

# EASTLAND COUNTY RECORD



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## Huge Crowd Expected For Bi-District Tilt Here

### Eastland - Coleman Contest To Begin At 8 p.m. Friday

Eastland's underdog Mavericks will take on the smooth-working Coleman Bluecats on Maverick Field at 8 p. m. Friday in a bi-district game expected to draw a throng of 5,000 to 6,000 spectators, barring bad weather breaks.

A day such as Thursday would draw a crowd bigger than any ever to witness a football game here, old-time sports fans said.

From Coleman came word that the Coleman County capital will send a delegation of 3,000 fans here, come fair weather. When 1,000 reserved seat tickets went on sale there Tuesday, they were snapped up in short order.

#### Pointers On Game

Information on the Eastland - Coleman bi-district game:

Place — Maverick Field, Eastland.

Time — 8 p. m. Friday, Dec. 5.

Tickets — Reserved seat tickets cost \$1.50 and are on sale at drug stores and Majestic Cafe. General Admission tickets cost \$1 and student tickets 50 cents.

Broadcast — By Station KBWD, Brownwood.

Public Address System — To be furnished through courtesy of Guy Quinn and Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

Meanwhile, reserved seat tickets at \$1.50 per ticket were available late Thursday at the four Eastland drug stores and the Majestic Cafe. General admission price will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

Following a meeting of the Eastland Quarterback Club Tuesday night at which plans were made for bringing in additional bleachers, temporary bleachers were being brought the week at the end of the field.

The bleachers were obtained from the Eastland swimming pool and from Breckearidge.

In addition, benches and chairs were being placed around the edges of the field, so that it was estimated 4,000 people could be seated, some way or another.

That still would leave an estimated 1,000 to 2,000 people standing around the perimeter.

With the Quarterback Club furnishing the funds, the incomplete press box was erected this week atop the west stands, but the box is so small it will hold only about a third of those who wish to get into a "live" newspaper or radio purposes for this game.

On the field, the Coleman eleven, with only one defeat in its last 22 games, will be a marked favorite, although Eastland is conceded a good chance for an upset.

Coleman, led by its star, Tom White, 170-pound quarterback, won from Ballinger after Eastland had bowed to Ballinger 26 to 6.

However, Brady later outscored Coleman 19 to 13, and Brady is a team with a record quite similar to Eastland's.

If the Mavericks play as heads-up and determined a game against Coleman as they did against Masonic Home and two or three other opponents this year, they could upset the favored Bluecats.

However, the dope will favor Coleman by a touchdown or two.

The teams are about even in weight, and while Eastland has two of the top-notch running backs of the state in Jimmy Mathews and Bobby Blair, with both registering more than 1,000 yards gained from scrimmage this year, Coleman has had a more versatile attack, with passing much to the fore.

Eastland's passing game has been woefully weak against good opposition all year, and frequently has backfired through interceptions.

However, Eastland has had an A-1 pass defense, with rare exceptions, so that may help even things up.

Eastland won the site of the bi-district through Johnny Little calling "tails" at the right moment in Baird Sunday. The right moment was when a silver dollar was tossed in the air, and it came down tails.

Eastland won its undisputed district title Thursday of last week by thumping Gorman, 44 to 0, in rather listless fashion.

In the rout, Bobby Blair ran for two touchdowns, Jimmy Mathews for two, Johnny Hicks for one, Hicks passed to Lewis Crossley for one, and Blair passed to Jack Horn for one. Johnny Hicks kicked two of the point tries.

Gorman never really threatened.

Little Sandra Taylor fell last Wednesday of last week while playing at school and broke her arm. Sandra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Taylor.

Mrs. D. E. Stover of Las Cruces, N. M., has been a recent guest in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Vermillion.

### Water System Work Started; Supply Is Ample

Three new chemical feeders for modernization and improvement of the Eastland water system have arrived, and will be installed as soon as a new building is provided for them, Mayor C. T. Lucas said this week.

The new building, to be built of Haydite blocks made in Eastland, also will be used for storage of chemicals.

Used in treatment of Eastland drinking water are chlorine, lime and alum, and in the past they have been dumped into the water from atop a tall wooden tower.

Under the new system, they will be fed in by machinery, with liquid chlorine being used instead of the powdered form.

The new equipment cost about \$5,000, but will save about 50 per cent on cost of chemicals.

With Lake Eastland nearly full and a new emergency pump installed to assure ample pumping equipment, Eastland's water supply is assured for at least two years, Lucas said.

Lucas said Lake Eastland before this week's rain was about 10 inches below the spillway, or enough to furnish Eastland water until 1950.

### Miss Wilda Dragoo Undergoes Operation

Miss Wilda Dragoo entered the Gaston Hospital in Dallas Monday of this week and underwent surgery Thursday.

Mrs. Wanda Dragoo Beal of San Angelo accompanied her sister to Dallas Sunday. They were joined by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Dragoo, and Miss Martha June Moorehart Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dragoo will remain in Dallas with her daughter for several days.

### Grand Jury Called; To Report Monday

Sixteen Eastland County men have been notified to appear for grand jury duty next Monday.

District Attorney Everett Grisham said the working schedule for the grand jury appears much lighter than the last one, which turned in 69 indictments.

So far, only about 20 cases are on hand for grand jury investigation, he said.

The last grand jury turned in more work than had any in many years in Eastland County, meeting numerous times for all-day sessions.

Names of those on the panel to appear Monday are C. I. Wolford, Lloyd L. Bruce, and R. S. Balch all of Ranger; Standlee McCracken, Joe Clements and A. B. Clark, all of Cisco; J. Carl Johnson, D. L. Childress and Theo Lamb, all of Eastland; W. C. Crowe of Olden; C. A. Dittmore and A. L. Gattis of Scranton; Tom Poe of Carbon; T. O. Shelley of Gorman; and F. E. Boggs and E. M. Howard of Rising Star.

### May Man Is Killed In Cisco Crossing Crash

Dean Harms, 22, of May, was killed and two other young men from May were injured Wednesday night when the car in which they were returning to May from Breckenridge collided with a Texas & Pacific freight engine at the Sixth Street crossing in Cisco.

Injured were Billy Driscoll, 23, owner and driver of the car, who suffered a back injury and three broken ribs, and R. H. Harrell, 23, who suffered a compound fracture of the left ankle.

According to reports to the Eastland County sheriff's office, Driscoll's car ran into the engine, which was moving, after he had passed in front of a train on the crossing which blocked his view of the oncoming freight train.

### S. J. Arther, Jr., Hurt In Freak Accident

In a freak accident on a tractor equipped with a posthole digger, S. J. Arther, Jr., received painful if not serious injuries Friday of last week.

Arther was riding on the tractor, accompanied by another man to a tract of land, that he had recently purchased west of town.

Traveling a little too fast, the equipment struck a rough place, causing the attachment to fly up just as Arther slipped, and giving him quite an injury on the head as well as a jolt.

Arther is up and at his place of business telling quite an interesting if not quite true story of how he received his injuries.

### Ranger Man Stabbed, Accused Free On Bond

Joe Galvez of Ranger, cut in a brawl outside a Ranger residence Saturday night, was in a critical condition in a Ranger hospital Thursday.

Charged with assault with attempt to murder in connection with the stabbing was Seferino Lopez, 27. Lopez was released under \$1,000 bond.

Galvez had a knife wound all the way through his abdomen, and several cuts around the head. Officers said the affray, in which several men took part, was the aftermath of a dance in the Mexican quarter of Ranger.

### Santa Claus' First Visit Of Year Set Here Saturday

Santa Claus will come to town Saturday.

Eastland's own version of the beloved St. Nick will arrive at 2:30 p. m. in a fire truck, ride around the square, and distribute candy to the children.

