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## HAS HIGH AVERAGE



Johnny Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collins of 403 Pershing Street, was presented with the certificate of merit for having the highest average in Eastland High School his senior year, and also was given a scholarship to any church college. This scholarship is awarded the senior boy with the highest average based on all four years of high school work, and presented only when both the valedictorian and salutatorian are girls, as was the case this year. He plans to attend the University of Texas and major in science. He is employed for the summer by the Texas Electric Service Company.

## Local Traffic Drive Garnered Success

Good effects have been obtained from the Eastland traffic enforcement drive started recently, Chief Police Ray Laney said this week.

Laney said that quite a number of tickets had been given for minor traffic infractions such as double parking and parking in loading zones, but that the number had been less than he figured.

Most of our Eastland people are very good about obeying the regulations, and I want to express my appreciation to them," he said.

Total fines for May exceeded \$900 in Corporation Court, which is a record for recent times in one month, Laney said.

However, a good part of the fine total grew out of a fracas on the Courthouse lawn Friday between a group of Abilene Negroes, and they elected to serve their time out in jail.

## Ranger To Have Parking Meters

Downtown Ranger will have penny-nickel parking meters in operation soon, under terms of an agreement signed Tuesday night between members of the Ranger City Commission and a representative of the Magee-Hale Park-O-Meter Company of Oklahoma City.

The city agreed to buy the meters and install them itself. The city and company will split the proceeds from the meters half and half until the \$57.50 price per meter is paid.

Cisco city commissioners recently decided to install parking meters there, leaving Eastland the only large town in the northern part of the county that will be without them.

## Antics On High Dive Result In Fractures

Next time Don Martin decides to high dive at the Eastland City Swimming Pool, he may do it a bit more sedately.

Sunday afternoon Don, 13, son of Mrs. Frankie Martin and an Eastland Junior High School student, was standing on the handrail above the high diving board at the pool, preparing to jump down on the end of the board to get a bounce, when he slipped and fell from the diving tower to the concrete walk below.

He broke both wrists and his right elbow when he threw out his hands to break his fall.

He was patched up at the Caton-Cowan Clinic, and a short while later was back at the pool in his bathing suit, splints and all.

## First Move Made For Joint Lake For Eastland, Ranger

A joint effort by civic leaders of Eastland and Ranger to get a lake built that would end the municipal waer problems of both towns was launched Tuesday when committeemen from the two cities went to Breckenridge to lay the framework for such a project before Milton Daniel, Breckenridge banker, member of the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation Commission and chairman of that group's small dams committee.

The Eastland-Ranger group proposed to Daniel that the Brazos commission furnish engineering to determine the estimated cost of a dam across the Leon River at its junction with Colony Creek. The proposed dam has been strongly recommended as having the best location on the upper Leon, both by Army engineers and by Col. E. V. Spence, chairman of the State Board of Water Engineers.

Spence said to an Eastland group in Austin recently that it would be foolish not to develop the Colony Creek dam site, when a dam erected there would furnish enough water for Eastland and Ranger for a hundred years.

The group that went to Breckenridge Tuesday included L. E. McGraw, Grady Pipkin, Lewis Crossley and H. J. Tanner of Eastland, and Rip Galloway, David D. Pickrell and Lester Crossley of Ranger.

The delegation carried to Daniel letters signed by all the members of the Eastland and Ranger City Commissions asking the Brazos board to furnish preliminary engineering for the project.

Tanner said afterward that the chief assistance wanted from the Brazos board at this time is finding out what the proposed dam would cost to build.

"If it would cost five million dollars, we could kiss it goodbye," he said. "But if we could get it built for five hundred thousand dollars, we could find out if the construction could be financed."

One way to help finance the project, that already has been checked into on a preliminary basis, would be the sale of water to the cities of Gorman, De Leon, and possibly others down the Leon, Tanner said.

The lake that would be impounded would have approximately 10 times as much water in it as Lake Eastland does when full, and would catch water from a much larger watershed, assuring the lake of having water when Lake Eastland would be dry.

