A. Webster to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.

T. E. Warden to F. R. Wolverton, mineral deed.

Hall Walker to Mrs. Gladys Reed George, agreement.

Johnnie Woods to A. A. Taylor, warranty deed.

Mrs. J. W. Wallace to L. H. Choate, oil and gas lease.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

William L. Phelps to Oma Belle Barker, Eastland.

C. L. Downs to Mrs. Myrtle Lavender, Cisco.

Harlan Blevins to Mattie Lee Blevins, Temple. J. E. Rachel to Mrs. Cora Belle Siddall, Cisco.

George A. Stuard to Bernice Rachel Stuard, Cisco.

SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed in the 91st District Court last week:

Ruby Pearl Underwood v. Homer N. Underwood, divorce.

NEWS FROM Cheaney

B. C. Weekes of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dean were in Abilene Sunday to attend the celebration of Mrs. R. L. Weekes' eighty-fifth birthday.

G. Y. Gillespie and family of Quanah visited in the home of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kimbraugis of Colorado, Texas visited in the homes of Mrs. Kimbraugis' sisters, Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mrs. A. H. Dean last week.

Mrs. Mattie Malton and son, W. E. and daughter Minnie, of Ranger, have moved into the Cheaney community, where W. E. will farm this year.

Arnold Ainsworth, who has served four years in the Army, has re-enlisted and returned to Camp after four months leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Pug Howard of Ft. Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard over the week-end.

Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mrs. A. H. Dean went to Comanche Tuesday to take their dad, B. C. Weekes who had been visiting them for ten days.

W. H. Mayhew v. Harry Wilkins Jr., damages.

Mildred E. Green v. Marvin L. Green, divorce.

Lois Bryant v. J. B. Bryant, divorce.

Jud Fields v. Patricia Fields, divorce.

Elna Ruth McGinnis v. Marian Leslie McGinnis, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS

The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court last week.

Order for Jury Commissioners for March Term, 1946.

State of Texas v. Mrs. N. N. Elliott, et al, judgement.

State of Texas v. Connie Davis, judgement.

D. Clark v. C. A. Clark, judgement.

Hazel Irene Milford v. C. C. Milford, judgement.

Wash O. White v. Juanita White order appointing attorney.

Wash O. White v. Juanita White, judgement.

Margaret Louise Lawrence v. Robert O. V. Lawrence, judgement.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By Boyce House

No telephone pole ever struck an automobile except in self defense.

Abraham Lincoln was writing straight-from-the-shoulder when he penned this letter to a ne'er-do-well relative:

"When I came into Charleston day before yesterday, I learned that you are anxious to sell the land you have and move to Missouri. I have been thinking of this ever since and cannot but think such a notion is utterly foolish.

"What can you do in Missouri better than here? Is the land any richer? Can you there, any more than here, raise corn and wheat and oats without work? Will anybody there, any more than here, do your work for you? If you intend to go to work, there is no better place than right where you are; if you do not intend to go to work, you can not get along anywhere.

"Squirming and crawling about from place to place can do no good. You have raised no corn this year; and what you really want is to sell the land, get the money and spend it. Part with the land you have and, my life upon it, you will never after own a spot big enough to bury you in. Half you will get for the land, you will spend in moving to Missouri and the other half you will eat, drink and wear out, and no foot of land will be bought.

"Now do not misunderstand this letter; I do not write it in any unkindness. I write it in order, if possible, to get you to face the truth, which truth is, you are destitute because you have idled away your time. Your thousand pretenses for not getting along better are all nonsense; they deceive nobody but yourself. Go to work; it is the only cure for your case."

Bob Revels, who just recently returned from the Army, has moved a house in on his dad's land and will farm this year.

Mrs. F. E. Ferrell and Mrs. Joe Butler had business in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Weekes of Comanche visited in Cheaney Wednesday.

Word has reached here that William Kimbraugis is on his way home from Luzon.

Fred Gaswick returned home after having been at work in Marble Falls for a few weeks.

L. H. FLEWELLEN APPOINTED TO STATE BOARD

Governor Coke Stevenson has announced the appointment of L. H. Flewellen of Austin, formerly of Ranger, to the state industrial accident board.

According to word from Austin, Flewellen, who has been serving as an assistant attorney general, will leave that position to take up his new duties Friday, March 15. His appointment to the board is for a term continuing to September 1, 1951.

Flewellen replaces P. K. Carmichael, a Dallas lumber man, who was appointed to the board last October 16. Stevenson stated that Carmichael is leaving the board because of personal and business matters demanding his attention.

Prior to accepting the position as assistant attorney general, to which he was appointed by Gerald Mann on July 6, Flewellen, served one term as representative from the 106th district (Eastland county). With Mrs. Flewellen he

Did you know that the wind in the center of a tornado sometimes reaches a velocity of 500 miles an hour? And that coffee is the berry of a bush found originally in Arabia and Abyssinia and that the beverage, coffee, was introduced into Europe in the 16th Century? And that the cassowary is a member of the ostrich family, has three toes, lives in New Guinea and Australia and can outrun a horse? Did I hear you say, "So what?"

Strike-Controller



Sponsor of the tough new number of strike-control bills before the House is Rep. Francis Case, Republican of South Dakota. Under his bill, likeliest to pass, labor unions would be compelled to observe 30-day "cooling-off" period before issuing strike call and would be liable in the courts for violation of their contracts.

came to Ranger during the oil boom and served as city attorney during part of the boom. The story of how he fined a man \$75 for murder during that time has been made legend by Boyce House author.

Until the time of his election to the office of representative from this county, the Flewells made their home in Ranger where Flewellen practiced law. He holds the B. A. and LL.B. degrees from the University of Texas where he became a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

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SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD AT THE City Hall in the City of Eastland, Eastland County Texas and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers and clerks of said election: P. L. Parker Presiding Judge and Clerk E. C. Satterwhite Judge and Clerk Mrs. Maude Braly Clerk

SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD under the provision of the Special Charter of the City of Eastland, Texas, adopted by a vote of the people of said City on the 16th day of May, 1919, and under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas only qualified voters shall be allowed to vote. A COPY OF THIS ORDER, signed by the Chairman of the Board of City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas, Attested by the City Secretary of said City, and same to be published according to Article Seven, Section Eight, of the City Charter. Victor Cornelius, Chairman of the

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Dulin-Daniel Post No 70 AMERICAN LEGION DON D. PARKER, Post Commander

This has been a busy week for many members of the Dulin-Daniel Post since there has been much to do towards getting ready for the birthday party, but everything is in readiness for the program opening at 9:00 p. m. Saturday.

An orchestra is being organized among veterans. It will be under the direction of E. J. Pryor and Legionnaires and members of the Auxiliary so far signed up are: James Metcalf, E. J. Pryor, Bob Hunt, Cicero Harris and Mary Ann Metcalf.