Children were urged to bring letters, signed with names and addresses, to Santa Claus so he can take them back to the North Pole with him.

The Eastland High School Band will be on hand to make music for the occasion, which is an annual one in Eastland.

Merchants are co-operating for the event by having stores full of Christmas merchandise to assist in bringing Yuletide joy to children and grown-ups alike.

The coming of Santa Claus will mark the official beginning of the Christmas season in Eastland.

### Home Decoration Contest Prizes Listed; Three Divisions Set

Rules and prizes in the Eastland Christmas home decoration contest sponsored by the Eastland Chamber of Commerce were announced this week.

There will be three \$5 prizes; one for the best Christmas window, one for the best outdoor lighting, and one for the best outdoor Christmas scene, lighted or not.

Judging will be on points, 10 for balance and symmetry, 10 for cost, 30 for effectiveness, and 50 for uniqueness.

Judges will be Medames James Horton, Theo Lamb and W. W. Linkenhoger, chosen from the ranks of the Eastland Civic League and Garden Club.

Manager H. J. Tanner of the Chamber of Commerce urged every household to do some Christmas decorating.

He said that judging will be on Monday and Tuesday nights of Christmas week. Names of winner will be published.

### Officers Discount Story Of Kidnaping

A tale of kidnaping, choking and beating told by a 13-year-old Eastland girl after she appeared in the Eastland Hospital about 7:30 a. m. Sunday was discounted this week by local officers.

The girl told an incoherent story of having been kidnaped and mistreated. A doctor who examined her reported to officers that he found nothing to substantiate her story.

Earlier, the girl had reported to officers that she received a threatening letter. This, too, was discounted by officers after they had sent the letter to State Department of Public Safety handwriting experts at Austin for analysis. The experts said the handwriting in the letter "prorably" was the same as the girl's.

Officers were keeping a watchful eye on the case.

### Wheel Chair, Crutch Sets Are Missing

Whereabouts of a missing wheel chair and five pairs of crutches was sought this week by the Dulin-Daniel American Legion Post here.

Post Commander Dave Fiensy asked anyone knowing the whereabouts of the missing articles to contact him or H. J. Tanner at the Chamber of Commerce.

The wheel chair and crutches were loaned out by the Legion without having been signed for, and contact with the borrowers lost, Fiensy said. The articles were obtained by the Legion to help those who needed them, without charge.

"If you hobbled around on our crutches until you could walk without them, and then put them in your closet and have forgotten about them, please dig them out and return them to us so we can lend them to others," Fiensy said.

### Record To Publish Letters To Santa

As in the past, The Eastland County Record will publish Santa Claus letters this Christmas in our Christmas edition.

Letters to be published should be mailed to Santa Claus, care of The Record, not later than Dec. 15.

Name, address and age of the letter writer should be sent with the letter.

### Hearing Set On Star-Carbon Road

Hearing by the State Highway Commission on application of Eastland County for construction of a highway to join Rising Star and Carbon has been set for Dec. 16, County Judge P. L. Crossley said Thursday.

Judge Crossley, accompanied by County Commissioners Henry Carter and Lon Medford and County Auditor Don Parker, went to Austin Tuesday to consult with highway officials.

Thursday, he said that a farm to market road will not be asked. What the county wants, he said, is for the Highway Department to build a paved highway of some sort from Rising Star to Carbon.

The stretch of highway would be about 16 miles long. It would extend southwest from Carbon through Okra, and would intersect the new State Highway 36, now being built from Rising Star to Comanche, a short distance out of Rising Star.

### County Refunds Cash To School Districts

Eastland County has refunded to the common school districts of the county \$14,245.53 which has been turned over to the county by error from the tax collector's office since 1933, County Judge P. L. Crossley said this week.

Judge Crossley said that penalties and interest on delinquent tax collections which should have been paid to the school districts were paid to the county treasurer.

An audit lasting several months has been completed, showing the amounts due the various districts. Biggest amount due any one district is \$655.85, due to Romney.

The error was discovered in September, 1946, and the audit continued until recently.

Judge Crossley said the payment from the county general fund might result in a small increase in the county tax rate next year.

### Jack Collins Likely Airport Operator

Leasing of the Eastland Municipal Airport to Jack F. Collins, wartime Army Air Corps transport pilot and now operator of a dry cleaning business in Eastland, will be discussed at a meeting of the Eastland City Commission next week, it was said Thursday.

The meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, will not be held until Thursday or possibly Friday of next week, said City Secretary Harl O'Brien.

O'Brien said a tentative agreement for lease of the field has been reached with Collins.

### Mrs. Campbell's Condition Critical

The condition of Mrs. W. C. Campbell who suffered a stroke Tuesday of last week, still remains critical, friends said Thursday.

Mrs. Campbell is at Big Spring with her sister, Miss Mattie Leatherwood, 410 Johnson Street, and was removed to a Big Spring hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Roberta Kinnaird Grisham went to Big Spring Sunday to be with Mrs. Campbell, and is expected home Friday.

Mrs. Campbell's home is at 1301 South Seaman Street.

Donald Kinnaird, Jr., student of North Texas State College at Denton, spent the holiday week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kinnaird.

### Peanut Growers Have Quota Election Friday

Peanut growers of Eastland county, along with those all over the state, will vote on peanut marketing quotas for 1948, 1949 and 1950 in an election next Tuesday.

The election will determine whether there will be a support price and controlled acreage in three crop years.

Community committeemen will be elected at the same election. Voting places will be open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Voting places will be:

Eastland, AAA office in Courtland, Desdemona, Post Office; Gorman, City Hall; Carbon, Carter-Trading Co.; Cisco, Chamber of Commerce; Rising Star, City and Gorman, Higginbotham Brothers Store.

### QUOTA TO BE SET IN WASHINGTON

Eastland County peanut farmers, along with those all over the state, voted Dec. 9, were told this week by news dispatches from Washington saying a control program for peanuts may not be put into effect next year even though the referendum carries.

The vote will be on a Department of Agriculture proposal for marketing quotas on the peanut crop for the next three years.

Government officials were quoted as saying that regardless of outcome of the referendum, quotas may not be imposed next year.

However, if the referendum carries there will be no support price for peanuts next year. Progression from peanut production areas, including Comanche, Omar Burleson of this county, has protested the referendum, pointing out that a wide shortage of vegetable and fats still exists.

Leaders in this section expect the referendum to carry on a non-wide basis, although most of the main Texas peanut growers are expected to oppose it.

But farmers in the southern United States are expected to favor it heavily, it was said.

The program would insure support prices for peanuts, but also impose a price penalty for those who overplant or who fail to plant in under the program.

The quota system is expected to help production to prevent marketing surpluses and a consequent price decline.

Growers of this section, who had a very poor crop year just past, would like at least a year of good prices and increased production to give them a chance to catch up.

Day, Mrs. Kelsey House and Mrs. Bill Collins attended a meeting concerning new licenses for titles at the State Highway Department in Austin Monday and Tuesday.

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News Items From CHEANEY

By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Oscar Melton of Sweetwater was here the past few days, visiting his brother, Lonzo Melton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop spent the Thanksgiving week end with his mother, Mrs. Sallie Bishop and grandmother, Mrs. Julia Blackwell and with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield of Baird.

Cecil and Ann McGill small children of Mrs. Geraldine McGill of Fort Worth visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacob for Thanksgiving, Miss Bonnie Jacob, hello girl at Ranger, also spent Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs. Warren Hudson and children of Knox City, visited the Matt Davis family Thursday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haley and sons of Ranger visited them.