Ranger's creation of a special water district bounded by the city limits of Ranger was validated last week when it was passed by the Texas Legislature.

A provision of the legislative act was that the district could be enlarged as necessary. Thus the creation of a joint Eastland-Ranger district would depend only on a favorable vote of the people of Eastland.

Tanner stressed that nothing is ready to be done yet, that the project is in the earliest stages, and the first step will be to find out its probable cost.

He pointed out that Eastland was almost out of water recently, and there is no guarantee that it will not run out the next dry spell.

## Mother, Children To Attend School

Mrs. J. C. Whatley of 1309 South Mulberry Street, accompanied by her two children, will leave Sunday for Denton, where she will attend North Texas State College during the summer term.

While Mrs. Whatley is taking courses in library science, her two children will be attending demonstration school. They will remain all of the summer session, which lasts 12 weeks.

## Singing At Cheaney To Be Held Sunday

The annual all-day singing of the Cheaney Singing Class will be held Sunday at the Cheaney Baptist Church, it was announced this week.

A basket lunch will be spread at noon. The public was invited to attend and take part.

## WINS HONORS



Miss Veda Myri Sneed, above, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Sneed of 1113 Railroad Avenue, was not only valedictorian of the 1949 graduating class of Eastland High School, but was also selected by the faculty as best all-round girl, and was honored at the commencement exercises Friday night. Miss Sneed received scholarships to any college or university in the state of Texas and chose Baylor University at Waco. She has not yet decided on her major, but will take a general course the first year.

## Dr. Cowan's Father Dies In Mexico City

T. L. Cowan, father of Dr. Kenneth Cowan of Eastland, died Wednesday morning in a Mexico City hospital, where he had been flown from his ranch about 80 miles from Tampico.

Dr. Cowan, who left Eastland Wednesday of last week to drive to the ranch, after being notified of his father's critical illness, was with his father when he died. As were his sisters, Mrs. Malcolm Niven and Mrs. Leslie Stoner, both of Mexico City.

Also surviving is the widow. Mr. Cowan's son-in-law, Malcolm Niven, had flown the ill man in a private plane from the ranch to Mexico City before Dr. Cowan arrived, so Dr. Cowan and a friend, Charles Moore of Ranger, who accompanied him, drove on to the Mexican capital.

Funeral services were held in the Episcopal Church in Mexico City Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. Cowan told his wife, who remained in Eastland, by telephone Wednesday that he likely would be in Eastland Sunday.

## Gifts For Flood Sufferers Sought

A large vanload of supplies and clothing was sent to Fort Worth Thursday, and a final shipment is to be made this week end, it was announced by those in charge of the Eastland relief drive.

Donations will continue to be accepted Friday afternoon and Saturday afternoon. The donated materials are being stockpiled at the Rust Building, southwest corner of the square.

Those who wish to donate anything of value to the drive may call Mrs. Tom Lovelace, Phone 314. Boy Scouts will pick up small donations, and arrangements can be made for larger articles or groups of articles.

Mrs. Cecil Holfield and son, Cecil, Jr., left Wednesday morning for Hobbs, N. M., to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. W. E. Sonnemaker, Jr., and family.

## K. B. Tanner Goes To Class Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Tanner left last week end for Kaukauna, Wis., where Tanner was to attend the reunion of the Kaukauna High School graduating class of 1900.

He also intended to attend the 45th class reunion of his University of Wisconsin graduating class. The Tanners were to be gone for an indefinite period.

Neil Hurt, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hurt of 311 East Main Street, and Charles Lucas, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lucas of 302 East Main Street, are home for summer vacation. The two boys are students at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

## Farmers Planting Peanuts, Other Crops As Land Dries

Farmers of Eastland County have been busy from dawn to dark in recent days planting a delayed peanut crop and other types of crops.

Hot, dry weather that replaced the cool, wet weather of April and much of May introduced a movement to the fields of mass proportions in the rural areas.

