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Vote To Be Held Saturday On College Building Amendments

Texas Tech Exes Fighting Proposal For Tax Changes

Eastland County voters, or at least those who paid poll taxes this year, will have a chance to go to the polls Saturday to vote on the highly controversial constitutional amendment that will provide funds for building at state operated colleges and universities.

Both Reps. L. R. Pearson and Turner Collie, who represent the county in the Texas Legislature, have come out in favor of the amendment.

However, the proposal is being fought fiercely in West Texas by proponents of Texas Tech and other state colleges, and has been opposed by some veterans' officials.

All of Eastland County's 27 polling places will be open Saturday, said County Clerk Virgil Love. Love said he expected a light vote, in view of the fact that only three absentee ballots had been cast in the election.

In brief, the proposal to be voted on is the allocation of five cents of the authorized seven cent Confederate pension tax to finance a building program for state-owned colleges other than the University of Texas and Texas A. & M. College. These two gain schools would be provided for by authorizing the issuance of \$15,000,000 in bonds against the Permanent University Fund, for which funds come from university-owned oil lands in West Texas.

Texas Tech adherents say that only \$1,500,000 would be provided for Tech buildings in the next 10 years under the proposal, while the college actually needs much more than that right now to provide adequate buildings for the students enrolled.

Preston Smith of Lubbock, a member of the Tech Legislature Committee fighting the proposal, was in Eastland Tuesday on behalf of the Tech ex-students' campaign.

If the amendment fails, he said, Tech would get money for new buildings from the Legislature, as it always has in the past.

Hollywood-Maxwell Plant Changes Studied

A production and efficiency analysis of the Eastland plant of the Hollywood-Maxwell Company was being made this week by M. V. Martin, efficiency engineer.

Martin has worked out a training and production program which he says can more than double the production of the Eastland plant, while increasing employment greatly and making it possible for beginning operators to become efficient in a relatively short time.

The plant now has 56 sewing machines in operation, and Martin proposes doubling the number of machines.

The plant is located on the bottom floor of the Masonic Lodge building.

Olden School Opening Set For September 1

Classes will begin in the Olden Schools Monday, Sept. 1. School Supt. Travis Hilliard of Olden announced this week.

Hilliard asked all high school students to register at the school Friday, Aug. 29, beginning at 9 a. m.

The school bus will be driven by Claude Renfro, beginning Monday, Sept. 1. The cafeteria will be operated under supervision of Mrs. Lockhart and Mrs. McKelvain.

Industrial Survey Party Visits Eastland

Dr. Sidney L. Miller, professor of Business Administration of the University of Pittsburgh and A. C. Siler, executive representative of the Texas and Pacific Railway, spent Tuesday afternoon in Eastland.

The T. & P. Railway and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have employed Dr. Miller to make an economic survey of West Texas, in regard to industrial development of this region.

17 Indictments Made By County Grand Jury

Seventeen indictments were returned by the Eastland County Grand Jury Thursday before it recessed subject to call by the foreman.

District Clerk Roy Lane and his staff were busy Thursday afternoon preparing capias papers for the sheriff's office for those indicted. District Attorney Everett Grisham said the names could not be released until the sheriff had served the papers.

The grand jurors met all day Tuesday and half the day Thursday before recessing. The jury had met a day and a half two weeks ago before returning another group of indictments.

Light Showers Fall In County

Farmers and ranchmen of Eastland County looked with renewed hope at cloud-filled skies this week, but by Thursday afternoon only scattered and light showers had fallen over the county.

The general, soaking rain that would salvage peanut growers' crops and start grass growing on the ranges was yet to appear.

However, cooler weather that accompanied the thunder showers gave a new lease on life to droughty crops, and ended the August heat wave that had brought great discomfort to people and animals.

Many stockmen of the county were hauling water for livestock as tanks dried up, and a washing rain was needed to fill the stock tanks.

Peanuts were "standing," not growing but not suffering greatly except where planted on tight land. County AAA Administrator Emmitt Powell said a peanut farmer had told him that the county would make a 50 per cent peanut crop even if it fails to rain, but Powell said he doubted it.

Californian To Give Sermons For Baptists

Dr. William B. Huntsberry, pastor of the Southern Baptist Church at El Monte, Calif., will preach and the morning and evening services of the First Baptist Church of Eastland Sunday on invitation of the church's pulpit committee.

Dr. and Mrs. Huntsberry, who are visiting friends in Weatherford, will arrive Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Huntsberry, who served as a chaplain during the war, said he drove through Eastland a time or two and he and his wife commented on what a nice-looking town it was. Just the kind of town he would like to be pastor in some day, he commented.

He was visiting in Weatherford when he heard the pulpit was vacant here, and drove here to contact the pulpit committee. The sermons Sunday will be in the nature of a test to see whether his dream will work out.

Sikes Child Critically Ill In Dallas Hospital

Mrs. Josephine Brister is in Dallas, where her little grandson, Carroll Kelley Sikes, was taken Friday of last week when he became critically ill. He was reported to be somewhat improved Thursday.

His mother, Mrs. Pete Sikes of Ranger, who has been ill since the birth of the baby about three weeks ago, was unable to make the trip.

PARKER REAPPOINTED COUNTY AUDITOR

County Auditor Don Parker was reappointed to the post Monday by District Judge George Davenport.

Parker has served in the auditor's office, as assistant and auditor, for 21 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Davenport and little daughter, Sarah Frances, of Berkeley, Calif., are guests in the home of Davenport's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davenport, 201 South Ostrum Street.

Equipment Bought By City To Improve Water Treatment

Members of the Eastland City Commission Wednesday night approved purchase of chemical feeders and mixers for the city water plant at a cost of \$3411.80 from Wallace and Tiernan, manufacturers of the equipment.

The company will furnish all equipment except minor piping and wiring, and will supervise installation.

The new feeders will eliminate the expensive and laborious hand feeding now done, and will save one plant worker's salary, since one man will be able to do easily what two do now, city officials said.

Chemicals now are dumped into the city water supply from a 15-foot tower, and chemicals must be carried to the top of the tower by man-power. The automatic feeders will eliminate all of this.

A new storage and machine house is planned to house the feeders and the chemicals now stored in an ancient wooden building at the plant. City workers will erect the building and install the equipment.

Merrie Warren Is 'Harvest Queen'

Miss Merie Dawn Warren was crowned harvest queen at an evening of dancing at the American Legion Hall last Friday evening.

The contest, sponsored by the club, was held on a one cent per vote basis, and Miss Warren won by over 200 votes. Runners-up were Misses Paula D. Harvey, Fern Justice, Mary Katherine Hoffmann, Shirley Frazer, Janiel Dan, Jane Wilson and Prudie Hardeman.

The queen was crowned by her date, John Ernst and was the recipient of a gift from the club.

The ballroom was decorated with colored crepe paper, balloons and corn stalks. Bales of hay provided seats for the king and queen during the coronation on the stage, and a scarecrow leading against the railing of the stage provided more color.

Mrs. D. E. Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Bill J. Collins, who are sponsors of the Coed Club, acted as chaperons for the group. Members of the club who were hostesses are Audrey Faye Brown, Betty Gay Allen, Jeanne Green, Nancy Harkrider, Wanda Williams, Bobbie Shero, Barbara Martin, Betty Bumpas, Patsy Young, Pat Rushing, Veda Sneed, Nell Frost and Gay Nell Whitley.

Ex-County Resident Paying Visit Here

R. L. Steward of Whitefield, Okla., who lived in Eastland County from 1898 to 1901 and from 1910 to 1916, was in Eastland this week visiting his sister, Mrs. T. A. McDonald, and spreading his gospel of monetary reform.

Steward taught school in Romney in his first stay in the county, and later returned to operate a store there. He recently attended the Kinard family reunion at Lake Cisco.

His belief is that the government has let the control of money slip its hands into those of bankers, and that the control should be returned.

SAULE PERLSTEIN IN MEN'S SHOP

Saule Perlstein of Ranger, owner of the Men's Store in Eastland, will be in the Eastland store for the next two weeks while the manager, Carlton Ranney, takes a vacation.

PIONEER CLUB TO MEET

The Eastland County Pioneer Club will meet in the home of Mrs. O. M. White at the Leon Plant Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon. Mrs. R. L. Watson, president of the club announced.

