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## City Water Rates Changed To Boost Revenues

### Smallest Users' Bills Are Reduced; Rest Are Increased

Marked changes in Eastland water rates, whereby smallest users of water will pay somewhat less and large users will pay more, were announced this week by city officials.

The changes were endorsed by a special committee of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, and later were approved at a general meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday morning.

The old rate allowed use of 15,000 gallons of water per month for a minimum charge of \$2.25. Remainder of the \$3 minimum billing was the 75 cent sewer charge.

The old rate allows use of 3,000 gallons per month at a minimum billing of \$2 for water, with a 10 per cent discount for early payment. The sewer charge remains the same for small users, thus making the minimum payment \$2.45 as against the old \$3 minimum.

After the 3,000 gallons have been used, water costs will increase swiftly, with the next 10,000 gallons to cost 28 cents per thousand. The rate drops to 26 cents per thousand for the next 10,000 gallons, then to 22 cents and finally to 20 cents for all water used over 33,000 gallons per month.

Under the old rate, the person using 15,000 gallons per month had a water sewer bill of \$3; under the new rate, his bill would be \$5.45.

At the meeting Wednesday, Bob Vaughan, member of the committee that worked with the City Commission on the rate, said that in his opinion the water rate change, while needed, was only an expedient for getting more money for operation of the water system, and was not a solution to the city's financial problems.

City Manager K. B. Tanner said it was estimated the new rate would bring in about \$5,000 to \$6,000 more per year in water revenues.

This amount is needed right now, he said to make some replacements and additions to the water system. In fact, an engineer who surveyed the system about two years ago recommended the spending of about \$83,000 to bring it up to par, Tanner said.

First move to be made with any additional revenue will be to put in a standby pump to relieve the load on the old pump that has been running faithfully for 20 years, he said. Another needed move is to put in an additional water line from Lake Eastland to the city filtration plant; another is to put in more settling basins at the plant; another is to put in an automatic chemical injection system at the plant.

Tanner scouted the idea he said he had heard that the new water rate had been set up to get money for the Municipal Airport, or for any other reason than to keep the water system operating.

He cited figures to show that the water system has lost money in every year of operation recently, a condition he attributed partly to the fact that \$1500 of water and sewer revenues has to be paid each month on bonded indebtedness. Since there are approximately 1100 water users in the city, that means that each water user has to pay about \$1.25 each month to the bonded debt and interest.

Tanner said the city's water problems might be met by issuing more bonds, but that he was against it; the big financial problems of today are caused by the bonds issued in the 1920's, he said.

President Fred Brown of the Chamber of Commerce commented that it was a case of "the sins of the fathers being visited on the third and fourth generation." Tanner said about \$274,000 in bonds are outstanding on the water system, and they are to pay out in a little more than 20 years from now.

The new rate sets up higher sewer use charges for large users of water.

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### To Sing At Majestic Opening



Marty, Kay, Pat and Jo, featured vocalists with Frankie Masters' Orchestra who will appear on the stage of the new Majestic Theatre in Eastland at the opening next Thursday night, Feb. 13. On the screen will be "Margie", starring Jeanne Crain. Interstate Theatre officials will speak.

### Car License Sales Over \$650 Raised To Begin Monday By March Of Dimes

Although Eastland County's 1947 automobile licenses were in the tax collector's office this week, it will be at least Monday before any will be sold, it was said in the office.

Reason for the delay is the failure of receipt forms to arrive from Austin.

It was hoped the receipt would be here over the week end so sale of the licenses can begin Monday. Early purchasing of the licenses was urged to avoid the usual late rush, but when the plates should be put on cars was another question.

Word from Austin was that it no longer is considered illegal to put on the licenses before March 1, as it had been in former years, but highway patrolmen in Eastland warned that licenses put on before then will give the car owner no protection if the car is stolen.

Reason for this is that no files are made up of license purchasers before March 1, it was said, and officers out of the county would be handicapped in looking for a stolen car with the new plates on it.

### Pythians Invited To Meeting In Abilene

Members of the Knights of Pythias Lodge in Eastland have been asked to attend a meeting of the Abilene lodge Tuesday evening at which national knights officers will be present. The meeting will be in the Windsor Hotel ballroom at 7:30 p. m.

Officers to be present include Supreme Chancellor Willard M. Kent, Supreme Representative Col. Royal G. Phillips and the Grand Keeper of Records and Seals Theo Yarbrough.

### Optometrist To Open Office In Eastland

Dr. R. L. Clinkscales, who has been an optometrist in Waco for 11 years, this week announced purchase of the optometry equipment of the late Dr. E. A. Beskow, and said he will practice in the Beskow Jewelry Store office formerly occupied by Dr. Beskow.

Dr. Clinkscales and his wife are the parents of one son, a pre-medical student in Baylor University.

### Singer To Appear At Colored Church

Ethel Martin of Los Angeles, colored singer of spirituals and other songs, will appear in the First Baptist Church, colored, of Eastland at 8 p. m. Friday, it was announced by the pastor, Rev. A. L. Dunn.

There will be no admission at the door, but a free will offering will be taken, he said.

### Three Groups Seek Approval For Local Radio Station

Three applications to operate radio stations in Eastland were reported Thursday to be on file in Washington with the Federal Communications Commission.

One of the applications was filed by a group of Eastland and Brownwood men for a 250-watt daytime station. In the group are Dan Childress and J. W. Courtney, Eastland County ranchers; Grady Pipkin, Eastland grocery chain owner; Don Hill, Eastland hotel owner; Gordon Griffin, Brownwood attorney and Alton N. Stewart, Brownwood radio engineer.

Another application, according to a news syndicate story, was filed for a 500-watt daytime station here by Robert W. Chapman and Manning L. Trammel.

Who Chapman and Trammel are a puzzle to a number of Eastland people who were asked Thursday. The third application was by a group of Fort Worth and Eastland men who had not disclosed themselves Thursday.

The rush of applications was caused by an FCC deadline of Feb. 7, Friday, for filing.

Childress said that his group would be locally controlled in that 60 per cent of the stock would be owned in Eastland and the net worth of the six sponsors is over \$750,000.

If their application is granted, he said, it is planned to put the studios in the Roof Garden of the Connellee Hotel, owned by Hill, one of the backers.

### Race Relations Program Arranged

Race Relations Day will be observed in Eastland Sunday with a meeting at the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. to which "the people of Eastland, regardless of race, color, or creed are invited," it was announced this week.

Rev. H. T. Wise of the Greater Little Flock Baptist Church, colored, and Rev. E. R. Gordon of the First Methodist Church will be speakers at the service.

The three colored churches of Eastland will provide the choir, and one of their members, Mrs. Vivian Jones, will sing a special number.

Rev. Weems Dykes, who announced the service, quoted Author Philip Wylie as saying of war, "Will it come? The answer is up to you personally. Are you ready to behave in literal fact all the rest of your life as the brother of every person in every nation and race on earth? No? Then don't say I didn't warn you — one more miserable time!"

### Pease Pleases Crowd In Eastland Concert

James Pease, concert baritone who lately piloted a B-17 from Texas fields, gave a crowd-pleasing performance in a Community Concerts program in the Eastland High School auditorium Monday night.

The crowd enjoyed Pease's singing, but it seemed to enjoy also the playing of his accompanist, Oscar Eiermann, who was called back for two encores after his group, and had to refuse another, blushing.

### Mrs. Ruth Branton Goes To Odessa

Mrs. Ruth Branton former county treasurer is visiting relatives in Odessa. Mrs. Branton has rented her home here, and said that it was likely that she would make her home in Odessa permanently. Her younger son, Donald, had gone to Dallas, where he was to join the Marines. Mrs. Branton is the guest this week of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Ives, in Odessa.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Porter were Fort Worth visitors Wednesday.

### 1947 Poll Tax Total In County Is 5488

Nearly final tally on the 1947 poll tax total showed 5488 poll taxes paid in Eastland County, or about 82 per cent as many as last year when there was a general election, it was reported Thursday in the office of Tax Collector-assessor Neil Day.

An even larger total had been indicated from early figures, but the last-minute rush failed to develop as expected.

### Orchard Field Day At Spencer Place Set For Feb. 13

Plans are complete for the annual Eastland County Orchard Field Day to be held at the J. E. Spencer orchard in the Long Branch community, Feb. 13, according to county agent J. M. Cooper.

Beginning at 10 a. m. and lasting until mid-afternoon, with time out for a picnic lunch, the field day will be devoted to talks and demonstrations on orchard management.

