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With this issue, The Eastland County Record launches its 18th year in this vale of tears, sorrow, laughter and joy, and it undoubtedly is a much healthier 18-year- Easter marks the day observed old than a lot of people predicted as the anniversary of the Resurwhen it began its career in the dark and gloomy days of 1931.

The 17 years spanned by The Record in Eastland have seen a County, and a survey of the files will direct young people of the of The Record would give a per- church in the service. son a fair idea of some of the history of that period in the to attend the service, the only county

The depression was here when church officials knew of. the first issue of The Record was published. The WPA days came and went; war clouds loomed, and soon after the morning ser-Pearl Harbor came, and the war vice begins at 10:30 a. m., babies with it; The record chronicled of the congregation will be bapthe doings of our own men who tised. Following the Easter serhad a part in the great struggle; mon by Rev. E. R. Gordon, a class there are stories in the files of of adults will be received into the the draft, of gas and tire and church. Members and friends of unanimously to submit the quesfood rationing. Came V-E and V-J the church were invited to bring tion to vote, were talking to var-Days, and then peacetime prob- Easter lilies or other flowers and ious Eastland organizations about lems and accomplishments; East- place them on the altar in memland had a resurgence of growth, ory of a loved one. and the entire county was on the upgrade again, and has remained be in charge of Easter services so until now, despite a temporary at the First Presbyterian Church setback because of last summer's Sunday morning. drouth

It's all there in the files of Easter will mark the ending of The Record, but we don't look back often. Our job is to give the pastor, Rev. L. M. Chapman, you the news of today, and we bringing the morning sermon on usually let the historians record "The Living Saviour." The church what happened in all of our yesterdays.

According to County Agent J. on "Heaven," and Joe Trussell, M. Cooper, who has made a more song leader in the revival, will or less deep study of the subject. the kind of cigarettes for as and ranchers smoke is an unesual but fairly accurate barometer of the economic conditions on the farms and ranches.

But let's let Cooper tell it:

farm and ranch people in three however, be in the new church counties during the past 10 years, building the following Sunday, it I beleive that rural folks are much better off financially at the present time, if the kind of tobacco they use can be taken as an indicator.

"Ten years ago, when I first tarted as a county agen nine out of 10 farmers and ranchers 'rolled their own' smokes out of two kinds of tobacco. Today the situation is reversed as about Spring Clean Up Drive nine out of 10 of them smoke 'tailor made' or manufactured cigarettes, which most of them buy by the carton or cartons. "The eating habits of rural people are changing also. I should up drive, announced that the know, as I eat with some rural drive would begin early in April. family about twice a week on the average. "They eat more beef and less pork now than formerly. This might or might not be construed as a barometer of good times They also eat more salads, whereas back in 1938 it was a rare farm family that had any lettuce or salad on the table for lunch. Light bread is found on the table more often, although biscuits and corn bread have not been forsaken, but kin. still occupy their old familiar place on the table corner."

To Mark Easter In Local Churches Most Eastland churches will offer special programs Sunday as

No Candidates

Have Filed Yet

No candidates had filed Thurs-

Monday noon will be the filing

Little talk was circulating in

ions to talk on the matter.

Wilson and I. C. Inzer.

For School Board rection of Christ. First of the actual Easter services will be a special sunrise service at the First Christian Church day for places on the Eastland lot of things happen in Eastland at 6 a. m. Sunday. Ed Freyschlag School Board, with two places to be filled in an election Saturday of next week.

The general public was invited deadline. School Board Secretary one in Eastland at that time that Curtis Hertig will accept applications for filing from candidates.

His office is in the Exchange At the First Methodist Church, Building. special Easter music will be sung. Eastland about the proposed 25cent school tax increase to be voted on at the same time as the trustees, but on different ballots. School board members, who voted

Rev. M. P. Elder, pastor, will

At the First Baptist Church, an eight-day revival series, with about it next Tuesday. is hoping for 600 in Sunday School that morning. Saturday night, Mr. Chapman will preach

sing "The Holy City." The Holy Trinity Episcopal Church will hold its Easter ser

vices Sunday morning in the Majestic Theatre, despite earlier hopes of being in the new church Bible Institute Set Having worked and observed by Easter. The congregation will, building on South Seaman Street At Methodist Church A vacation Bible School Instit-

ute of the Cisco District will be was said. held at the First Methodist city will hold Easter services on at 9 a.m.

Sunday morning also. This week, pastors of the churches joined charge of the institute, and will ventory system as a basis for be- most widely distributed game fish in inviting the people of the city be hostess to the visitors.

Special Programs Commissioners, Delegations Talk Highway Projects

BY CHESTER KLOCK

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH

CAREFUL, JOE ... HM-M-M ... LI'L ICICLE, EH ? YOU'RE TELLING ME ... BUT CARTING IT ALL THE WAY FROM TH' BIG TOWN DOESN'T DO IT ANY GOOD. REMEMBER THAT WASHER YOU KNOW, SOPHIE BOUGH MACHINE FROM THAT SEW AND SEW ! TOO, BUT TM GOING TO WAIT A LITTLE WHILE AN BUY IT RIGHT HERE IN EASTLAND VATCH IT, MEN --- THAT LI'L ICICLE MIGHT MEUT DEFORE YOU GET IT INT THE KITCHEN

Linkenhoger Sale Is Completed

the need for extra money, but ap-W. W. Linkenhoger announced parently without arousing too late Thursday that he had commuch enthusiasm or opposition. pleted the sale of his business to School Board Members Frank E. M. and Pearson Grimes, and Sparks and Bob Vaughan talked that the place would be under to members of the Band Boosters new management Friday morning Club Tuesday night about the prounder the name of Grimes Bro posal, and Vaughan is due to talk thers.

to fellow Lions Club members Final closing of the deal had been delayed by the fact that Mrs. James Horton, another fishing is the topic of the day and Pearson Grimes, who was to have board member, has appeared be the ole fishing bug has gotten hold closed it, was operated on for appendicitis earlier in the week and of a great many of our local citfore several women's organizat s in the Eastland Hospital.

School board members whose Linkenhoger disposed of all of terms expire in April are Norris the business except his Goodyear ire line. Voting in the election will be in the fuscice of the peace office in the basement of the Court-

E. M. Grimes, who has been liv ng in Cleveland, Texas, and had clation, we will try to keep our to make a rush trip to Eastland to close with Linkenhoger, was the country accompanied here by his older brother, O. C. Grimes, of Cleveland, who will help him until Kinglom on the bright, clear

Pearson Grimes recovers. Linkenhoger said the establishment was to have been closed Friday and Saturday for inven-Various other churches of the Church Friday, April 2, beginning tory, but that because of the si- catfish make up the catch. let's tuation, the Grimes brothers had talk about them a little bit. The

ginning operations, and would be in the world, and certainly more

Effort Made To Get Kaltenborn Here

Negotiations were under way this week to obtain H. V. Kalten born, noted news commentator, for a talk in Eastland on the present threatening world situation.

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce would sponsor Kaltenmembership banquet, under preto obtain the Majestic Theatre for the talk, if plans go through. Kaltenborn spoke in Mineral

Wells early in World War II, and drew a capacity crowd in that city's large convention hall.

Eastland Entry -Fishin'-In Baseball League **To Begin Practice**

Eastland will have an entry in the Brazos River League, an amateur hardball group, this spring it was decided at a meeting in the towns. Eastland Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night.

The five other towns in the Well, it seems that the art of circuit are Strawn, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Dublin and De Leon

At the meeting, it was decided to ask local business houses to With the professional assistance sponsor the team by buying uniof Cecil Holifield, the Eastland forms and donating funds for ini-County director of the Possum Kingdom Game and Fish Assorod and reel readers posted on fishing conditions in this part of

First practice session of the Those who went to Possum new team was set for the firemen's ball park at 5:30 p. m. days early this week reported a lot of big catches, with the bass rack and Willis Smith, temporary especially anxious to grab lures. field managers, in charge. A per-Since bass, brim, crappie and manent field manager will Mrs. Milton Day will be in agreed to take his perpetual in- large-mouth bass is probably the ing on the team was invited to

the practice. O.H. Dick .vas Dusiness manager, with H. G. Vermillion as assistant business manager, at the Wednesday night meeting. Buck Carraway, manager, Ben Weekes, business manager, and Bill Williams, assistant business

Outlook Is Called More Favorable For Two Projects

Prospects for two new highway programs in Eastland County born's talk, in lieu of its annual improved considerably Monday when delegations from Eastland, sent plans. A bid had been made Gorman, Carbon and Rising Star presented a united front favoring the projects in a session with the Eastland County Commissioners Court,

One of the highways would be a completely new stretch of road from Eastland to Gorman, shortening and straightening the present route.

The other would connect Carbon and Rising Star, putting a paved road where only gravel roads are now.