Big Cover Crop Acreage Forecast; U. S. Aid Scheduled

Eastland County farmers, more and more alert to the benefits of planting winter cover crops, will plant the biggest acreage in history this fall, and about half the cost of seed for the cover crops will be borne by the Production and Marketing Administration under the 1948 winter legume assistance program, Emmitt Powell, Eastland County administrator, said Thursday.

Powell said the program will be ready to put into operation about Sept. 1, and urged that farmers planning to plant winter legumes get in touch with the AAA office before planting.

Farm limit for the seed will be figured at 50 cents per acre on total crops land in cultivation. Powell, said. As an example, for a farm with 100 acres in cultivation, the maximum amount that could be allowed for legume seed under the program would be \$50.

Receipts must be presented when prior approvals are obtained, Powell said, and there also will be a purchase order program to help the farmers purchase seed.

Payment will be paid on the following cover crops as indicated, Powell said:

Austrian winter peas, 3 1/2 cents per pound; hairy vetch, 10 cents per pound; mixed vetch, 7 cents per pound; common vetch, 5 cents per pound; butam clover, 7 1/2 cents per pound; mellilotus indica, 6 cents per pound; singletary peas, 5 cents per pound; blue lupine, 2 cents per pound; and black medic, 12 cents per pound.

Powell said the payments per pound are approximately two-thirds those of last year, the reduction being caused by reduced appropriations by Congress. However, approximately the same amount of money will be on hand for payments on cover crops, so the money should be spent on more acres.

Powell said he expected the plantings of hairy vetch in the county to be limited only by the amount of money and amount of seed available. Many farmers who have not planted the favored Eastland County cover crop will plant it this year, he said.

Warrens Have Family Reunion

A family reunion dinner was held Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Warren, 507 East Main Street, with all of the Warrens' children attending.

It was the first time the entire family had been together since before the war.

Here for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. White and family and A. M. Warren, all of Casa Grande, Ariz. Mrs. Don Adair and daughter and Billy Douglas Warren, all of Breckenridge, and Jimmie Warren of Eastland. Mrs. White and Mrs. Adair are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Warren.

Scranton Scout Troop Has Overnight Camp

Members and officials of Boy Scout Troop 36 of Scranton, newly organized, spent a night last week at Lake Bernie, near Cisco. The troop was granted fishing rights from authorities at the lake.

The outing was given the boys by troop officials, who are Scoutmaster Bill Payne, Assistant Scoutmasters Alfred Parks and E. T. Elms, and Committeemen B. O. Spiegles, W. W. McGee, Bill Leister and J. H. Schroeder, Jr.

Members of the troop are Dale Boland, Bum Foster, Gerald Foster, M. J. Harris, Harrell Holder, Garland Payne, Mark Ray, Monnell Ray, Lloyd Sawyers, Ted Sessions, Donald Slatton and Stuart Spiegles.

The troop is open for membership to any boy 12 years of age or older. It is planned to organize a Cub pack soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Bennett returned home Sunday from a vacation spent at Eagle Nest, N. M.

Side Issues

By HENRY G. VERMILLION

Well, the softball season is about over in Eastland, with the last regularly scheduled game in the local league to be played Friday night between Cisco and King Motor, but a lot of fans will be talking for a long while about the game Monday night that decided the championship of the annual invitational tournament.

Abilene Christian College won the game, 7-4, but the big event of the evening happened in the fifth inning with the score tied 2-2. King Tractor loaded the bases when Grisham, their heavy-hitting pitcher, came to bat.

Grisham clipped a fast one toward third base, three runners rounded the diamond and came in, and Grisham went to third on an over-throw.

Home Plate Umpire Neil Day first ruled everyone safe, and the A. C. C. team boiled out around him. The consultation moved down to third base, and finally Day ruled that the ball had been hit foul, the sacks were filled again—and Grisham struck out.

He also blew out, apparently, because the next inning he was ineffective and A. C. C. got so far ahead King Tractor couldn't catch up.

It was quite a ball game, and a lot of fans went away boiling mad. But as almost always, I'm going to uphold the umpires, and in this case especially. A hometown team backed by hometown officiating can be a terrifying thing, and in a disputed decision, it is better to give it to the out-of-town boys.

There will be another tournament next year, and we'll want the best teams we can get.

How did I see the disputed play? I thought the ball was fair. But I was sitting on top of the stands.

Our new veterinarian, Dr. C. M. Patterson, is out to sell an idea that he thinks will raise the standard of rural living in Eastland County by quite a few degrees if it goes across.

His idea is to make Eastland County the feedlot of Texas, by importing feeder cattle from the big ranches and feeding them with native pasture grasses and cover crops and with grain from the South Plains area.

Dr. Patterson's argument goes that there is no section anywhere better adapted to such a program; that Eastland County is less than 100 miles from Fort Worth, a great national livestock market; that it is less than 100 miles the other direction from the grain growing area; that cattle now being bought on the ranches of West Texas and being shipped to Iowa and Illinois for feeder purposes could be brought here just as well, fed out, and sent to Fort Worth instead of Chicago.

The big question that has been raised, Dr. Patterson says, is whether the sorghum grains grown on the South Plains will feed stock out as well as corn does in the mid-west.

He thinks it will. The small grains have a higher protein content than corn, and only slightly less carbohydrates, he says. If it is not as easily fed, ways should be found readily to make it so. And, as a matter of fact, a good deal (Continued On Page Ten)

HOPE WATERMELON SENT KINFOLK HERE

Dr. Don Smith of Hope, Ark., sent his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brashier, a watermelon weighing 85 pounds. The melon was grown in Hope.

Dr. Smith just wanted his relatives in Texas to see a real watermelon. The melon was received last Friday and enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Brashier, their son, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. Willys Smith.

Mrs. Dave Allen, who has been quite critically ill in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene, was reported to be improved Wednesday. It was hoped that she might be returned home about Wednesday of next week.

Season Tickets To Football Games Selling Rapidly

The marked interest taken in football by Eastland people was demonstrated this week when season reserved seat tickets to Eastland High School home games sold quickly after they were placed on sale.

Of 570 season reserved seats placed on sale last week end, only 146 were left Thursday, said Neil Day, who has been helping sell the tickets. They also are on sale at the Corner Drug Store.

Seats that are left are between the 35 and 40 yard lines.

The tickets cost \$5 each, only a few cents more than the general admission price to all Maverick home games.

Seats reserved are in the new west side stands, which will seat in all about 1500 people. Seating capacity of the stadium will be increased to about 2800 when the stands are completed.

Under the reserved seat plan, the person buying a seat buys it for the season. No reserved seat sale will be held at game time unless some of the season tickets are not sold it was said.

Church Of Christ Sets Vacation Bible School

A vacation Bible school beginning Monday, Aug. 25 and continuing through Friday, Sept. 5, will be conducted each morning at the Church of Christ, Claud C. Smith, minister of the church, announced.

Mr. Smith will be the supervisor, and will conduct a general assembly each morning, which will be highlighted with an illustrated sermonette.

He will also teach the senior class in the school.

The pre-school class will be under the direction of Mrs. Harry Wood, Mrs. J. H. Lee and Mrs. Gerald Wingate. The junior class will be taught by Mrs. Lee Horn, Mrs. Jack Lusk, and Mrs. J. R. Boggus. The intermediates will be taught by Mesdames W. W. Linkenhogor, J. B. Brannon, and W. E. Lawson.

Mrs. Gerald Wingate will be the song leader, and Mrs. I. M. Herring will have charge of the registration and attendance.

Mr. Smith said that the church extended an invitation to all the children of the town to attend the school.

Eastland Boxers Do Well In State Meet

Four of the Eastland district amateur boxers who went to the T.A.A.F. state meet in Fort Worth last week end reached the finals, but only one, Lightweight Billy Henderson of Eastland, won his finals bout.

The Eastland district came out fifth in the meet, with Fort Worth on top, followed by Dallas, Houston and Port Arthur.

This was the first year the district meet ever was held in Eastland. It was brought by the Quarterback Club under the guidance of President Neil Day.

King Motor Building Undergoes Repairs

Workmen this week were completing a "face-lifting" job on the south side of the King Motor Company service station at Main and Seaman Streets.

Owner H. L. King said the work was to take out some old windows that were installed when the building was used for a different purpose, and to cover the entire surface of the wall above the station entrance with stucco.