Topics to be discussed at the meeting will be fruit varieties for home and commercial orchards, best orchard soil types, winter cover crops for orchards, importance of fruit in the diet, pruning, thinning and control of diseases and insect pests. Were feasible demonstrations will follow the talks.

Orchard men from Eastland and adjoining counties are invited to the meeting, Cooper said.

Those on the program include: C. R. Heaton, horticulturist and Paul Greg, entomologist from the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service; Helen Marquardt, county home demonstration agent, Eastland; Mrs. Ita Parrish, Farmers Home Administration, Eastland; John Simpson, soil conservation service, Rising Star; George I. Lane, Farmers Home Administration, Eastland and T. B. Denman, Agricultural Experiment Station, Stephenville.

Those who attend were asked to bring a picnic lunch. Coffee will be served on the ground.

### Scout Week Events Set For Eastland

Boy Scouts of Eastland will observe Boy Scout Week next week with a number of special ceremonies, it was announced.

Sunday, Boy Scouts of Eastland will attend the First Methodist Church in a body for the evening service. This is an annual custom during Boy Scout week, with the churches being rotated.

Tuesday night, a city-wide Court of Honor will be held at the high school, with the public invited to attend.

Wednesday at 6:45 p. m., Senior Scout Adviser Bill Jessup and two Scouts will appear on a quarter-hour radio program over Station KBWD, Brownwood.

Local Scout organizations are Troop 6, sponsored by the Rotary Club, with Joe Barney Arthur as Scoutmaster and Winston Boles as assistant; Troop 103, sponsored by the Lions Club, with Johnny Collins as Scoutmaster and John Watson as assistant, and Senior Post 48, with Jessup an adviser and the American Legion post as sponsor.

### Collie And Pearson Assigned Committees

Turner Collie of Eastland was named on the committees on Congressional and Legislative Districts; Federal Relations; Criminal Jurisprudence, and Insurance, Revenue and Taxation of the House in the 50th Legislature at Austin. L. R. Pearson of Ranger was made chairman of the Oil, Gas and Mining committee, and also was Legislative Districts; Constitutional Amendments, and Judiciary committees.

### Golden Glovers To Fight In Gym Wednesday Night

In one of the most ambitious sports promotions in Eastland in years, the Eastland Quarterback Club Wednesday night will present an evening of amateur fights, with 12 or more bouts between Golden Gloves champions from Abilene and Stephenville.

The fights will start at 7:30 p. m. They will be held in a portable ring to be erected on the floor of the Eastland High School gymnasium.

The fighters are those who won high school division titles in Golden Gloves tournaments in Abilene and Brownwood. The Stephenville fighters won their division titles at Brownwood.

Proceeds from the gate will benefit the Quarterback Club's projects for the coming year.

Features of the matches will include overhead lighting, a public address system, concessions, and the other attributes of boxing as conducted in larger cities.

The club's projects for the coming year are to provide parking space at the football field, and complete crossing at the end of Commerce Street for a west entrance to the field.

Other aims include a capable, full-time coaching staff at the junior high school, and a specially qualified coach to coach football at the elementary schools, and a summer athletic program for boys of school age.

At a meeting of the club Tuesday night, president Neil Day announced a committee including a fight committee of Ben Smith, Curtis Moser, Jimmie Harkrider, Fred Hoffmann and Bill Collins and a Golden Gloves ticket committee of Carl Johnson and George Fields.

Other committees are, finance, Hood King, Jack Chamberlain and Fred Hoffman; program, Maburn Harris and John D. Harvey; activities, W. W. Eddleman, E. M. Pritchard and Jack Chamberlain; membership, Curtis Koen, W. B. Harris, and Red Graham; special minstrel committee, Conard L. Reaves.

### Eastland Five To Meet Dublin

Final home conference game of the season will be played by the Eastland Mavericks basketballers Friday night when they take on Dublin in the local gym.

The Mavericks will meet Dublin again in just one week from tonight, but in different circumstances. Then, they will be playing a first-round game in the district tournament at Comanche, the winner to take on Hamilton.

Winner of the tournament will take on the winner of the round robin district play in a two of three games series to determine the title winner.

Friday night of last week the Eastland five had a fairly easy time with Comanche, beating the Indians 26 to 16, with Lewis Crossley showing fine form.

Wednesday night, with Bobby Blair, Dan Amis and Jimmie Mathews bearing the burnt, the Mavericks edged out Carbon 28 to 27. The Mavericks were handicapped by having several players on the sidelines with bad colds.

### GEORGES MOVE TO LOUISIANA

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee George of Abilene have moved to Grand Isle, La., where George is employed by the Continental Oil Company as radar technician with the underwater geophysical department. Mr. George will be remembered here as the former Miss Doris Hennessee.

The young couple were accompanied to their new home by Mrs. George's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hennessee and Mrs. Richard Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Hennessee and Mrs. Jones returned Sunday.

### Side Issues

By HENRY G. VERMILLION

Neil Day, Conard Reaves, Johnny Little and one or two others have rigged up quite a deal at the Lions Club.

They had a chain for a couple of weeks with which they snagged the syrup pitcher on an iron post next to Day, so Frank Crowell wouldn't steal the syrup.

Johnny Little especially really loves those lasses.

But a week or two back they carefully let Crowell, or perhaps it was Lewis Crossley, swipe the syrup.

Then Day produced a small jar of honey from his voluminous coat pocket, and they had honey.

Little, who says he lost his hair before he began coaching, although that is hard to believe when you see him worrying during a game, was moaning some more the other night.

"Do you know how many games we've played this year and won or lost by a point?" he asked an unsympathetic listener. "Just exactly ten!"

That meant 10 slow deaths for Little.

And did you ever notice that even though a coach can't get out and make a field goal or run for a touchdown, it's always "we" when the team is referred to? Which I guess is natural.

It is the personal belief of this writer, and reflects no attempt to influence me by anybody, that the Eastland county sheriff's office needs badly at least two more outside deputies, and probably three more.

The office now has only three deputies, and one of them is the fatter and one the office deputy. That leaves the sheriff and one deputy to make outside investigations, serve citations and warrants, and do other work that must be done.

It isn't enough.

### 4-H Club Boys Set For Livestock Show

Eastland County 4-H Club boys will have their share of livestock entries at the annual Eastland County Livestock Show at Cisco on Feb. 21 and 22, reported county agent, J. M. Cooper.

Among the exhibitors will be Jerr, Joe Don and James Ed Buckley of Desdemona; Charles McDaniel of Carbon, Bob Richardson of Carbon; Bob McMinn of Ranger; Don Jobe Clinton of Scranon; Guy Warden, Charles Mackey and Buddy Craven of Eastland; Edwin Robinson of Carbon; Charles Pat Moseley of Olden, Joe Ben Koonce of Desdemona and Frank-Lin Dunlap of Morton Valley and others.

Billy Weston, Carbon 4-H Club girl, will enlist the aid of her father and twin brothers to show her four lambs in the fat lam classes. Entries will include fat calves, fat lambs, fat pigs, besides several entries in the breeding classes. It was announced.

Several of the entries will be sold at the auction at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 22.

### Sheriff's Sale Held; Property Brings \$3475

Four city lots in Eastland and five tracts of land in other parts of the county brought \$3475 in a sheriff's sale on the Courthouse steps Tuesday.

The Eastland lots, all in Burkett Addition, brought in the neighborhood of \$40 apiece, and the acreage brought good prices from a number of bidders.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Weaver visited in Stamford with Mrs. Weaver's sister, Mrs. Clyde Simms, and family last Saturday. Mrs. Simms underwent an operation in a Stamford hospital Saturday, he is reported improving.

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News From ... OLDEN

By MRS. C. I. JAMES

The Olden basketball girls and boys went to the Ranger tournament last Friday. Both teams played Strawn, but both were defeated by a very few points.

Barbara Anderson was able to return to school for a while. The doctor told her to remain in bed for a few more days. She was burned recently when her clothes became ignited while standing too close to the heater at the school.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rowch announce the arrival of a boy Dec. 26th at Chardley, Ariz. and named Allen James. Robert received his discharge from the Air Corps in Ariz. Dec. 13.

Mrs. Carl Butler received word Wednesday night of last week that her aunt, Mrs. Mallie Kirkpatrick of Buda, near Austin, died that afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Butler left the following Thursday, funeral services were held at the Cemetery. Jim Hammett, father of Mrs. Butler has been with his sister since last fall and remain to visit other relatives indefinitely.