At present, in wet weather, a person wanting to go from Carbon to Rising Star is advised by Carbon residents that it is safer to come back to Eastland, then go to Cisco and on to Rising Star. and summer, with play on Sun- than to tackle the back roads beday afternoons in Firemen's Park. tween the two Eastland County

Members of the State Highway Commission long have been interested in getting a direct route between Gorman and Eastland, so as to serve better those traveling on Highway 6, which is a direct route to north central Texas from Waco and the surrounding area. It was agreed at the meeting Monday to have Fred Brown of tial operation. Gate receipts will Eastland as chairman of the group be used for later financing, spon-sors said, with probable gate cha-rge of 25 cents for children and will be sought with the State 50 cents for grown-ups. press the matter of the two high-

ways. County Judge P. L. Crossley next Tuesday, with George Par- told the group that although the county is in the best financial condition that it has been in many years, financing the right of way be named later, probably by the for the highways will be a probteam. Anyone interested in play- lem, especially since the county probably will be faced shortly with a demand for right of way for re-routing Highway 80 from

There was a time when the a (Continued On Page Ten)



to attend the church of their choice Sunday.

To Be Held In April

Mrs. Frank Castleberry, chairman of the Civic League and Garden Club's annual spring clean ment

vear, and special services are being held at several of the churches the committee decided to plan the drive in April.

Committee members other than Mrs. Castleberry are Mesdames Victor Cornelius, Henry Pullman, C. W. Hoffmann, Homer O. Smith, course. Gerald Wingate, Frank Day, Earl Conner, Jr., J. C. Poe, Don Hill, was invited.

R. C. Ferguson, and Grady Pip-

Methodists To Have **Communion Service**

A candlelight communion ser-

Friday, it was announced this week.

at 7:35, since there will be no convenient time for late comers to enter without disturbing the service, said the pastor, Rev. E. R. Gordon.

Membership of the church was asked to attend the service by families if possible, and friends of

Demonstration Club School Set In Eastland

turer. Two members of each Home

The school, to be held in the Orbie is now the owner of a new American Legion Hall, will be Dodge four door sedan, tailored able to drive his car, but it is so conducted by Miss Gladys Dar- to fit his requirements.

den, assistant home management When Orbie became paralyzed specialist of the Texas A. & M. from the chest down 18 years ago, of his unfailing cheer over East-College Extension Service.

Mrs. Ed Willman, who will train ing. workers for the kindergarden de-

partment, Mrs. C. D. Wooten of Mrs. Frank Penn's De Leon for the primary dept., the Junior dept., and Rev. C. D. Wooten of De Leon will be in

charge of the intermediate depart-Waco will attend the school. Mr.

Central Texas Conference and of God at Cisco.

Mrs. Cole is director of children's work of the conference. All workers in the district who schools were urged to attend this

Anyone else desiring to attend

RAY ROBERTS UNDERGOES SURGERY

Roy Roberts of Electra, formerly of Olden, underwent major

Clinic Hospital. Reports have vice will be held in the First been that he is resting comfort- for district judge of the 91st Dis-Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m. ably and is improving.

Friday as an observance of Good at Olden for several years before being transferred to Electra.

The church doors will be closed

tend.

a national automobile manufac-

Through the cooperation of L. Demonstration Club in Eastland E. McGraw of the McGraw Motor having the car assembled County will attend a work sim- Company, Dodge dealer for Eastplification school to be held in land County, and the Dodge Div- large corporations are, after all, Eastland Monday and Tuesday. ision of Chrysler Corporation, quite human.

it in no way affected his spirt. land County.

Instructors for the school are ready for business Friday morn-

Funeral services for Mrs. Frank Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Cole of day, were held Monday afternoon. Rev. C. S. Moad and Rev. W. E.

the Board of Education of the at the services, held in the Church

Clarence Penn of Eastland. Other to 90 degrees, but prefers 70 to survivors are Hurshall Penn of 72 degree water. Bass go into are to help with vacation Bible Cisco and two daughters, Mrs. Susie Stanford of Cisco and Mrs. spring, when the water temper-Bessie Riddle of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Penn had lived in Cisco The world's record large-mouth and Eastland County for the past bass was taken June 2, 1932 in 42 years.

EARL CONNER. JR., COMES **OUT FOR DISTRICT JUDGE**

Earl Conner, Jr., former dissurgery recently at Wichita Falls trict attorney, this week placed his announcement for candidacy trict Court with the Eastland He was employed by Magnolia County Record.

Conner said he would issue a statement on his candidacy later.

Injured Ex-Cisco Football Player Obtains Special Auto So He Can Ride In Comfort

Orbie Dee Jacobs of Cisco, who | Today, after 18 years of invalidwas permanently disabled as the ism, he still has a cheerful outthe church were invited to atin football practice in 1930, will supports himself by selling magaride in comfort now, thanks to zine subscriptions.

the interest taken in him by an He lives with his parents at Eastland automobile dealer and 1508 West Fifth Street, Cisco.

McGraw said that his experience with the Dodge factory in for young Jacobs proved to him that

Orbie will not be physically

built that he can more comfortably ride in it and spread some

American anglers fish for this hard-fighting gamester than for any other. It is native from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico and from the Atlantic to the Rocky Mrs. Day will train workers for Services Held Monday | Mountains. The large-mouth bass prefers mud-bottomed lakes and streams with plenty of weed Penn, 64, pioneer Cisco resident growth; they are cover fish. They who died in a Cisco hospital Sun- like logs, under water tree tops. water lilv beds, rushes and over hanging banks from which they Because Easter is early this Cole is executive secretary of Hallenbeck of Eastland officiated dart out for minnows, frogs, aquatic insects, and other food. The large-mouth bass does well

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Mrs. Penn is the mother of in water from 55 all the way up the shallows to spawn in the ature reaches 60 to 62 degrees.

> Montgomery Lake, Ga., and weigher 22 pounds, 4 ounces. Next week we will discuss another species of the fish family. and before I forget it, I want to tell you fishermen that Cecil Holifield is conducting a general information bureau about fishing, bait, and a thousand and one things you'd like to know about the sport; just drop a penny post card to Cecil Holifield, Eastland,

> Texas, and he'll try to answer your questions by return mail. Good fishin' until next week.

Legion Auxiliary

Members of the Eastland American Legion Auxiliary have been invited to attend and help enter- May 11 at Hamilton. tain at a party to be given in De

rick of Eustis, Fla., southern div- PAST MATRONS, PATRONS

The party will be given by the as the place because the De Leon Auxiliary won a recent district

Mrs. Thelma Rau of Bryan, state Auxiliary president, will be present. The party will be given early in April, with the date to be announced later.

manager, of the Strawn team attended the meeting and explained the workings of the league to the more than 30 men present. E. M. Pritchard said the East-

land Volunteer Fire Department had agreed to let the hardball team use the softball field and stands, and it was agreed if possible to roof the stands, build an outfield fence, and level the

outfield Several potential players from Cisco and Olden, as well as a group from Eastland, attended the meeting.

Eastland High To **Enter Baseball Race**

Eastland High School will have an entry this year in the district hardball baseball competition, with two games set with each of the other five teams in the district, one at home and the other away from home, Coach Wendell Siebert said.

Home games by the Eastland team are scheduled April 13 with Comanche, April 16 with Gorman, April 23 with Hamilton, May 7 with Dublin, and May 14 with Hamilton.

Out of town Eastland games are scheduled April 20 at Dublin, April 27 at De Leon, April 30 at Comanche, May 4 at Gorman and

The Eastern Star will honor their past matrons and past patrons with a covered dish supper at the Masonic Hall Tuesday even-

Mrs. Cyrus Miller, worthy matron, announced the affair and the commission. asked the families of the honored members to attend also.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fields made a business trip to Worth Wednesday.

Cisco to the eastern county line.

As much as \$300,000 in right of way and fencing costs for all the proposed highways might be sustained by the county without a bond issue, he said, if the people would vote a special 15-cent road and bridge tax.

Judge Crossley, who has been favorable to both of the new highway proposals, said that prospects for them look more favorable than they ever have.

Morton Valley P.-T.A. Hears Miss Hearn

Miss Opal Hearn talked on "The Weeds. Intolerance, Prejudice, Hatred and Ignorance," at the meeting of the Morton Valley P.-T. A. in the auditorium of the school Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frances Cooper's fifth grade pupils presented two playets titled, "A Dollar to Spend." and "Safety First."

Preceding the program, the group sang, "Loves Old Sweet Song" with Mrs. Prentiss Jones at the piano and Mrs. Cooperdirecting. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

Members attending were Mesdames Cooper, W. E. Tankersley, Josie K. Nix, J. L. Funk, Charles Brockman, Homer O. Smith, W. J. Graham, P. L. Crossley, C. E. Beck, R. C. Balderree, Burton Tankersley, Jones, Charles Harris, and Misses, Opal Hearn, Dorothy Tankersley and Charles Harris.