Mrs. Bill Logan was brought home Wednesday from the Ranger hospital where she has been a patient for the past twelve days, following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther Love and Betty Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and Milly made a visit in

the John Tucker home on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Horace Miller and Theo Lita to Arlington for Thanksgiving dinner Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Tucker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grice and family of Gorman visited in the J. L. Yancey home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Case of Cisco were dinner guests in the Bill Tucker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neger had all the children home for Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blackwell and Jackie; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackwell, Helen and Charlene also, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Artherburn of Ranger.

Mrs. Buddy Rodgers and baby Eileen, visited in the Willie Jacob home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love and sons Mike and Dwight of Rotan visited his mother, Mrs. Ann Love this past week spending part time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bell in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Weekes, Ann and Sue and Uncle Cicero Weekes of Comanche visited the Hatley Dean and Ben Freeman families Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pepper have moved a small dwelling house on to their place near Salem School where they plan to move in the near future.

Threshing Crews in this neighborhood are looking forward to being through all peanut harvest in this week, if the weather continues favorable.

News From GORMAN

By Special Correspondent

The Empire Southern Gas Company entertained their Gorman employees with a Thanksgiving dinner at the Top Notch Cafe on Wednesday evening November 26. Those enjoying the occasion were

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Warren and Mrs. Morris Laster of Gorman and Miss LoRene Jay of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Estin and children and Dick Ormsby of Bryan spent the Thanksgiving week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ormsby.

Miss Dan Moorman of Gainesville spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Dona Moorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Choate visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Darr in Weatherford Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. W.

R. Eppler over the holiday week end were Mrs. W. C. Munnally of Consey, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eppler of Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Collie of Austin; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gates of McMurray College at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eppler of Sundown, Mrs. Melburn Collie of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gates of McMurray College at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood of Donna were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Blackwell.

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BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

**School News**  
 School supper last Monday, Nov. 24, was a huge success. Original idea was to get money to buy eleven suits. Amount taken in was \$154. Much money will buy coats and more suits. We want to auction Mr. McKelvin for auctioneers for us. We also want everyone who came out to get money for the suits. Basketball girls and boys are the interest that was freshmen and sophomores. Miss Hamilton and Hillard gave a chapel program Wednesday morning. Last number on program was play, "Bobby Soxers Do Their Troubles." This play written by one of our own girls, Joy Yates. The number was a piano duet, "Through the Clover," Hillard and Marjorie. Another one-act play, "Stroke of Twelve," was last was a song "The Bells Mary's," by the sophomore chapel program will

Bess Fox gave a book review on "God Can". It was a wonderful lesson. Nine ladies were present.

Next week, is week of prayer, beginning Monday through Friday.

Misses Joyce and Dorothy Fay Hendrick, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hendrick, attended the homecoming at Texas Tech, Lubbock during the Thanksgiving holidays. Miss Joyce Hendrick is teaching in Lamesa, while Miss Dorothy Hendrick is a student at Tech. A huge crowd attended the Tech-Hardin Simmons University football game in the new stadium, which was dedicated during the homecoming day. Approximately 4000 former students attended. Score, Tech 14; H. S. U. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Daffern ate Thanksgiving dinner with their son, Elzie Daffern and family in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walden of Eastland were Olden visitors last week.

Mrs. Ruth Chancellor received word from her son, Scott Greear of Brisbane, Australia, that his wife and son had arrived safely. They sailed from San Francisco, Calif. Oct. 21 had good weather and got along fine, except the Mrs. who became seasick.

Mrs. Euell Bond who has been quite ill in the Graham Hospital in Cisco, has been returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burkett of Eastland visited in the H. C. Adams home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler, Jr. of College Station were week end visitors in the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks of Goree visited in the Daffern home last week.

Johnnie Jarrett of Beaumont, arrived the first of last week to visit his wife and son, and his mother, Mrs. Stella Jarrett and brother, Jimmie during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Mary A. Wright accompanied her son, George Wright and family of Eastland to Rochelle to spend Thanksgiving Day, with Mrs. Annie Squires and family. Mrs. Wright will continue her visit till Christmas.

Mrs. E. N. Hull has just recently returned from visits to Van, Brownwood and Strawn, accompanied by Mrs. Edwards to Strawn Friday of last week. Mrs. Hull visited in the E. K. Bell home in Putnam. Friday night they attended a program in Baird given by the Stamps All Star Quartette from Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Travis Hicks of Midland spent the Thanksgiving Holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Jewel

Smithers and sisters and brothers. Rev. and Mrs. McDonald of Roaring Springs have been here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Birdie Vermillion.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Squiers and son, Dale visited her sister, Mrs. Shelton and infant son in Mineral Wells Thanksgiving Day and also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Phelps of Satphenville.

Robert Harbin was ill with a cold the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Steddum and children spent Thanksgiving in Cross Plains with her mother, Mrs. Kinnard.

Guests in the Graham home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Eastland, and a son and family from Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Williams of Coleman and Miss Bonnie Williams, teacher at Draughon's Business College in Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving Holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bolley Williams. Also a daughter of Mrs. Guy Craig and daughter, Bennie Merle of Eastland visited in the home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Thomas of Willis Point visited in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Gladys Yielding Sunday.

Over the week end Mrs. Hull visited her niece Mrs. Paul Knoll and family in Gordon.

Children of Mrs. Willie Bockman's who were home for Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Max Bockman and children of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coleman and children of Gordon; Jack Bockman of Texas Tech, Lubbock and Mrs. Azelle O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hendrick and Marjorie were in Santo Saturday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lassiter went to Walnut Springs Tuesday of last week to visit Mr. Lassiter's niece, Mrs. Jim Brister and husband, Wednesday. They all went to Bloomingrove to visit his sister, Mrs. Frank Vernon and husband, they returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Marlow took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Moffett.

Mrs. R. S. Aldredge and her niece, Marion Woods of Midland spent last week end here with her brother, O. L. Woods and family.

Guests in the home of Leonard Anderson, Thanksgiving evening were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yielding and Herman; Mrs. Jewel Smethers and children; Mr. and Mrs. Eulard Sharp; and Mrs. Nora Butler and father, Mr. Parton of Eastland; and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sporer of Ranger.

All of Paul Coltharp's brothers,

except one and his sisters, and families were here for Thanksgiving except Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brewer of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Doss Richardson of Indian Gap; and

Miss Jean Roberts of A.C.C. visited here in the Alphens Roberts home during the Thanksgiving holidays and through Sunday.

Virgil Hamilton, Sr. of Odessa visited here with his wife during the Thanksgiving holidays, also visited other relatives.

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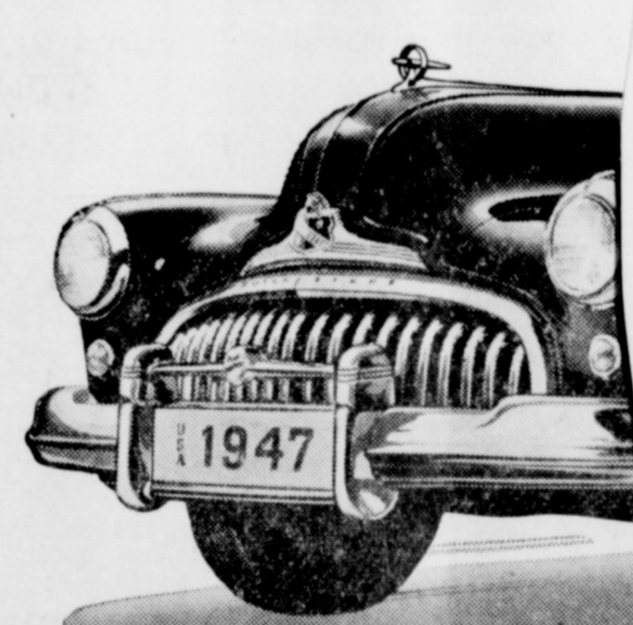
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ITEM: In some localities—and quite often in polls that ask "Which car will you buy next?"—Buick ranks not fourth, but third, actually ahead of one of the lowest-priced three.