At a special meeting with Scoutmaster Bill Jessup, the Legion voted to sponsor a Senior Scout troop for boys 15 to 18 years old. Jessup is to be scoutmaster. Present at this meeting was Homer Tudor of Breckenridge. He is a former scoutmaster.

"Skippy" Shultz, who recently located in Eastland and purchased the Skeet Richardson Studio, is a new member of Dulin-Daniel Post No. 70.

Legal Notice IF IT SO ORDERED BY the City Commission of the City of Eastland, that an election be held on the 2nd day of April, 1946 at which election there is to be elected 2 Commissioners to succeed Commissioners Charles T. Lucas and John W. Jackson, whose term of office expire at this time, and BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the name of all candidates for said office shall be filed with the City Secretary at the City Hall not later than 5:00 p. m. on the 23rd day of March, 1946.

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER Geo. A. Fox, Jr. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Precinct No. 1) T. E. (Ed) Castleberry FOR SHERIFF W. W. (Sheeny) EDDLEMAN John C. Barber J. B. Williams FOR COUNTY JUDGE P. L. Crossley (Re-election - Second Term) John Hart FOR COUNTY TREASURER Mrs. Ruth (Garland) Branton FOR CONGRESS 17th District William W. Blanton FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPER-INTENDENT Homer Smith FOR TAX ASSESSOR - COLLECTOR Clyde S. Karkalits

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness, and thoughtfulness, shown us during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. A. F. Loftis. A. F. Loftis Mrs. Fannie Nicols Mrs. F. J. Dusek Mrs. W. F. Johnston Mrs. E. H. Huling And Grandchildren

NEWS FROM Breckenridge

BRECKENRIDGE, March 26. — Dorothy Crudington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crudington passed away in a Galveston hospital Saturday, March 23. She was twelve years of age, and had attended school here until her health forced her to quit. She was the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Parke.

J. M. Ashford, operator of a picture show, left Monday for New York, to meet his bride who is on her way from England. They were married in July, 1945. Mrs. Ashford was a petty officer in the British service.

The Breckenridge Garden Club met on March 15, for their regular monthly meeting, in the beautiful, spacious home of Mrs. Eugene Thompson. Officers were elected for the coming year. They were: President, Mrs. C. G. King; Vice President, Mrs. Homer Martin; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Harry Baker; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Charles Deer; Treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Benton; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Walter Clegg. Mrs. Gilbert Ridings was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Mrs. R. O. Jackson, aged 69, passed away at the home of her son, O. L. Jackson, east of Breckenridge, last Wednesday from a heart attack. She had lived in Stephens county since 1870. She was buried in Mineral Wells, with Rev. J. R. Greer, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiating. She is survived by six children: two daughters, Mrs. George Rowan of Irvan, Texas and Mrs. W. T. Pierce of Breckenridge; four sons, R. C., O. L., V. O., and J. B. Jackson, all of Breckenridge; four step children, C. C. Jackson of Ranger, Ollie Jackson, sheriff of Breckenridge, Mrs. Fletcher Williams of San Angelo and Mrs. Esther Deaver of Breckenridge; a sister, Mrs. Susan Williams, and eleven grandchildren.

C. J. Mansker of Eastland was in Breckenridge last week working.

Mrs. Pink Norrell is under treatments of Doctor Graham in Cisco.

Mrs. W. J. Pruitt left Sunday morning for Dallas to visit her son, Doyle Pruitt, entering a hospital there for surgery.

Mrs. Ray Wood is visiting her husband's family in Dallas, before leaving Breckenridge to join her

husband, who is now employed at Crane.

Mrs. Ida P. Dover and daughter, Mrs. Madeline Evans, were shopping in Cisco Monday. Mrs. Dover is taking treatments at the Graham Hospital.

Since 1940, New York State has received nearly \$57,000 by the sale of Christmas trees from state restoration areas. More than 40,000 of the trees, worth some \$16,000, were cut during the 1945 holiday season alone.

MONTREAL (UP) — Fred Rose, Communist member of Parliament, today was ordered held for trial on charges of giving secret Canadian information to Russian agents.

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"Gee, dad, didn't people used to be silly?" inquired Ernest Teffert, Jr., one evening after supper. "Yes," agreed Ernest, Sr. "But why do you say 'used to be'?" "This book says that hundreds of years ago everybody, even the smartest teachers, thought the earth was flat, and that Columbus was crazy." "And what about this article written just 25 years ago," answered Ernest who had been going through some old papers. "It says, 'The soil is the one indestructible, immovable asset that the Nation possesses. It is the one resource that cannot be exhausted; that cannot be used up.'" "Well, gee whiz, dad, anybody knows better than that. Nothing wears out the soil faster than planting the same crop every year. You've still got the dirt, but you won't raise anything." "And," spoke up Mrs. Teffert, "that statement overlooks the fact that enough soil from our fields passes out through the mouth of the Mississippi every year to fill the Panama Canal." "And," added Ernest, "it is estimated that the soil carried away by dust storms in 1935 alone would total 850,000,000 tons. Did you say, son, that people used to be silly?" "Well, some of our neighbors think that our terraces are useless, our contour farming foolish, or strip cropping silly, and that we are crazy." "Maybe we are, son, but 'time marches on'."

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later in 1865, he organized what is known as the drums and cornets. For a time the street meetings were opposed by the police. The work was expanded to include, in addition to preaching and the singing of hymns, food and shelter depots, children's homes and a department devoted to the aiding of discharged criminals. In 1889 the Salvation Army work was brought to the United States. For a time its meetings were opposed by the police the same as they had been in England. The movement continued to grow until it became one of the largest and best organized humanitarian organizations in the country. The work of the Army has been expanded until it includes many types of relief work among those in need of material and spiritual help. It is supported by voluntary contributions, and from the proceeds of the sale of merchandise in its shops. The Salvation Army is regarded by many, because of the nature of the work, as Christianity in action.

Salvation Army Founders Day—April 10: The day observed as Salvation Army Founders Day is the birthday of William Booth the founder of the Salvation Army. The celebration of the day is confined to the members of the organization at which time addresses eulogizing the founders and the workers are made, as well as reports on the progress of the work. William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army movement was the son of an English contractor of Nottingham, England. Booth's education prepared him to enter the ministry of the Methodist church. He held a charge for a time but decided to take the gospel to those who did not attend church, the outcasts in the city slums. He presented the plan to the Methodist organization who rejected it. He gave up his church and started his new work in an old tent in the east end of London. Thirteen years

NEWS FROM Carbo

(By Special Correspondent)

Carbo, March 26 — Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hudgins and family are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Audie Driver.

S-Sgt. Basil White left Tuesday for San Antonio where he will receive his discharge from the armed forces.

Mrs. Dee High of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. James.

Mr. and Mrs. Almos Thurman of Gorman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trimble.

Elsie Powell, S 2-c and Kenneth Powell have been visiting relatives in Fort Worth. Elsie went to New Orleans where he will receive his discharge.

Mrs. Frank Stubblefield and Mrs. M. L. Ferguson were in Ranger Friday.