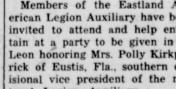
Linkenhoger Stays In City Campaign

Although W. W. Linkenhoger has sold his business, he intends to stay in Eastland and will permit his candidacy for the City Commission in the April 6 election to stand, he said Thursday.

He and Herman Rushing are unopposed for the two places on

Linkenhoger said his plans for the future still are uncertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brashier and son, Colonel Don, were Fort Fort Worth visitors Thursday.



Invited To De Leon

Leon honoring Mrs. Polly Kirkpat- EASTERN STAR TO HONOR ional Legion Auxiliary.

isional vice president of the nat-Auxiliary members of the 17th District, and De Leon was chosen ing, March 30.

membership contest.

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News From . . . OLDEN

-By Special Correspondent-

The Sunday School of the Methodist Church will give an Easter visited her mother, Mrs. Edwards day morning, March 28 at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Ted Ruby and children of Mrs. George Riley, last week end. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ver- clothes. Mr. Ruby came for them Sunday. million.

hter, Mrs. Stella Jarrett last week from Tuesday untill Friday.

leton College, Stephenville: Billy visited in the home of her mother and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Her-Crone of NTSTC, Denton; Jim- Mrs. Swearinger and her sisters, man Bookout of Modess visited mie Jarrett; Warren Calthorp, Mrs. Olegg and Mrs. Overton. Jimmy Butler, Gerald Evetts and Mrs. Alive Burns left Saturday night, en route to California. Byrd James of Texas Tech Col- for Quannah to visit a friend, Mrs. Texas Tech, Lubbock, will visit few days. in Lamesa

ed her mother, Mrs. House for the Robertsons of Ranger. several days.

her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. home Tuesday afternoon of this Tomp Sharp recently. She is the week. Mrs. Joe Langdon was hosformer, Mrs. Anna Mae William- tess to the Club last week.

Mrs. Christine Patterson of Hamilton, Miss Mollie Green, Mrs. Fort Worth visited with home Dave Vermillion, Mrs. Campbell folks here last week end. She and Mrs. Coffindaffer attended expects to complete her course the initation of candidates in in beautician in about three Ranger of the Eastern Star, Mon- dents saw two educational picweeks.

Don't forget, Friday night, school gym will be amateur stunt Carl Butler home. night under the auspices of the Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stark visitsee Mrs. J. D. Harrell.

Mrs. Houser of California visit- Bro. Earl Stephens of A.C.C., Strawn grade school girls, 6. ed her brother here, Mr. Ham- pastor here of the Church of Olden Senior High School boys, 1; accompanied by Bro. Tate Gordon High School boys 3. Olden she was accompanied by her also a student pastor, were dinner High School girls, 22; Strawn

daughter, Mrs. Harris of Fort 82nd birthday Sunday with a din-Eastland County Record Worth, with whom she is visiting. ner. John Hamilton of Colorado, Mrs. Jewel Walden and W. C. Texas, Miss Eunice Hamilton, of Eastland were Olden visitors Mrs. Edna Hamilton, Mrs. Hamillast week end.

Mrs. Stewart of Strawn arrived attend the birthday dinner of her The two small sons of Buster but are almost well at this time. with her son, Pat Butler and lion home Sunday afternoon. family in Crane. They have a morning in Robertson Hospital. weeks visit in Austin, with their daughter, Mrs. Laura Glenn dren of Arlington.

Drummond and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Elrod of Pyote visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Weaver of Eastland, teachers here in the Olden schools, have purchased the Brownie King home and expect to take possession soon.

Mr. and M.s. E. H. Fisher and Edwards, on their vacation to Rey Mosa, Mexico.

Staff Sgt. J. E. and Mrs. Mon- ter eggs, cookies and coffee were

niece of Mr. Daffern visited here week end. Gene Williamson of John Tar- last week for several days, also Mrs. Ada Ritter and daughter

her sister, Miss Joyce Hendrick Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cozart and by letter, Mrs. Cushman, Alice sons, Douglas and Gerald Ray of Joyce, Micheal and Elloise Horn. Mrs. C. H. Everett has returned Pyote are visiting here this week from Paris, Texas where she visit- with his parents, L. B. Cozart and girls of Goree visited her with

Mrs. McGuire was hostess to was former pastor here of the Mrs. Shugart of Houston visited the Stanley Brush Club at her Olden Methodist Church.

Mrs. Lula Crone, Mrs. Edna day night.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson They were "Pure Water" and April 2nd at 7:30 p. m. in the were dinner guests Sunday in the "How Tomatoes were brought to

there.

guests in the Nora Butler home Sunday.

L. S. Hamilton celebrated his ton and host.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sawicki of on the bus Saturday afternoon to Houston are the parents of an eight and one-half pound boy daughter, Mrs. Dorothea Hodges. born March 15th. Named Felix James. Mrs. Sawicki is the form-Bryant were quite ill last week, er Miss Dan Whisenant of Olden. Mrs. Liska Thomas of Brecken-Mrs. Nora Butler is visiting ridge visited in the Dave Vermil-

Guests Sunday in the Mary A seven pound son born Saturday Wright home were Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and children, Mr Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spurlen have and Mr. Howell Boggus and recently returned from a two children of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright and chil-

Mr. and Mrs. McGuire spent Sunday with her father, Mr. Reed who has been quite ill in the hospital but has been removed to his home near De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Haney and children of Ibex were week end visitors recently in the Tobe Griffin home

At the recent P.-T. A. meeting last Thursday, March 18, the following officers were re-elected, daughter, Dee Ann of Fort Worth Mrs. A. E. Cushman, president; Mrs. Bill Edwards, vice-president; program here at the church Sun-last Saturday. They left Saturday Mrs. M. M. Stroud, secretary and night, leaving Dee Ann with Mrs. Mrs. Dick Yielding, treasurer. A program was given by Mrs. Weavers room. Refreshments of Eas-

Fort Worth have been visiting tegomery of Fort Worth spent the served and volunteers met yesterhere with her parents. Mr. and week end recently here with her day and made the banquet table Mr. and Mrs. Howard Willough-

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gibbs of Donald Gene Lawrence was ill by and daughters, Wanda and Valley Mills visited their daug- at his home the first of the week. Kay of Dallas visited her mother Mrs. Doer of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Nettie Ferguson over the

her sister, Mrs. Ida Simer Friday

There was regular preaching lege, Lubbock; and Miss Jean Ro- Lindsey, who has been quite ill services here Sunday at the Methberts of Abilene Christian College and underwent surgery Saturday odist Church. Rev. Hugh Dutton are all home for the Easter holi- in the Quanah Hospital. Mrs. pastor. There was a large attenddays. Miss Dorothia Hendrick of Burns expects to be away for a ance and four united with the church, two by baptism and two

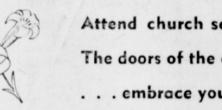
Rev. and Mrs. Copeland and friends last week. Rev. Copeland

OLDEN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS By Marjorie Hendrick

The Olden High School stutures last Tuesday, March 16. the United States.'

Thursday afternoon, March 18. P.-T. A. Admission 25c and 15c. ed his brother in Comanche Sun- the Olden soft ball teams went Any parties wanting to take part day, who is ill in the hospital to Strawn to play. The scores were Olden grade school girls, 15;





Attend church services with your family and friends. The doors of the church are open to welcome you within . . . embrace you on this glorious day in sacred worship



The Strawn and Gordon Volleyball teams came to Olden last Friday night, March 19.

Olden High boys won over the Gordon-High boys.

Olden Grammar school girls won over Strawn. Grammar school boys lost to the Strawn boys. Bonnie Hall, girls junior tennis singles of grammar school, James Horn and Freddie Rouch, boys junior singles of grammar school. Gene Trout, boys junior singles of grammar school Kenneth Holt, boys junior singles of high school, Tommy Edwards and Bobby Langston, junior doubles of high school, Ed Colburn, senior singles of high school are the winners of a tennis tournament which was held at Olden Saturday

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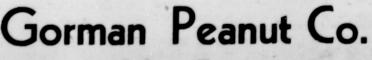
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of His resurrection. You, your family, your friends will enjoy the beauty and magnificence of the service . . . the feeling of goodwill derived from the significance of Easter. Come to Church this March 28th.

Come to church this Easter and glory in the magnificence of our beautiful Easter music. The organ, the choir . . . voices raised in harmony in worship of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

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and Mrs. Newt Crawley Tuesday evening. ere Eastland visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pope visited Mrs. M. O. Hazard shopped in fastland last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby and on, Lonnie and Miss Alena Fox, isited Mrs. J. C. Foreman in the eneral Hospital in Ranger last

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with relatives in Eastland last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan recently had some improvements made on their farm home. Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited with

Mrs. R. P. Barber in Eastland, last Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson visited in Eastland last Wednesday

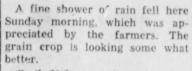
morning in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Boles. M. O. Hazard and wife visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Maurice Hazard in Eastland Wednesday Tom Pope was a business visitor in Ranger Thursday.