Mrs. Charles Mitchell was in Dallas this week visiting her son, Royce Whitman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Everett visited in Gorman Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Greth White and son, Jimmie Wickett spent last week and here with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. McFadden. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cooper and baby of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McFadden Sunday.

Mack Longston and wife of Eastland and brother Bobbie Don, visited their brother, Jimmie Lampton in Brownwood Sunday.

Miss Jackie Butler of HSU Abilene spent last week end here in the home of her uncle, Carl Butler.

Miss Vernell and brother, Johnnie Rex Warren of Ranger are here with their grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Warren, their mother, Mrs. Wilda Warren is visiting her aunt in Amarillo, who is quite ill at this time.

C. A. Howell has been transferred to Breckenridge by the Magnolia Petroleum Co. which became effective Feb. 1.

Week end visitors in the C. I. James home were Mrs. Pat Weems, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Weems and children from Ranger.

Charles Pat Mosley was dismissed from the Ranger hospital last Saturday and returned home, but still has a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bond and children of staff visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bond Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Porter of Long Beach, California; Mrs. Bess Osborn and Mr. and Mrs. Max Bockman of Dallas visited their mother, Mrs. Bockman here last week. Mrs. Bockman is up and able to get around now. Her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Phillips has returned to her home in Seminole.

Coach Thompson took his school class, 10th grade to Ringling Lake Sunday on an all day picnic. Kod-

aking and fishing, everyone had a wonderful time.

Euell Bond and family attended the singing in Caddo Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Snyder of Kilgore and Mrs. Emmett Ballard of Baird visited Mrs. Nellie Bockman Sunday.

Billy Joe Smithers left Thursday of last week for Fort Worth to volunteer in the Army.

Odell Ferguson and wife of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Bell Ferguson last week end.

Those on the sick list this week are Wanda Joyce Yielding, and Tommie Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Margon Box and daughter have moved here from Breckenridge. They were former residents of Olden.

Glenn Ferguson and wife of Whita visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Mary A. Wright has returned home from Arlington after a three weeks visit with her sons, Raymond and Young Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hickerson and children of Weatherford spent last week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whisernat, and his relatives in Eastland.

Mrs. Dick Yielding; Mrs. Nettie Fox; Mrs. Ethel McCalvin accompanied Mrs. Gordon Woods of Cisco to Fort Worth last week to shop. Miss Thelma McLure and Mrs. Artie Long of Fort Worth visited their sister here, Mrs. DeAlva Edwards Sunday.

Mrs. T. A. McDonald and Mrs. A. L. Bond are both quite ill at this time. Also L. S. Hamilton.

A stork shower honoring Mrs. Hayden Goodjohn was given at the home of Mrs. Ida Simer Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Tommie Lee Fox, Mrs. A. Roberts and Mrs. Bill Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walden and son, W. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Box and daughter were guests in the home of O. L. Box of Eastland Sunday when he celebrated his 77th birthday.

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ORDINANCE NO. 325 FIXING THE WATER RATES, SEWER RATES AND GARBAGE RATES: PRICES OF CEMETERY LOTS AND CHARGES FOR DIGGING GRAVES FOR THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS AND ORDAINING OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO RENDERING WATER, SEWER AND GARBAGE SERVICES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the water, sewer and garbage rates to be charged and collected by the City of Eastland, Texas, are hereby fixed and set forth below:

(A) DOMESTIC, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL RATES:

This rate is applicable to all domestic and commercial customers within the city limits and industrial customers either within or without the city limits with the exception of churches, schools, hospitals and lodges.

.66 2-3c per 1000 gallons for the first 3000 gallons used per month.

.25c per 1000 gallons for the next 1000 gallons used per month.

.25c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.

.22c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.

.20c per 1000 gallons for all water used in excess of 33,000 gallons per month.

Minimum billing - \$2.00 gross per month per meter.

Churches, schools, hospitals and lodges are to be charged a flat monthly rate of 20c per 1000 gallons.

Domestic and commercial rates outside the city limits are as follows:

.91 2-3c per 1000 gallons for the first 3000 gallons used per month.

.40c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.

.30c per 1000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per month.

.25c per 1000 gallons for all water used in excess of 23,000 gallons per month.

Minimum billing - \$2.75 gross per month per meter.

SEWER RATES

This rate is applicable to individual dwellings, apartment houses, duplex houses, tourist camps, stores, offices, industry and manufacturing. Rates for industry and manufacturing shall specifically exclude hotels, cafes or restaurants, filling stations, garages, locker plants, drug stores, laundries, creameries, dairies and when the liquid and solid wastes differ from the normal sewage wastes of homes and non-industrial premises. These rates shall be determined in each case.

.10c per 1000 gallons of water consumed, based on the lowest monthly consumption during December, January or February of each year. Rates to be adjusted annually and such adjustment to be put on the bill due March 1st of each year.

Hotel rates shall be 10c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

Cafes or restaurants, drug stores, creameries, locker plants, and dairies shall be 12c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

Filling stations and garages shall be 20c per 1000 gallons of water consumed monthly.

School rate shall be a flat \$5.00 per month.

Churches, hospitals, and lodges shall be a flat 75c per month.

Minimum billing - 75c within the city limits gross per month per meter.

Minimum billing - \$1.00 without the city limits gross per month per meter.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL RATES

This rate is applicable to business district only and no charge will be made for weekly or semi-weekly garbage pickups in the residential area.

One daily pickup: First barrel or container \$1.50 per month. Second barrel or container \$2.75 per month. Third barrel or container \$3.75 per month. Fourth barrel or container \$4.50 per month. Fifth barrel or container \$5.00 per month. .25c for each additional barrel or container over five.

For two pickups daily the charge will be doubled.

Ten per cent discount to be allowed on all bills if paid by the tenth of the month following the date of the bill.

Section 2. That the bills for services rendered by said systems

shall be paid monthly on or before the 10th day of each month after the billing date. If not paid within forty-five (45) days after due date, service shall be discontinued. In the event of discontinuance of service an additional sum of \$1.00 shall be charged for reconnection to the system.

Section 3. That the customer at the time of connection shall be required to pay a meter deposit of \$5.00 and a fee of \$1.00 as a service charge.

Section 4. The house connection from the City lateral shall be installed at the expense of the connector in accordance with the regulations of and subject to the inspection of the City.

Section 5. That the charge for cemetery lots by the City of Eastland, Texas, is fixed at \$75.00 per lot and the charge for digging a grave is fixed at \$15.00 per grave if dug by City Employees. If grave is dug by other than City Employee it must be dug to a depth of five (5) feet.

Section 6. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 7. This is an ordinance providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, to-wit: the waterworks, sewer, garbage and cemetery departments and is therefore declared to be an emergency measure requiring suspension of the rule requiring reading of ordinances at more than one meeting, said rule is suspended, and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately after its publication.

Passed and approved this 6 day of January, 1947.

VICTOR CORNELIUS

Victor Cornelius, Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas.

ATTEST: K. B. TANNER Secretary

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**News Items From CHEANEY**

By MRS. BILL TUCKER, Special Correspondent

Mrs. Electra Hattox and children and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neger and Charles enjoyed games of "42" with the Hart family at their home Thursday night.

Miss Alice Rogers of the Grandview community was the guest of Betty Jean Love, Sunday. Billy Tucker visited Junior Love Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker were callers in the Hugh Mahaffey home Friday night and enjoyed games of "42".

Recent visitors in the J. P. Strickler home were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gentry and family.

The Caudle family of the Salem community, are remodeling their farm house near the Alameda Church and will be moving as soon as completed.

Little Miss Rita Joy, 8 pound

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melva Love, made her appearance Monday, Jan. 27, at the Gorman hospital. The little lady and her mother were returned home Saturday, and are doing splendidly.

Mrs. Joe Tucker has been undergoing medical treatments at Ranger for some time.

This writer made a call at Mrs. Oliver Galloway's Friday. No one was home so we trickled on down to Mrs. B. A. Highsmiths for a short visit.

Mrs. Joe Butler has returned from a stay at Fort Worth. She reports her daughter, Mrs. Goldie Compton, recovering surgery nicely.

Richar Tucker and L. B. Melton returned Sunday from Mississippi where they went to move household things back to Texas for Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rogers being transferred to Tyler.

Mrs. Electra Hattox and Mr. and Mrs. Richberg attended church at Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan and children visited Sunday near Dublin with the parental Logan family.