Miss Bonnie Jean Poe, Ardmore Oklahoma, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Collins had as their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Burkhalter and Miss Louise Nowlin and David Nowlin of Fort Worth.

John Edwards has arrived home with his discharge after having served in Europe and the Pacific area.

Mrs. Dean Turner and son of Hamilton and Miss Elaine Reese of San Antonio, spent the past week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese.

Rev. Glen Wilson, Mrs. B. F. Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lane and T. L. Moore were in Gorman Thursday attending the Baptist Worker's Conference.

Jack Murphy, who has been serv

ing with the U. S. Coast Guard, arrived Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. "Babe" Wood of Cotton, California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin. F. M. Wood of Cisco visited them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and granddaughters visited in Hooks over the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Crossley of Rising Star spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Crossley.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Holloway and children, who have been living in Arlington, have returned here to make their home.

James Frank Vaughn visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stephenson the past week-end.

Mrs. Geo. Boles of Sundown is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne.

Miss Ruth Shirley of Perrin, spent the past week-end with Miss Leatrice Greer.

Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield has returned from visits with relatives at Orange, Houston and Austin.

Lt. and Mrs. Leo Roy Usery and son, of El Paso are visiting relatives here.

Otho Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Duncan, and who is on furlough from the Merchant Marines, arrived home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha and Royce McGaha visited Mrs. Mamie Clement in Gorman, Sunday.

Wayne Walker of San Antonio spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

(By Special Correspondent)

Desdemona, March 25 — Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stanley and children of DeLeon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peak and family, Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Rogers and Miss Emma Lou Browning visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stanley and Mrs. Lessell Rogers in DeLeon, Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Williams daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams, and W. T. Yardley were married two weeks ago. Mrs. Williams and Evelyn were residing at Circleback at the time. W. T. has recently been discharged from the

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Navy. The couple will make their home in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Riggs and children of Hygekenridge visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barker and son of Gorman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Malby, Monday night.

Miss Wynan Alread visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Alread, at Odessa the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ervin, Jr. are leaving Wednesday for Abilene where Mr. Ervin will attend college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rogers have received word from their son, J. H. Rogers, who is in the Navy, that he expected to be at home soon.

Mildred Ervin, who is working in a hospital at Ranger, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ervin, this week.

Students of the Senior class, Desdemona High school, are working on the Senior play, "Worrying Willie", which is to be presented soon. There will be more about the play in this column before it is presented.

NEWS FROM Rising Star

RISING STAR, March 28.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Rising Star Co-operative Hospital it was decided to begin construction of the building at once. The board voted to use tile and concrete, with stucco finish outside and plaster inside, in the construction. Present plans being completed by Architect Glenn of Eastland call for 20 beds with additional space to be added if needed.

Jay Koonce, manager of the Rising Star house of Higginbotham Bros. & Co., offered free ambulance service for one year to the Rising Star Co-operative Hospital for patients residing within ten to fifteen miles of the hospital. The offer was accepted with thanks by the directors.

At a recent annual meeting of the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce, Cecil Shultz was reelected president and Jay Koonce vice president. The following were named as directors for the ensuing year: W. J. Herrington, Lewis Jackson, Charles Rutherford, Robert Butler, W. H. Harris, C. P. Watkins and O. B. Cargile. The directors elected J. F. Robertson as secretary - manager for the 24th consecutive term. The principal activity of the Chamber of Commerce for this year will be the construction and putting into operation the Rising Star Co-operative Hospital.

Because water makes up more than 55 per cent of the weight of the live chicken and more than 65 per cent of the egg, experts urge a continuous supply of fresh, clean drinking water for poultry flocks.

NEWS FROM Olden

Olden, March 26 — Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bond had as their guests Monday, their grandson, A. G. Parrack and wife, A. G. was recently discharged from the Army and was enroute to Pecos to resume his former duties with Higginbotham - Bartlett Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coltharp had as their guests Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Coltharp and daughter of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Surds of Terrell; Brice Coltharp and Mrs. Beatrice Long of Burkner.

C. B. Anderson visited from Friday until Sunday with his daughter in Abilene.

Mrs. H. R. Lassiter has received the news that her daughter, Mrs. Claude Woods of Vernon, is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wince Graham of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Holt, Saturday and Sunday.

The Olden Church of Christ held baptismal services at the Ranger Baptist, Sunday at 4:00 p. m.

T. E. Castleberry was visiting in Olden Monday afternoon in the interest of his candidacy for County Commissioner.

Mrs. Alpheus Roberts, who has spent several days here with her father, D. Richardson of Indian Gap, returned home Sunday. Mr. Richardson is to undergo an operation on his eyes soon.

"Uncle" Charley McFadden is able to attend church after his long illness.

"Grandpa" Hamrick, who has been ill, is improving and is able to get around some. He is past 87.

NEWS FROM Morton Valley

(By Special Correspondent)

Morton Valley, March 26 — Rev. and Mrs. Jay Donnelly went to the Baptist Worker's Convention at Gorman, Tuesday, representing the Harmony Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and daughter, Marie, went to Eliasville Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin and daughter, Dorita, visited in the home of Mrs. Harbin's father, J. L. Jones, in Breckenridge, Sunday.

Mrs. Balderee visited her brother in Ranger, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye Crouch recently moved out of this community and located in Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tankersely moved into the home vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and family of Rising Star visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Harrison, Sunday evening.

The Morton Valley gymnasium was burned down Tuesday evening and due to this fact the Parent-Teacher's meeting was called off.

Mrs. C. E. Beck's father, Mr. Freeman of Ranger, is visiting in the Beck home this week. Mr. Freeman has been ill.

Mrs. Jake Craig, who is ill, is in the hospital at Eastland.

North Dakota University agriculture experts recommend a northeast slope as the best place for the farm orchard. If none is available, an "artificial slope" can be created by planting a wind-break on the south and west of the orchard site.

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We Have Just Received Twenty-Five Bath Tubs Also 35,000 feet of different sizes pipe.

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Beginning April 1 the undersigned grocery stores will observe the following opening and closing hours:

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OPEN 7:30 A. M. CLOSE 5:30 P. M.

SATURDAYS

OPEN 7:30 A. M. CLOSE 8:00 P. M.

Piggly-Wiggly Lewey's Grocery

Clover Farm Store A & P Store

NEW PHONE INSTALLED! NOW CALL ..

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FOR TAXI SERVICE

NOTICE..

Beginning April 1 and until further notice, the undersigned will observe the following opening and closing hours:

MONDAYS - TUESDAYS WEDNESDAYS - THURSDAYS FRIDAYS

OPEN 8:30 A. M. CLOSE 5:30 P. M.

SATURDAYS

OPEN 8:30 A. M. CLOSE 8 P. M.