Mrs. Cecil Alford and young son, were guests last Wednesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P.

Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Mrs. M. O. Hazard viisted Mrs. J. C. Foreman in the General Hospital in Ranger last Thursday morning and attended the Workers Conference at the First Baptist Church.

3 | Barber in Eastland.



Cecil Nelson made a business trip to Eastland Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Foreman was able to return to ber home last Friday after a weeks stay in the Ranger General Hospital, she is much

improved. C. L. Henderson had business

in Eastland Saturday. Cecil Alford and wife and young son, Norman Lee, were Ranger visitors last Thursday afternoon.

Walter Duncan was a business visitor in Ranger Saturday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence, of Olden were visiting with the Allen Crosby family Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were

ousiness visitors in Ranger and astland Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Frank Williamson shopped in Eastland Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White and

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MISS McCULLEY, MR. CLAYBORN WED AT CARBON

Miss Jimie Sue McCulley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mc-Culley of Carbon, became the bride of Mr. Herman H. Clayborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clayborn of Okra, in a double ring ceremony read by Rev. J.

The bride wore a ballerina length dress of white satin, a finger tip veil and white accessories. She carried a bouquet of white gardenias.

Sunday evening.

The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robert Maxwell of Rising Star.

Mrs. Clayborn was reared in Carbon and is a gradute of Car- which was laid with a white madbon High School. Mr. Clayborn ira linen and centered with an was reared at Okra, is a graduate arrangement of pink roses. White of Rising Star High School, and candles in crystal candelabra a veteran of World War II.

The young couple will make flower ararngement. their home at Okra, where Mr. Clayborn is associated with his Stein alternated in serving the father in the grocery business.

Miss Ayers To Wed Parker Brown April 3

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Marjorie Fay Ayers and Mr. Lovell Parker Brown of Fort Worth, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown of Eastland was made by Mrs. Henry P. Ayres of Bowie, mother of the bride-elect, at a party in Bowie March 20.

Goodbys were said by Mrs. Ed The wedding will be in Bowie Willman at the exit door. at the home of Mrs. Ayers April

ment.

Ward.

3 at 7:30 p. m. A reception will W.M.U. Meetings follow the wedding, to which friends and relatives have been Held By Circles invited. The W.M.U. of the First Bap-

Miss Ayres is employed by the tist Church met in circle groups Stanolind Oil and Gas Company Monday afternoon. in Fort Worth.

Mr. Brown is an employee of in the home of Mrs. I. C. Inzer, the Continental Oil Company in 300 South Oak Lawn. Mesdames Fort Worth, but will be transfer- H. F. Vermillion, George Ganared to Big Spring in the near fu- way and Miss Susie Naylor, each ture, where the couple plan to gave parts on the program. Mrs. make their home.

Mrs. Doyle Named Sorority President

New officers were elected at a meeting of the members of the Naylor. Beta Phi Sorority Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Jack Gourley, South Seaman Street.

Mrs. Mattie Doyle was elected Butler, John Alexander, Koch president, Mrs. M. H. Perry vice and L. M. Chapman had parts on president, Mrs. Bill Collings re- the program. Attending were cording secretary, Mrs. J. E. Mesdames Love, Butler, Alexand-Harkrider treasurer, Mrs. Bill Koch. Walters, Jr., corresponding sec- er, Chapman and the hostess Mrs. of the groom retary.

Mrs. R. D. Estes, speaker for the home of Mrs. Jennie Self, 405 brother as best man. the evening, spoke on "Tools of North Green Street. Taking parts Mr. Stubblefield is a graduate the Art of Life.

dames Conard Reaves of Odessa, Andrews and Self. Attending were A. & M. College last August. Hick

M. H. Perry, and Doyle.

MISS NAN MICKLE HONORED AT TEA

Miss Nan Mickle, bride elect of Robert C. Lanford, was the honoree at a tea in the home of Mrs. A. F. Taylor Saturday afternoon, hosted by Mesdames M. H. Perry, J. P. Kilgore, Robert Childress of Abilene and Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. Guy Parker greeted guests D. Holt, pastor of the Baptist at the door, where they were re-Church at Carbon, at his home ceived by Mrs. Perry and presented to the honoree, Miss Mickle. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. O. O. Mickle, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Frank Crowell. Mrs. Gay Quinn presided at the

register and registered 83 guests in the white satin bride's book. In the dining room, guests were received by Mrs. Taylor and Mrs.

Kilgore and were served refreshments from the bride's table MRS. J. L. STUBBLEFIELD Miss Olga Leigh Underwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. were placed at either side of the Underwood of Carbon and Mr. Jack Lander Stubblefield, son of

Mrs. Childress and Miss Merle Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield, exchanged wedding vows in a frosted punch. Mrs. George Lane candlelighted ceremony at the served white cake squares, trim-Church of Christ in Eastland Satmed with pink rose buds, from urday evening, March 20. the opposite end of the table.

Pot plants and cut flower ar rangements decorated the buffet and register table, and were also

million gave the prayers.

Attending were Mesdames Ver-

million, Garrard, Jess Seibert,

Ganaway, John Barber, A. O.

Cook, John Wesson, and Miss

The Maybelle Taylor group met

in the home of Mrs. Roland Koch.

Mesdames Minnie Love, Charles

gladiolas and stock. Tall candelused in the living room. abra held the tapers, which were Music throughout the afterlighted by the ushers preceding noon was furnished by pupils of the ceremony. the Taylor studio and by Mrs.

T. R. Atwood, who played the by her father, wore a tulip pink piano with the solovox attachcolored. The hat had a shoulder

length veil attached. She carried an orchid shower

carried the 100 year old hymn book of Mrs. V. A. Hollywood

with a blue hankerchief inside. The Blanch Groves group met Her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom. Miss Faye Butler of Lampasas was maid of honor and was dressed in a blue dressmaker suit. Her at his home in Santa Anna. accessories were black and her W. G. Garrard gave the devotionshoulder corsage was of garden al. Mrs. A. O. Cook and Mrs. Ver-

ias. Miss Jo Ann Buckner of Longview, bridesmaid, wore a beige suit with navy blue accessories and a corsage of pink camellias. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Jane Collins of Abilene sang "Because." and sang Lohengrin's Wedding march for the proces-

sional. For the recessional she sang, "The Lord Bless Thee and Keep Thee. Ushers were Gene Underwood,

brother of the bride, and Bill Stubblefield of Hamilton, cousin

The Lottie Moon group met in Mack Stubblefield served his

on the program were Mesdames of Carbon High School and re-Members attending were Mes- Frank Lovett, A. J. Blevins, Nora ceived a B.S. degree from Texas Willis Smith, Bill Walters, Estes, Mesdames Lovett, Blevins, And- He is a veteran of World War

seas. He is now employed in the

office of the Phillips Petroleum |Scale Runners Club Co., at Bartlesville, Okla., where home after returning from their

wedding trip. A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents in Carbon following the Eastland ceremony

The bride's table was laid with a pink damask cloth covered with Pat net and contered with an arrange-Jeanette Chapman, president, ment of white cut flowers with

long white satin streamers attachgiven by Patsy Atwood, Carol Ann ed and extending over the table. Smith, Jeanne Vermillion, Dickie posers. The three tiered wedding cake, Carbell, Alan Vermillion and Lou decorated with wedding bells and Ann Carbell. blue love birds, was served by

Mothers of the group had hid-Miss Rose Mary Hall of De Leon, den 80 bright colored Easter Eggs after having been cut by the bride on the spacious lawn for the and groom. younsters. Following the hunt,

Miss Judy Shelton of Fort the group was served fruit punch Worth ladled frosted cherry. and angel food cake squares, iced punch, from a crystal bowl placed in Easter colors, with bright colon the opposite end of the table. ored and chocolate Easter eggs. Mrs. H. R. Gilbert, aunt of the The Easter theme was carried bride, presided at the bride's book and registered the guests. appointments. The house was bea-

Out of town guests attending utifully decorated with spring were Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Underflowers. wood, Mr. and Mrs. Flovd Gilbert. Mrs. A. F. Taylor, teacher and Miss Bettie Sue Harrison of Gorcounsellor, gave each child an man, Gene Underwood of Denton. Easter Gift. Mrs. Tom Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Coenfield of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Attending were Lou Ann and H. B. Boswell and sons of Temple, Dickie Carbell, Helen Ruth Flow-Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield, ers, Gale and Glenna Kilgore, Car-C. B. Poe of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. ol Ann Smith, Benny Cogburn, Conner Stubblefield and Sam. Donna Beth Johnso, Geraldine

Miss Dona Jean Stubblefield of Brinkley, Deema Lou Quarles, W. E. Moore, Church of Christ Goldwaite, Judge and Mrs. Clyde Randa Kay Koen, Patsy Atwood, minister, officiated before an al- Garrett of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Donna Jan Moser, Pat MacMoy, tar of fern, palms and baskets of Bill Stubblefield of Hamilton, Mr. Genevieve Tolliver, Jeannette and Mrs. Guy Smith of Brown- Chapman, Jeanne, Alan, and Pat wood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jaggers Vermillion, Mrs. Taylor, and the of Big Spring, Miss Jean Poe of hostess, Mrs. Vermillion. Dallas, Mrs. C. C. Scission, Miss The bride, given in marriage Alta Ray Scission, Miss Lois Scis- Mexican Dinner sion of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Don

gabardine suit with hat to match. Swope of Lansing, Mich., Major Honors Sorority Other accessories were fuschia and Mrs. L. D. McCurry of La Juene, N. C., Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown of Gorman, Forrest Keith of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Turly bouquet on a hymn book. For Carter of Cisco, Miss Smith of something old and borrowed, she De Leon, and Wade Butler of Dallas.