TANNERS DETAINED BY STORM IN MEXICO

Mrs. Terrell E. Harbin of Olden is in the Chamber of Commerce office while H. J. Tanner is on vacation. Mrs. Harbin stated that the storm in Mexico will detain Mr. and Mrs. Tanner, and that they are expected back next Monday.

Residents Resume Fight On Location Roping Arena

Saying emphatically that the city should get the Eastland Roping arena moved had not ended the fight of the residents of the area held a meeting this week, and later sent letters to the City Commission and the Eastland County Record.

The opponents of the arena location protested that they had not been told that it would help them appear before the City Commission; that the commissioners had not agreed to hear their case, and had invited members of the roping club to appear, and that notification had been given that a hearing would be held on Oct. 1.

At the City Commission meeting the city board voted to permit the roping club to use its present location at least until the end of the roping season, estimated at Oct. 1.

The following was sent to The Record as a statement by residents of the roping club arena neighborhood:

RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE ROPING PEN AREA MAKE STATEMENT TO EASTLAND COUNTY RECORD:

Naturally, we the residents and property owners of the roping pen area were stunned by the impact of the City Commission's unfavorable and unheralded decision, by which they granted the Roping Club permission to continue their roping activities in the neighborhood, beyond the 60 day try-out period—until October 1 or later.

The greatest sting, and it really created an itching rash, was the fact that though we have tried to appear before the City Commission ever since the first roping try-out, this privilege has never been granted to us. Yet, on Tuesday night, August 12, when the Roping Club only had been in existence for a few days, they were granted the permission to continue their roping activities in the neighborhood, beyond the 60 day try-out period—until October 1 or later.

We learn that the people in the area are all "powder puffs," not, or rather, "we ain't got no mustard fortitude."

While this steam roller is proceeding along, it seems a sort of judgment, was granted, because this area was not only by our petition of protest signed by more than thirty residents and property owners. We were told by the City Manager that our presence had been requested, answering a question. Johnny Aaron, so the August 15, 1947 issue of the Eastland County Record, as spokesman for the ropers who live near the arena, and others who had signed had asked him that they were not in removal of the club's access immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer, who live on Bassett Street, near Valley, who are very close friends of the family on Halbryan who is taking a licking, are the (Continued On Page Ten)

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News From . . . OLDEN

By Special Correspondent

The members of the Olden Baptist Church gave Mrs. Nelson, their pastor's wife, a surprise birthday party Thursday night, Aug. 14 on the lawn of the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Griffin after several games were played. Mrs. Nelson was presented a basket filled with lovely gifts, a crystal electric sylex coffee maker, cup towels

and many lovely and useful gifts. After presentation of gifts the 60 registered guests enjoyed ice cream and cake. There were no candles on the birthday cake, but on good authority there would have been 32. She expresses her thanks for the lovely expression of love on this occasion.

A good group for Sunday School at the Olden Baptist Church last Sunday. A welcome is extended to all who will come worship with us.

The girls and boys of the Methodist Sunday school here were in a contest recently in which the girls were losers and had to entertain the winners Tuesday night, Aug. 19. The girls were hostesses to a party given for the boys at the home of Rev. Dutton, Methodist pastor.

The W.M.U. met Monday afternoon at the church for Mission Study, taught by Rev. Nelson. Fifteen were present.

Mrs. E. W. Hull has returned from a trip to May where she visited for several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilkens.

Miss Alice Joyce Cushman was hostess to the Methodist Sunday School last Friday night, with a lawn party at her home. Bible quizzes, games and stunts were enjoyed by everyone. Refreshments of ice cream sundaes, cookies and punch was served to 27.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Everett and sons visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White in Carbon Sunday. Their son, Jimmie stayed for a weeks visit.

Rev. Earl Stephens of A.C.C. pre-med student preached here Sunday at the Church of Christ and will preach again next Sunday. His home is in Pittsburg, Miss.

Guests in the Euell Bond home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bond and family of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bond and children and Miss Laurice Bond of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. McDaniels and family of Monahans. Mrs. McDaniels and daughter remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade of Desdemona attended services here at the Church of Christ Sunday evening.

Junior Hamilton of Midland visited his mother Mrs. Edna Hamilton last week end.

Mrs. Charlie Longston has returned from Morgan Mills where she attended the funeral of her brother, J. L. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ray and Mrs. Lee and their families in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley are visiting their children in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Carl Crone is in Temple at this writing with her mother, Mrs. Lewellen, who is ill.

Mrs. Ethel Rowch has been ill here at her home the past week, but is much better at this time. Her mother, Mrs. Davison of Cisco is here with her.

Bro. Earl Stephens and Miss Jean Roberts were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Ida Simer.

Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Smith and infant daughter, Clara Jo of Mineral Wells, visited her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lester and Mrs. Lowe, Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis of Brownwood is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Nelson.

The Dodson children of Cisco are here visiting their grandmother Mrs. W. E. Griffin.

Little Miss Doris Rowch celebrated her fourth birthday with a party at her home last Friday afternoon. The honoree received many lovely gifts and refreshments of ice cream and cake was served to 9 little guests.

John Lloyd Yielding returned home last week from Chugate, Wyo. He has been working in the wheat fields for the past three or four months.

Mrs. Clegg of Dallas is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Swearinger and mother-in-law, Mrs. Clegg.

Mrs. Willie Bockman has been visiting in De Leon the past several days.

Sgt. Dean Elliott has returned to Florida after a 10 day furlough here with home folks.

Johnnie Jarrett of Beaumont spent last week end here with his wife and son. They accompanied him back.

Jim Hammett has returned from a trip to San Antonio, Austin and Buda, where he visited relatives.

Z. B. Morgan of Albany spent last week end here with his family.

Mrs. Burns, mother of Mrs. Estelle is quite ill in the Ranger General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Browning and family moved to Eastland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heinemann of Fort Worth are spending their vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lois Groves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs and children moved to Eastland recently. They formerly lived in the Longston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hallbrook and daughter, Sandra have returned from their trip to Carlsbad Cavern, Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet and two children of Staff visited Mrs. Ethel Rowch last Saturday.

Miss Vickey Whisenant of Weatherford was here visiting her parents while recuperating from a tonsillotomy.

Mr. Hughes who has been here visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Gene Rowch and family has returned to his home in Desdemona.

Mrs. Ann Loper of Texas City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mitchell has a baby boy, born Aug. 15. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell are spending their vacation there at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd Yielding are vacationing in New Mexico and California. Mrs. Grace Burke

and family of Eastland, are staying here with her father and brother, J. D. Yielding and Harmon until their return.

Mrs. Lee has returned home from Dallas where she has been visiting her son

Clifton Napier returned home Saturday from Odessa.

Mrs. Ruth Adams and children of Wichita Falls visited her mother, Mrs. Rowch Sunday.

Mrs. Steel of Abilene visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Wright Sunday.

Mrs. Payne and daughters of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burns Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Fidler is visiting his sister in Mississippi

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walden and son, W. C. accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bob of Eastland spent Sunday in the J. J. Tucker home in Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and daughter, Wilma are in Goldthwaite at this writing with her mother, Mrs. Langlitz who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Squires spent the week end in Mineral Wells visiting her sister.

W. R. Burns assisted by Jack Bockman are painting and fixing up the Texaco Service Station.

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Coca-Cola advertisement with text: 'Bottles, Bottles... who's got the empty bottles?'. Includes illustration of a boy with bottles and text: 'Please return empty Coca-Cola bottles to your dealer.' and 'Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Company'.

News Items From STAFF

By MRS. M. O. HAZARD, Special Correspondent

and Mrs. C. L. Henderson, business visitors in Breckenridge recently. A large number of friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Anson met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White on last Monday evening to honor Mr. and Mrs. Little with a miscellaneous shower. They received a large number of beautiful and useful gifts. Refreshments were served to those attending the affair. John M. White was a business visitor in Eastland last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby were

visiting in Eastland last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were Eastland visitors last Tuesday afternoon.

Ed Castleberry of Eastland was in the community on business last Tuesday.

Cecil Nelson had business in Ranger Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Little and Earl Little were visiting in Eastland Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd Crowley visited with relatives in Abilene the past week.

Allen Crosby had business in Eastland Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Roy Neil were Eastland visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brumlow visited with relatives in Olden Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and daughter of Olden were the guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson.