Mrs. Walter Case and Mrs. Bill Tucker visited Grandmother Manchester at Desdemona Sunday, who fell and suffered broken ribs three weeks ago. She is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Eula Hart and children and the Herman Nergers were callers

**News From GORMAN**

Jimmy Mahaffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mahaffey is home from Baylor University for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bolen returned to Jackson, Alabama last Saturday. Mrs. Bolen and the children will remain there to make their home home while Mr. Bolen will continue his work here with the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray and sons were Waco visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Muri Cribbs of Bruni who recently accepted a position in the Desdemona schools resigned Friday and returned to her old position in the Bruni schools.

Marvin Blair and Annye Kate were in Temple Sunday to see Mrs. Blair who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Lona McKnight her son, Clay and Mrs. Fannie Burkett are spending a few days with Miss Dell Pullig. Their home is in San Antonio.

P. S. PULLIG spent last week in Breckenridge.

Neil Sutton of the University was here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sutton.

in the Hattox home Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Neger visited their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Blackwell and family Sunday.

The E. E. Blackwell family attended the Church of Christ singing at Eastland Sunday.

The J. W. Cases and the Bill Tuckers visited Thursday in Ranger with the Raymond Case family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller and Mrs. Mattie Walton Minnie and W. E. were dinner guests Sunday in the John Tucker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman were dinner guests in the Hatley Dean home.

Herman Neger went to Abilene Tuesday for medical treatment.

Millie Slaton of Breckenridge spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. Gene Baker visited her daughters, Mrs. Milmo and Mrs. Carter Hart in Ranger Sunday.

Billie D. Hamrick had sold his interest in the Gorman Progress to Gene Baker. Billie has gone to Abilene where he has accepted a position with the Abilene Reporter. His wife and children will go to Abilene to make their home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson spent the week end in Eastland with their parents here several days last week, returning to their home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrow spent the week end in Fort Worth with their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Underwood and family.

Bro. Alton Ferrill, pastor of the Methodist Church was in Dallas and Commerce part of last week and is spending part of this week in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sims attended the funeral of her mother in Waxahachie last Wednesday. On Saturday they moved to their new home in Stephenville.

**I GIVE YOU TEXAS**

By Boyce House

Why don't they put sage in sausage, any more?

I reckon you could call that a "sage" remark.

And, come to think of it, all the sausage I've seen lately could stand a little more sausage in it, too.

The Republicans have backed down on their original intention of reducing the luxury taxes. The folks back home protested against the tax being lowered on fancy baggage, perfumes furs and whiskey before the income tax on all of us is reduced.

Last summer Grover Sellers introduced himself to a man who asked, "What business are you in, Mr. Sellers?"

After Sellers said that he was attorney general, the citizen asked, "Are you a candidate for something?" and was given the reply, "Yes, I am running for governor."

The voter who did not call his own name during the brief conversation, was Bill McCraw, himself former attorney general and once a candidate for governor.

(This is bound to be just the way it happened because Bill told me about it himself.)

File under the heading "What killed vaudeville?"

"And now friends I'm gonna sing that little ditty entitled, 'Peeping through a Knothole in Father's Wooden Leg.'"

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Parrish of Fort Worth visited last week end here in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Ita Parrish and Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker.

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	WISCONSIN	Can			
SPINACH	LENDALE	No. 2	14¢	.80	\$1.55
	TENDER LEAF	Can			
Fruit Cocktail	WHITE	No. 2 1/2	43¢	\$2.46	\$4.72
	SWAN	Can			
CLOVER FARM—FANCY, SWEETENED					
Grapefruit Juice		No. 2	9¢	50¢	95¢
		Can			
WHITE SWAN—QUICK OR REG. COOKING					
ROLLED OATS	48 Oz.	25¢			
	Pkg.				
Light Crust Flour	10 Lbs.	78¢			
Light Crust Meal	10 Lbs.	68¢			
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	Girl Can				
Pancake Flour	White 20 Oz.	12¢			
	Swan Can				
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# News Items From CARBON

By MRS. H. HALL, Special Correspondent

Gray, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil White passed away at the Blackwell Sanitarium Sunday morning after a short illness.

In the eight short weeks of his life, he had endeared himself to all who knew him. Services were held Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Baptist Church. Rev. Seba Kirkpatrick and Glen Wilson conducting. W. E. Trimble was in charge of the music. Mrs. T. E. Robertson and Betty Collins sang a special.

Gray is survived by his parents, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White of Carbon; Two aunts, Mrs. Jimmie Everett of Olden; Mrs. Bud Clark, one uncle, Edgar White of Carbon, maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis of Gorman and there are several maternal aunts.

There was only one pallbearer, Edgar White who carried the little casket alone. Interment was in Carbon new Cemetery, with Higginbotham Funeral Home in charge.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Harris is reported to be in a very serious condition at the Blackwell Sanitarium.

Mrs. Clyde Bethany visited her mother, Mrs. Hugh Watson in Fort Worth Sunday.

W. F. Hale of Aqua Dulci was here Saturday.

Mrs. Marie Clark attended the funeral services for her step-brother, Bud Snyder in Albany Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Greer of San Antonio visited his sister, Mrs. J. T. Wilson and family last week end.

Mrs. R. K. Justice and Miss Mildred Woody were in Eastland Saturday.

Pal Taylor of Levelland visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. A. S. Jackson has returned week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Vaughn and sister, Mrs. Thurman Payne who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Burrow of Abilene spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. R. B. Burrow, who accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood is expecting her sister and husband, Mr. and R. D. Griffin of Centralia, Ill this week for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lafevre of Fort Worth visited his sister, Mrs.

E. R. Butler and family Thursday. Wade Butler has enrolled in the Ranger Junior College as a resident student for the semester.

Joan Foster and Ted Medford are among the Cisco Junior College students returning to their studies.

Gene Guy and Harry C. Hall returned to the University at Austin Sunday afternoon.

Olga Underwood and Calvin Gilbert are returning to Denton College for the new semester.

Mrs. Wade Clark, J. T. and Johnnie Clark were in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruce of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yarbrough Tuesday.

J. T. Clark who is working in the oil field in Kansas and Oklahoma visited his family and his parents here Sunday.

C. C. Redwine and Frank Red-

wine visited their niece and cousin Mrs. Frank Obney and Mr. Obney in San Antonio last week. Mrs. Obney is the former Marie Rhyne.

Mrs. Henry Collins visited Mrs. D. M. Collins in the Blackwell Sanitarium Thursday.

Among those who attended the funeral services for Mrs. G. A. Mason Thursday were C. C. Poe and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield of Baird; Mrs. Frank Lovett, Mrs. Ruth Herring of Eastland; Mrs. Ellis Boles of Lubbock; Mrs. Florence Boatwright of Odessa, Mrs. A. L. Butler of Gorman and Jack Robbins of Breckenridge.

Mrs. C. M. Wyatt of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Crossley Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reese have returned from a visit with their new granddaughter and parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Gatesville.

Mrs. Garland Laudermilk and daughter, Roberta of Stephenville visited Mrs. Laudermilk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Huckabee Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Yeates and son, Glen of Romony visited her mother, Mrs. H. A. Phillips and brother, Zin Phillips Sunday afternoon.

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At The Close of Business December 31, 1946

ASSETS	
Loans	1,158,504.26
Cash in Banks	51,036.07
U. S. Government Bonds	368,000.00
Accrued Interest Received	19,559.12
Furniture and Fixtures	6,381.26
Less Reserve	4,876.69
Other Assets	92.57
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>1,598,716.59</b>
LIABILITIES	
Loans Rediscounted	817,893.68
Notes Payable	284,106.32
Interest Payable (Not due)	9,525.19
Loan Proceeds held for drafts	42,810.62
Accounts Payable	854.53
Common Stock	137,530.00
Preferred Stock	219,460.00
Reserves	86,536.26
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,598,716.59</b>

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Arlie C. Hennessee to Doris Jean George, Eastland.  
Ray Ott to Jacqueline Naritta, Mings.  
Billie Mack Meroney to Mary Gene McMillin, Eastland.