> The dinner, served buffet style Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Linkenhogfrom a table covered with a gay er atended the funeral of Mrs. colored cloth and centered with Linkenhoger's uncle, W. S. Baxa Spanish doll, consisted of enter, in Santa Anna Sunday afterchiladas and all the trimmings. noon. Mr. Baxter had been ill Hostesses for the dinner were for the past six months, and died dressed as senoritas, wearing full

taffeta skirts, colorful blouses. with jewelry and bright colored Mrs. Ruth Horton and daughter | flowers entwined in their hair.

Members of the Beta Phi Sor-

ority and their guests were hon-

ored with a Mexican dinner Mon-

day evening in the home of Mrs.

J. E. Harkrider, 701 South Daug-

herty Street.

Miss Lucille Horton, and Miss A "get acquainted hour" was Alma Williams of Dallas are to held, in which each person told be the week end guests in the her name and address and somehome of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cas- thing about herself or her family. tleberry. Mrs. Horton and Mrs. Bingo games were played fol-Castleberry arc sisters. lowing the dinner.

Beethoven Club Has Olden W.S.C.S. Has the young couple will make their Has Easter Egg Hunt Program On Texas

Members of the Scale Runners Juvenile Music Club enjoyed an ed at the meeting of the Beeth-Easter egg hunt at the home of oven Junior Music Club Tuesday program hosted by the Vermil- son, Colonel Don as host. Co-hos-

presided and program parts were presided and roll call was answer-

songs, with Milton Herring at the music of W. J. Marsh. piano, opened the program. Piano solos were played by Jana Weav. wiches, potato chips, cookies and er, Colonel Don Brashier, Mary Ann Henderson.

Taylor Studio playing in unison Terrell, Jana Weaver, Marilyn on four pianos were played for Wittrup, Janell Patterson, Colonthe group

Guion was told by Herbie Weaver. Taylor and hostess, Mrs. Brashout in program and refreshment Mrs. A. F. Taylor, teacher and ier.

Health Hints

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WED SATURDAY

lion children, Alan, Jeanne and tesses were Marilyn Wittrup and prayer. Twelve members atended, Janell Patterson. Janell Patterson, vice president, ed with names of Texas com- Bible.

Recordings of pupils of the

The life and work of David nie Collins and Dan Amis, Mrs.

Meeting Tuesday

Olden Methodist Church met at the church Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Dora Elliott gave the scrip-

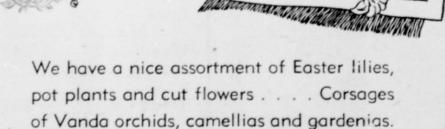
sion. Mrs. Stella Garrett gave the The group will meet at the church March 30 at 2 p. m. for a study of the great prayers of the

Ensemble singing of Texas counselor, told of the life and A refreshment plate of sand-

cokes was served to Patsy Safley, Mary Henderson, Regina Ganaway, Sally Ann Cooper, Ann el Don Brashier and guests, John-

Easter egg hunt at the home of venillion evening in the home of Mr. and tures covering the period from Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Vermillion evening in the home of Mr. and Wednesday afternoon, following Mrs. W. E. Brashier, with their the Resurrection to the Ascen-

The W.S.C.S. of the A Texas program was present



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peace, and a brotherhood of men united by God. . . His ivine love is the power which urns life's wheel for us, enabling to separate the "grain from he chaff" with wisdom, faith and . Purify your heart nility. nd renew your spiritual energy attending the church of your hoice this Easter Sunday.

THIS ISSUE of The Eastland ounty Record registers the 18th and family this week. ear of its existence. . . Today, as

ever before, your home town CATTLE SALES at the Sig Fair- Judy Ann Chambless the 63 students recently admitted spaper, edited and printed cloth livestock barn amounted to there in Eastland, strives to some 600 head last Tuesday. of the greatest possible seree to the local community of mesa were marketed through the hich it is a part. . . On this 18th local sales barn . . . A number of inthday, it is our sincere hope hogs also were sold. hat we continue to be an instintion of public service to the

eople of Eastland County.

W. LINKENHOGER was pleas- fire department answered a call hen his faithful employees comer at Leonard's Cafe. . . We're old that "Link's" steak was about GET THE HABIT of reading The

ree inches thick. * * *

ted on a local business man's news. lesk this week-"The man on top rries a heavy load-the man on Pioneer Club Meets ottom only grunts."

AMES REID, the obliging maner of Pipkin's Piggly-Wiggly d store here, helped install a



ANTI - FREEZE Phone 9511 BILL GATTIS, Prop.



lot of modern grocery fixtures in | News From the store over the week end, and very nice it all looks. Then on Wednesday, Reid underwent an appendectomy at a Ranger Hospital, where he now is. . . We wish him a speedy recovery.

* * *

EASTLAND'S VOLUNTEER Fire Department met last Tuesday evening and voted to extend their ball team possible this season . .

The group also voted to attempt getting several thousand fish from the State hatchery at Cisco; the firemen to pay for and feed the fish until they are large enough to be placed in Lakes Eastland and Ringling. . . After business matters were taken care of, some 30 firemen enjoyed ice cream and cookies.

MRS. DAVE FIENSY has returned home from the Hamilton Hospital at Olney, and is reported as getting along nicely.

MRS. BELLE VESSELS of Trent is visiting her son, V. E. Vessels,

Cattle from as far away as La-

MR. AND MRS. Charles Fagg were scared out of their wits about 11:30 a.m. Wednesday when the

ntly surprised Tuesday evening to extinguish a fire in their apartment while they were downtown ned their efforts and treated in their store. . . No damage was boss to a surprise steak din- done, according to Mrs. Fagg.

Eastland County RECORD regularly. . . A 100 per cent home HE FOLLOWING words were town newspaper, devoted to local

In Johnson Home

The Eastland County Pioneer Club met in the home of Mrs. T. M. Johnson, 405 South Connellee Street for their regular covered dish luncheon Tuesday at noon. Following the luncheon a business session was held.

Members atending were Mesdamse Nora Andrews, Maud Braly, Mae Harrison, E. E. Wood, Annie Day, Ida Morris, Ora B. Jones, R. F. Jones, Sallie Hill, W. S. Barber, W. H. Mullins, Margaret Clegg, Miss Sallie Day, and a new member, Mrs. R. L. Jones. Visitors were Mesdames J. H. Taylor, Charles B. Harris, Rus-

sell Hill.

By Special Correspondent

Former Carbon man named soldier of year by unit in Tokyo Sgt. John Turner, son of Mr.

collision Saturday evening while and Mrs. Don Turner formerly of Carbon and now living in Houston has been named "Soldier of the aid in making an Eastland hard- Year." by First Cavalry Divison authorities in Tokyo, Japan, the hospital where it was found their Army Department announced Saturday.

Sergeant Turner's address was given by the Army Department return to Lampasas this week and J. Barron. as 827 Woolworth. He is serving is convalesing in the home of her with the First Cavalry Division parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler. which is enforcing the occupation in nine prefectures of central dies in Lubbock Sunday. Honshu, Japan.

As a prisoner captured at Cor- ing relatives in Ballinger was regidor early in the war. Ser- taken suddenly ill and rushed to geant Turner spent over three McClosky Hospital at Temple. His years in prison camps in Manch- mother, Mrs. Ima Parteu who was uria and lost the sight of one eye. called to his bedside returned He holds the Silver Star and the home Sunday night. Purple Heart medals.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Greggor are C. M. Wyatt former residents of the maternal grandparents now Carbon now living in Odessa living in Carbon.