Many farmers, taking advantage of modern technology, were planting peanuts at night with their tractor headlights for light. Observers said that many farmers whose peanut acreage was reduced by this year's quota system were planting the extra land to grain sorghums and corn.

However, some growers who had been able to get into their fields earlier had such crops growing high already.

Barring a sudden shift of the weather, prospects are for one of the best crop years in recent history.

Farmers who have been in the county for many years said that growers who were fortunate enough to get their crops planted fairly early are assured of a good harvest on the basis of moisture alone, since the sandy land areas especially are so soaked they will mature such crops without further rain.

However, some such plantings turned out not so favorable, since the heavy rains of three weeks ago washed some hillside fields so badly they had to be replanted.

## Annual City War On Insects Begun

Eastland's annual war against flies and mosquitoes was begun this week as the city spraying outfit began its rounds of the community, laying down a DDT mixture combined with other chemicals.

City employees also were putting oil on stagnant pools where mosquitoes breed, and otherwise combatting insect life that has been particularly pesky following the heavy spring rains.

It was planned to spray every street in the city regularly until the danger of insect-borne diseases is over, it was said.

Eastland residents were urged to clean up vacant lots and to eliminate places where mosquitoes might breed or hide.

Some abatement of the mosquito nuisance, which was at its worst a week or so ago, already could be noted this week, although in most parts of Eastland the insects still were too numerous after sunset to make sitting on lawns feasible.

## Wingate And Stephen To Go To Boys' State

Gary Wingate, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wingate, and Joe Stanley Stephen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen, will leave Sunday morning for Austin as delegates to Lone Star Boy's State, sponsored by the local American Legion.

The boys will study the government of Texas in the divisions of city, county and state.

Young Wingate is a senior in Eastland High School, a member of the band, and an "all-round boy." Young Stephen is drum major of the band, and plays the cornet and piano. He was an honor student in history this past term, and has won several honors in music under the direction of Robert Clinton.

The boys will remain in Austin for a week, participating in all the prescribed activities outlined for them.

## Blind Pianist Who Played Here Dies

J. J. Faulkner, blind pianist who gained much recognition when he played at the Tip Top Cafe in Eastland several weeks ago, died in Rockdale Tuesday night.

Funeral services were held in Rockdale Wednesday, and the body was sent to Mississippi for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones and Mrs. Gail Wellen returned to Eastland Thursday evening after attending the services for Mr. Faulkner.

## All-Out Effort To Build Golf Course At Eastland Pledged

### Sidelssues

By HENRY G. VERMILLION

Farmers, ranchers, home gardeners, those who like lush lawns and practically everyone else who likes to drink water have been enthused by our rainfall this spring, and I've been one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the back to the moisture movement.

But I have been reconsidering my position the last few days, without really changing it, you understand. I have been chewed on by mosquitoes, flies, fleas, chiggers, gnats, and quite a few assorted insects whose names I didn't catch, since we hadn't been properly introduced.

I suppose it's worthwhile serving as a beefsteak for assorted members of the insect world on behalf of crops on the farms, grass on the ranges and water in the lake, but sometimes I wish they'd go bite on someone else for a while.

I know that damp, warm weather makes a good natural environment for insects, and I know that the scientists long have said that human life on this planet would be impossible without our little buggy friends, but the question that has kept rearing its head lately with me is, is life worthwhile with them?

None of the guesses I had heard on the top temperatures for the past few days corresponded very well with the reality as revealed by U. S. Weatherman J. A. Beard after consultation with his official U. S. Weather Bureau thermometer.

The weatherman said the highest temperature to date this year was 94 degrees, and it was recorded, as you might have suspected, on Tuesday.

This was six or seven points lower than my guess, and just proves once again the old saying that it wasn't the heat, it was the humidity.

The air had dried out a bit later in the week so evaporative air conditioners worked fairly well, and a breeze stirred the stuff around some. But the first two days of the week were sure 'nuff scorchers, I don't care what Mr. Beard's thermometer showed.