Cecil Nelson and Tom Pope, were in Ranger Thursday afternoon to attend trades day.

Walter Duncan attended to business in Eastland last Thursday.

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce entertained the people of the Staff community with an interesting program in the Staff Baptist Church on last Friday evening.

On the program were several quarettettes, a solo and piano and guitar numbers.

The Ranger group served refreshments. These meetings have been held in several communities surrounding Ranger and carry out a policy of good will and friendliness. Everyone present seemed to enjoy the evening.

We invite these good people of Ranger to come our way again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Eastland Friday afternoon.

E. N. Jones was an Eastland visitor Saturday.

Jess Putnam our merchant at Staff transacted business in Eastland Saturday.

Allen Crosby was in Eastland Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard visited with Mrs. Hazard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Roy Neil were business visitors in Gorman and Eastland Saturday.

Lonnie Crosby visited in Duncan, Okla. the past week in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Bill McFadden and Mr. McFadden.

Mrs. G. A. Rushing and children Junior and Barbara of Abilene were guests last Monday and Tuesday in the home of their uncle, Tom Pope and Mrs. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Gorman were visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Watson of Eastland were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby last Friday afternoon.

Berry Elliott of Olden was a caller in the homes of Cecil Nelson and M. O. Hazard Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Alford of Eastland were visiting with the

Allen Crosby family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby visited in Gorman last Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and attended the ball game.

The Rev. Paul Stephens of H.S. U. Abilene filled his appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday. Moriyoishi Hirataini Wahiaawa, Oahu Hawaii who is attending H. S. U. Abilene was also a speaker at the evening hour. Both of these young men brought a great message, which was enjoyed and appreciated by a large audience.

Mrs. M. O. Hazard received word Sunday of the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. C. Langlitz of Goldthwaite. Mrs. Langlitz is the mother of Clarence Langlitz and Mrs. Berry Elliott both of Olden.

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FISH STORY... CEREAL STYLE

If fish is your dish, here's a recipe you'll fall for... hook, line and sinker: Combine 2 cups flaked cooked fish, 1 cup salad dressing, 1/2 cup chopped green pepper, 1/4 cup chopped onion, 1 cup chopped celery, 1/2 tsp. salt and 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce. Place in casserole. Pour 2 tbsps. melted butter over 2 cups of A&P's crunchy SUNNYFIELD CORN FLAKES (lightly crushed). Toss with fork and sprinkle on fish mixture. Bake 30 to 40 minutes in hot oven, 400° F.



TOASTED CINNAMON CIRCLES

Those fresh, tender JANE PARKER DONUTS you get at the A&P are well worth toasting... in every sense of the word! Try popping them under the broiler, but first split each one, spread with soft butter, and sprinkle with a mixture of cinnamon and sugar (1 tsp. cinnamon to 1/4 cup sugar).

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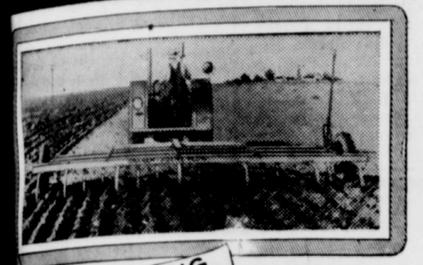
Iced tea and citrus juices are wonderful whistle-wetters. Put them together and you get a really unbeatable beverage! Here's how: To 5 cups of chilled tea, add 1/2 cup of strained orange juice and 1/4 cup of strained lemon juice. Sweeten to taste and pour over ice. That's all there is to it... except, of course, to be sure to use one of the famous Flavor-Tested teas sold only at the A&P—OUR OWN, NECTAR or MAY-FAIR. Each of these blends makes grand iced tea at its heat-beating, delicious best.



WORTH MINTS!

Fruit salad is even more refreshing when it's served with minted salad dressing (which doesn't cost a mint to make if you use ANN PAGE SALAD DRESSING as a base). Just add 2 tbsps. of crushed after-dinner mints to 1/2 cup of this creamy-smooth, tart-sweet dressing from the A&P; blend well and let stand 1/2 hour to develop flavor.

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YOUR STATE TAXES DOUBLED

The State Tax Rate This Year Is 72c On \$100 Valuation

Last Year the Rate Was 37c

Who Said, "No New Taxes"?

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! Saturday, August 23rd AGAINST An Additional 5c Tax

On Saturday, August 23, an amendment to the constitution of the State of Texas will be voted on to allocate 5c of the authorized 7c Confederate pension tax to finance a building program for State owned colleges other than the University of Texas and Texas A. & M.

An Additional Tax

"They" say this is not a new tax, but you have not been paying it for many years. It certainly will be an additional tax you have not been paying. If voted by the people of Texas on August 23, it will be added to your 72c State tax, making a total of 77c on the \$100 valuation.

Small Taxpayers Pay

The veteran, the farmer, the small home owner, the laborer, the small business man, everybody will have to pay this 5c tax in addition to the 72c State tax, if this amendment carries. This State tax is in addition to local taxes—County taxes—School taxes—City taxes—and perhaps others.

Will Not Provide Buildings

If passed, this 5c additional tax will not provide adequate and sufficient buildings at today's cost of construction. In the next 10 years West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon MIGHT get \$487,200. The College of Mines at El Paso MIGHT get \$423,000. Sul Ross at Alpine MIGHT get \$189,000. Texas Technological College at Lubbock MIGHT get \$1,500,000 in these 10 years.

An Unnecessary Tax

This is an unnecessary tax. By a division of the so-called Permanent University Fund more buildings can be built at all the State owned colleges than this tax will provide. They also can be built much sooner. And the State University and Texas A. & M. still can get more buildings than they can use.

42 Counties Exempt

42 of the State's richest counties pay no ad valorem taxes for State purposes. None of these counties are in West Texas.

W H Y?

Should you pay another unnecessary 5c tax when 42 of the State's 254 counties will not be paying to help our State colleges.

Help Colleges—Vote Against

You will actually be helping all 14 of our States colleges if you vote against this amendment. All these colleges can and will get more money by regular appropriations if this amendment is defeated than they could get by the passage of this 5c tax amendment. Your vote against the amendment will help instead of hurt these 14 State colleges.

DON'T BE LED ASTRAY

Do not be led astray by this proposed amendment which levies a 5c tax on your property for 30 years and saddles a \$45,000,000 debt on you and all other taxpayers. If passed, this amendment will open the flood gates of the State treasury to dozens of new colleges and you again will pay the bill.

Go Vote Saturday, August 23rd

"AGAINST" This 30 Year Constitutional 5c Tax Amendment

This Advertisement Paid By Friends of State Colleges in West Texas

SOCIETY

MISS POLK TO WED H. LEONARD TODD IN SWEETWATER

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Polk of Sweetwater announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. H. Leonard Todd, Jr., son of Mrs. Obara Todd of Eastland.

The wedding is scheduled for 3 p. m. Sunday, August 31, in the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

Rev. Billy Smith, a ministerial student of Hardin-Simmons University, will read the ceremony.

Miss Polk is a graduate of Newman High School in Sweetwater. She was active in dramatics, art and journalism. She held the position of art editor of Yucca Gloriosa for three years and participated in La Herraduya, Girl Reserves, and dramatic club. She is now a junior student at Hardin-Simmons University, where she is majoring in speech.

She is a member of the University Players, Alpha Psi Omega, Art League, Press Club, Y. W. A. and the Sweetwater Club on the campus.

Todd is also a junior student at

the university. He graduated from Eastland High School in 1943, and spent the following year at Texas Tech at Lubbock, leaving school to serve the navy in the the Southwest Pacific area, receiving his discharge in 1946. For a while he owned and operated the City Taxi in Eastland until he enrolled in Hardin-Simmons in September of 1946. He has served as a director on the committee for the "Amazing Grace" hour over KXOX Sweetwater. He is a ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons and plans to continue his ministerial work at Anderson Seminary at Anderson, Ind.

The couple plans a wedding trip to St. Louis, Mo., before entering school at Anderson College.

Beta Sigma Phi Given Luncheon Thursday

Mrs. Jack Gourley and Mrs. Pat Miller were hostesses to members of the Beta Sigma Phi at a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Miller, 811 West Commerce Street, Thursday of last week at noon.