**INSTRUMENTS FILED**

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:  
D. C. Aterburn to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.  
N. B. Bunin to Ray Levens, release of lien.  
T. J. Bettles company to RFC Mtz. Company, transfer of deed of trust.  
Mabel Bailey to Byron Paul, release of lien.  
Jack Blackwell to Thebert D. Jones, warranty deed.  
T. A. Bullock to Bob Fields, warranty deed.  
T. J. Bettles Company to National Life and Accident Insurance Co., transfer of deed of trust.  
Georg W. Brock to C. J. Collins, warranty deed.  
H. G. Bailey to George W. Brock, warranty deed.  
George A. Brogdon to Lucy Brogdon, quit claim deed.  
Lucy Brogdon to Marshall Storey, warranty deed.  
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A. E. Boshers to B. H. Yeager, warranty deed.  
A. A. Bowen to Linden A. Williams, warranty deed.  
Earl Bender to R. L. Perkins, warranty deed.  
S. W. Bobo to E. H. Bobo, warranty deed.  
Charles Bobo to E. H. Bobo, release of vendor's lien.  
J. C. Carothers to Clara Wingate, warranty deed.  
City of Cisco to Roy Lee Garrett, warranty deed.  
J. R. Curtis Estate to Byron Paul, release.  
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Elmer Donham, release of vendor's lien.  
Cities Service Oil Company to Lone Star Gas Company, agreement.  
City of Cisco to Thomas H. Lee, special warranty deed.  
City of Cisco to G. C. Allen, deed.  
Mrs. J. C. Caraway to Thomas J. Leeper, warranty deed.  
N. M. Clark to John Stevens, warranty deed.  
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to W. H. Limbocker, release of vendor's lien.  
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to C. R. Helms, release of vendor's lien.  
City of Ranger to Hubert H. Capps, quit claim deed.  
C. A. Crownover to Hubert H. Capps, warranty deed.  
J. B. Colt Company to L. B. Edwards, release.  
Elmer Donham to W. H. Lee,

warranty deed.  
J. W. Donowho to C. A. Robinson, warranty deed.  
Mrs. M. B. Dunn to John H. Dunn, cc divorce judgment.  
Mrs. M. B. Dunn v. John H. Dunn, cc partition property.  
Mrs. Ralph Dean to First Federal S & L Assn., assignment of deed of trust.  
J. D. Fox to William L. Garner, warranty deed.  
Sig Faircloth to Jim Young, release of judgment.  
T. L. Fagg to Effie Barber, warranty deed.  
J. G. Fryman to Capitol Company, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
(TWO OTHER SIMILR INSTRUMENTS)  
Federal Land Bank, Houston to B. O. Speegle, release of deed of trust.  
P. C. Frasier to W. L. Andrus, deed of trust.  
First National Bank, Cisco to John C. Penn, release of deed of trust.  
First Federal S & L Assn., to A. G. Koening, release of deed of trust.  
First Federal S & L Assn. to A. A. Bowen, release of deed of trust.  
Roy M. Gallagher to Evan Mitchell, warranty deed.  
Ada Gordon to E. F. Arterburn, warranty deed.  
A. L. Gattis to G. B. Gattis, warranty deed.  
Samuel Greer to Adren W. Bryant, warranty deed.  
R. E. Grantham to E. K. Winge, deed of trust.  
C. M. Gunnels to E. B. Creech, warranty deed.  
Vergil Goswick to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.  
Cordie Guthrie to Mrs. W. C. Guthrie, warranty deed.  
J. T. Graves to C. J. Biles, warranty deed.  
M. O. Hazard to T. E. Pope, transfer of vendor's lien.  
H. J. Hodnett to Hodnett Grove Baptist Church, warranty deed.  
Albert Hill to Elbert Hill, release of vendor's lien.  
Roy V. Hamilton to J. C. Hamer, warranty deed.  
C. L. Harris to H. H. Lee, warranty deed.  
J. B. Hart to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.  
Grace Hamilton to J. K. Dorris, warranty deed.  
Billarty to E. L. Cox, warranty deed.  
Thomas L. Hamilton to J. E. Snider, warranty deed.  
H. F. Hennington to Franklin Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.  
S. A. Higgins to W. E. Hallenbeck, warranty deed.  
C. R. Helms to Vergil Goswick, warranty deed.  
Higginbotham Bartlett Company to R. L. Perkins, quit claim deed.  
Ora B. Jones to Theibert D. Jones, warranty deed.  
W. H. Jackson to W. H. Mitchell, warranty deed.  
Bessie Lee Jones to John M. Leveridge, warranty deed.  
Floyd J. Kirby to A. Nemir, warranty deed.  
T. B. Knox to Mercantile National Bank, Dallas, extension agreement.  
W. H. Lee to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.  
Joe Loham to Leon Lewis, warranty deed.  
W. R. Laird, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.  
J. H. Latson to H. M. Latson, release of deed of trust.  
W. H. Limbocker to C. R. Helms, warranty deed.  
R. C. Mehaffey to Neal H. Rose, warranty deed.  
Mrs. R. L. Murphy to Opal Ruth Harrison, warranty deed.

N. A. Moore to Woodley Petroleum Company, mineral deed.  
A. L. Maynew to C. L. Harris, release of vendor's lien.  
Alma Hart Mayhew to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.  
J. W. Mings to Capitol Company, agreement.  
J. W. Mings to Capitol Company, oil and gas lease.  
H. F. Massmann to Clarence G. Stroebel, warranty deed.  
E. C. Moorman to Elvey L. Taylor, warranty deed.  
Virgil M. Murphy to J. E. Lewis, warranty deed.  
N. A. Moore to J. H. Dunn, release of oil and gas lease.  
A. S. McCarty to G. H. Horne, lease contract.  
W. L. McDonald to Frank Crowell, MML contract.  
W. L. McDonald to Southland Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.  
J. R. McKinnerney to W. B. Rainbolt, warranty deed.  
Sarah N. McKinney to C. S. Surles, warranty deed.  
W. J. Phillips to M. D. Dean, MML.  
Byron Paul to Hershel T. Kent, warranty deed.  
J. H. Praytor to A. L. Mayhew, release of vendor's lien.  
John C. Penn to J. M. Parker, warranty deed.  
R. D. Patterson to W. H. Limbocker, warranty deed.  
Mason Pee to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.  
Robert W. Russell to T. L. Brown, release of oil and gas lease.  
H. L. Ratliff to C. P. Samson, warranty deed.  
Alvis E. Rodgers to J. H. Wheeler, warranty deed.  
Ranger Bakery to The Public, assumed name.  
Sheriff Eastland County to Ray Faircloth, sheriff's deed.  
Sheriff, Eastland County to Mrs. M. P. Herring, sheriff's deed.  
Sheriff, Eastland County to Brooks B. Herring, sheriff's deed.  
Alice H. Snider to P. C. Frasier, warranty deed.  
Lena Stubblefield to Robert E. Speer, warranty deed.  
C. P. Sampson to H. L. Ratliff, deed of trust.  
Alice H. Snider to The Public, affidavit.  
C. S. Surles to F. W. Stroebel, warranty deed.  
Marshall Storey to W. S. Wagley, deed of trust.  
C. S. Surles to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of lien.  
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Katie Hart Thomson to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.  
Wayne B. Tyson to T. J. Hardin, warranty deed.  
Helen E. Thompson to Lee Mitchell, release of vendor's lien.  
Gerald Turner to Edna Turner, quit claim deed.  
Edna Thornburgh to D. C. Aterburn, warranty deed.  
Amanda J. Tidwell to J. H. Tidwell, release of vendor's lien.  
U. S. v. Martin Van Tickner, discharge of tax lien.  
U. S. v. W. L. McDonald, release of judgment.  
U. S. v. Frank E. Sage, discharge of tax lien.  
Alton Wesley Walker to The Public, cc order.  
C. M. Wellborn to Ada Gordon, bill of sale.  
E. K. Winge to R. E. Grantham, warranty deed.  
Hall Walker to The Public, proof of heirship.  
W. H. White to Southland Life Insurance Co., transfer of lien.  
Ruby C. Williams to Rutherford & Steel Co., MML.  
D. J. Wolfenbaugh to M. A. Porter, warranty deed.  
W. S. Wagley to National Life & Accident Insurance Company, assignment of deed of trust.  
Linden A. Williams to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.  
Hall Walker, Jr. to Roy L. Gray, release of vendor's lien.

**PROBATE**

J. C. Brock, deceased, application for temporary administration.  
**CIVIL**  
J. W. Akers v. Ray Grimes, damages.

**SUITS FILED**

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:  
John W. Smith v. Lillie Pearl Smith, divorce.  
Estel-Carl Franklin v. Doris Ann Franklin, divorce.

**ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS**

The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:  
Thelma Keese, individually and as next friend of Dale Eugene Keese v. Loy Brown & C. D. Studdard, final judgment.  
Claudia Pulliam v. James Pulliam, judgment.