The mills of the gods grind slow but exceedingly fine, and no one may expect to see a dam springing up overnight at the junction of the Leon River and Colony Creek, despite all the talk about the proposal these days.

An ample supply of water for Eastland and Ranger city use indeed would be wonderful, and if the surveys show that the cost would not be excessive, I would be all for it.

Any expenditure we would be called on to make would be scant compared with the cost of water to the residents of Coleman during the past two years since their city lake ran dry.

All told, the added expense to Coleman has been at conservative estimates about a quarter of a million dollars, just for getting a barely minimum amount of water from Lake Brownwood by freight into the Coleman city mains and to the users. This figure does not take into account any business losses or residential withdrawals because of the water shortage.

And in addition, Coleman helped build a new city lake, and still has to build means for getting the water from the new lake filtered and to the customers.

And Eastland and Ranger both were dangerously near the same sad plight only a few months ago.

How would you like to have to pay \$10 to \$12 a month just for enough water for inside use, with lawn sprinkling and car washing strictly forbidden? That's what the residents of Coleman put up with for two years.

Now that both Ranger and Cisco have decided to put in parking meters, a move that drew many shudders in Eastland when it was (Continued On Page Eight)

### BEST ALL-AROUND



Colonel Don Brashier, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brashier of 200 East Plummer Street, was selected by the faculty of Eastland High School as best all-around boy and presented with honors at the commencement exercises Friday night. He is now in Arkansas with his grandparents and where he plans to spend most of the summer vacation. He will return this fall to attend Baylor University, where he will take a pre-medical course.

## Jones Takes Post In Mineral Wells

Frank A. Jones, news editor of The Eastland County Record since January and an Eastland newspaperman most of the time since 1911, left this week to take over a post as publisher of the Mineral Wells News, a weekly newspaper in Mineral Wells.

Jones said he was not severing his connections in Eastland, and was simply going to try his hand at the Mineral Wells business. If everything goes well, he will stay in Mineral Wells; otherwise he plans to return to Eastland, he said.

Although Mr. and Mrs. Jones sold their home at 808 West Commerce Street recently, the new owner will not take possession until Sept. 1, and Mrs. Jones for the present is continuing to stay in the home. Jones will be home for week ends, he said.

## Bill Bars Snooping With Seismograph

Snooping around with modern scientific devices to find out without a land owner's permission whether there might be oil under his land will be illegal if a bill passed Monday by the Texas House becomes law.

The bill, introduced by Rep. Billie Mac Jobe of Purnam, is House Bill 886, and would regulate the use of the seismograph and other mechanical devices both on public and private property. The House vote approving it was 120 to 5.

Jobe said he expected the Senate to approve the bill also.

The bill, Jobe said, makes it unlawful for anyone to prospect by means of seismograph or any mechanical device on public lands or roads without the consent of the State Land Board.

On private property, operators of such devices would have to obtain the consent of the land owner before using such a device. A penalty is provided to put force into the measure.

"I believe the law will be of benefit to the people of our part of the state," said Jobe, "because it will prevent large concerns from gaining information as to the location of oil or other mineral deposits without the consent and knowledge of the land owners."

Mrs. O. B. Shero and daughter Bobbie left this week to spend several days visiting Mrs. Homer Williams and family in Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Williams, formerly of Eastland, spent the early part of the week here.

## Don Hill Named General Chairman Of Club Project

A concentrated effort to get the Eastland Golf Course rebuilt was agreed on at a meeting of the Eastland Quarterback Club Tuesday night at which Don Hill was named general chairman of the golf course project.

Jack Chamberlain, president of the Quarterback Club, told those present that other club projects and obligations have been taken care of now, and the single present club objective is to get the golf course built.

It will take a lot of hard work and time on the part of everyone, he pointed out, but the end result will be worth the effort.

Hill said he would call his committees together soon to map out plans for getting the job done.