WILSON'S 5-10-25 PERRY BROS. 5-10-25



REFRESHING AS A SPRING BREEZE... ORCHID-ACEOUS BY MARY MUFFET IN NAVY ZEPHYR-SHEER (RAYON)

\$19.95

Altman's

STORE OPEN 9:00 A. M. CLOSES 5:30 P. M.

EXCEPT SATURDAY CLOSES 8:00 P. M.

There were 7,732,000 persons working on farms at the first of 1946, which is about 1,500,000 less than a month earlier and about 250,000 less than a year

MANY ENTRIES FILED FOR COMING SHOW

Officials in charge of the registration of livestock for the annual Eastland County Livestock Association show stated Saturday that entries are coming in thick and fast.

PRODUCTION CREDIT ASS'N HAS MEETING

The annual stockholders meeting of the Production Credit Association for this area was held in Stephenville Monday and those from Ranger attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hagaman and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Donley.

Russian Delegate Asks For Withdrawal Of Iranian Charges



Russian Ambassador to U. S. and UNO Delegate for the USSR, Andrei Gromyko, announces to the UNO Security Council that the Russo-Iranian dispute has been settled in a formal agreement and asks removal of this topic from discussion as the first business session opens in the UNO temporary headquarters at Hunter College, New York. (NEA Telephoto).

Olmes Dr., San Antonio; Mrs. Ruth M. Anderson and son, Odessa. Mrs. Grace L. Tower, Victoria; Mrs. Olivette R. Denny, 3929 LaLac, El Paso; Mrs. Celestine Brady and two sons, Marlin; Mrs. Alice Catherine Arnold and son, Bryan; Mrs. Karla Burrill, 473 E. Olmos Dr., San Antonio; Mrs. Mary C. Schutz and son, 3869 Potomac, Dallas; Mrs. Minnie Elizabeth Dresser and son and daughter, 939 West 7th, Corsicana. Mrs. Helen Ruth Young, Bartlett; Mrs. Doris Christine Blummer, 3029 Forest, Dallas; Mrs. Erma Lea Bays, Breckenridge; Mrs. Helen Wainwright, Box 654, Amarillo; Mrs. Lulu H. Seibt, 1436 Hickory, Abilene; Mrs. Wayne E. Todd and son and daughter, Blue Bonnet Hotel, San Antonio. Mrs. Peggy Bell Keown, 2732 West 6th, Fort Worth; Mrs. Ernest B. Maxwell and son, 2528 May St., Fort Worth; Mrs. Alice J. Tatom, 1912 N. Copie, El Paso; Mrs. Louise M. Maxwell and two daughters, 936 N. Locust, Denton; Mrs. Clethe T. Eldridge, 727 W. Crawford, Denison; Mrs. Ruby Doris Hendricks and son and daughter, Rock Springs; Mrs. Mary Jane Gibson and two daughters, 4233 Carruth Blvd., Dallas.

Spring Cleaning Begun In London Underground

LONDON (UP)—Spring cleaning of London's Underground or "Tubes" has now begun, for the first time in six years.

During the Blitz the Underground stations were more often used as protection than the regular shelters. Some families whose homes were bombed out, lived in the Underground for months on end.

Every night after the last train had run—about 10:30 p. m. during the war—the station platforms became dormitories. Thousands carried cots or blankets with them; later on the Army supplied folding beds and these were unstacked and put up each night.

A survey shows that 47 per cent of the population of the New England region is native white stock, while 51 per cent are foreign-born white stock—meaning they are either foreign-born or children of foreign-born.

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Entries in the sheep and goat field are five head by Ralph Prater of Owens who won four of the five first places last year at the West Cross Timbers Sheep and Goat Raisers show in Mineral Wells.

W. D. Mullis of Brooksmith has entered five head and is also one of the winners in last year's Mineral Wells show.

Avery Stewart of Bangs has entered five head and Dr. Bob Hodges of Ranger has entered 12 head.

Louis Tongate of Brownwood has six animals filed for the show and J. L. Harris of Eastland will show the Ralph Prater ram that won second place in the Mineral Wells show last year. Harris bought this ram at the Mineral Wells sale.

Wallace Perkins of Zephyr has entered five head which were winners in the Brownwood show this year and Jonell Penney will show a pearling ewe that won in the Mineral Wells show last year.

H. C. Wilkinson will show 12 head and W. H. Simmons of Brownwood will show several head. Simmons is considered one of the most successful breeders in Texas.

At the meeting the annual report was given indicating a very successful year for the association. Plans were also made to encourage purchase of stock locally in order to retire the remaining stock held by the government. The association was originally organized with government capital but most of this has been retired. The organization makes loans to farmers and ranchers and every man who borrows from the association becomes a stockholder.

W. B. Starr of Cisco, E. B. Shannon of Stephenville and T. W. Winters of Hamilton were elected to the directorate and other directors are R. E. Seay, president, both of Stephenville, Leslie Hagaman was placed on the nominating committee for 1947.

Counties included in the association are Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Hood, Johnson, Parker, Somervell, Tarrant and Wise. Field offices are located at Comanche, Decatur, Eastland, Ft. Worth and Cleburne. C. W. McCain is head of the Eastland office.

Bill Bacon, Jr., of Cisco has one entry and Robert Johnson of Goldthwaite will show the sheep that he had in the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show.

FIFTY TEXAS WIVES TO JOIN HUSBANDS IN EUROPE

WASHINGTON, Mar. 27. (UP)—A total of 50 Texas wives and 34 children will be among the approximately 1,200 women and children who will participate in the first mass movement of military dependents to the European Theater during April, the War Department disclosed today.

Three women and two children were listed from New Mexico. The list subject to emergency additions or cancellations, follows:

Texas: Mrs. Rebecca H. Van Houton and daughter, 533 LaMonte Ave., San Antonio; Mrs. Bernice M. Brown and two sons, 519 Queen Anne Ct., San Antonio; Mrs. Ellen B. Saad, Route 9, San Antonio; Mrs. Elizabeth Steinbring and daughter, Route 1, New Braunfels; Mrs. Maurine Linda Pollock and daughter, Crosbyton; Mrs. Ione Martin and daughter, 811 North 8th St., Temple; Mrs. Angeline S. Matthews, 4931 Bryan St., Dallas; Mrs. Betty J. Martens, Port Arthur; Mrs. Jewell West Stewart and son and daughter, Blanco. Mrs. Margaret C. Lemly and daughter, 114 E. Hermosa Drive, San Antonio; Mrs. Frances C. Riley and son and daughter, Pottsboro; Mrs. Gertrude P. Reinburg and daughter, 410 Terrell Rd., San Antonio; Mrs. Gladys M. Moran, 215 Evans Ave., San Antonio; Mrs. Jean S. Perkins and daughter, Brownsville; Mrs. Annie R. Thompson, Box 2433, Houston; Mrs. Mary E. Lefner and son, 1414 Brady Ave., Brownwood; Mrs. Laura Scherer, 1712 N. Mesa El Paso; Mrs. Nita R. Mayfield, 1811 Nickerson St., Austin; Mrs. Lorraine M. Dolle and two sons, 5101 Linden, Bellaire. Mrs. Helen T. Westphaling and two sons, 123 Grant Avenue, San Antonio; Mrs. Bonnie White, Coleman; Mrs. Arlene L. Peden and son, Weatherford; Mrs. Sunshine Lyle, 4204 Victor, Dallas; Mrs. Mary F. Truman, Addison; Mrs. Christine G. Gilmour, Menard; Mrs. Willard C. Merriam, Mineral Wells; Mrs. Margaret Mottley and son, 408 S. Sycamore, Palestine; Mrs. Jacquelyn O'Neal Reavley, 1200 Belmont Dr., Tyler; Mrs. Maxine M. Rutledge, 1502 W.