Honored At Party

Mrs. V. W. Chambless recently tic sorority, they must honored her little daughter, Judy have outstanding qualities of Ann, with a party at her home, character, service, leadership and 1206 South Seaman Street, cele-

brating her fourth birthday. Games were played on the lawn. Ice cream and birthday cake, with balloons as favors, was served to Cathey Cornelius, Carol Ann and Larry Wayne Armstrong, Glynn Justice, Joan and Velton Moser, Don McCrary, Judy Blevins, Patsy Thompson, Bobby Carey, Carol Ann Smith, Linda Johnson, Jackie Ray Baggett, Linda Linkenhoger, Don Petitt, Betty Jordan, Linda Fay Powers, Judith Ann and Johnice Brannon and the honoree, Judy Ann.

Class Hears Review By Mrs. Murrell

Mrs. Arthur Murrell reviewed "Sam Magoo and Texas Too," at the monthly luncheon of the Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church at their meeting in the home of Mrs. Carl Jones, 325 Oak Lawn Street, last Friday.

Members and guests attending were Mesdames O. L. Hooper, C. C. Cornelius, Victor . Cornelius, Vera Schroder, A. M. McBee, Ione Bownds, Don Parker, L. S. Young, Cecil Holifield, George Gannaway, Waverly Massengale, Murrell, Jack Muirhead, Orita Rushing, L. M. Chapman, I. C. Inzer, L. D. Harris, Charles T.

Sgt. Turner was here with his scholarship; an average of 85 parents several months after his must be held in all major subdischarge from the army until jects. he re-enlisted into the service. Gene Underwood was home

returning from the Stubblefield-

Underwood wedding where Miss

Both were taken to Eastland

Miss Butler will be unable to

Mr. Keith returned to his stu-

Bill Parteu who has been visit-

Joe Wyatt son of Mr. and Mrs.

where Joe is a senior in the

to the National Honor Society. To

be admitted to this high scholas-

Butler was maid of honor.

injuries were not serious.

from NTSTC Denton over the Miss Faye Butler of Lampasas week end visiting his parents. and her escort, Forest Keith, of Mrs. Tom Ireland of Shreve-Lubbock were injured in a car

port spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stone. Mr. and Mrs. John Weston of Dallas are visiting Mrs. H. M Weston and family.

Mrs. Roy Sterling and three children of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

Mrs. Joe Jaggers of Big Spring spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert.



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EASTLAND, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1948 EASTLAND COUNTY RECORD

RETONGA A BLESSING SAYS TENN. LEGISLA

Weston and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hon. W. J. Matthews, anything at all. I felt miserably Father Of Good Roads weakened and run-down, I could And School Laws Tells I had to rely largely on strong About His Own Case laxatives for elimination. My And Thanks Noted weight dropped from to perme Medicine For Recovery. alarmed.

> see from Overton, Clay, Pickett, is back to a normal 158 pounds. Fentress, and Putnam Counties. I feel good all the time and enjoy measures, including the good other interests. I shall be glad to roads system and Tennessee Poly- tell anyone what Retonga did for

technic School in Cookeville. For me. thirty-two years he was a merch- Probably no man in Tennessee ant and druggist at Algood. of gas pains and acid indigestion.

not get a good nights sleep, and weight dropped from 160 pounds "Being a druggist I knew the

Happily praising Retonga for ingredients of Retonga are good, his regained strength, Hon. W. J., and the relief it brought me was Matthews, of Algood, Tenn., de- a godsend. I enjoy my meals now clares the famous medicine was with no more worry about what "a godsend" in his case. Mr. Mat- to eat to avoid indigestion. I sleep thews served many years in both restfully, I do not have to depend the House and Senate of Tennes- on harsh laxatives, and my weight He is author of many progressive looking after my three farms and

enjoys a wider friendship or "Until a year ago I enjoyed greater respect than Mr. Matsplendid health," states Mr. Mat- thews. Retonga may be obtained thews. "Then I began to have lots at the Eastland Drug Company.

Morton Valley By Mrs. W. E. Tankersley

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gann of Eastland visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wince Graham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fisher and son Barry of Dallas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clements and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fisher, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Rector, and Miss Wardene Wharton of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and family last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brockman

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and Linda visited Mrs. Brockin Hobbs, N. M. man's father, W. W. Manning, in for Colorado City to visit her Cisco Sunday afternoon. Bill Henderson of Levelland, sister, Mrs. Eddie Jamison. formerly of Morton Valley, will

begin his professional boxing career in New York this week. He Finley. is amateur Texas Golden Gloves featherweight champion. He will be trained by the famous New York trainer, Fred Fierro.

Paul Joe Sturm of Breckenridge spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Koen and daughter of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and family Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and Ray L. Miller, Dallas regional director of the Department of children of Rising Star visited Mr. Commerce, reported. The report of having murdered his bridg, and Mrs. J. W. Harrison Sunday. made public by the Department In the afternoon, they all went of Commerce reveals the annual to Caddo to visit Mrs. Harrington, sister of Mr. Harrison and payroll in the two counties cov-Mrs. Jones.

Paul Tankersley, Max Harrison, amounts to \$6,500,000. Pat Moseley, Bobby Mueller, Jerry Carter and Dale Langlitz went fishing Saturday night and caught a catfish weighing four and threequarter pounds.

vivors insurance program are and hadn't yet got over his Texas Charles B. Harris attended the limited to the first \$3,000 which habits. flower show in Ranger Wednesa worker received in a year from day of last week. one employer in covered indus-Mr. and Mrs. John Bransford

visited their son in San Antonio tries.

The report was the first made available on social security tax hill in between, you see just the data broken down in detail by states and counties. Miller said the basic data presented in the bulletins are "of prime value in deriving and analyzing market potentials and sales quotas, in the measurement of efficiency and effectiveness of sales operations and advertising efforts, and in the planning of sales territo. ries.

In Texas, 1.224,135 workers are employed in jobs covered by social security. The total pay roll in the state from which social security taxes are drawn amounts to nearly \$2,250,000,000 a year.

The statistics were compiled as a joint project by the Department of Commerce, Federal Security Agency, U. S. Employment Service and other interested government agencies. The information was taken from social security tax reports by 2,254,445 American employers in 1946.

Throughout the nation, almost 31,000,000 workers are employed on jobs which fall under the social security law. Their pay roll, from which taxes were deducted in 1946, amounted to more than \$65 billion dollars.

Of 735 employers in the two counties making reports for social security tax purposes, only one had more than 100 employees from which the tax was deducted, and only nine had more than 50 employees. Six hundred ninetyfive employers, or 97 per cent of the total, had fewer than 20 employees.

The reports may be consulted by businessmen at the field offices of the Department of Com............. in sight.

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lexas

A few weeks ago, your colum-

nist went to Little Rock to speak

at the state hardware dealers con-

vention. I hardly knew I was out-

side of Texas because the news-

scientists to the McDonald obser-

vatory, out in the Davis Moun-

tains, to study the green spots on

Mars; the trial of a man accused

whom he had married in Abilene,

and the Texan an exmarine, who

stabbed a burglar to death in

And a touch that reminded one

Of course, Texas has the big-

gest in just about every line; that

Arkansas advertiser must have

been newly arrived from Texas

From the business district of

Little Rock, when you look to-

ward the Capitol, because of a

dome, apparently hanging in

You can walk across a bridge

seem to remember the big

over the Arkansas River. As a boy

stream as having two or three

steamboats puffing up and down,

with others moored at the wharf.

space.

further of Texas was an ad which

cafeteria-Mrs. Atkinson's. It scare you?" melts in your mouth like ice cream - only, ice cream doesn't have as good a flavor as that fried chicken.

In early days, the sight of a 'benzine buggy," as the auto was known, scared horses. A man ex-

|But, the other day, there were plained, "When a horse sees a just two barges and a houseboat buggy running down the road with nothing pulling it, it's as if And I've never eaten finer fried a man was to see a pair of empty chicken than that at a Little Rock pants run by him. Wouldn't that Back Bay is a part of Boston.



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ed in Eastland and Stephens papers there featured the visit of counties on jobs covered by the federal social security program,

ered by social security taxes Chicago. The figures do not include nontaxable wages, nor do they in- read, "Wolrd's biggest hot dogs." clude wages drawn by workers in industries or occupations outside the social security law. (Taxable wages under the old-age and sur-Mrs. Josie K. Nix and Mrs.

last week end.

Will Matthews returned home

Sunday after an extended visit

Mrs. C. R. Westfall left Friday

mother, Mrs. Phillips, and her

Buster Gray, of Hobbs, N. M.,

s visiting his mother, Mrs. George

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ing blue eyes, makes a combina-

swooning to "How Soon" is heard

quite often from Betty. Wonder

Our swell EHS band is tops

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who she is talking about?

or, and it can't be beaten

tion that is irresistible.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Stepping high and mighty into ur spotlight this week is that ute Betty Harkrider, head twirler for the band this year.