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MRS. FEW BREWSTER

Mrs. Few Brewster of Austin, state president of the Texas Federated Music Clubs, will be the speaker at the Woman's Day luncheon at the Woman's Club Friday at noon.

Other out of town visitors include Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones of Abilene, state treasurer of the Federated Music Clubs and Mrs. Ben Krauskopf of Cisco, president of Sixth District.

Mrs. T. E. Richardson, president of the Eastland group, will honor the guests with a tea in her home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Brewster and Mrs. Jones will be the house guests of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins while in Eastland.

Mrs. Birmingham Gives Book Review
Members of the Las Leales Club heard Mrs. James Birmingham of Sweetwater review, "Valley Boy," by Theodore Pratt, when they met at the Woman's Club Tuesday evening for a Valentine dinner.

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Miss George Is Wed To Arlie Hennessee In Cisco Ceremony

Miss Doris Jean George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy George of Cisco, became the bride of Arlie C. Hennessee, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hennessee of Eastland, in a ceremony read by Rev. C. S. Moad, pastor of the Cisco Church of God, in his home in Cisco, Friday, Jan. 31.

Only relatives and a few close friends attended.

The bride wore a teal blue girdle suit with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. She was attended by Mrs. Jack Collins, sister of the groom, as matron of honor, who wore a dress of blue crepe with brown accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. Jack Collins served as best man.

Mrs. Hennessee was reared in Cisco and is a member of the 1947 Cisco High School graduating Class. She has been an employee of the Palace Theatre for the past two and one half years.

Mr. Hennessee is a graduate of Eastland High School and attended John Tarleton College at Stephenville before entering the Army Air Corps where he served for three and a half years.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Eastland, where Mr. Hennessee is employed on the resident engineer's staff of the Highway department.

Eastland Man Wed To Dallas Girl Feb. 5

Miss Delphia Commander, daughter of Mrs. Nancy Commander of Dallas, and E. F. Stephens of 415 South Lamar Street, Eastland, were married in Dallas Wednesday morning, Feb. 5.

Rev. J. E. Shell, Baptist minister, read the ceremony in his home at 2311 Pine Street, Dallas.

The bride wore a French blue dress with black accessories, and long white gloves. She had a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Carl Wilson of Dallas. Mr. Wilson served as best man.

Mr. Stephens has been a resident of Eastland for four and a half years and is in the typewriter business. He and Mrs. Stephens will make their home at the Lamar Street address.

Business Meeting Held By W.S.C.S.

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for a monthly business meeting.

Mrs. Billy Walters gave the devotional, and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president, presided. The group decided to visit members and newcomers immediately after the Monday afternoon meetings each week. Thirty three members attended.

Husbands To Be Honored At Party

Members of the Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church will entertain their husbands Monday evening, Feb. 17, at the Woman's Club.

The business women's group will be hostesses and the party will be a covered dish supper.

Mr. Hollis Bennett and Mrs. B. W. Patterson will furnish a vocal number. Games of 42 have been arranged for the evening.

Barbara Coffman To Wed Lamesa Man

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reese of Lamesa, formerly of Eastland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Coffman, to Mr. David Bailey, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. David Bailey of Lamesa.

The couple are attending school at Lamesa in the Part Time Co-operation club. Miss Coffman is employed in the tax-assessor and collectors office of Dawson County, and Mr. Bailey is employed by the Marshall Furniture Co.

The couple plan their marriage soon after graduation.

Miss Coffman is well known here, having attended school in Eastland, Carbon and Cisco.

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**Mary Halkias Given Party On Birthday**

Mrs. Ernest Halkias honored her daughter, Mary, on her sixteenth birthday with a buffet supper Friday evening of last week. Guests were members of the Sub-Deb Club. Following the meal the girls played records until time for the show, which they all attended. The guests list included Misses Betty Ann Harkrider, Shirley Frazer, Naomi Wood, La Verne Corneilus, Merrie Dawn Warren, Mary Wilt, Jan Spaulding, Marilyn Wittrop, Betty Pickens, Joyce Armstrong, Jerry Spence, Joann Evans of Breckenridge and the honoree, Mary Halkias.

**New Officers Chosen By Scale Runners**

New officers were elected in the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Scale Runners Juvenile Music Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Young, with their young son Ronnie as host.

The president, Jana Weaver, presided and the following officers were elected: Lonnie Young, president; Jana Weaver, vice president; Nancy Beth Quinn, secretary; Milton Jones, pianist; Patsy Simpson, treasurer; Kay Burkett, reporter; Sally Ann Cooper, critic, and Dickie Carbell, parliamentarian.

A program was furnished by Milton Jones, Mary Alvera Ward, Lonnie Young, Edith Fay Cox, Genette McCrary, Gayle Kilgore, Jana Weaver, Frankie McDonald, Lou Ann Carbell, Jo Ann Hollis, and Kay Burkett.

Refreshments were served to 22 members and guests. Mrs. H. T. Weaver assisted Mrs. Young.

Mrs. James Birmingham and small son, Jimmie of Sweetwater, are the guests this week of Mrs. Birmingham's parents, Mr and Mrs O. H. Doss, 605 Green Street.

**MR. AND MRS. ROBERT HALL WED IN ABILENE RITES; TO LIVE IN LUBBOCK**



**MR. AND MRS. ROBERT E. HALL**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Hall are living in Lubbock following their marriage Jan. 27 at the home of Mr. Hall's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Hall, 317 Butternut Street, Abilene. Rev. J. H. Hamblin performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Hall is the former Frances Lavene Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Richardson of Eastland.

For her wedding, the bride wore a blue gabardine suit with white accessories, and a shoulder corsage of white carnations. She is a graduate of Eastland High School and of Draughton's Business College at Abilene. She has been employed as secretary of the Central Texas Iron Works in Abilene.

Mr. Hall is a graduate of Sylvester High School and a former student of Hardin-Simmons University. He is employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. The couple are living temporarily in the Hotel Lubbock, until they can obtain an apartment.

was a page in the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones were guests of the parents of Mr. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, while in Weatherford last week end. Their small daughter, Rosemary remained over for a week's visit with her grandparents.

**MRS. PERKINS GUEST TO ATTEND TEA**

Mrs. J. M. Perkins and her house guest, Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones of Abilene will attend the Past Presidents Assembly tea to be given in the home of Mrs. Lee J. Taylor in Dallas, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Blant Buford, vice president of the Texas Federated Music Clubs, will be co-hostess with Mrs. Taylor.

**City Water Rate . . .**

(Continued from Page One) water, except that householders are protected by the fact that rates, based on thousands of gallons of water used, shall be "based on the lowest monthly consumption during either December, January or February of each year."

The new ordinance also sets up a charge of \$75 for lots in the City Cemetery, with the grave digging charge at \$15.

Downtown garbage pickup fees are included also, and the practice of free pickups at home was continued.

Out of town water charges were increased sharply, and now per-

sons outside the city limits who have city water connections must pay about one-fourth more for water than those living in the city. Minimum monthly billing for such meters will be \$2.75.

**CHURCH WOMEN GO TO BRECKENRIDGE**

Members of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church who attended an all day meeting in Breckenridge last Monday included Mesdames Eugene Day, T. A. Bendy, Kenneth Wingate, Westie May Johnson, E. E. Wood, T. L. Cooper, Curtis Koen and the pastor, Rev. Weems Dykes. A returned missionary from Paraguay, Mrs. Smedley, gave a report of conditions in South America.

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**Dragoo Studio To Give Music For Tea Feb. 12**

Music will be furnished throughout the afternoon by the Dragoo Studio for the Patriot Tea to be held Feb. 12 as the monthly meeting of the Eastland Civic League and Garden Club in the Woman's Clubhouse.

Hostesses for the tea will be Mesdames Herman Hassell, Earl Conner Sr., Milburn Long, George Hipp, W. B. White and Henry G. Vermillion.

Mr. R. E. Sikes is chairman of the program.

**George Halkias Has Birthday Party**

Mrs. Ernest Halkias honored her son, George, with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon at her home on East Sadosa Street. George was 10 years old Tuesday and the following friends were invited to help him celebrate the happy occasion: Don and Juan Jay Smith, Fred Williams, Earl Conner, 3rd., Paul and Terry Gattis, Dean Fox, Charles Collins, Jimmie Don Huckaby, Larry Gattis, Alan Vermillion, Jimmy Jessop, Rodney Stephen, Estes Halkias and the honoree.

Mrs. Halkias was assisted in entertaining the boys by Mesdames E. Gattis, Bill Jessop and Homer Smith.