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OUT OF COOLER TO COOLER

Wichita Falls, Tex., (UP)—Police found hiding in the icebox of a burglarized cafe, has been Jodie Brooks, the young man given two years in the state "cooler" by a district court jury.

Money to Loan ON FARMS and RANCHES SEE FRED BROWN EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK

ATTENTION VETERANS!

New Classes Beginning at **Hardin-Simmons University**

In freshman and sophomore English, mathematics, business administration, physics, chemistry and probably other subjects leading to B.A. and B.S. degrees, or credit in pre-engineering, pre-law or pre-medicine.

MONDAY, APRIL 1

Veterans, as well as other students, can complete six or nine semester hours work during this nine-week short term, closing June 1.

Students Will Be Enrolled **SATURDAY, MARCH 30**

For Further Information telephone or write **R. A. COLLINS, Dean HARDIN-SIMMONS UNIVERSITY ABILENE, TEXAS PHONE 3824**

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At the new low prices for your electric service you'll be able to use and enjoy at the lowest cost ever the new appliances now appearing in stores.

Start now ... get in the swing of electrical living at still lower prices!

FRONT PAGE NEWS

We're Investing \$8,000,000.00 to provide more and better Electric Service for West Texas

This construction program is under way ... The two-year program provides for new power lines and enlarging power plants ... the investment of \$8,000,000 in new capital.

The Company has faith in the area which it serves, and is looking ahead, planning ahead ... building ahead ... so that our customers, large and small, will always have plenty of cheap and dependable power. Our building program will provide jobs for hundreds of men during the next two important years.

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For downright comfort, I wouldn't swap my cottage for the finest mansion unless I could take my closet furnace with me. This, you know, is the vented gas appliance that provides luxurious automatic central heat. It was installed when house was built and is financed as part of total house cost. Therefore, central heat, considering its advantages, costs me little, if any, more than ordinary heat. No wonder Lone Star Gas Company recommends closet furnace for heating cottages. Of course, it is vented to a flue.

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WTCC ACTIVITIES REPORT EMPHASIZES FOUR PLANKS

ABILENE, March 22 — The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, as per the March report to the membership on activities by regional commissions and staff, is bearing down on four planks in the 1946 program of work. They are on the labor-management crisis as currently reflected in damaging strikes; the national advertising campaign for getting West Texas' industrial advantages before business executives around the country; business aid for returned war veterans; and freight rate paid on raw goods produced in the area and moving under commodity rates.

The WTCC has placed before the labor committees in the U. S. Congress its call upon the government to enact, in behalf of the public interest, legislation for curbing "offending labor management the same as offending business management" and for peacefully settling labor-capital controversies "to the end that peacetime reconstruction may be hastened and the public welfare be enhanced." The chamber is urging passage of H. R. 4908 by Rep. Francis Case of South Dakota, passed in February by the House but now receiving a mangle in the Senate Labor Committee. This bill provides for creation of a new labor-management public mediation board with conclusive powers to arbitrate disputes; for mutual contract liability of employers and employees; and denial of reemployment rights where violence is used in picketing or boycotts.

On industrial advertising, the WTCC is contacting the 60 local chambers of commerce that are affiliated in the West Texas Industrial Development Bureau, asking whether they believe returns from the national campaign to date justify its enlargement on a major scale. So far, the West Texas message has been carried in

five Eastern periodicals with display ads contracted for in two more.

Replies have been received from several hundred industrialists in 28 states asking for more information on West Texas' resources and potentialities. To the inquirer the chamber is sending the full statistical story of the area. Local managers have been asked to report on any tangible or promising developments accruing to date from inquiries referred to them.

On veterans aid, the WTCC in February applied for and has been designated as a "Training on the Job" Facility for returned servicemen. This, under Public Law 346 (78th Congress) providing that veterans wanting to learn trades, businesses or professions, and designated to take training, will get their pay from both the employer and government. The application and subsequent designation to the WTCC covered not only itself but all affiliated chambers electing to offer this service to veterans. For its part the regional organization is preparing to employ at least two G. I.'s giving them training in study of public expenditure, legislation, public relations, publicity and organizational procedure.

On the freight rates issue, in which long campaign for mile-for-mile equality in rates with the North and East the WTCC has been a pioneer and leader, a comprehensive study is being made on comparative rate levels applied, here and elsewhere, to cotton, grains, oil, livestock, wool, mohair and other raw goods produced in volume and moving under commodity rates. The chamber says discrimination against its area, and against all Texas, can and will be proven, and will be placed before the Interstate Commerce Commission with request to start hearings.

GLAMOROUS GOWNS THROUGH BAG MAGIC



Sad sacks? Not on your life! Cotton bags lead glamorous lives these modern days. Housekeepers are ripping them up to carry out sewing ideas almost inconceivable. The pleased smile is credited to the tricky sack frock (left), with material dyed to match the stripe in the sleeves and back waist. Sweet cotton wear for children is illustrated in the tiny yellow dress edged in white lace. At home as a Sunday best, the two-piece dyed a moss green (right) explains how the cotton sack has moved into the

CHANGE MADE IN HANDLING OF GI CLAIMS

Faced with a backlog of 140,000 unpaid servicemen's readjustment allowance claims, the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission after Monday, March 25, will begin taking veterans claims every two weeks instead of once a week, it was announced today.

Reason for the change is that the Texas Commission cannot obtain additional machines and equipment to handle the increased number of claims filed weekly. Payments to the unemployed recently discharged veterans will be speeded by the change over. Also, the Commission is seeking to reduce administrative expenses of this rapidly growing program, which now has more than 110,000 veterans actively claiming allowances, it was pointed out.

Overall amount of the entitlement under Title V of the G. I. Bill of Rights—a maximum of \$2 weekly payments of \$20 each—will not be affected. However, under the new procedure, unemployed veterans will report every 14 days instead of seven days and they will claim two weekly payments instead of one. Self-employed claim-taking procedures will remain unchanged.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—



ALLAN SHIVERS ANNOUNCES FOR LT. GOV.

Announcement was made today by Allan Shivers, from his home in Port Arthur, that he would be a candidate for Lieutenant Governor in the coming Democratic Primary. Shivers, 38, is married and the father of two children. He was born in Lufkin, Angelina County; reared at Woodville, Tyler County; and resided at Port Arthur, Jefferson County, for the past 20 years.