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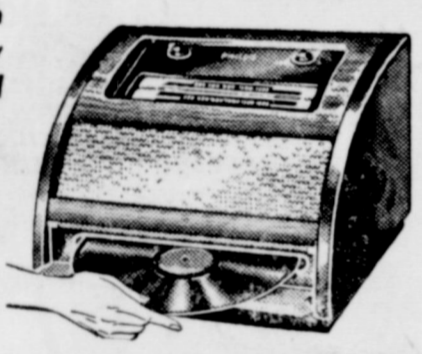


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### Miss Watkins Wed To Barbee Craig In Church Ritual

Miss Rosemary Watkins became the bride of Mr. Barbee Craig of Morton Valley in a ceremony read at the Church of Christ by Claud C. Smith Monday afternoon.

Only relatives and close friends attended. The bride wore a dress of blue crepe with black accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of white carnations.

Following the wedding, a supper was given for the couple in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. D. D. Franklin, and Mr. Franklin in the Morton Valley community. The supper, served buffet style, consisted of turkey and all the trimmings, and a three tiered white wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Those attending the supper were the honorees, Mrs. Henry Watkins, Katherine Watkins, Mrs. John Riggs, Mrs. Henry Watkins, Jr., and son, David, Mr. and Mrs. Bucky Craig and son, Micky, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Shamburger and daughter, Linda Gayle, J. E. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Craig and daughter, Barbara Ann, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin and children, Sonny and Barbara Jo.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Craig will be at home in the Morton Valley community in the home of J. E. Craig.

### CLASS TO HAVE CHRISTMAS AFFAIR

Mrs. W.D.R. Owen will be hostess at her home, 1203 South Seaman Street, to members of the Fedelis Matrons Class of the First Baptist Church Friday at 6:45 p. m.

The party will be a Christmas dinner, with a Christmas tree and an exchange of gifts.

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### Opera Is Studied By Music Club Members

Members of the Music Study Club studied "Opera" at their meeting at the Woman's Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. E. Richardson, president presided over the short business session, and also was program leader for the afternoon.

Roll call was answered with personalities in opera today. Mrs. W. E. Brashier talked on "Opera and Oratorio" and Mrs. H. G. Vermillion read a paper on "Opera on the Stage and on the Air," prepared by Mrs. W. P. Watkins. Mrs. Prentiss Jones led in a round table discussion on "The Influence of Opera in American Music."

Mrs. Brashier also played recordings of several arias from the operas "Aida" and "Lucia" on the new machine recently purchased by the clubhouse board. Those attending were Mesdames Richardson, Brashier, Jones, Durham, C. E. Allen, Vermillion, James McClain, M. D. Murdock, D. L. Kinnaird, and Joseph M. Perkins.

The group will meet Dec. 17 at the Woman's Club for their annual Christmas dinner and party, with their husbands as special guests.

Each member was requested to bring a gift for the tree for a man and a woman.

### Family Reunion Held Thanksgiving Day

A reunion of the Steele family held Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones celebrated the birthday of Dave Steele and the 45th wedding anniversary of the host and hostess.

Turkey with all the trimmings was served to 31 relatives seated at two tables, which was decorated in the Thanksgiving theme.

All present were the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the late, Mrs. S. E. Steele, a pioneer Eastland woman.

Those present were Mrs. Sally Hill, Mrs. Ella Westbrook of Fort Worth, J. B. Steele of Ringling, Okla., Mrs. R. F. Jones, Dave Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Steele, Jr., and daughter of Frederick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bringham of Fort Worth, Roscoe Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill and daughter, Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jones and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Jones and daughter, all of Dallas.

### Miss Coldiron Weds W. W. Germany In Thanksgiving Ritual

Miss Juanita Coldiron of Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Coldiron of Houston, became the bride of Mr. Walter W. Germany in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Germany, 609 South Mulberry Street, on Thanksgiving Day at 5 p. m.

Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, read the beautiful ring ceremony before an improvised altar of ferns, white chrysanthemums, pink begonias and vines of ivy completely covering the large fireplace in the living room. The mantel was centered with an arrangement of small white mums, with fern with white candles in crystal holders at either side. The house was decorated throughout with white and yellow chrysanthemums.

The bride and groom had no attendants and only close friends and relatives of the families attended.

The bride wore a dress of palomino crepe with matching accessories. Her shoulder length veil was attached to a small matching halo hat. She wore a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

A reception immediately followed the wedding in the dining room, where the bride's table was resplendent in a white madeira cutwork linen cloth placed over pink satin. The centerpiece was a crystal basket holding a bride's bouquet. On the basket handle, a large white satin bow was tied with streamers descending onto the oblong reflector which held the arrangement.

The bride and groom cut the lovely white tiered wedding cake, which was served to the guests by Miss Glenna Johnson. Mrs. W. E. Brashier poured coffee from the silver service placed at one end of the table.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brashier, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cornelius and daughter, LaVerne, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Bibber, of Ranger, Jimmie Whitman of Fort Worth, Miss Glenna Johnson of Midland, Miss Marie Coldiron of Houston, Jack Germany of Austin, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coldiron of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Germany.

Mrs. Germany attended the University of Houston for the past three years. She is employed by the National Electric Light Association.

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### Christmas Tea Set By W. M. U. Monday

Members of the W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church will have their Christmas tea at 3:15 p. m. Monday in the home of Mrs. Pat Crawford, 507 Mulberry Street.

An attractive program has been arranged and all the women of the church were urged to attend.

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### Program Held By Morton Valley P.-T.A.

Members of the Morton Valley P.-T. A. heard Mrs. D. F. Williamson speak on "The Fun That Comes" at their meeting Tuesday of last week in the school auditorium.

Mrs. Josie K. Nix presided over the business meeting and heard reports from committees. The finance committee reported a total of \$98. from the Halloween carnival.

The new year books were passed to members.

Mrs. Prentiss Jones presented a group of girls in a song, "Song of Thanksgiving." Mrs. Francis presented a group of children in a playlet, "From Columbus to Thanksgiving."

The Home Demonstration Club displayed their work and the articles they had made during the club year.

Members present were Mesdames T. I. Poor, Charles Brockman, W. E. Tankersley, J. W. Harrison, E. E. Houghton, C. R. Westfall, R. D. Rankin, Jones, T. L. Wheat, J. B. Harbin, R. E. Beck, A. F. Beck, L. B. Reed, W. J. Graham, T. C. Baggett, C. W. Baggett, D. F. Williamson, Homer Smith, P. L. Crossley, D. D. Franklin, Francis Cooper, Charles B. Harris, Burton Tankersley, Josie K. Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. D.T.A. Hoxworth of Breckenridge were Eastland visitors Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. John M. Moore of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hines of Fort Worth and Mrs. Bernice Hines and daughter, Sue of Pauls Valley, Okla., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer Sunday.

### FOLK FESTIVAL TO BE IN FORM OF BARN DANCE

The annual Folk Festival sponsored by the Civic League and Garden Club will be held in the form of an old fashioned barn dance on the night of Thursday, Dec. 11 at the American Legion Hall, it was announced this week. The party will begin at 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jack Carrothers is in charge of ticket sales. Tickets will be placed on sale at the Davis-Maxey Drug, Eastland Drug, Corner Drug Store, Toombs-Richardson and the Majestic Cafe. Other members of the ticket selling committee include Mrs. O. M. White, Mrs. Earl Throne, Mrs. T. E. Richardson, Mrs. Eugene Hickman and Mrs. Joe Stephen.

Plans for the barn dance were well under way this week to make it an informal party, but one of interest to a large number of people. Guests are asked to come dressed for a barn dance in western styles. Two prizes will be given for the most original costumes, one for ladies, and one for men.