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**W.M.U. Has School Of Instruction Here**

The W. M. U. of the Cisco Baptist Association held a school of instruction at the First Baptist Church here Monday, in an all day meeting that began at 10 a. m. and lasted until middle afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Brown of the state board taught the book, "Things We Should Know." Mrs. Carroll Louder of Moran, president of the group, presided. A covered dish luncheon was served by the local group to 126 women.

**JONES FAMILY ATTENDS WEATHERFORD WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones and children of the Leon Plant attended the wedding of his niece, Miss Rubera Vandagriff, to Ray Bolger of Fort Worth. Richard Jones, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones,

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SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

The Senior spotlight this week shines on that one and only Mary Jane Wilson.

Mary Jane has blond hair, hazel eyes, is 5' 7 1/2" in height and weighs 124 pounds.

Some of her favorites are swimming, horseback riding, the colors green and white, "For Sentimental Reasons" "Oh, But I Do," Bing Crosby and Fred Waring's Orchestra.

SNOW BLENKET

The autumn came and stripped the trees. Of all their shimmering emerald leaves...

Have robbed them of their red and gold. Then God in Heaven, looking down...

Took pity on the earth so brown; And in the silence of the night He clothed the earth in robes of white.

By LOIS MOLLOY LOWE

KILROY
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"Way back in 1492 When Columbus sailed the ocean blue...

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When Admiral Byrd braced ice and snow To reach the arctic, he didn't know...

That agony would seize his soul When he saw "Kilroy" upon the pole!

When Washington crossed the Delaware

Bill Joyce hopes to attend the University. Here's wishing one of the sweetest and prettiest girls in EHS a life of happiness and success.

CAST CHOSEN FOR JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class has chosen the cast for their play. A Case Of Springtime by Lee Sherman, which will be given in the High School auditorium Friday, Feb. 21.

Bob a nice-looking, likeable fellow of eighteen, whose best intentions always seem to backfire is played by Gene Benett. He is fighting desperately against the "competition" of a "college man" for the affections of his girl—and Bob is willing to go to any extremes to come out on top.

Betty, Bob's sister, a pert, vivacious girl is played by Betty Pic-bens. She's really quite fond of Bob, but, then, she has her own problems—and is apt to take Bob's "troubles" rather lightly at times. She's all wrapped up in Eddie, who is going to be a "college man" himself next year—and Betty is thrilled over the prospect.

Dickie, Bob's kid brother, is played by George Harkrider. Dickie is thirteen, an extremely self-sufficient youngster with an amusing air of superiority. He pretends to be annoyed at the way Gwen follows him around, but, confidentially, he probably enjoys it. Dickie is so smart to let her know it, "huh-h. It's the secret of his 'power over women'."

Mr. Parker, in his forties and somewhat gruff and stern on the surface, is played by Conner Van Hoy. This is partly sham, however, for he likes to pretend that he has definite ideas how on to bring up his children. Much of the time they baffle him and undr. He's rather a sweet guy.

Mrs. Parker, the mediator of the family is played by Mary Halkias, as such, she leads a very busy existence. She is apt to be more tolerant of her children ways than is her husband—but at times even she is baffled.

Lonella, the maid, is played by Marilyn Wittrup. The most you can say for Lonella is that she is willing—but she is awkward and not too bright. She shuffles rather than walks. She wears an ill-fitting house dress that does absolute-nothing for her figure.

Gwen, a sweet little girl of Dickie's age is played by Naomi Wood. She worships Dickie, and trails after him like a faithful puppy dog. Gwen refuses to be hurt, no matter what Dickie says or does.

Joan, a girl Bob's age, is played by Shirley Frazier. She is as pretty as she can be, and even prettier when she is mad. She's terribly fond of Bob. But what girl could resist a "college man"?

Eddie, played by Lewis Crossley, is the loud-talker type, a half-and-hearted chap who has a "way with the girls. He is apt to enjoy his own jokes to no end, but Betty adores him—and appreciates his jokes (even when she's heard them before).

Mr. Abernaker, played by Jack Ernest, is in his forties—hardly a big man, but most certainly a forceful one. There is no doubt who rules the roost in his home.

Mrs. Brunswick, played by Betty Ann Harkrider, is a woman, with a booming voice and boosy manner. Mrs. Hill is just the opposite of her—a tiny, birdlike creature with a fussy manner, and tiny gestures which she forever uses to accent her remarks. Mrs. Hill is played by Jerry Spence. Mrs. James, played by Juanita Duffield.

a stony-faced woman who never smiles. She speaks dryly and her set expression rarely changes. They Mrs. Hill, Mrs. James and Mrs. Brunswick, are all members of the P.T. A.

Alan Hunt plays the part of "the law" and looks the part. He goes around with a perpetually suspicious air.

Miss Bright, played by Jan Spalding is aptly named, for she has an eager smile and manner. she is middle-aged and fluttery.

The Juniors wish to thank Charlene Baker, Mrs. L. Y. Morris, and Mrs. Ruth Poe Herring for judging the tryouts for the play.

HONOR STUDENTS

There are quite a few "A" students in EHS now as we had 25 on the honor roll. The mighty Seniors head the list with nine students. They are Dan Collie, Marcece Elliott, J. A. Freeman, Barbara Hague, Dick Harris, Eddie Hart, Billie Ploy Hunt, Barbara

Patterson and Gladeene Womack. The Juniors are Shirley Frazier, Mary Halkias, Charles Merrill, Jan Spalding, Katryn Watkins, Mary Wilt, George Harkrider, and Marilyn Wittrup.

The Sophomores are Betty Gay Allen, Veda Sneed and Joyce Tucker.

The Freshmen are Christina Arthur, G. W. McBee, Joe Stanley Stephen, Neva Dell Ward, and Jesse Whaley. These students deserve a salute for keeping their grades up.

SUB-DEB CLUB MEETS

The members of the Sub-Deb Club met at the home of Joyce Armstrong on Saturday February 1. They discussed old and new business. Refreshments were served to 14 members, and Mrs. Bill Collins who was a visitor.

FRESHMAN SPOTLIGHT

The Freshman spotlight this

week shines on none other than Paula De Harvey. She is about 5' 4" in height, weighs 109 lbs., has brown hair and brown eyes. Her favorite movie stars are Gregory Peck and Ingrid Bergman. The show she remembers as wonderful was "Song of Bernadette." Her favorite sport is swimming and she loves to eat fried chicken and lemon pie. "Oh, But I Do," sung by Jo Stafford and played by Harry James is her favorite song. Here's wishing luck to a swell Freshman.

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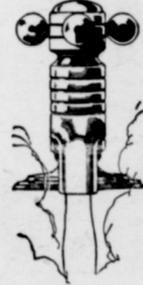
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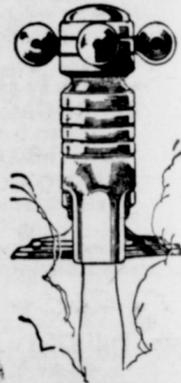
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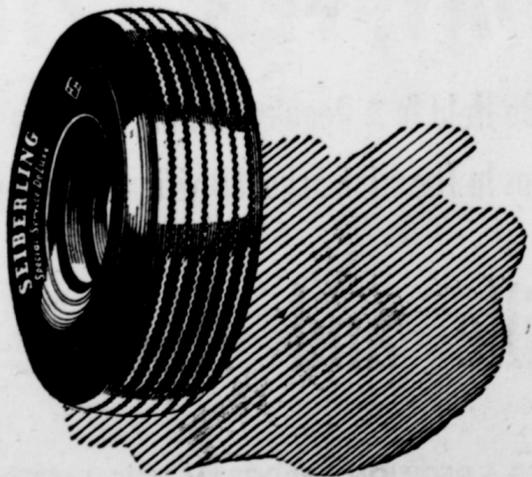
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**FLATWOODS**

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hartman of Dallas were week end visitors of her mother, Mrs. Laura Murrell. Mrs. Zephyr Clark visited Mrs. Mary Sanford of Eastland Saturday evening. Bill Stricklin of Longview visited his mother Mrs. Eva Stricklin over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Lyerla who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lyerla the past week returned to their home at Mercedia, Ariz. Sunday. Mrs. Minnie Foster was shopping in Breckenridge Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark were shopping in Abilene Wednesday.