Chamberlain announced that the membership and finance committees for the golf course project have been merged, with the membership consisting of Neil Day, Gayland Poe, Everett Plowman, Cecil Holfield, H. L. King, and Bruce Pipkin.

It was generally agreed that the initial brunt of the project will fall on this committee, since cash must be on hand before much work can be done on the course.

It was estimated that the work of rebuilding the course will cost \$15,000. First, all who will donate funds will be asked to do so, and at the same time memberships in the golf club will be sold at \$50 for the first year.

The course will be a nine-hole affair, and is located in a rolling valley underneath the Lake Eastland dam.

No clubhouse is contemplated at present, but it is planned to erect a small caddy house.

Preliminary work on getting the greens built was done some time ago, but remainder of the work has been held up because of the need for club funds for other projects, and the time consumed in producing the club's annual minstrel show.

Those at the meeting pointed out that Eastland has as many or more golfers than any town in this section of the country, yet is almost the only town its size that does not have a golf course.

Other committees named by Chamberlain Tuesday night are: Attorney, Earl Conner, Jr.; Greens committee, Everett Plowman, Neil Day, Bruce Pipkin, H. T. Weaver and Hubert Westfall.

City affairs, Earl Conner, Jr., J. E. Harkrider and E. K. Henderson.

Members of the greens committee said they would like to hear from anyone who has any spare manure that could be used for fertilizing the bent grass greens that are to be planted.

Any manure donated will be hauled from the site. Formula for the soil in the greens is one-third rotted manure, one-third leaf mold and one-third washed sand.

Offers of other materials, equipment or labor that can be used on the construction job will be appreciated also, it was stressed.

## Miss Freyschlag To Go To Bluebonnet State

Miss Nancy Freyschlag, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag of 1207 South Mulberry Street, will begin attendance this week end at the Bluebonnet State for girls at Austin, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

The state, held annually, is held to acquaint selected girls over Texas with the way state politics and government operate.

Miss Freyschlag, a senior next term in Eastland High School, was chosen by the Auxiliary of the Eastland Dulin-Daniel American Legion post.

Miss Emily Jean Grissom, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Clyde Grissom of 1011 South Seaman Street, is home for the summer. She is a student at the University of Texas.

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The sight of a spider, weaving its web after failing many times aroused Robert Bruce to try once again to drive the English from Scotland.

News From . . . OLDEN

—By Special Correspondent—

Mrs. Willie Bockman left Monday for Lubbock to attend the wedding of her son, Jack Bockman, in Lubbock Tuesday evening at 6 p.m.

Mrs. Alta Clegg is in Dallas at the bedside of her brother-in-law, John Clegg, who is reported very ill.

Misses Laura and Clara Simer have returned home to spend the summer with their mother, Mrs. Ida Simer. They have been teaching in Plainview and Yselta.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hucker and children of Weatherford spent the week end with her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whisenant. They were accompanied home by little Jerry Ruth Duncan for a visit.

Billy Butler is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Snodgrass and family in San Antonio.

Mr. Joe Norton of Odessa, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norton.

Mrs. Sally Lee is visiting her son in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perryman of Dallas visited her sister, Mrs. Vera James Sunday afternoon. Her mother, Mrs. Zoe Kinney, who has been visiting here for several days, returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Perryman are former Olden residents.

M. and Mrs. Pat Keith of Stephenville are the parents of an 8 pound boy, born Thursday, May 26 in the Ranger General Hospital. The young man has been named Freddie Louis. Mrs. Keith is the former Marcelle Kuhn of Olden.

Rev. J. B. Martin Speaker At Cisco Rally

B. J. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Ballinger, will be the guest speaker at the Tri-County Baptist Youth Rally to be held at the First Baptist Church in Cisco at 7: 45 p.m., Friday, June 3.

The public is cordially invited and all Baptist youth are urged to attend.

Home Coming Day Set For East Cisco Church

Sunday, June 5, will be Home Coming Day at the East Cisco Baptist Church in Cisco.