At attention, Betty is five feet ne-half inches and tips the scales at 110 pounds. The preceding in it, too. Red is her favorite colalong with brown hair and sparkl-

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Any time, day or night, she will eat chicken, and more chick- Poe. en. Yum! Yum! If Gene Kelly is at the Majestic, Betty hightails it down, and buys the first ticket, and spends the afternoon in the movie. In sports she is plenty good,

especially tennis and baseball. Of WOUNLN'T A BOY BE course she really has no special HANDSOME IF one, but likes them all. Her hobby is collecting dolls

from foreign countries and unusual ones from the U.S. Oh! How Betty does love typing and "Teach" Johnson is always

tops. "That boy" is her own secret, but we'll be seeing him pretty soon. This gal is really popular, and I'm not kidding!! Betty is an active member of

an all-American Girl.

recently

and

YEA SENIORS!!

like a mixture like that.

best of all and his favorite sport

the Sub Debs, and a member of the Methodist choir, MYF, and SINGS AT ACC of the Commercial Club.

GLYNN CASTLEBERRY Glynn Castleberry had the title Here's wishing the best of role of Balfe's famous opera, "The everything to a really swell girl, Behemian Girl." Portraying Ar-Betty, Harkrider, who is tops and line, the gypsy girl of noble birth, Glynn is singing her second major

Farr.

rider.

Mathiews.

lead in ACC musical productions. Besides singing aspirations, she is interested in the Campus Ser-We take special notice in pre- vice Organizations, and is a favsenting this weeks spotlight. We orite nominee for this year.

Personality of Mary Halkias.

Hands like Pat Crawford.

Personality of Stanley Stephen.

Intelligence of Rodney Heath.

Friendliness of George Hark-

Disposition like Jimmie

Smile of Lewis Crossley.

Teeth like Charles Lane.

Lynda Hassell recently was elected treasurer of Phoenix Poetry club at Texas Wesleyan College. Lynda is a sophomore history major at TWC. She is a you can see why anyone would member of Susan M. Key literary society and the Methodist Stu-To get more technical about dent Movement on the college this deal, he likes the color red

* * *

for all the teen-agers present. The Jimmy Stewart and the actress entire program was dancing.

box. The business men downtown

teenager, who has had the chance Smile of Shirley Hightower. to enjoy the juke box to contri-Legs like Charlotte Van Hoy. bute what they can to help pay Intelligence of Billie Irene for it. Last Saturday \$25 was con-

Complection of Margie June | buting for it, and have given us

tributed, and we still lack \$75. The evening ended with the last dance of "Piannissimo." See you next week. * * *

\$150. We are now asking every

He had height of Ted Howard. SUB DEBS MEET

On March 16 the Sub Deb Club met in the home of Betty Harkrider. The meeting was called to order, and the secretary read the minutes and collected dues. Much new business was discussed but was not decided upon. Mrs. Allen, the club sponsor, was presented with a combination birthday and

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going away gift. Then the meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments of cookies, cokes,

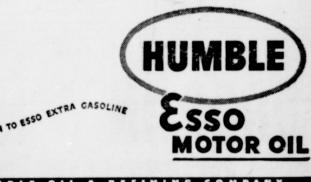
and peanuts were served to La Verne Cornelius, Shirley Frazer, Mary Halkias, Bettye Pickens, Patsy Safley, Merrie Dawn Warren, Mary Wilt, Marilyn Wittrup, Naomi Wood, Joyce Armstrong, Mrs. Allen, and hostess, Betty.





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take special pleasure in presenting Ted Howard, who has just LYNDA HASSELL ELECTED moved here from TREASURER OF PHOENIX POETRY All the girls nearly passed out when they saw this big hunk of man. You see he is 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 183 pounds. He has black hair and blue eyes. So

campus.

is football. His favorite food is FATHER JIM NIGHT chicken and dressing. The movie he liked best was "Going My Last Saturday night was fun Way" and his favorite actor is

is Virginia Mayo. When it comes We now have our own juke





INSTRUMENTS FILED

filed for record in the County MD. Clerk's office last week:

W. W. Anderson to E. H. Mills, warranty deed.

Elmer Berry to McElroy Ranch Co., oil and gas lease.

Ranch Co., oil and gas lease. Charles D. Ballem to Rising

deed. J. W. Burns to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way. burn, quit claim deed.

Raymond E. Brown to J. F. Killingsworth, warranty deed.

I. D. Bennett to E. P. Crawford, deed of trust.

S. S. Bell to Effie Bell, MD. Buck W. Brown to W. O. Sha- warranty deed.

fer, quit claim deed.

lease. Myra Carruth to Walter Green-

ham, warranty deed. J. H. Caton to Frank T. High-

tower, warranty deed. City of Ranger to Leola Martin,

warranty deed. Jefferson Davis Collier, Jr. to

Franklin Life Insurance Com- Co., oil and gas lease. pany, deed of trust.

Graham, quit claim deed.

to Jefferson Standard Life In- release of vendor's lien. surance Company, transfer of

lien. City of Eastland to F. L. Dra- of dep. goo, deed.

Comercial State Bank, Ranger warranty deed.

vendor's lien. D. P. Carter to B. P. Henslee,

MD. Charles M. Coke to W. O. Sha-

fer, quit claim deed. City of Eastland to John Lee

Roper, quit claim deed.

First National Bank, Cisco to J. B. Hill, release of deed of trust. First National Bank, Cisco to Franklin Life Insurance Company, transfer of deed of trust. Sig Faircloth to Texas Electric First National Bank, Cisco to trust First Federal S & L Assn. to The following instruments were Raymond E. Brown, release of release of vendor's lien. Federal Land Bank of Houston to George Collins Southerland, release of deed of trust. E. T. Gary to W. W. Humphrey, deed of trust Humble Oil & Refining Com-Marshall Berry to McElroy pany to Joe Kennon, chattel sales contrac Mrs. Ethel Harrell to First Bap-Star Ind. School Dist., warranty, tist Church of Gorman, quit claim Elbert Hill to Thomas B. Pi-W. W. Humphrey to E. H. Gary, warranty deed. Sallie Hill to Wiley Harbin. lease contract Kelly Hatton to Reid Young, C. G. Hearn to I. D. Bennett, Ethel Hittson Coates to McEl- warranty deed roy Ranch Company, oil and gas L. B. Harris to R. L. Coffee, warranty deed.

C. L. Casey to H. P. Kitchens,

E. L. Dennie to W. L. McDon-

E. N. Dorsey to Lottie Dorsey,

Bruce Erwin to McElroy Ranch

Elbert Ezzell to A. S. Genecou,

Company, oil and gas lease.

warranty deed.

ald, farm lease.

royalty deed.

MD.

Edward A. Jaksa to John C. Sikes, warranty deed. J. D. Jenkins to Higginbotham therford, warranty deed.

Bros. & Co., deed of trust. J. D. Jenkins to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., MML.

U. G. Kinard to McElroy Ranch den. oil and gas lease.

C. S. Kerr to Jefferson Standard fidavit. City of Eastland to Celie B. Life Insurance Company, deed of

trust Commercial State-Bank, Ranger T. B. Langston to M. H. Offiel,

> Lone Star Producing Company to The Allar Company, change

J. M. Lane to H. A. Lovell,

to W. W. Anderson, release of Louis Mayfield to D. E. Ware, warranty deed.

M. C. Miller to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Horace T. Miller to H. W. Sharp, oil and gas lease.

Cassie J. Mobley to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas licensed to wed last week:

lease. Vera McCulley to W. A. Justice, warranty deed.

Cary McCollum to McElroy Ranch Co., oil and gas lease.

J. P. McCracken to McElroy Ranch Co., oil and gas lease. Helen Mae McGinnis, to Mc-Elroy Ranch Co., oil and gas

ease William C. McClung to National Life & Accident Insurance

Company, deed of trust. Bessie V. McWilliams to V. W. Williamson, warranty deed. J. D. Narry to Overton Stone,

release of lien. John Nail to James Gilbert. warranty deed. Mrs. Venner H. Owen to O.C.

Service Company, right of way. Folmar, release of vendor's lien. M. H. Offield to Commercial C. A. Waters, release of deed of State Bank, Ranger, transfer of

> lien Valena P. Olson to C. G. Hearn,

C. M. Pearce to The Public, affidavit

K. E. Pierce to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

H. E. Phillips to E. L. Phillips, correction warranty deed. James E. Perry to Josephine B.

Strickland, warranty deed. Ernest Reich to McElroy Ranch

Co., oil and gas lease. R.F.C. Mortgage Company to

Reconstruction Finance Corp., assignment and transfer. Southland Life Insurance Company to James H. Snowden, sub.

agreement C. G. Stubblefield to Waco- Tex Materials Company, lease agree-

ment. Roy Skinner to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way. Strawn Merchandise Co. to W. G. Leedy, release of vendor's lien. Josephine B. Strickland to Roy C. Jones, warranty deed.