The house was decorated with floral arrangements of pastel shades. Guests were seated at game tables, each seating four. Places were marked by floral designed place cards.

The menu consisted of a salad course, hot rolls, iced tea, and home made chocolate sundaes, and was served to Mesdames Jim Brown, Ruth Martin, W. P. Watkins, Eugene Hickman, Mattie Doyle, Bill Collins, D. E. Pittman, John Little, M. H. Perry, A. H. Ernest and a guest, Mrs. Tom Haygood.

Double Seven Club Has First Meeting

The Double Seven Club had its first meeting of the season at the home of Charlotte Van Hoy Tuesday afternoon.

Election of officers and election of new members were the business at hand. Officers elected included Charlotte Van Hoy as president; Shirley Hightower as vice president; Pat Brown as reporter; and Monette Scott as historian.

New members elected included Misses Irene Farr, Wanda Richardson and Guyrene Robinson.

Guest of the club was Miss Billie Gene Ashley of Big Spring, formerly of Eastland. Refreshments of cokes and home made cake were served by the hostess, Miss Van Hoy.

Morton Valley Club Hears Book Review

Members of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club heard "Out on a Limb," reviewed by Mrs. Oleta Wade of the Howard Club, at their meeting in the home of Mrs. J. W. Harrison last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles B. Harris, was welcomed as a new member of the club, and Mrs. John Love, vice president of the district, was a guest. Mesdames D. Anderson, Otis Anderson and Charles Mahaffey of the Colony Club, Mrs. Howard Wade of the Howard Club, and Miss Evelyn Wade of Aruba, Netherlands, West Indies, were also guests.

Other visitors included Mesdames T. I. Poor, H. C. Pounds, Jeff Laughlin and Mrs. J. E. Craig of Morton Valley.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and iced tea were served to Mesdames Craig, D. D. Franklin, Dee Anderson, Poor, Miss Wade and Mesdames Laughlin, Charles Brockman, Otis Anderson, John Love, Howard F. Wade, Harris, Mahaffey, Josie K. Nix, W. E. Tankersley, Pounds and Love.

Mrs. J. M. Perkins On Federation Committee

In a list of appointees of the new state president of Federated Clubs, Mrs. John J. Perry, which was released this week in Austin from the state headquarters, the name of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland appeared as head of the program committee.

Mrs. Perkins is a former state president of the club federation. She is at present visiting her mother, Mrs. Albert H. Gleason, at Gleasondale, Mass.

CIVIC LEAGUE PRESIDENT TO GIVE BREAKFAST

Mrs. Frank Hightower will be hostess at a morning coffee for officers and committee chairmen of the Civic League and Garden Club at her home, 108 East Williams Street, Friday morning.

Plans are to be made for the year's work, so the yearbook committee may get started on the program.

HOME MAKERS CLASS TO HAVE PICNIC

The Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church will hold its annual picnic at the City Park Friday at 7 p. m. Members were urged to attend and bring a basket lunch for their families, and visitors they care to bring.

Mrs. I. C. Inzer is teacher of the class and Mrs. Earl O'Brien is president.

RELATIVES VISIT IN JONES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steele Jones and children, Bobby and Joe of Washington, D. C., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones. Other guests in their home are Jimmy Lee and Bedford, Jr., children of Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Jones of Dallas, and Jerry Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jones of Dallas. Jerry is also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen and his cousins, Stanley and Rodney Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxey are leaving Friday morning for a two weeks vacation.

Slaughters Honored At Open House Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clements of Morton Valley held open house Sunday in honor of Mrs. Clement's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Slaughter of Eastland, the occasion being the 75th birthday of Mr. Slaughter and the 53rd anniversary of their marriage.

Noon dinner was served buffet style to the following relatives and friends: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clements, Jr., and sons, Lindsey and William, of the Morton Valley community; Mrs. Burt Williboughy of Dallas; Mrs. Minnie Barrett and daughter Mable of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Abe May, Mr. and Mrs. Richard May and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kirby and children, all of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley and daughter of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Slaughter and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Slaughter and daughter, Judy Kay of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Swenson and son, Junior of Sweetwater, Mrs. Jeff Coats and daughters, Clara, Jeanne and Sandra of Coleman, Mrs. Martin Smith and children, Betty and Mike of Olden, John Cook and Mrs. Jane Hogg, and Mrs. Pat Berry of Lampasas.

Callers included Mr. and Mrs. Lon Fisher of Morton Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carter of near Cisco, Mrs. Lee Jernigan and Mrs. Boyle Johnson of Cisco.

Brushiers And Smiths To Have Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brushier and Mr. and Mrs. Willys Smith are expecting as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Brents McPherson and daughter, Miss Patsy, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ellen, Jr., all of Hope, Ark.

Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Ellen are sisters of Mrs. Brushier and of Smith.

Returning after a summer's stay in Hope will be Colonel Don Brushier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brushier. The group is expected to arrive late Friday and the Arkansans will stay about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Jones returned home late Sunday from several days vacation trip to Dallas and Waco. Since their return they have had as guests in their home Mrs. Robert Acock and children of Austin.

News From . . . Morton Valley

—By Special Correspondent—

Jess McClarney of Amherst was a visitor in the home of W. E. Tankersley and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Tankersley of Caddo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tankersley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eubank and daughter, Ruth, and son Paul of Indiana were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nix and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin and Dorita last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood of Marlowe, Okla. are visiting their daughter and family Mrs. L. H. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Laughlin had their little granddaughter, Sheila Lois Smith of Dallas as a guest last week. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wallin and children of Oakley, Calif., George Caze and family of Colony, J. M. Smith and family of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Harrison and Van and Mary Lou Lutrell were also guests last week. Joel Tankersley son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tankersley who has been in bed with an injured knee

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is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Mueller and son, Bobby, and Dale Langlitz are vacationing on the coast this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman and Linda and Mrs. Brockman's father, W. W. Manning of Cisco, visited Mrs. Brockman's aunt, Mrs. J. H. Vannoy and family near Gateville this week.

Bill Henderson returned Sunday morning from Fort Worth where he entered the T.A.A.F. Boxing Tournament and won a beautiful trophy as champion in the featherweight class.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tankersley are at Tohoka where Mr. Tankersley was called to the bedside of his step-mother who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Poor had as their guests last week end their daughter, Kathleen and their nephew, Craig Pearl both of Abilene. Kathleen is attending Hardin Simmons University. Craig Pearl is employed in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Casey and children were visitors in Denton Sunday and Monday.

Sam Jones of Rising Star ac-

companied J. W. Harrison to Huckaby Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pounds were visitors of H. C. Pounds and family Sunday.

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INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:

Carl Angstadt to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.

W. I. Agnew to C. L. Lloyd, mineral deed.

Jack R. Burnett to O. H. Randel, oil and gas lease.

Paul J. Bleakley to A. C. Davis, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Eva Bishop to Ella B. Waddell, warranty deed.

A. J. Bassell to J. F. Lee, warranty deed.

Lonnie W. Burks to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

M. T. Cruce to The Public, ce probate.

Earl Conner, Jr. to Elvy Bowen, quit claim deed.

Winnie L. Cox to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.

Cisco Country Club to L. B. Norvell, warranty deed.

D. R. Clark to Robert W. Fox, warranty deed.

George Caze to Clyde Bond, warranty deed.

City of Ranger to C. B. Pruet, release of paving lien.

Cisco Independent School District to J. E. Spencer, resolution.

Eastland National Bank to First Federal S & L Assn., transfer of lien.

J. B. Elder to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Bill Eyley to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

T. L. Fagg to C. J. Langlitz, warranty deed.

Federal Land Bank, Houston to O. C. Holcomb, partial release.

H. L. Francis to J. A. Gober, release of lien.

J. E. Free to The Public, affidavit.

John W. Fields to Chas. S. Sandler, deed of trust.

Frances L. Fee to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

C. L. Funderburk to Paul Poe, agreement.

J. A. Gober to W. J. Stacy, warranty deed.

L. V. Garrett to Pink Stafford, warranty deed.

H. R. Garrett to Wayne Freeman, Jr., mineral deed.

Nora Graham to W. H. Graham, warranty deed.

W. H. Graham to Grand Prairie Street Bank, deed of trust.

Samuel Greer to J. W. Kilgore, release of deed of trust.

Roy Holly to J. W. Mingus, warranty deed.