Dinner will be spread on the ground and two former pastors of the church, Rev. I. W. Lawrence of New Castle, and Rev. J. B. Sparkman of DeLeon, will be guest speakers.

The public is invited to attend.

News From . . . STAFF

By Special Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby had as their guests, their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Foreman and her husband of Olden last Monday.

Friends of Mrs. A. G. Crosby will be glad to know she was able to return to her home last Friday from the Blackwell hospital in Gorman, where she underwent surgery some ten days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland were in the community last Tuesday afternoon to visit with their daughter, Mrs. O. T. Hazard. Allen Crosby and J. C. Foreman of Olden were in Eastland last Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan were visiting with their son, John Thomas Duncan and family in Bryan, the past week.

John M. White was a business visitor in Eastland Wednesday. Allen Crosby and wife were Gorman visitors last Tuesday afternoon.

M. O. Hazard was a visitor in the home of his son, Maurice Hazard and family, in Eastland Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Hubert Halley and daughter, Gretchen and Kimberly Ann, and Mrs. John Blackwell were Eastland visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Anderson and Mrs. Katie Landreth and son, Tommy of Abilene visited their father and grandfather Sunday. Tommy stayed for a longer visit with his grandfather, C. B. Anderson.

Jimmy Everett has gone to Beaumont to visit his cousin, Ann Stark.

Vacation Bible School began Wednesday, June 1 and will close Friday, June 10. All boys and girls, 4 through 16 years of age are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bryant and sons of Kermit are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bryant and Mrs. Liliy McMinn.

and children of Olden were the guests last Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

Mrs. M. O. Hazard shopped in Eastland Wednesday and visited with Mrs. Pearl Bourland while there.

R. E. Price of Galveston was the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. E. Hallenback and Mr. Hallenback the past week. He also visited with relatives in Eastland.

M. O. Hazard and wife were business visitors in Eastland Saturday.

Crops and gardens are really growing now since the recent rains, yes, the weeds and grasses are too, which in all gives the farmers plenty of work to do.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hallenback were in Eastland Saturday where they visited with their son, the Rev. W. E. Hallenback and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Eastland were in the community Sunday afternoon where they visited with relatives.

The Rev. E. M. Hilliard of Gus-

tine, Texas filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning and at the evening hour. There was one addition to the church at the morning service.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and son, Ray Neil, returned Sunday afternoon from Slaton, where they had been on business and also visiting with relatives.

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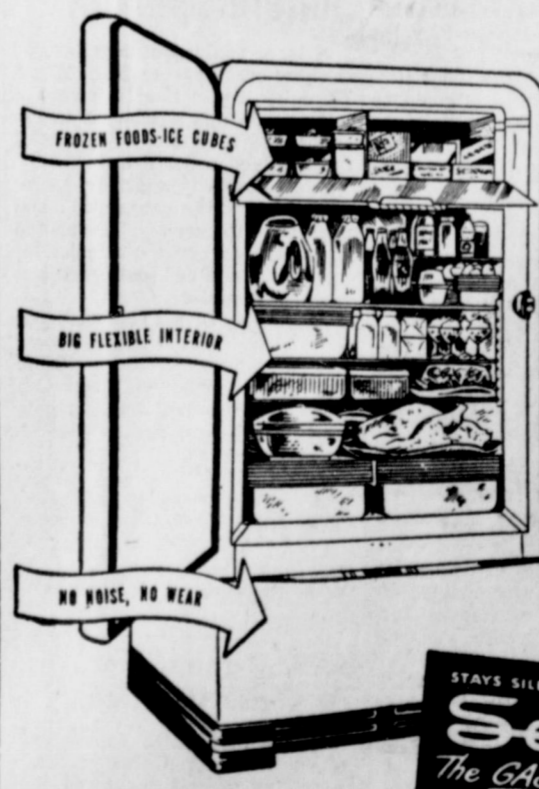
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### News Items From Morton Valley

By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. Billy Gerald Thompson, nee Wanda Jean Tankersley, was honored with a miscellaneous shower last Wednesday by Mesdames Josie K. Nix, Harv Thompson, and Burton Tankersley at the recreation hall of the Harmony Church. There were 43 guests present and 31 sent gifts.