Besides modern dances, there will be a number of folk dances, including "put-your-little-foot," "heel-and-toe" and others. There will be a waltz contest, with prizes for the best couple. A sing-song will be held about the middle of the evening, led by several of the town's best singers.

Mrs. Robert Vaughan and Mrs. Theo Lamb will be in charge of music for the occasion. Mrs. Earl Francis will be in charge of the food committee. Food will be served throughout the evening in the kitchen downstairs. It will include hot coffee, sandwiches, cookies and cakes. Helping Mrs. Francis will be Mrs. Gerald Wingate, Mrs.

Ed Layton, Mrs. Guy Patterson, and Mrs. E. Roy Townsend. Mrs. Vernon Humphrey will be the chairman for the decoration committee. Others helping her will include Mrs. Clinton McClain, Mrs. Claude Maynard, Mrs. Johnnie Aaron, Mrs. F. W. Graham, and Mrs. John Little.

The reception committee that night will include Mrs. Frank Hightower, club president, Mrs. Frank Castleberry, Mrs. Earl Conner, Jr., and Mrs. James Horton. Mrs. Herbert Tanner will take tickets and Mrs. Harry Taylor will assist her.

The annual folk festival is held each year by the Civic League and Garden Club as a charity benefit. Money made from the affair is used for the "Cheer Fund" of the club for the children of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hammett of Rising Star were Eastland visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawson attended the football game at College Station Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Weaver and children, Herby and Jana, spent the Thanksgiving week end in San Antonio sight seeing.

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

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**To Have Yule  
December 12**

Members of the Home Makers of the First Baptist Church have their Christmas dinner party in the Fellowship Room at the Church Friday evening, 12.

It is an annual event and all members are urged to attend. A member was asked to bring a special dish and a gift for exchange on the Christmas tree. I. C. Inzer will be the toast and the dinner will be at 7:30.

**Leales Club  
Book Review**

W. E. Brashier reviewed "The Heart of the Matter" by Marshall, which tells of life with George Marshall, secretary of state, for members of the Leales Club at their meeting Tuesday evening at the Wood Club.

Harold Durham, president, read over the short business. Miss Jessie Lee Ligon presided. Roll call was answered. "People I'd Like to Meet" Mrs. Edwin Morton told of several important people in the style of Bill Stern, radio announcer.

Members present were Mes- Hollis Bennett, Brashier, Caton, P. L. Crossley, P. Durham, J. O. Earnest, Ernest, H. L. Hassell, Prentiss, J. P. Kilgore, Morton, Peterson, W. Q. Verner, J. W. Wiley and Misses Ligon, Johnson and Louise Kark.

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**Blackwells Move  
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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackwell moved Thursday to their new home at 3209 Richardson Street in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell have been living at 509 South Daugherty. He has been transferred by the Texas Electric Service Company to the Fort Worth office.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell were popular here with the younger set and will be greatly missed in Eastland.

Mrs. Blackwell was a member of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Las Leales Club, and was a worker in civic interests of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Parker spent Thanksgiving in Comanche with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Durham and family. Mrs. Durham returned to Eastland with her parents and stayed until Sunday.

Miss Lillie F. Bains and Mrs. Lorena B. Stephenson attended the funeral services held in Baird Monday afternoon for Mrs. W. G. Bowlus.

How! King and George Lane returned home from a deer hunt Wednesday of last week with a Thanksgiving turkey each.

Thanksgiving holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dunlap were all of their children and grandchildren, Mrs. Billie Johnson, Mr. Johnson and son, Billie Joe of Austin, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Mr. Taylor and children, Mollie Marie and Judy Kay, of Welch, and Miss Kathleen Dunlap of Ranger.

Miss Lillie F. Bains spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Odessa visiting her brother, L. T. Bains and family, and friends in Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sorenson and daughters, Suzanne and Sally Jane of College Station were holiday week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Price.

**News From . . .  
Morton Valley**

—By Special Correspondent—

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Butler and Mrs. Victorine Harbin of Merkel, were visitors in the home of J. B. Harbin and family Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman on Thanksgiving Day are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Manning and children, Mike and Mary Ann of Eastland; Mr. W. W. Manning of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman, Jr. of Fort Worth.

Miss Verna Castleberry of Dallas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Castleberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cook and son Charles, of Dallas visited in the home of Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Shahan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones of College Station visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin Thanksgiving Day.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fisher last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams of Phoenix, Ariz.; and Mr. and Mrs. Red Springer of Odessa. Mrs. Springer is Mrs. Fisher's sister.

Dick Harris spent the holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris. Dick is attending college at Denton.

Mrs. O. Langlitz and children, Dale, Geraldine and Margaret Ann ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Langlitz daughters, Mrs. Felton Holloway and family in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fisher visited their daughter, Mrs. H. S. Adams and family last Thursday.

Miss Joan Brockman spent Saturday and Sunday in Fort Worth visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman, Jr. She attended the TCU-SMU football game Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Castleberry and daughter, Verna of Dallas visited another daughter, Glynn in Abilene last Friday. Glynn is a sophomore in A.C.C.

Burton Tankersley and family, G. W. Tankersley and family of Ranger, were guests of J. L. Williamson and family last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheat were happy to have all their children home for Thanksgiving dinner.

They are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fuller of Dallas, Ralph Wheat who is attending school at A. & M. College. "Buster" Wheat, who is a patient in the veterans hospital at Legion; T. L. Jr., who is employed at Hobbs, N. M. and Misses Dorothy and Verna Wheat; Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dempsey were also guests in the Wheat home.

Bobby Gene Harrison and Morris Miller who are attending school at Lubbock were holiday visitors of their parents, Mrs. Cecile Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison. They returned to school Sunday.

Mrs. Amy Brown, her father, Mr. Stuard and a brother, Truman were visitors of Joe Stuard and family last Sunday.

Sam Jones and family of Rising Star were guests of Mrs. Jones' brother, J. W. Harrison and family for Thanksgiving dinner.

**News From . . .  
FLATWOODS**

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. George Nolen of Rotan visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Palmer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark were shopping in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. O. T. Byrd who has been confined to her bed with rheumatism is able to sit up some.

W. H. Barto, Wilson and Doc Justice were doing business in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mrs. Travis Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix, and Mrs. Foster visited Mrs. George McBee of Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Justice had as their guest Thanksgiving her mother and sister, Mrs. Penn and Mrs. Marvin Guy of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sanders of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice and Mr. and Mrs. H. Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Byrd, Sue, Jack and Buddie visited their daughter, Mrs. Gerald Hooper and Mr. Hooper of Odessa over the week end.

Mrs. Janey Bills of Eastland spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Zephyr Clark and Mrs. Minnie Foster.

Mrs. Laura Murrell had as her guests Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell of Hamlin and grandson, Mack Murrell of Dallas, who is in S.M.U. and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Turner, Lane, Jr., and Lana of Monohans.

W. H. Wilson visited his cousin Mr. and Mrs. Pleas McMinn of Ulvolda from Wednesday till Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sanders of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anny Vann and daughters, Johnnie, Louise and Rennie May visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Morris of Sabernell Wednesday through Saturday and Mr. Vann killed an eight point deer while there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Miss Emma Lee spent Thanksgiving in Dallas with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Morton and Mr. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark daughter, Jane spent Thanksgiving in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Lawrence have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lawrence at El Paso.

Homer Meek, Jr., of Midland, was a week end guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Meek.

Mrs. G. B. Athey, Miss Louise Athey and Mrs. H. L. Alexander and sons, Bennie and Bobby, spent Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McCarney.

Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Vermillion will visit friends in Uvalde this week end. They will go on a deer hunt on a nearby ranch while away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams, 305 South Madera Street, had as holiday week end visitors their children, Mrs. Bernard Smith and son, Hugh of Jarrell, and George McWilliams and family of Fort Worth.