M. H. Thompson to Ione Wea-

Wayne B. Tyson to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease. M. M. Tyson to James H. Snow-

M. M. Tyson to The Public, af-

H. H. Tompkins to National Life & Accident Insurance Com-

pany, agreement. Joe Wilson to John Smith, warranthy deed.

Nellie Whitehead to A. E. Fox, nineral deed. Nellie Whitehead to A. E. Fox,

warranty deed. Moses S. Wiiliams to The Pub-

lic, proof of heirship.

C. A. Waters to William C. Mc-Clung, warranty deed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were

Cecil W. Funderburgh to Mrs. | ments were rendered from the Jean W. Hooper, Eastland. 91st District Court last week: Weldon Wayne Harris to Alma Lois Thomas, Cisco. Halkias, et al, judgment. Raymond F. Barron to Dorothy Mae Rich, Gorman.

Herman H. Claborn to Jimmie Sue McCulley, Carbon. James F. Madera to Mrs. Isa Slaughter, Cisco.

J. H. Scott to Billy Faye Terder. pitz, Ranger.

PROBATE George W. Atkins, deceased,

application to probate will. SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week: Carlos J. Turner, et al v. John Halkias, et al, damages. Bergina Gutierrez v. Porfireo Gutierrez, divorce. The Commercial State Bank, Ranger v. Elmer B. Owens, suit on note. In Re: Irene Harrison, et vri, change of name.

Ruby Ferguson v. M. C. Feruson, divorce. Billy R. White v. Avanicia White, divorce.

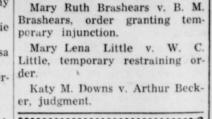
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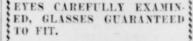
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News Items From CHEANE By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

in their regular meeting fternoon to members of the Ala-

All busienss was laid on the isiting club members and pre- viewed the book, "Out on a

Members of the Salem Home sented at this time Miss Bess Edmonstration Club met Friday, wards, District Home Demonstraarch 19 at the Salem School tion Agent from Stephenville. Mrs. Helen Harquardt Agent for hedule and was hostess for the Eastland County was also present. First stunt on the program was Flatwood and Howard presented by the Alameda club, "Uncle Josh Died," the ladies of

Flatwood presented "Where, O' helf and the program began with where is Salem?", third "Needed breakers and get acquainted - A Physchiatrist" by the Hones after a hilarious quarter ward Club. Fourth stunt by Salem our, Mrs. Rodgers called the "Wanted - A Wife." Mrs. Oleta ouse to order and welcomed the Wade of Howard very ably re-

--NOTICE--

Effective Saturday, March 20th, through Wednesday, March 31st, the Eastland County Tax Collector's office will remain open during the noon hour for the convenience of automobile registrations.

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Limb." by Louise Baker. Conculding the program Miss News From . . . Bess Edwards, gave some pointers on getting the most out of club work and every day living. She summed this up by saying, "Come, Get, Use and Share."

White and dark cakes with rainbow fruit punch was served to 8 members from the Howard Club; 7 from Flatwood; 8 from Alameda; 5 visitors and 12 members of Salem, 40 ladies in all. Next meeting will be April 2nd with Mrs. Vollie Watson.

W. I. Hunt is ill at his home in Gorman. He has not been feeling The Stitch and Chatter group well for some time but is unable meet each Wednesday and quilts. to be up at this time. He is well To date better than 20 quilts have known as "Uncle Ike." been completed. Mrs. Billie Charles Underwood

Mrs. Sarah Wilson is visiting a few days with her son, Ira Wilson and family.

The John Kirkland family moved to Gorman on Wednesday of last week.

This writer accompanied Mrs. W. H. Davis of Desdemona to the reception on March 17th spon-Garden Club of Ranger when open house and a tea was held,

Earnest Mahaffey and Bill Grifupon completion of their new fin of Eastland visited Billy Tucker Sunday. club house and community libra-Mr. and Mrs. Dick Weekes, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman and

few days.

hard.

GORMAN

-By Special Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins of

Eastland spent Sunday in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pritc-

and small son are visiting her

Mrs. Earl Pittman of Ranger

spent last week here with her

mother Mrs. Vera Hamrick and

her brother, Whatley Hamrick

who underwent major surgery at

mother in Perrin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatley Dean were of Comanche were visiting the man. visitors in Abilene recently. Freeman and Dean families, Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackwell day, and girls visited the parental Mrs. Eva Underwood left Tues-

Herman Nerger home Sunday. day for Bell County where she Mrs. Othell Wilson suffered will spend Easter with relatives. diptheria the past week, which Her stay is indefinite. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilson visitsurely came as a surprise to her. The baby was given preventative ed her parents, Mr. and Mrs. treatments. Jake Stamey at Gorman over the

Mrs. Emma Ferrell is able to week end.

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the Blackwell hospital. He is still in the hospital at this writing but is reported to be doing nicely. Joe H. Jones of Dallas was a Gorman visitor Monday. He visit-

ed his mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Shell Logan of Corpus Christi spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Pritchard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Davis of Graham spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. John Wright and family

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Moorman, Jr. and sons of McCamey spent the week end in Gorman with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Moorman

Mrs. H. L. Locker of Brownwood spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Eppler. Earl Stone, Jr. of Dallas visited

his wife and son here Sunday and Monday. He has purchased a home in Fort Worth and they will move soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pulley were in De Leon to attend the funeral sored by the Civic League and be up and walk some the past of Mrs. Dixon, the mother of Mrs. Carl Ferrell on Monday.

> Clinton McCormick who is working at Sundown spent the week end here with his wife.

Mrs. Jim Duncan of De Leon Ann and Sue and Ciscero Weekes spent last Friday visiting in Gor-

> The greatest rise and fall of the ocean's tide is at the Bay of Fundy, New Brunswick, Canada.



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... and here's a message to parents:

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The Churches Of Eastland



SIDE ISSUES . (Continued From Page One)

erage farm family, if there is such a thing as an average family, had few of the comforts of civilized life, and when farm children were extremely poorly educated.

That time is passing, what with rural electrification, butane gassystems, rural telephones that tie into the national network, radios, tractors, milking machines and a host of other industrial products available for the farmer and his ing the afternoon. family, and with rural consolidated schools that offer better educational advantages for the children of farm families.

The important thing is that the farmers are getting more money for their products, and they must contine to do so if the farms of the country are going to appeal to the intelligent young people of the country as a place to live and

make a living. All population figures in the past few decades in Amercia show a slow drift of population away mechanization of farming will take care of some of the difference, we still must have people in return for the independence is.) and the financial returns that it

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eastland County Record has received announcements from the persons listed that they intend to seek the offices indicated in the Eastland **County Democratic Primaries:** FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT (Unexpired Term):

H. C. (Carl) ELLIOTT

FOR SHERIFF: H. D. (Jack) WHITE J. B. WILLIAMS (Re-election)-

> FOR CONSTABLE: J. D. (Dug) BARTON FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:



********************** Along the Skyways By ROGER D. KOHLSTAEDT

Instructor For The Eastland Flying Service

*********************** In spie of Sunday morning's thunderstorm and rain, and three 180-degree wind shifts during the day between north and south (the south finally won out) the Luscombe was kept fairly busy dur-

Ronald J. Verlander, a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bernioard, checked out with five trips around the field in the Lus-

combe. Verlander had previous Safley and with Mrs. Safley's flight training in New Orleans and now is a student at SMU in last week end.

Conny Wade, who enrolled in the commercial course last week, flew lesson two Sunday afternoon. Breaking into his second hour from the farm. And although the in the air, Wade was "talked" through near-perfect landings and takeoffs (this may be news to him) with very little, if any, manwilling to put up with the hard ual air from Instructor Kohlwork and long hours of farm life staedt. (Just to show how easy it

Dallas.

Now and then someone asks me, 'How soon can I solo?" The only answer to that is that no two people fly exactly alike, and time re-



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| quired for the first solo varies as, much as people do. Anyway, the record can't be broken, since the Wright brothers soloed without any previous instruction. Just to they and other parties are buildencourage people who think they ing there for sale. A second house are slow learning, a guy named Lindbergh had 20 hours of dual before he soloed.

And Parks Air College in East St. Louis, Ill., allows no one to solo until he has had 20 hours, although the CAA requires a minimum of only eight hours.

Latest enrollment-W. Q. Verner, Eastland Magnolia distributor, enrolled in the commercial pilot course last week.

Mrs. J. H. Safley and daughter, Patsy, visited in Temple with Mr. mother, Mrs. M. D. Halliburton,





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