Miss Billy Trout is spending the week in Cisco with her brother, Olin Trout and family.

Mr. C. R. Funk of Bunker, and his nephew, Ralph Lively of Mineral Wells, visited in the W. E. Tankersley home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles T. Brockman, Jr. returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday, leaving her little daughter, Sidney Anne here for a longer visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Brockman, Sr.

Guests in the home of O. H. Williamson and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox of Eastland, Norman Gayle Emfinger of Ranger, Buna Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Thompson, Gloria Don, Helen and Buna Marie Stallcup, all of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee Emfinger.

Gloria Don, Helen and Buna Marie will remain here for an extended visit but the others returned to their homes Sunday evening.

Nina Belle Stuard is visiting her

uncle, Mrs. Raymond Lane and family in McAllen, this summer. Ola Jean Stuard is visiting her uncle, Claude Stuard in Iraan.

Guests in the C. T. Brockman home Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Tankersley of Levelland visited his mother, Mrs. D. B. Tankersley Sunday.

Franklin Dunlap, of Ralls, Texas visited Morton Valley school Monday. He is a former student here.

Visitors in the Joe Stuard home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lane of McAllen; Mrs. Blue Bell Brashiers of Artesia, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stuard of Iraan.

Rev. Maurice B. James received the Vincent Award at Howard Payne College for outstanding ability among the students attending. This award allows him his choice of a set of commentary books free.

Little Norma Gayle Emfinger of Ranger is spending this week with her brother, Bobby Lee Emfinger and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brazel of Arlington spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tankersley.

Kathleen Poor of Texas University and Jack Poor of New Mex-

ico are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Poor, Helen and Ted.

Estel Franklin of Eastland visited J. L. Funk Sunday morning at the home of W. E. Tankersley.

Ralph Wheat, who is graduating from A and M College is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheat, before going on to Wheeler where he will be employed as an assistant county agent.

Dolores Williamson of Eastland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Williamson.

Miss Charlene Westfall of Hobbs, N. M. is visiting in the T. L. Wheat home this week.

Jasper Williamson, Cletis Hames, and Joel Tankersley went fishing at Eliasville Monday night.

Warren Friday of Eastland was a guest of Junior Rich at school Monday.

Johnnie Mae Vann of Carbon is visiting Doris Mae Vann and attended school Tuesday.

### News From . . . CARBON

—By Special Correspondent—

Miss Luella Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leaster Vaughn, and Clive Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Murray, were unite in marriage at the Baptist Parsonage Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Rev. J. D. Holt read the single ring ceremony.

The bride, who wore white with white accessories and red carnations, is a 1949 graduate of Carbon High School.

The groom graduated from Gorman High School in 1943 and served with the troops in the Pacific. They were accompanied by Miss Meridith Black and Ray Neal Baze; Janett Murray and Fred Brown.

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they will be at home in the New Hope community where Mr. Murray is engaged in farming.

A large crowd of relatives and friends attended the graduation exercises at Cisco Junior College Thursday evening.

Carbon students graduating were Billie Stephens, Austin Hollywood, Glen Ford, Patsy McCulley, and Tinsy Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson attended graduation exercises at Hardin Simmons in Abilene Monday evening when their son, Dwain Jackson, graduated.

Rev. Glen Wilson, former pastor of the First Baptist Church here, was also a graduate of H. S. U.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thompson and children of Cisco; and Willard O'Brian of Memphis, Tenn., attended graduation exercises here of their brother, Junior O'Brian.

Mrs. S. S. Sherrill attended funeral services for a friend, Mrs. Ida Lucas in Merkel Tuesday.

Miss Valley Sanford of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson Friday.

Mrs. Maurice Taylor of Sundown attended the funeral services of her mother, Mrs. Dolberry, in Eastland Saturday and visited Mrs. D. N. Taylor over the week end.