Mr and Mrs. Francis M. Jones and sons, Jerry and Jody, visited over the Thanksgiving week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen and sons, Stanley and Rodney.

**New Mother Given  
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Mrs. Carlota Elliott Parnell is one of the authors whose work has merited a place in "Important American Poets and Song-

writers" a volume of lyrics and poetry, according to a letter received from publishers of the book, Valiant House.

Mrs. Parnell's entry was chosen from thousands of entries from every corner of the globe. Mrs. Parnell could not be reach-

ed to secure the name of the winning entry, because she is now in a Ranger hospital, where she became the mother of a daughter Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Wright and Mrs. Della Reed of Long Branch were Eastland visitors last Saturday.

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Hunt's Fancy PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can	29c
Libby's Mixed VEGETABLES 16 Oz. Jar	15c
Libby's PUMPKIN No. 2 1/2 Can	19c
Libby's POTTED MEAT Can	15c
Monarch Crushed PINEAPPLE No. 2 Can	39c
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Sunshine CHOCOLATES Lb. Box	75c

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SAUSAGE Home Made Lb.	55c
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DREFT Lg. Box	32c
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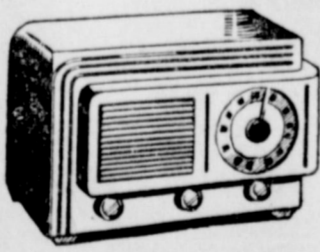
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News from the Court House

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:  
 W. L. Andrus to J. W. Overstreet, warranty deed.  
 Edwin F. Ammerman to Thomas R. Ammerman, M. D.  
 Thomas R. Ammerman to Edwin F. Ammerman, power of attorney.  
 Mort B. Aldridge to Jack E.

Clay, warranty deed.  
 Mort B. Aldridge to Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company transfer of lien.  
 J. W. Blackwell to W. G. Schmick, warranty deed.  
 Mrs. J. W. Blackwell to W. G. Schmick, release of vendor's lien.  
 D. C. Cox, Jr. to Hulon Dawson, quit claim deed.  
 City of Eastland to C. G. Uffelman, quit claim deed.  
 J. E. Clay to Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.  
 Commercial State Bank, Ranger to T. B. Taliaferro, release of vendor's lien.  
 City of Ranger to Tom L. Fox, warranty deed.  
 Mrs. Ralph Dean to Woodley Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.  
 W. W. Davis to Paul Ray Davis, warranty deed.  
 Ben R. Day to Floyd White, warranty deed.  
 Esen A. Fields, Jr. to Mrs. Ben Parker, warranty deed.  
 J. M. Flounoy to Celia A. McCreia, M. D.  
 B. E. Garner to R. F. Carroll,

quit claim deed.  
 Beatrice Godfrey to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.  
 R. E. Grantham to The Public, affidavit.  
 B. E. Garner to K. E. Falls, quit claim deed.  
 A. J. Hazel to Irene Owen, quit claim deed.  
 M. Weaver Hague to Callie E. Hague, quit claim deed.  
 Paul V. Harrell to Woodley Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.  
 Callie E. Hague, et al to O. L. Woods, warranty deed.  
 S. W. Hughes to B. L. Hughes, deed.  
 Higinbotham Bros. & Company to Tom Butler, Jr., to release of M. L.  
 J. H. Hulsey to S. B. Norton, release of vendor's lien.  
 Kirk D. Holland to Lone Star Producing Company, agreement.  
 R. O. Jackson to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.  
 Ida Joyce to John L. King, quit claim deed.  
 John L. King to Jack E. Clay, correction warranty deed.  
 John L. King to Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, transfer of lien.  
 Mrs. P. L. Luse to The Public, ce probate.  
 Lula Emmert Lawler to R. H. Roark, oil and gas lease.

Mrs. E. E. Mickley to Hulon Dawson, quit claim deed.  
 W. W. Martin to W. T. Payne, warranty deed.  
 Fon Mitcham to Lone Star Producing Company, designation of depository.  
 W. S. Moseley to Cecil Jessup, warranty deed.  
 Elroy McCantles to Virgil Wagley, warranty deed.  
 F. M. Oldham to J. M. Flournoy, M. D.  
 Addie Overstreet to W. D. Smith, warranty deed.  
 Valena P. Olson to Robert J. Steel, oil and gas lease.  
 Dorris B. Pedue, Jr., to R. Langston, release of lien.  
 Albert Phelps to A. Fisher, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Albert Phelps to George H. Widner, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Charles S. Sandler to Esen A. Fields, Jr., release of deed of trust.  
 C. S. Surles to Roy Pippen, royalty contract.  
 D. K. Scott to Sam P. Baugh, warranty deed.  
 W. G. Schmick to S. E. Lemley, warranty deed.  
 Texas & Pacific Railway Company to Roney Jones, warranty deed.  
 Texas & Pacific Railway Company to R. A. Jones, deed.  
 Texas & Pacific Railway Company to Ed Dresser, quit claim deed.  
 Texas & Pacific Railway Company to J. H. Underwood to Gaylon Wright, warranty deed.  
 United States v. Grady Petroleum Company, notice of tax lien.  
 Joe A. Weise to Eastland National Bank, MML.  
 Albert S. Werner to Pearson Grimes, warranty deed.  
 Virgil Wagley to C. A. Waters, M. L. contract.

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
 The following couples were licensed to wed last week:  
 Lelton O. Thompson to Novalee Fulfer, Eastland.  
 Frank D. Stephenson to Mrs. Lorena B. Stephenson, Eastland.  
 H. P. Kitchens to Cieta Lawson, Cisco.  
 CIVIL  
 Ben Kay, et al v. J. L. Newlin, damages.  
 Estate of F. D. Wright, deceased v. Peter G. Wolazyn, forcible detainer.

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**SUITS FILED**  
 The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:  
 Mrs. Alice Chapman Young v. J. W. Young, divorce.  
 Estel Carl Franklin v. Juanita Franklin, divorce.  
**ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS**  
 The following orders and judgments:  
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### News Items From CARBON

By MRS. H. HALL, Special Correspondent

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Lee Fields at Hamner Funeral Home in Eastland at 3 p. m. Thursday for Sam Maxwell, 69, who passed away Tuesday evening. Interment was in Carbon's new cemetery.

Mr. Maxwell had been in ill health for several months. He and his brother, Dee Maxwell had lived together here for many years. He is also a brother of Walter Maxwell. Sympathy is extended to the family.

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Crowe because of the passing of his father, Jim Crowe in De Leon Wednesday. Services were held Friday in De Leon.

Wayne Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker of Carbon was married to Miss Tena Riddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riddle of Devine, were united in marriage Saturday Nov. 23 at 7 p. m. at the Central Baptist Church in San Antonio.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ussery of Carizzo Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker will make their home in San Antonio where both are employed by Western Union.

W. A. Tate has been appointed chairman for the March of Dimes Campaign and has had containers placed in business houses for collecting contributions.

Miss Kate Medford of Pecos spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Thurman of Turner, Kan. are visiting his sister, Mrs. Alex Hale and Mr. Hale.

John Woodall left Monday for a visit with relatives at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster and son of New Albany, Miss. and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Knight of Brady visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maness last week. Mr. and Mrs. Foster and son and Mr. and Mrs. Maness accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Knight home for the week end. Mesdames Foster, Maness and Knight are sisters.

Mrs. Beluah Killion of Pasadena, Texas is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. D. Guyder near Rising Star and was shopping in Carbon Monday.

Mrs. Ben Hamner of Eastland was in Carbon on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Deeds and children Elmon and Elaine of Houston spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mathews of Comanche visited them Sunday.