Although exempt from military service under the Selective Service Act, by virtue of his membership in the State Senate, Shivers volunteered and served 2 years with the army in Africa, Italy, France and Germany.

Location Made For Oil Test In Erath County

Location has been made for a 2,500 foot oil test east of Russell in the corner of Erath county adjacent to the Eastland County line.

The test is being made by J. E. Cheek of Ulysess, Kansas and supervision of the work is being done by Glen Pool of Wichita Falls, operating out of Ranger. C. M. Echols of Breckenridge has the drilling contract and drilling will be done by a spudder. The well is located on a 54 acre tract, 990 feet from the west and 155 feet from the south line on the Luey Russell land. It was stated that at least two wells will be drilled on the property.

SEEKS OFFICE CAPT. JENKINS' DIARY

1880 to 1890

Excerpts from Capt. Jenkins' Diary

May 1 1889—"At the Sunday school picnic today", some boy ringing the bell, pulled too hard on the ropes, causing the bell to fall just as Miss Henson was coming out, striking her on the head and knocking her senseless—her escape was miraculous.

May 12 — Ike Smick's son was thrown from his horse today. The horse fell on his breast.

May 13 — The Smick boy died today from injuries received when his horse fell on him.

May 21 — Married this morning at the Methodist Church by the Rev. M. Thomas, Mr. Hutchin to Miss Bid Hammonds, oldest daughter of Judge Hammonds—all of Texas.

May 22 — Died this morning, Mrs. Kimball, mother of J u n e Kimball. She was from Kentucky and was making her home with her children in Eastland. She was an accomplished lady, a good Christian and her death is much lamented.

May 29 — Last night about 12 o'clock a young cyclone struck Eastland City. It spent its force on the saloon and cock-pit on the north side of the square, tearing out the front and breaking the large glass window. It blew down sheds and porches, fortunately, no lives were lost.

May 31 — Aunt Polly Smith, her daughter, Mrs. Lovelady and her two granddaughters left Eastland after a short visit. Hope they will arrive home safe.

May 31 — In the last three months there have been 4 n e w pianos bought by ladies in Eastland, Mrs. Tidwell, Mrs. Doctor Trader, Mrs. Butler and professor Newby's wife. Eastland is becoming refined and musical. . .

June 8, 1889 — The first roasting-ears were brought to town by Mr. Steel of Gunsight.

June 9 — Dr. Trader's horse ran away with his buggy. If a little child was in the buggy waiting for him to get in—the horse ran, struck a tree, became detached from the harness, breaking the buggy and strange to say the child escaped with only a slight bruise.

June 13 — This morning Bill

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Day's son killed a rattle snake with 12 rattles.

June 23 — The heavy rain, or water spout, broke the new tank in J. T. Townsend's pasture.

July 2 — Mrs. Goff died this morning after a long illness. She was from Kentucky.

July 4, 1889 — This was the holiest day in Eastland for the last 10 years.

July 8 — Our old and faithful dog was shot this morning by our sheriff, I. Smick.

July 24 — The Mexican section hands were turned off today for refusing to work on Sunday, which shows their morals to be better than the average Texan.

August 17 — J. T. Townsend had 4 horses and colts badly crippled and one fine horse killed by the T&P railroad.

August — 26 — Today about 3 p. m. the gin house near the Hotel was set on fire by parties unknown. Nice state of affairs for a town that has three churches and three Sunday Schools in full blast all the year round. "Something rotten in Denmark."

Aug. 27 — Cutting scrape between two boys 12 and 16 years of age. The eldest boy was badly cut.

Sept. 2 — Fine shower of rain, first in five weeks. The new cotton gin started this morning.

Sept. 21 — The new Roller Mill made a trial run this morning and every thing moved like clock work. Bring on your wheat and corn. Mr. A. Connelley is doing everything in his power to please and accommodate the people.

Nov. 12 — Snow storm, first of the season, 4 inches deep, not very cold.

Nov. 12 — Young Will Dulin who could not find a young girl to suit him, marries a widow and starts house keeping with t w o children.

Dec. 17 — Weather warm—too warm to cure bacon. Fleas, ticks, chinchies, butterflies, blue-flies and horned toads made their appearance today.

Dec. 20 — Ed Wood, today made his first broom on his new patented broom machine.

Dec. 24 — Johnnie Townsend made her first pound cake today. It was very good.

Dec. 29 — Billy Townsend left today to attend the lectures at the Medical College in New Orleans.

Amphibian Tanks Speed Surveys In Swamplands

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UP) — "Water buffaloes" equipped with "Walkietalkies" have been invading a new kind of beachhead along the Colorado River, according to the Bureau of Reclamation which has been using them to speed up river control surveys in the tule swamps.

Turned over the bureau by the U. S. Naval Landing Force depot at Albany, Cal., the war developed LVT-III's have shoved their blunt noses into many places along the river that formerly were inaccessible or were reached only by days of rough going through paths cut in the heavy vegetation.

In tests held in the swamps between Needles and Topock, the amphibious tanks plowed their way through the tules and willows, their cleared caterpillar tracks and armored bellies crushing obstacles in their path.

"Walkie-talkie" radios are used by the survey crews to keep in touch with one another.

'Liberal' Leader



Rep. George E. Outland (D., Calif.), seeking a permanent "liberal bloc" in Congress to support "progressive legislation," is attempting to organize the 116 backers of the full employment bill. Aim of the bloc, which will act as a unit, will be "to foster everything dealing with the field of economic betterment," he said.

EASTLAND COUNTY BABY PHOTO CONTEST \$140.00 CASH In Prizes

- * FIRST PRIZE - \$50.00 in Cash and Beautiful Engraved Loving Cup.
- * SECOND PRIZE - \$25.00 Cash and Ribbon.
- * THIRD PRIZE - \$15.00 Cash and Ribbon.
- * NEXT 10 PRIZES - \$5.00 Each.

Children from infancy to 7 years may be entered in contest. Low entry fee of 2.50 pays for entry with choice of two poses, and one 5x7 double weight matte picture. At close of contest pictures will be given to parents. Winners will be chosen by three impartial out of County Judges.

Opens April 1st Closes June 30th SHULTZ PHOTO STUDIO

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GOD'S PRESENCE ON EARTH AND HIS JUDGEMENTS ON MAN

Have Characterized The Ending Of Every Period or dispensation during which man's obedience to some specific revelation of the will of God has been tested. We are witnessing the ending of the sixth such period, which like its predecessors, is ending with man's failure and God's judgments will soon follow. Bring your Bibles, and sit in Dr. McGraw's Bible class Sunday at 9:45 Sunday morning.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Rev. W. B. Walker will be the special speaker at a special Pre-Dedication opening of the new church at W. Main and Connellee, Sunday at 3:00 p. m. A special invitation is extended to everyone to be present who can do so. Rev. Walker, Dist. superintendent will speak also at the evening services Sunday.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

NOTICE

Beginning April 1 the following clothing stores are to observe the following opening and closing hours:

MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY - FRIDAY
OPEN 9:00 A. M. CLOSE 5:30 P. M.
SATURDAYS
Open Until 8:00 P. M.