N. L. Hooper to R. L. Carter, warranty deed.

Ed Huestis to C. L. Lloyd, mineral deed.

C. O. Hogan to J. E. Stansell, mineral deed.

James Horton v. Pat Clark, abstract of judgment.

Earl Harris to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Leslie H. Hagaman to Edgar W. Peck, quit claim deed.

O. C. Holcomb to Sig Faircloth, warranty deed.

G. L. Ingram to T. L. Cooper, oil and gas lease.

E. H. Jones to The Public, affidavit.

Thomas A. Jirik to Paul J. Bleakley, assignment of oil and gas lease.

E. H. Jones to Bettie Mae Pryor, warranty deed.

J. L. Kuykendall to G. N. Creech, warranty deed.

W. R. King to The Public, affidavit.

J. W. Kilgore to Samuel Greer, deed of trust.

W. W. Linkenhoger to Frank Crowell, ML.

A. H. Lockhart to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

G. L. Mason to Don Rodgers, warranty deed.

Ott Miller to J. B. Cunningham, warranty deed.

R. H. Massey to LeVeda Simpson, bill of sale.

W. E. Morris to J. W. Kilgore, quit claim deed.

L. E. McGraw to W. W. Carney, warranty deed.

S. I. Newton to T. L. Cooper, MD.

R. L. Perkins to J. B. Downtain, warranty deed.

R. J. Pharr to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Van Farmer to Lone Star Producing Company, release of oil and gas lease.

C. B. Pruet to Lonnie W. Burks, warranty deed.

C. B. Pruet to Bill Eyley, warranty deed.

C. B. Pruet to William T. Perrin, warranty deed.

William T. Perrin to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.

J. F. Robertson to C. R. Martin, transfer of vendor's lien.

F. W. Roberds to American Legion, R. S., warranty deed.

E. J. Reich to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Maurine Mancill Royall to Willie LeRoy Pippen, MD.

Jack V. Stephens to W. B. Wilson, warranty deed.

Charles S. Sandler to Walter W. Shirley, warranty deed.

Carl Stroebel to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Edith S. Townsend to H. L. King, warranty deed.

H. H. Tompkins to H. S. Drumwright, Sr., warranty deed.

C. A. Waters to Adrian R. Allen, bill of sale.

Hall Walker to E. D. Hess, quit claim deed.

C. M. Williams to H. R. Garrett, MD.

C. N. Wagley to T. P. Cannon, oil and gas lease.

Dan Wende to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

D. C. Wilcox to Clyde W. Langley, release of vendor's lien.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

Glenn D. Hord to Chrysteene Williams, Rising Star.

Howard McDonald to Mrs. Zola Betty Witherspoon, Eastland.

Willie Oliver Parr to Mrs. Virginia Rogers Stamm, Gorman.

Dennizen B. Kennedy to Billie Louise McKennie, Brownwood.

SUITS FILED

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

City National Bank of Norman, Oklahoma v. John T. Gee, to collect debt.

Maggie Hood v. John T. Hood, divorce.

Corliss May Hunter v. William Hunter, divorce.

R. L. White v. Gertrude L. White, divorce.

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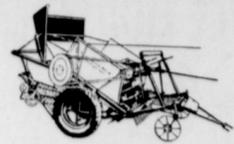
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week.

Eastland Free School, Inc., v. J. S. Anderson, tax judgment.

Eastland Free School, Inc. v. C. B. Dacon, et al, tax judgment.

Eastland Free School Inc. v. J. S. Anderson, order appointing attorney for defendant.

The State of Texas v. O. G. Arnold, et al, judgment.



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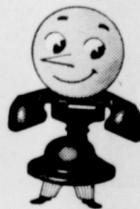
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News Items From CARBON

By MRS. H. HALL, Special Correspondent

MRS. MEDFORD PASSES AWAY LAST THURSDAY

Mrs. J. J. Medford, 93, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ina Medford of Okra, last Thursday at 12:00 noon after a lingering illness of several months. Funeral services were held at the Okra Methodist Church Friday at 2:00 p. m. with Rev. Lee Fields officiating assisted by Rev. Smith, pastor of the local Methodist church. Burial was in the Rising Star cemetery with Higginbotham Undertakers of Rising Star in charge.

Martha Abigail Lewis Medford was born in Arkansas February 14, 1853 and died August 7, 1947, age 93 year, 6 months and 23

days. She moved with her parents to Texas at the age of four and settled in Parker County.

She was married to J. J. Medford in 1873, who preceded her in death 21 years ago. Ten children were born to this union, eight of whom are still living. They are Mrs. Ina Edwards, with whom she made her home, Mrs. Maud Burns, J. G. Medford of Okra, Will Medford of Eastland, Mrs. Richard Grey, W. M. and P. L. Medford of Carbon and Susie Zellers of Finley, California. A son, Frank, passed away a year ago and a daughter, Pearl died in youth. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Jane Maxwell, three nieces, two nephews, sixteen grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

and Mrs. J. R. Tonn Monday, prior to a two weeks trip to Toronto Canada. Other guests in the home last week were Mrs. Tonn's niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bostick of Coahoma who were enroute to Dallas to visit a brother who was ill.

Misses Janyce and Charline Tonn accompanied them home to visit their grandmother in Colorado City and Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas and family left Tuesday for Lubbock, Big Spring, Colorado City and Jal. N. M. where they will visit relatives.

H. Hall and A. M. Claborn were in Breckenridge Monday where Mr. Hall consulted an eye specialist.

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Mrs. Bill McCrum and daughter, Sherry Ann of De Leon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston over the week end.

Guests of Mrs. J. E. Gilbert last week were her brothers, Steve Brooks of Roch Island, Ill.; John Brooks of Abilene; and sister, Miss Maude Brooks of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bill Vincil and sons of Jayton are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell and sister Mrs. L. B. Barnett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Martin of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin of Okron, Ohio; Dan Martin, Mrs. Ralph Martin, Mrs. Dorene Smith of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Carter of Levelland; Little Misses Jane and Patsy Fuller of Chicago visited their brother, Doc Martin and family and Mrs. M. M. Carter last week.

Mrs. Claxton Speer, Tom Ball visited Mrs. May Speer Monday.

Mrs. Truman Mahan, Morenci, Ariz., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Campbell of Gorman spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Middleton and family of Baytown former residents of Carbon visited their cousin Everette Martin and friends here Saturday afternoon.

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Miss Dixie Hazlewood who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood and brother, Bert Hazlewood returned to her home in Long Beach, Calif. Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnson, Dallas visited his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Will Ussery last week end.

Elmer Gilbert of Roby visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines and Miss Marjorie Hines left Wednesday for Iuatico, Va., where they will visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. D. McCurry and Major McCurry and family.

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The lawn was decorated with evergreen and attractive with lights where three tables of '42 were enjoyed. Ice cold water melon was served the guests.

A beautiful vase was presented Mrs. Adair as a departing gift. Those present were Messers and Mesdames B. B. Poe, C. G. Stubblefield, Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson, the honoree, Mr and Mrs. Adair and hosts and hostess Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert.

Mrs. T. G. Jackson and Max Jackson of Gorman were here Tuesday morning.

Festus Wood of Cisco who has been visiting relatives in Colton, Calif. has been called home because of the serious illness of his cousin Ruth Wood.

Mrs. D. L. Adair was in Hamlin Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Robertson received a message Monday evening. Mrs. Robertson's brother-in-law, Earnest Brown had died suddenly of a heart attack in Seymour. They left Tuesday morning for Seymour to attend the funeral services.

Mesdames I. A. Dangler and Minnie Taylor were in Eastland on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Camp and children of Fort Worth visited Mrs. B. F. Lovett Sunday. Joann Camp who has been visiting her grandmother accompanied her parents home.

John Williams and sister, Mrs. Minnie Furgerson visited their sister, Mrs. Cooper and Mr. Cooper near Rising Star Sunday.

Wade White who has been operating the Humble filling station sold out the business this week to Glen Ford who will operate the business in the same building, handling Humble products.

Glen an ex GI with service in Germany is another young man who has confidence in the home town and has the best wishes for success from the community.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Medford and Mrs. Jane Maxwell were business visitors in Breckenridge Monday.