Little Miss Kay Gioclose of Eastland spent the week end with Little Miss Madeline Justice. Sterl Turner still is improving. Mrs. H. E. Wilson is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson visited their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Woody Wilson of Eastland Wednesday, who is recovering from pneumonia. Cy Dug Justice spent the week end with Edwin Aaron of Eastland. Miss Vida Mae Maples spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Noel Simmons. Mrs. Bessie Bennett of Staff visited Mrs. Zephyr Clark Thursday. Madeline Justice visited Linda Barnett Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark, Gene and Jane and Mrs. Zephyr Clark attended the Stamps Quarett singing at Carbon Friday night. Pete Foster spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. M. L. Foster and left for Dallas Sunday eve.

**BLIND VET OPERATES CHICKEN FARM**



Operating a sizable chicken farm near Waxahachie, Texas, although blind, World War II veteran Otis L. White is shown stapling a new fence into place. Young Jimmy White, who has complete confidence in his pop, assists by holding his cane. White, who had 200 broilers ready for market when this photo was taken, attends a weekly Veterans Administration-approved vocational agriculture school.

The Stephenville Production Credit Association serves Erath, Hamilton, Hood, Parker, Somervell, Tarrant, Johnson, Wise, Comanche and Eastland Counties. Directors of the association are R. E. Seay, Comanche; R. Cal McCurdy, Decatur; T. W. Winters, Evant; W. B. Starr, Cisco; and F. B. Shannon, Stephenville. Inhabitants of Alaska and Northern Canada use the Caribou as a work animal.

**MRS. WILLIAMSON VISITS IN FORT WORTH**  
Mrs. Dixie Williamson, who has spent the past two months in Temple recovering from a major operation performed in a Temple hospital and later as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert O. Moreton and Dr. Moreton has returned to her home in Eastland, but is spending a few days in Fort Worth with her brother, Earn Connellee and Mrs. Connellee this week.

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**Production Credit Group To Pay Off Government Debt**

Money loaned by the government to the Stephenville Production Credit Association for its capitalization in 1933 will be retired this year, according to W. B. Starr, director of Cisco. "Because the association was formed during the depression with government assistance," Starr said, "many considered it a government lending agency and this mistaken impression still remains in the minds of many. The fact is we needed a strongly capitalized organization from which to borrow private money at reasonable rates from sources outside of this territory. The farmers and ranchers did not have the money to capita-

lize the association, so the government provided the original capital which we were to repay from member stock purchases and earnings. The association now has \$283,500 of farmer-rancher owned capital and will retire the government this year." "The Stephenville Production Credit Association was organized in 1933 to make agricultural loans when farmers and ranchers needed credit and loans were hard to get," Starr continued. "It opened a channel through which outside money helped many sound operators to continue their operations who otherwise might have failed due to lack of finance." During 1946 the Stephenville Production Association made loans totaling \$2,972,000, and has loaned more than \$20,000,000 since its organization in 1933. Losses have been small in relation to the amount of money loaned, and have been taken care of out of earnings. Loans outstanding on Dec. 31, 1946 amounted to \$1,158,504.26. \$286,000.00 of the amount loaned during the year was through the Eastland County Office which is managed by C. M. McCain. "With recent favorable times," Starr said, "some farm and ranch members have not needed borrowed money, but have kept their stock in the association. Members have not only kept their original stock, but have voluntarily purchased more than \$50,000 in preferred stock to finish the job of returning the capital to the government."



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### Mental Disorders More Numerous, Says Health Officer

AUSTIN — Mental disorders today represent a real problem and it is estimated that more than fifty per cent of all hospital beds are filled by persons suffering from mental or nervous diseases, declares Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

It thus appears that modern civilization is exacting a terrific toll. High speed living, with its cruel exactness upon nature, is responsible for a large part of the trouble. But improper personal conduct must also shoulder much of the blame. The fact is that nearly fifty per cent of the patients entering hospitals for mental disorders are there because of organic

or toxic causes.

For example, general paralysis is the direct cause of one-fifth of the mental troubles in males entering hospitals and one-tenth of the disorder for all groups. This condition is an organic disease of the brain due to the germ responsible for syphilis. It is a preventable disease. Early and effective treatment of acquired syphilis will block the end results of general paralysis in the insane.

The excessive use of alcohol is responsible for a number of mental disorders, at least in males. Alcohol and syphilis combined are responsible for approximately one-fifth of the hospitalized insanities. Nevertheless, improper living habits continue to impair many brains. Insufficient sleep, neglect of bodily care and an over forcing of nervous energy are the pitfalls to avoid in this connection.

Nature demands that her fundamental laws be at least reasonably observed. A constant outraging of

the physiological economy takes its toll not only in bodies but in minds also. Insanities and lesser nervous disorders could be spectacularly reduced if this fact was more generally respected. Training for mental health must be started in childhood as that is the time when corrections can be made to the best advantage.

### Mary G. McMillin Is Wed To Bill Meroney

Mr. and Mrs. Howard O. Smith, 300 West Moss Street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Gene McMillin, to Bill Meroney of Ranger.

Claud C. Smith read the ceremony Saturday morning.

The bride, dressed in a temple blue wool suit with back accessories, was attended by Miss Beulah Mae Graham, aunt of the bride, as maid of honor. John Osterhout of Ranger served as best man.

The couple spent the week end in Abilene, former home of the bride. They will make their home in Ranger with the groom's parents, while Mr. Meroney attends Junior College.

### WHEEL-CHAIR BUS



Walter Ellsworth, patient at McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital, Richmond, Va., adjusts a safety bar holding his wheel chair in place preparatory to a ride in the new, specially equipped chair patients.

Social Security Act should call to see the representative at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall and small son, Rob, of Brady were guests of Mrs. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sikes last week end.

Mrs. R. E. Sikes made a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas Monday.

Mr. Meroney, a graduate of Ranger High School, spent 27 months in service.

Mrs. Meroney is also the daughter of Mr. Clarence Eugene McMillin of Dallas, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Graham of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Milburn of Fort Worth.

### SOCIAL SECURITY MAN TO BE IN EASTLAND

A representative of the Abilene Social Security Administration will be at the U. S. Employment Service office in Eastland Thursday, Feb. 13, at 1 p. m.

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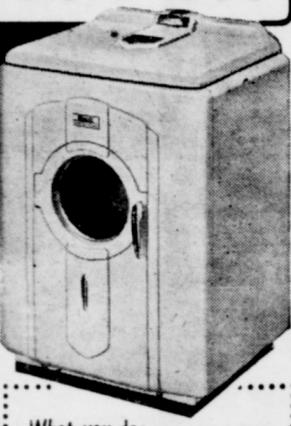
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**News Items From STAFF**

By MRS. M. O. HAZARD, Special Correspondent

Alford Fox had business in Eastland last Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Bennett and daughter, Miss June, were Eastland visitors last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barber were transacting business in Eastland last Monday.

M. O. Hazard was a business visitor in Olden last Tuesday afternoon.

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

Hog killing has been the order of the day in this community for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and daughter, Wilma of Olden were guests last Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson.

Well the past week the weatherman sent us a shower of sand instead of shower of rain. Think a shower of rain would have been more appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Cisco last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Little and Mrs. Bessie Bennett, shopped in Eastland last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nelson were in Eastland on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White visited with relatives in Eastland Thursday.

Mrs. O. T. Hazard was a caller Friday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. White returned home with Mrs. Hazard for a visit Friday evening.

A number from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. Eliza Parsons of Eastland at the Church of God in Eastland Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Parsons had a large circle of friends and relatives in this community who mourn her passing. Aunt Eliza as she was favorably known was a great Christian character, and was greatly appreciated by her many friends, to know her was to love her.

Cecil Nelson and Allen Crosby were among those from this community who had business in Eastland Saturday.

M. O. Hazard had business in Ranger Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Foyville and sons, Jimmie and Earl visited in Weatherford last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whittermore of Keene New Hampshire were guests recently of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurtee Hazard and son, Donald of Gorman were the guests Saturday night of Mrs.

Hazard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker, and visited with Mr. Hazard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Grady Allison of HSU, Abilene filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning and evening. A large crowd was in attendance at both services.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barber have recently purchased a lot in Eastland where they expect to move their house which is located at present on their farm home in this community, and are planning to make their home in Eastland in the near future.

The Rev. Grady Allison of Abilene was the dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson.

Mesdames H. H. Snow, Etta Layton and Edward Crume all of Enochs, Texas, were guests the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Fox and children of Albany were the guests Sunday afternoon in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pope were the guests Sunday afternoon of their son, Royace and family of DeLeon.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. White were Ranger visitors last Saturday afternoon.

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