Burrs Store **Altman's**
Carl Johnson **The Men's Shop**
J. C. Penney Co. **D. L. Houle Shop**

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Colorful and Beautifully Styled Print Dresses for Spring

Gayest of all spring fashions are these charming prints. One and two piece styles with every new innovation on the calendar. Lines that play up your very best points for the new silhouette—



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SUNDAY & MONDAY

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Added... For the Ladies "Fashion-of-Tomorrow"

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SOUTH WARD P.T.A. MEETS

The South Ward P.T.A. met Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Wade Massengale. The meeting opened with ensemble singing of America, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. H. Durham.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Wade Massengale; first vice-president, Mrs. L. E. Huckaday; second vice-president, Mrs. Gerald Wingate; third vice-president, Mrs. Neil Day; secretary, Mrs. Johnnie Kilgore; treasurer, Mrs. C. L. Little.

The organization is planning a bridge and 42 tournament, date to be announced.

Mrs. Jack Murhead gave a review of the life of Enrico Caruso. Mrs. Marvin Hood's room had the most mothers present.

A social hour followed the program in the cafeteria, with second grade mothers as hostesses.

BUILDERS' CIRCLE MEETS

The Builders Circle of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nell Moore, 309 South Mulberry.

Mrs. James Horton, chairman, presided. Mrs. R. C. Ferguson gave the devotional on appreciation.

Mrs. H. G. Vermillion gave a talk on managing your moods. Mrs. W. A. Martin of Donna was a visitor. Nineteen were present.

ALPHAS' MEETING TODAY

Famous Women of Today is the subject of the program of the Alpha Delphian Club meeting today, March 29th, at the Club House. The regular meeting date, March 28th, being changed. Mrs. L. C. Brown is hostess. Mrs. Leroy Arnold will discuss women in politics. Women in Arts by Mrs. Marvin Hood and Mrs. F. H. Porter will talk on Women in Science.

MEMBERS OF METHODIST JUNIOR CHORAE GIVEN PICNIC

Members of the First Methodist Church Junior Choir of which Mrs. F. L. Dragoon is director, were entertained recently with a picnic given by Mesdames John Wesley Ford, Ed. F. Wilman, Frank Hightower, and B. R. Jones, at the Eastland City Park.

Following an hour in which games were played refreshments consisting of hot-dogs, sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and punch were served to the following:

Milton Jones, Mary Claire, Barbara and Rebecca Ford, Jessie Whaley, Ray and Bess Hurt, Earline Miller, Allan Vermillion, Earl Conner, H. Rodney Stephen, Carroll Massengale, Jim Ed Willman, Charles Collins, Judy Haines, Shirley Frazer, Shirley and Barbara Hightower, Eileen Vaughn, John Whitley, Caroleyn Enos, Paula D. Harvey, Virginia Spence, Charlotte Van Hoy, Monelle Pullman, Joel Jones and Nancy Merrill.

W. H. MULLING CELEBRATES 74th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. H. Mulling entertained for her husband on his 74th birthday, Sunday, March 24, at their home in Eastland. A turkey dinner with all of the trimmings was served at noon.

Among those present were their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Barker and husband of Cleburne; a son, Maurice, wife and little daughter, Karen, of Garland, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Franklin of Decatur. Another son, Ward Mulling of Galveston was physically unable to attend.

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CELEBRATES 5TH BIRTHDAY

Saturday afternoon, March 23rd Mrs. F. H. Toombs entertained for her daughter, Mary Ann, on her 5th birthday at their home at 201 South Ammerman.

The home was decorated with blue and forsythia.

Mrs. Frank Hightower and Mrs. Mrs. Kovack assisted Mrs. Toombs in the entertainment. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Plate favors were tiny fancy baskets.

Those attending were Ann Chaney, Barbara Hightower, Mary Angelina Vaughn, Virginia Ellen Olsham, Charlotte Vaughn, Mari Anne and Jo Fran Kovack, Dianne and Don Enos.

PIONEER WOMEN MEET

The Women's 50-year Pioneer club met Tuesday, March 26, at the First Christian church annex with Mrs. T. A. Bendy as hostess. She was assisted by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. F. Bendy.

Mrs. Florine Martin gave the invocation at the covered dish luncheon. Mrs. May Harrison, president, presided over the business session.

STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB MEETS

The Stitch and Chatter Club had a "Come as you are Breakfast" at the home of Mrs. G. L. Whitley on High Street. Delicious coffee and hot doughnuts were served to the following members:

Mrs. A. K. Garrett, Mrs. Clarence Penn, Mrs. Henry Van Geen, Mrs. J. C. Poe, Mrs. Howard Upchurch, Mrs. Bob Burkett, Mrs. A. M. McHee, Mrs. Parks Poe, Mrs. Tom Lovelace Jr., Mrs. Hilton Kuykendall, Mrs. C. L. Owen and the hostess Mrs. G. L. Whitley.

MRS. LIGON HOSTESS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SOCIAL

The Martha Dorcas Class of the Methodist church regular social was at the home of Mrs. Ella Ligon Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Omar Mickle, Mrs. Frank Castleberry, and Mrs. Earl Bender as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Jean Perdue presided at the business session. The devotional from the 103rd Psalm, Talk on "Be Silent and the Lord will Reward You", by Mrs. W. S. Marlin. Following the program games were played and refreshments of cheese sandwiches, fruit punch, and salted pecans were served.

CAPT. DON JONES AND ALVA ROPER MARRY MARCH 5 IN WINSLOW ARIZONA

Winslow, Ariz., March 26 — Quiet wedding rites united Miss Alva Roper and Captain Donald A. Jones Tuesday evening, March 5, in the Warren Avenue Church of Christ, with L. W. Mayo, minister, officiating during the ceremony.

The newlyweds were attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Phillips of Winslow.

The bride chose for her wedding a teal blue suit with black patent accessories and a corsage of white carnations and red roses.

Mrs. Phillips wore an attractive spring dress with black patent accessories and a corsage of white carnations and pink roses.

After the ceremony a small reception was held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Church, 215 East Cherry.

Mrs. Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roper of Eastland, and Capt. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones of Goose Creek, Texas. Both attended schools in Texas.

The bridegroom was formerly stationed in Winslow with the Air Transport Command. Mrs. Jones worked for the navy out at the base, where the couple will make their home.

Miss Roper finished Eastland High School and attended Cisco Junior College for two years.

WEST WARD MOTHERS MEET

The West Ward Mothers' Club held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. L. E. Corbell presiding.