Mesdames J. N. Willbank and Alice Cox of Healdsburg, Calif., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Beene.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale and children of Aqua Dulce spent the Thanksgiving holidays at their home here. Miss Bettie Hale who is attending N.T.S.T.C. Denton came to spend the week end with them.

Billie D. Reese of Eunice, N. M. spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Reese.

Mrs. J. T. Cox of Fort Worth is here on business and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harlow and Mary spent Thanksgiving in Woodson with his son, B. W. Harlow and family.

Miss Jean Poe of Dallas spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Don and daughter Mary Lestine of San Angelo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holloway last week.

Bryon Harrison spent the week end on a hunting trip near Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Scoop Dover of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dover and other relatives here last week end.

Monte Walker returned Monday from San Antonio where he visited relatives and attended the wedding of his brother Wayne Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield and Mack attended the Texas and A. & M. football game Thursday.

Mesdames Della Lee and Beulah Polk of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Craighead last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall of Fritz spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner.

Calvin Gilbert of NTSTC Denton spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert.

Mike Morgan is visiting his son, Ray Morgan in Nome.

Mrs. J. M. Thurman spent last week in Ranger with her daughter Mrs. Ben Hamner and family.

Bill Parten, of A.C.C., Dwain Jackson and Bryan Lee Butler of H.S.U. Abilene spent the week end with their parents here.

Nesa Reed of John Tarleton spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyl Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Claborn and children returned to their home in Sundown Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson have returned to their home in Borger after visiting relatives here and in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hazlewood and son, Bert Hazlewood, Sr., of Wichita Falls and Bert, Jr., took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mathews in Comanche.

Mrs. H. A. Phillips is very ill at her home here and her children have been called to her bed side.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dunlap, who have been living in the T. J. Cox home moved this week near Cisco.

Jim Guy who has been ill for several months was in town Monday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Guy. Mr. and Mrs. Guy returned last week from Fort Worth where he has been taking x-ray treatments at Harris Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce attended funeral services in Cisco Tuesday for the husband of Mrs. Pierce's niece, who was killed in a car-truck collision near Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bond of

Austin spent Thanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bond.

Gene Guy of Austin spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Guy. They were in Fort Worth Friday where Mr. Guy received a very favorable check up at Harris Memorial Hospital.

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**News From . . . STAFF**

—By Special Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White, in Eastland last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maicum Maxwell of Lometa were guests recently of Mrs. Jennie K. Hines.

Cecil Nelson was in Eastland Monday morning on business.

Miss Cathrine Canet of Eastland visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet last Tuesday.

Mrs. Maurice Hazard was in Eastland last Tuesday shopping.

John W. Thurman was in Eastland last Tuesday to attend to business.

John M. White transacted business in Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and Wilma of Olden were guests Tuesday evening in the Cecil Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland were in the community last Wednesday afternoon to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson had as their guests from Thursday until Sunday of the past week, Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mr. Jess Joplin and son, Bobby of Slaton.

Paul Ingram of Dalhart was a visitor in the homes of M. O. Hazard and Allen Crosby last Thursday.

Mrs. Imogene Lee of El Paso was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Powell the past week. She accompanied her parents to Abilene on Thursday to spend Thanksgiving with Buster Powell and family in Abilene.

Buster is manager of Penney's Store in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee returned to their home in El Paso by plane Thursday after having spent the holiday with Mrs. Lee's brother and family.

Cecil Keoner of Olden had business in the community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. White had as their guests on Thanksgiving, Mr. White's brother, Horace White and wife of Morton Valley.

R. A. Parker was a business visitor in Ranger Friday morning.

Cecil Nelson and son, Roy Neil, accompanied by Bobby Joplin of Slaton were Ranger and Eastland visitors last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pope visited with Mrs. Pope's aunt, Mrs. Mollie Webb, in Eastland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Powell were visiting in Gorman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fox and two daughters, were Eastland visitors Saturday.

Miss Betty Jean Bennett who is attending John Tarleton College in Stephenville, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett over the week end.

Pole Fox and Alford Fox were in Eastland Saturday on business.

Mrs. Annie Terry and Mrs. Latha Taylor shopped in Eastland Saturday.

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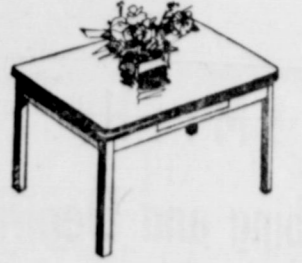
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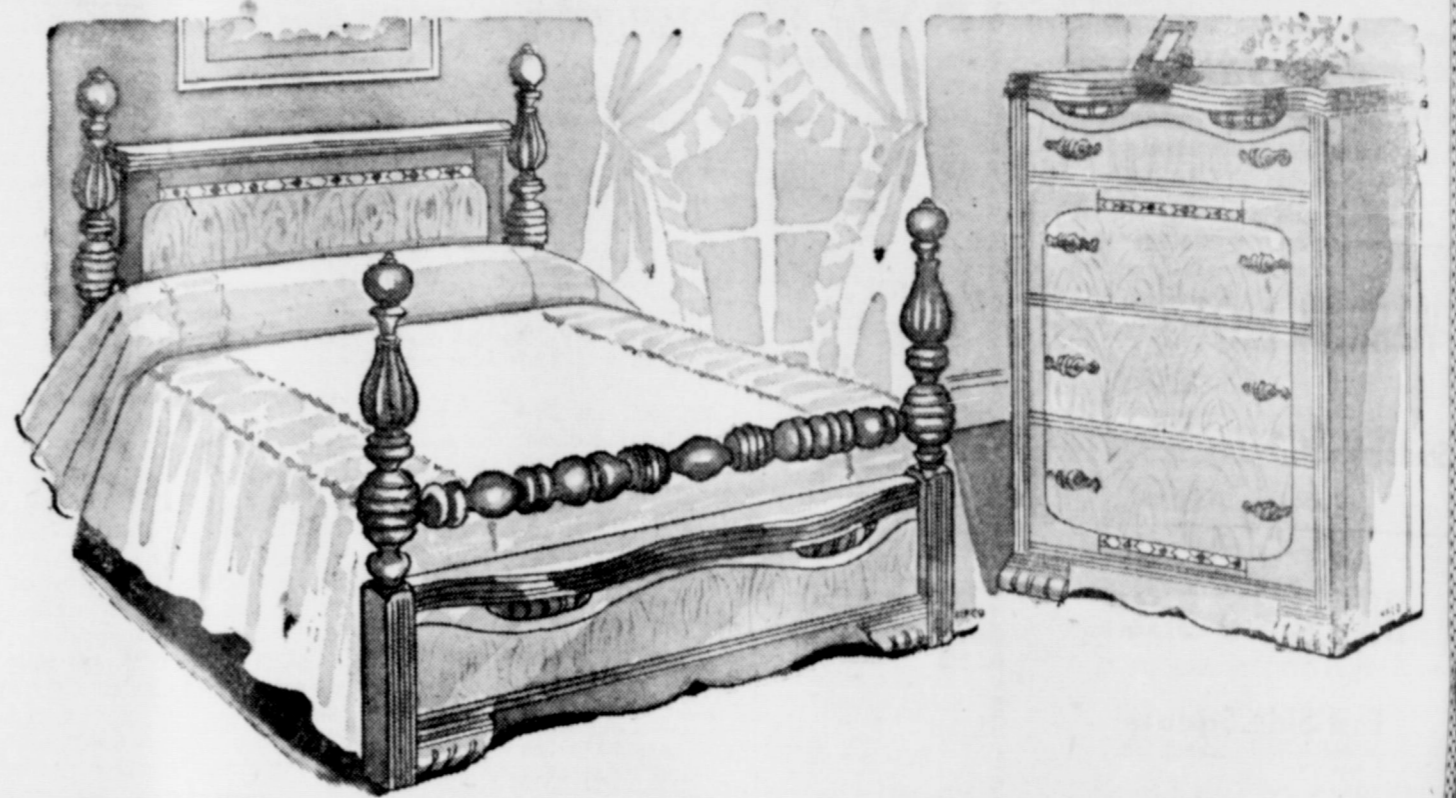