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| Armours Summer SAUSAGE | lb. | 32c |
| BOLOGNA | lb. | 35c |
| SUGAR CURED SQUARES | lb. | 38c |
| HAM | lb. | 52c |
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**News From . . .
FLATWOODS**

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard of Rising Star were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Webb and children of Colorado are visiting his sister, Mrs. Oris Robertson and Mr. Robertson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hartwick and family of Austin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hartwick over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Zoe Cook of Olden

visited her sister, Mrs. Homer Duncan and Mr. Duncan Sunday.

Milt Miller of San Antonio visited his brother in law, M. H. Byrd and Mrs. Byrd over the week end.

Don Webb of Eastland visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson this week.

Mrs. Sam Keith and Corene of Brad visited her mother and sister, J. R. Turner and Mrs. Jimmie Jones past week.

Hershel Smith of Fort Worth was seeing friends here Sunday.

Albert Noel visited relatives in Ranger Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mitchell and family of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turner Monday.

Mrs. Janey Bills of Eastland visited Mrs. John Clark Thursday night.

Mrs. Susie Horn of Eastland visited her son, L. B. and Mrs. Horn the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Miss Emma Lee and Mr. Deany Reese and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jor-

don, Webb, Lavanda and Jerry attended the Weaver reunion at Eastland Park Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stoker of Carbon visited his uncle Lon and Mrs. Palmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greer and Mr. Morris of Carbon visited their daughter and his granddaughter, Mrs. Glenn Justice and Mr. Justice Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice had as their guest this week his sisters and brothers, Mrs. J. W. Weldon of Longview, Mrs. W. L. Gillis, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Justice of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Justice of Eastland, G. W. Justice of Spur and sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Justice of Carbon. He had not seen Mrs. Gillis in 33 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hallmark visited their son, Pete and Mrs. Hallmark Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark, Gene and Jane were shopping in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pussell Barton and Ronney of Meridian were visiting here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Harbin and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nolen and son of Kermit visited Mrs. Harbin's sister in Houston recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pittman were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harbin Sunday.

Donald Webb of Eastland visited Henry Jackson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dolberry visited their daughter, Mrs. Bob Marshall and Mr. Marshall Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mollie Evans is confined to her room with rheumatism.

Mrs. Minnie Foster visited her niece Mrs. Wiley Harbin and Mr. and Mrs. Harbin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Turner of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Dormal Turner of Breckenridge visited his brother and their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner Sunday.

Elzo Harbin of Andrews were week end visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Harbin.

Grandma Stricklin is still very ill with a face infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Young of Lamesa visited his sister the past week.

Lots and lots of office supplies at The Eastland County Record.

**News From . . .
GORMAN**

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davenport and daughter spent the week end in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hagood spent Sunday in Comanche.

E. H. Boyett of Carbon, brother-in-law of Mrs. Almus Thurman is ill at the hospital in Gorman.

James Isbell underwent an appendectomy at the Blackwell Hospital Saturday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Nettie Isbell over the week end were: Miss Greta Lockhart of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. William Isbell of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Billie C. Pittman attended a birthday dinner of an uncle, George Howell in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomason and Carol of Kingsville visited his father, R. L. Thomason over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Love of Donna visited his sisters, Mrs. Earl Murray and Mrs. Billie C. Pittman and their families part of last week. Thomas Earl and Wilton Murray returned home with them for a visit.

Bill Parr, Lt. (jg) Virginia Spamm, Mrs. Marvin Blair and Anyne Kate were in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mrs. Nellie Dolberry has returned from a visit with her sister at Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Henderson

Desk-side caddy files, letter size, at The Eastland County Record.

of Loraine visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Seets spent the week end in Cleburne with his parents.

Miss Dorothy Maupin of San Antonio is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maupin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butler spent last Thursday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes of Poyote are visiting relatives at Gorman and Desdemona. Mrs. Hughes is the daughter of Mrs. J. C. Sparkman of Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Andrus are visiting their daughter and family at Borger.

Mrs. Ila Ballard and son of Anson are visiting her mother, Mrs.

Caroline Bennett.

Among those enjoying "golfing" at Ranger V-J Day were J. G. Leazar and W. G. Kirk with Rangere Earl Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin are expected home Wednesday from a

several days stay in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dyer

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riden

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urday.

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Pimento	2 oz. Glass	15c	
Seedless	Lb.		No. 2 Cans
Grapes		12½c	Green Beans 2 for
	Lb.		Tomatoes 2 for
Lemons		15c	Pet or Carnation
Extra Large	Head		Milk Tall Cans 2 for
Lettuce		15c	Libby Tomato Juice 2 for
Firm Heads	Lb.		Dog Food Pard 2 for
Cabbage		7½c	Baby Food Strained 3 for
			Grapefruit Juice 3 for
CHOICE MEATS			
Dressed and Drawn			Beans Pinto, No. 2 Can
Hens	Lb.	49c	Peas No. 2 Can 10c
Fryers	Lb.	69c	Kraut No. 2½ Can
Ground Beef	Lb.	35c	Kidney Beans No. 2 Can
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News Items From CHEANEY

By MRS. BILL TUCKER, Special Correspondent

Attendance at the singing school which is in progress at Cheaney under the direction of Bud Warren, has ranged from 60 to 85 in number each day.

Boots Thomas from Gorman and a group of teen age girls visited the school on Tuesday, also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Head of Ranger.

There will be 10 more days and visitors and singers are invited to attend.

Mrs. Bonn Highsmith entertained with a Stanley Hostess party

at her home Wednesday afternoon. With 16 ladies present. Highscore prizes were won by Mrs. Doss Moore and Mrs. Bill Tucker and the lucky number prize was won by Mrs. John Love. A refreshment plate was served the following ladies: Logan, Moore, Perrin, Rodgers, Owens, Perrin, Ables, Fox, Perrin, Fox, Love, Tucker, Fox, Misses Ellen and Betty Tucker, and the hostess, Mrs. Highsmith.

The Bill Logan family and visiting relatives spent the week end on a fishing trip near Breckenridge.

The Baptist revival closed Sunday afternoon, following 8 days of morning and night services. Much interest was manifest throughout the meeting with visitors from other congregations present.

Visiting in the Richard Tucker home over the week end were a nephew and niece, Joe Dale Tucker and Miss Christine Tucker of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Case, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mahaffey, Ernest, Bill and Ed and Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lemley all attended the annual R.E.A. picnic held Friday Aug. 15 at Lake Eanes, near Comanche.

Dwight and Mike Love, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love of Ratan are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Love and their grandmother, Mrs. Ann Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Underwood and girls of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Underwood and Mrs. Eva Underwood Sunday.

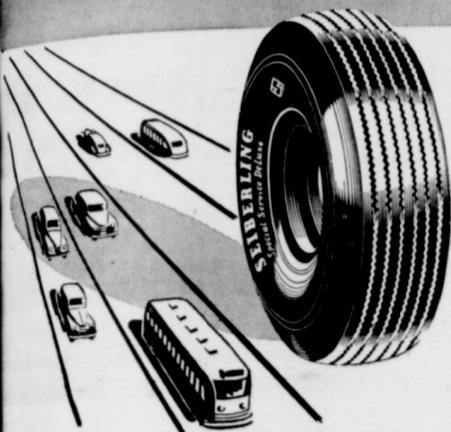
Mrs. Jack Rodgers entertained with a pink and blue shower at her home Tuesday honoring Mrs. Buddy Rodgers. The former Juanita Norris of Flatwood. Many lovely gifts were presented to her.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahaffey of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mahaffey lately from Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burns of Eastland all visited in the parental Hugh Mahaffey home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yancey moved the house which he purchased sometime ago from Raymond Case, on to their farm near Cheaney, Tuesday of last week. They plan to do more improving in the immediate future.

Luther Moody is the owner of a jeep, purchased last week. He gave it a thorough workout on Sunday by turning out stubble with a tandem disc.

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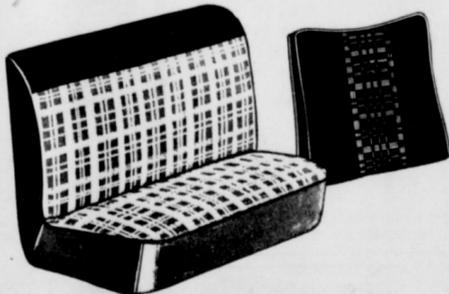
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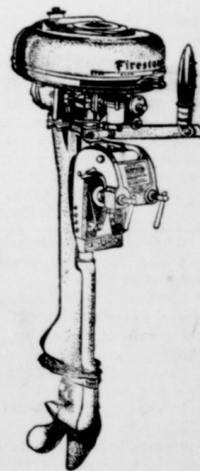
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FOR SALE: McCormick and International parts and service. Linkenhogers. 81tc

ROPING CLUB . . .