The meeting was opened with the group singing "America". The I.T.A. prayer was led by Mrs. McDonald. Mrs. Geo. Groselose program chairman, presented a n informal program. Benny Coghburn gave a reading. Mrs. Curtis Koen accompanied Mrs. George Groselose in singing "Sentimental Journey" and "Mexicali Rose". Kay Groselose also gave a reading.

Mrs. H. G. Vermillion gave an inspiring talk on "Managing our Moods".

A social hour followed the business meeting and program.

Guests adjourned to the cafeteria where Mrs. C. M. McClesky and Mrs. Zona Greer served refreshments to 20 members and guests.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial Services were conducted Sunday, March 24th, in a Los Angeles Church of Christ for Steve Pearl Prauner of Eastland. Radio Technician Prauner lost his life about March 1, 1945 while on combat duty with the Air Corps in the Lucian Islands, according to official information furnished relatives here and in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Iola Mitchell left Tuesday for her home in New Orleans, La., after a visit with friends in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Phillips of Wichita Falls were Sunday guests of her father, W. H. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. Joe Stephen attended the District Teachers Convention at Abilene Saturday. W. G. Womack attended also.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Eddleman and son, Robert, were week-end guests of her father, W. C. E. Hickman in Wichita Falls.

MRS. ALFORD ENTERTAINED

Friends of Mrs. Edgar A. Alford (nee Betty Jean Walker) entertained with a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Billy Jack Daffern (nee Ruth Lawson).

Hot spiced tea and cake was served to about thirty.

PERSONALS

Miss Maurice Jones, attending Mary Hardin-Baylor at Belton, was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, from Thursday to Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. J. Jessop is visiting relatives at Topeka and other places in Kansas.

Jack Kimble, son of Mr. and Mrs. June Kimble, formerly of Eastland but now residing in Ft. Worth, is quite ill at his home. His wife is the former Miss Zona Self.

Max Kimble has just returned to his home in Fort Worth from Europe.

Happy Hightower and Jim Golden were in Fort Worth Wednesday to greet him. Max has been discharged from service.

W. G. Smith of the Willy-Willys Furniture Mart will attend the Convention of the South-west Furniture dealers meeting in Galveston April 1 to 3.

Melvin Spain, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spain, came in Saturday having been discharged from the armed forces after 2 years and 7 months overseas with the Navy.

The Baptist church of Olden is planning a revival beginning April 7th.

Mrs. N. P. McCarthy is in Temple this week with her mother who is going through the clinic.

LT. and Mrs. Pat Miller, who have been stationed in Rhode Island, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bender. Lt. Miller has been placed on the inactive list of the Navy. They visited his parents at Troy before coming to Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Castleberry left Sunday afternoon for their home in Kilgore. Mrs. Castleberry has been employed by the Chronicle for some time.

Mrs. E. D. Walcott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Titworth, is in a Gorman hospital recovering from an appendectomy performed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Titworth, who have been in West Texas for some time, are now at their home southwest of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bockman and children of Albany visited her mother, Mrs. Lula Burton and her relatives at Olden over the past week-end.

Churches

BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner Flummer and Lamar
F. H. Porter, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship — 10:55 a. m.
Training Union — 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship — 7:30 p. m.
W. M. S. and Sunbeam — 3:30 p. m. Monday

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Orval Hibbeck, Minister
Corner Daugherty and West Flummer
Bible Class — 10:00 a. m.
Worship — 11:00 a. m.
Young People's worship 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship — 7:30 p. m.
Monday
Ladies Bible class — 2:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting — 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

THE CHURCH OF GOD
At Lamar and West Valley Streets
W. E. Hallenbeck, Pastor
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Preaching — 11:00 a. m.
Young people meeting 7:00 p. m.
Evening Service — 7:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service — 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Valley and Walnut
M. P. Elder, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:50 a. m.
Preaching services each second and fourth Sundays.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.
Young people meeting 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship — 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
New Location
West Main and Connellee
F. F. Fike, pastor
Sunday
9:45 a. m. — Sunday School
10:50 a. m. — Morning Worship
7:30 p. m. — Young People
7:30 p. m. — Junior Society

Mrs. Robert Cornute, little son and daughter, of Brownsville were guests last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hood

Mrs. D. O. Trigg plans to go after her daughter, Margaret and Dorothy, who are attending school at Denton, next week. They will be home from March 4th to the 10th.

Miss Loretta Morris, instructor of Home Economics in High school, attended the Oil Belt District Unit No. 7 Texas State Teachers Convention in Abilene Saturday.

Judge Clyde Grissom, Mrs. Grissom and daughter, Miss Emily Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, returned Monday from New Orleans where they went Thursday, March 21st, to investigate the Sophie Newcomb School for Miss Emily Jean, who is a Senior in High School.

8:15 p. m. — Evangelistic Service
Wednesday
8:15 p. m. — Prayer Meeting
Thursday
2:00 p. m. — Missionary Society

ST. FRANCES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Mulberry and Olive
John W. Ford, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. S. — 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship — 7:30 p. m.
W. S. C. S. — Monday — 3 p. m.
Men's Choir rehearsal — 6:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Corner Lamar and Olive
Weems S. Dykes, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:45 a. m.
Men's Bible Class — 10 a. m.
Morning Worship and Communion Service — 11:00 a. m.
C.Y.F. — 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service — 7:30 p. m.
Missionary Society meets each first Monday.
Church Board meets each first Sunday night.

OLDEN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Clark, Pastor.
Sunday School — 10 A. M.
Morning Services — 11 A. M.
Evening Services — 7 P. M.
Preaching services each first and third Sundays of each month.

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH IN JESUS NAME

Helen Murphy, Pastor
Corner Dixie and Patterson Sts.
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service — 11:00 a. m.
Sunday, Wednesday and Saturday Services at — 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 31.
The Golden Text is: "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any praise, and if there be any praiseworthy, think on these things" (Philippians 4:8).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson - Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord" (Hebrews 12:14).
The Lesson - Sermon also includes the following passage from

Associational Workers Meet Held In Gorman

The Cisco Associational Workers Conference was held Thursday March 21st from 10:00 a. m. until 3:00 p. m. in Gorman at the First Baptist church. The program started with a song service and devotional by Glenn Wilson of Carbon after which F. D. C. Ham of Ranger gave a talk on Spiritual Preparation in Evangelism. Rev. Jay Handley of Harmony talked on "The Christian's Witness in Evangelism," and Rev. H. M. Weldon of Albany on A Church in Evangelism.

Special music was furnished by the Gorman church and Rev. Fred Porter of Eastland delivered the sermon.

Luncheon was served at 1:30 by the women of the First Baptist church of Gorman.

After luncheon a board meeting and W.M.U. program was held and the closing feature was a sermon on Organization in Evangelism by the missionary for the association Henry Littleton.

Those attending from the First Baptist church in Ranger were; Mmes. C. B. Pruet, Carl Bankston, L. L. Bruce, T. C. Gordon, Elsie Oliphant, and Rev. D. C. H. a. M. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of Olden also attended.

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