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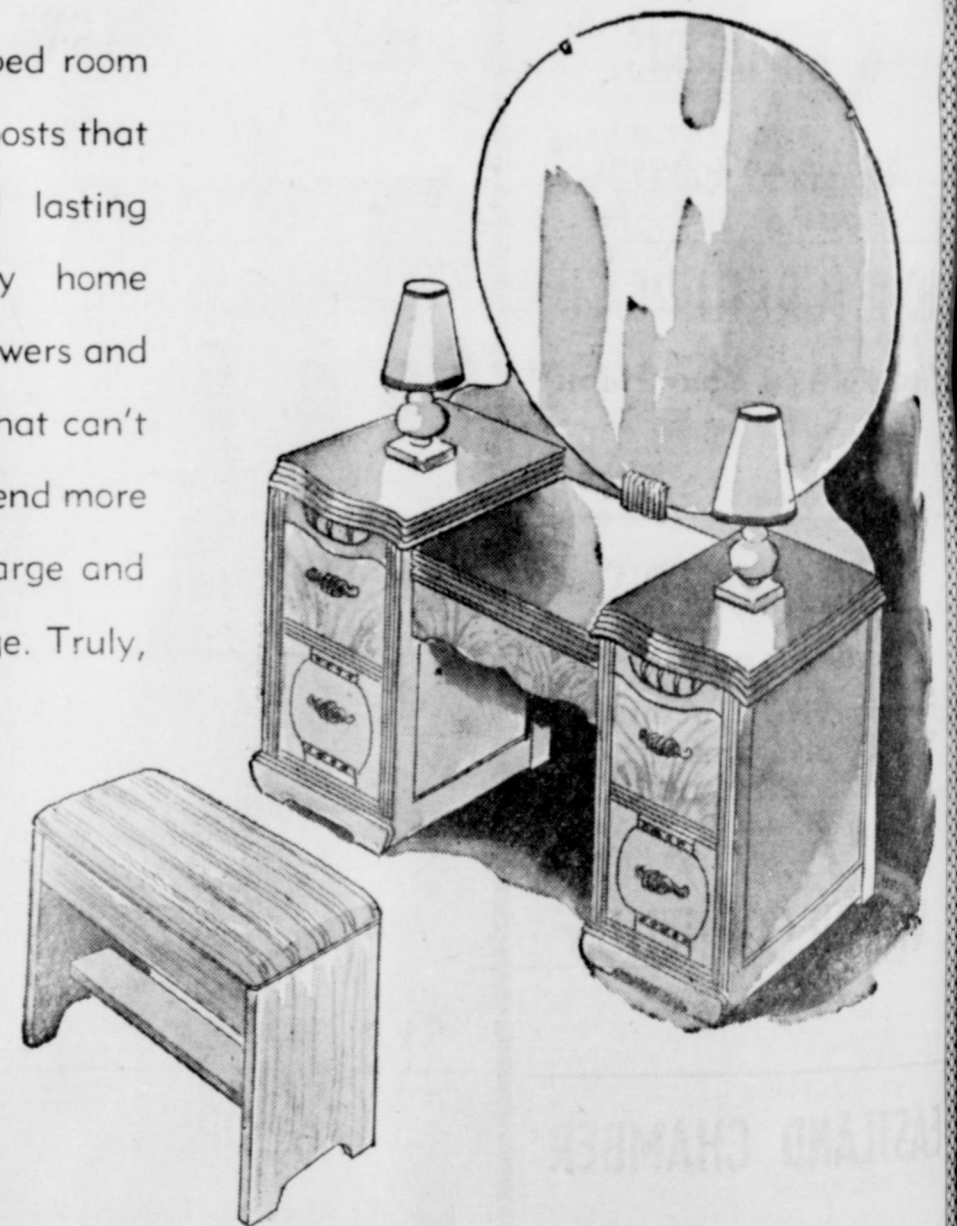
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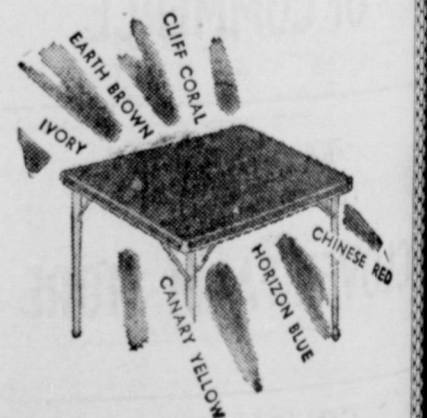
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- Sept. 26 - Eastland 13, Masonic Home 6  
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- Oct. 3 - Eastland 46, De Leon 0  
AT DE LEON
- Oct. 9 - Eastland 26, Ft. Worth Tech 7  
AT FORT WORTH
- Oct. 17 - Eastland 6, Ballinger 26  
AT EASTLAND
- Oct. 24 - Eastland 6, Dublin 0  
AT DUBLIN
- Oct. 31 - Eastland 25, Comanche 0  
AT EASTLAND
- Nov. 14 - Eastland 26, Hamilton 0  
AT EASTLAND
- Nov. 20 - Eastland 0, Cisco 14  
AT CISCO
- Nov. 27 - Eastland 44, Gorman 0  
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ASSOCIATE STORE**  
Let's Win, Eastland!

**RUSHING MOTOR CO.**  
109 S. Mulberry St.  
Your DeSoto-Plymouth  
Dealer

**DAVIS - MAXEY**  
Drug Company  
We're For The Mavericks

**KILGORE'S**  
EASTLAND CREAMERY  
Always ask for Kilgore's-  
It's The Best!

**APPLIANCE  
Service Co.**  
Phones 703 and 613R  
BEAT COLEMAN!

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Trading Post  
Open Until 10 p. m.  
Open Sundays

**WEST TEXAS  
TRANSPORTATION CO.**  
JOHNNY AARON  
We're Behind Our  
District Champs

**FREYSCHLAG**  
Insurance Agency  
Go After 'em, Mavericks!

**P O E  
FLORAL SHOP**  
When It's Flowers-  
Say It With Ours

**D. L. HOULE SHOP**  
Apparel for Women and  
Children

**MAJESTIC CAFE**  
Fight 'em, Mavericks!

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Headquarters  
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VARIETY STORE

**MOSER NASH MOTORS**  
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CHARLES C. FAGG  
Let's Go, Mavericks!

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**GULF SERVICE STATION**  
Fight 'em, Mavericks!

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Materials

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Licensed Sanitone Cleaners

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**KING MOTOR CO.**  
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GLASS SHOP**  
Keep Fighting, Mavericks

**ARTHER**  
Produce and Feed  
100% Behind Our  
MAVERICKS

New Bathtubs, Combina-  
tions, Sinks, Lavatories, Etc.

**W. T. YOUNG**  
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**Shafer And Holder**  
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**CHAMBERLAIN**  
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We're Proud of Our  
MAVERICKS

**W. Q. VERNER**  
MAGNOLIA PRODUCTS  
Always for the Mavericks

**MURRELL'S**  
Grocery and Market  
Let's Beat 'em, Boys!

**HANNA HARDWARE  
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See Us For Home Repairs

**PIPKIN'S**  
Piggly-Wiggly Store

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Paint and Body Works

**CARL JOHNSON**  
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North Side of Square

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**BLEVINS MOTOR CO.**  
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