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only ones who are not directly hampered by the roping pen activities. To them I say, "Congratulations!"

"If some of the rest of us had such loyal friends, this whole story might be different. Seems he sort of pointed out W. D. R. Owen, as one who lived in another part of town. Mr. Owen has greater cash outlay in the area than any other individual, Mr. Aaron.

"The other signers are certainly in the area. These names were mostly names of people who came and asked to sign or called to have someone bring the petition. Others, who we did not contact, in the short two hours, out on foot, have come as late as yesterday and asked to get in on getting the roping pen out of the area.

"We have tried to flush the signers who told Mr. Aaron that they did not favor the immediate removal of the club's activities. We can almost reach out and touch every signer, and we will say that who ever he or she may be—they have a generous soul, if they can wish such an unfortunate sentence on their neighbors and friends.

"One columnist said that we "didn't have a leg to stand on." Hits sort of close home, because, we ourselves are wondering just what disposition was made of the very substantial legs we had anchored on the strongest foundation known to any American Citizen: Democracy's guarantee of every citizen's personal rights, whether he be rich or poor.

"We are not criminals because we have found it compulsory that we protest the roping pen activities, which are, without any element of doubt, detrimental to the health and well being of our community.

"Legs to stand on: The statements of reputable men, whose integrity we have never questioned. Our Mayor—our City Manager—one City Commissioner—These men told exactly the same story, regarding the fact that the Roping Club had been granted only a sixty day try-out period. After that time had expired, if the neighborhood had filed protests, the Roping Club agreed to move from the field.

"Another leg to stand on: In the July 25 issue of The Eastland County Record, officers of the Roping Club, said, and we quote: They reminded Mayor C. T. Lucas that he and members of the City Commission had promised them a 60 day try-out period at the field, which is on City property, and Lucas recalled the promise. This would give the club another two weeks or so of assured operation at the field.

"However, carrying out orders

of the City group, City Manager, Earl O'Brien last week end told club officers that the arena would have to be moved.

"Citizens of Eastland, are you puzzled? We are!
"Club officials have estimated that they have spent \$800.00 to \$1,000 cash in fixing up the arena for roping. We do not relish the idea of seeing anyone lose money. And, in this instance, the cost of moving installations would be only loss. Surely, this cost was anticipated.

"City Officials have told us that they had offered the Roping Club other locations, free. Contrary to every published statement the roping club has made, (invariably they have said that we opposed calf-roping, as a sport) we do enjoy seeing their club grow. We have never condemned calf-roping. That merely keeps them from having to say we are protesting the health hazards imposed by the calf-roping pens and the added some sixteen to twenty head of roping stock, along with the five or six animals that have been there for a few years.

"The squaking of protests come louder from the homes west, north-west and north of the field, because summer winds come from the south, southeast or east. Aged people, heart ailments, permanently disabled residents, small children, one infant on Halbryan (having a tough time getting a start in this world). These are the people the calf-ropers won a fight from. We are sincere, our protests are based on actual health conditions.

"To business men, club members, who have thrown their weight back of over-riding our protests: We shall not soon forget this unwarranted ordeal. We all eat, wear, buy paint, lumber and nails, gasoline and other commodities.

"Would you like to have this roping pen and all that it brings to a neighborhood, across the street from you?

"Quoting, again, from the Aug. 15, edition of The Weekly Record: "Aaron said he was sorry no opponents of roping events had appeared."

"If this club spokesman had actually been sorrowful enough, about the absence of residents and property owners from the roping pen area, and as sporting about this matter, as he is reputed to be about other things, would he have, as he is reputed to be about proceeding, sort of demanded a "default judgment?"

"No indeed, he would have asked the City Commission to call an-

other meeting and give both sides a chance to be heard. Seems, from some reports from this meeting that we had not used enough dynamic phrases, in our petition.

"Our petition, fellow townsmen, was written in the simplest language possible, stated facts, and asked relief from this health hazard, for suffering residents of this area, who, most of all, have wanted a peaceful settlement of this regrettable affair.

"The reaction of these people, who had, believing in the integrity of reputable men, (including our City officials and Roping Club officers), anxiously counted away the sixty day period of try out—was not pleasant to see.

"To our friends who have called to inquire, 'How come?' this is a resume of facts, step by step. And, we still have the Roping Pen. (Signed)

"MRS. T. J. PRESLAR

"Authorized to speak for residents of this area."

The following is a letter sent to The Record and addressed to The City Commissioners and Roping Club:

"TO THE COMMISSIONERS AND ROPING CLUB
"Eastland, Texas.
"I see you have ignored the petition that was handed in concerning the health of the tax payers in and around the arena. Our town at one time, was called one of the cleanest little towns and I am sure you have tried to keep it clean, but only a part of waste from stock can be removed. There are orders that follow stock and stock yards. If you can remember having been near stock yards after a rain, you will probably realize how this odor drifts after having been wet. This, together with the dust we have to breathe is very objectionable. You who do not live in this vicinity can go home, lie down and sleep, whereas we keep our houses closed to keep the dust out, and after opening up it is so hot we can not sleep.

"It seems to me that law doesn't mean much here any more. Had this meeting been carried on in a business like manner, cards would have been mailed out instead of printing the date of the meeting in the paper the same day it was to be called. No one knew about the meeting, therefore we would not be present, because everyone does not take the paper.

"How well I remember a neighbor back of us who had to move his cow to the country. It was not supposed to be in the city limits, and the odor was more than the neighbors could stand. I now see

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of it has been used for just such purposes.

A big factor in the program is that it takes lots of brains and lots of work to feed out livestock. The work must be done in the right way, and it must be done every day.

But we have as many men with brains and brawn as does the mid-west, he says.

The biggest problem of all is getting such a program started. As Dr. Patterson says, the men who are financially able to start such a program are older, more skeptical of anything new, more satisfied with what they already are doing, since they made their money doing it.

The younger men who are interested in the deal don't have the money.

I've been plugging Eastland County as an ideal dairying area for a long while. Dr. Patterson's idea is much along the same lines, and the two could be worked out together, even though it would take a lot of doing.

But the way of progress is never easy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Liles of Lake Charles, La., and their daughter, Mrs. Fred Brown of Conroe, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Artie Liles Monday night and Tuesday of last week following the funeral of their mother and grandmother, held at Pleasant Hill Monday afternoon.

Mrs. John Miller of Comanche, daughter of Mrs. Bettie Harris of Clay City, Ill., and granddaughter of A. J. Elliot of Olden, has been ill in a Brownwood hospital. She has returned to her home in Comanche and is much improved, but is still confined to her bed.

the same name who could not stand this odor, says "I make a motion the boys be allowed to remain". This sport is okay when it is in the right place, but I would like to know how many of you and your families would stand for this in your front yard. None of your signers even lived in this neighborhood, most all are youngsters. The home owners and tax payers would like to have some protection.

(Signed)
"MRS. W. T. TEATSORTH"

Insurance Sales Four Per Cent

AUSTIN — Sales of ordinary insurance in Texas took another dip in June, falling 4 per cent from the month, according to the Life Insurance Agency Association to the University of Texas Bureau of Research.

Coupled with previous loss brings sales in Texas cent below the June 1946 which conforms with the wide June-to-June decline. Texas totaled \$59,230,000 and the total for the entire States fell to \$1,189,000,000 sagging 3 per cent from June.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Basham returned from Houston, where Basham went recently for treatment. They were accompanied by Mrs. Basham's brother, Smith, who visited friends in town.

Mrs. Sam Gamble, Mrs. Maxey and Miss Jessie Leach drove to Mineral Wells week to have dinner at Baker Hotel with a former resident of Eastland, Merle Ticer, who is spending vacation there.

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CLAUDETTE COLBERT
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"The Web"

THURSDAY
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FOR RENT: A garage apartment, close in, 700 West Patterson, Phone 90. 211tc

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FOR RENT: Three room furnished apartment 118 East Burkett. 221tp.

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