Mrs. Lee Hogan was returned from Blackwell sanatorium where she had undergone a very serious eye operation.

Emsey Phillips of Kermit is visiting his brother, Jim Phillips and wife and Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Medford and son, James, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Medford of Clifton, Arizona, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale and children have returned from Agua Dulce to spend the summer at their home here.

Miss Betty Hale, physical director in one of the Dallas schools, is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Claborn and children of Sundown spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Claborn at Okra and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall at Carbon. Mrs. Hall accompanied them to Democrat, in Comanche County, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Merel Claborn.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adair and Elvino of Temple spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson. They attended graduation exercises at Cisco Junior College Tuesday evening when their son, Charles, graduated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Brian of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. H. V. O'Brien Saturday.

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Wayne of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black and family of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black and Meridith attended the funeral services for Mrs. Dolberry in Eastland Saturday.

Mrs. S. S. Cherrill visited Mrs. Mary Hearn in Morton Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hines of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer of Eastland visited their Mother, Mrs. Mattie Hines Sunday.

Junior O'Brian left Sunday for Abilene where he has employment.

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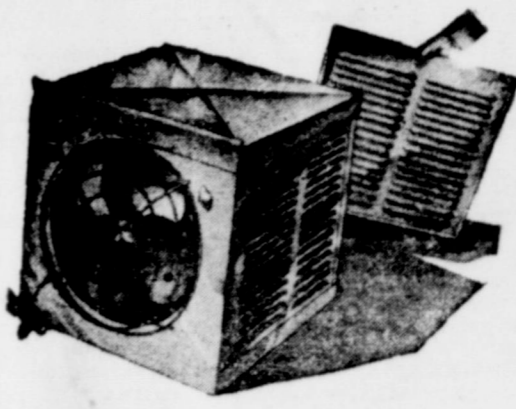
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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullings of 2101 West Main Street will leave Sunday to join their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baker in Cleburn. The group will then leave for Hot Springs, Little Rock, and other points in Arkansas.

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**Members of Clubs See Pineapple Film**

Eastland Rotary and Lions Club members this week saw a film on the raising of pineapple in Hawaii.

The film was obtained by H. B. MacMoy, a Rotarian.

Rotarians saw the film in the Majestic Theatre, where the projector was handled by Aubrey Van Hoy.

Because of poor light conditions, only part of the film was seen by the Lions.

In its meeting, the Rotary Club voted to appropriate \$100 with which to buy tents for its Scout troop.

Previously, the Lions had approved a similar expenditure for the troop it sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Humphreys and son of Eastland were in Abilene Friday on business.

**DILLARD MORGANS PARENTS OF SON**

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morgan of 722 West Main Street are parents of a son, Mark Allen, born Wednesday in the Ranger General Hospital.

Mother and child were reported doing nicely. They are expected to be home the first part of next week.

**Eastland Receives Fire Contest Award**

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce this week received a "participation award" certificate from the National Fire Waste Council of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce "in recognition of community service in Fire Prevention and Conservation Activities during the year 1948."

Whether as a result of participation in the contest or not, Eastland has had a remarkable fire record recently, with no fire calls of consequence in many months.

**John Jackson Wins Honor at Texas Tech**

John W. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson of Dallas and formerly of Eastland, was elected to serve on the Student Council at Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Only two students from each school are selected to the council, and Mr. Jackson was elected from the School of Engineering.

John Jackson graduated from Eastland High School and was named best all-around boy for the class of '46.

**EHS Not To Have Summer School**

Eastland High School will have no summer school this year for the first time in many years, said School Supt. W. G. Womack this week.

Womack said that practically all of the high school teachers are going to college this summer to take advanced courses, and there would not be enough of them left in Eastland to teach in summer school.

**B. Herring Honored By Store Employees**

Employees of the local A. and P. store and their families met at the City Park Wednesday evening for a progressive pot-luck supper in honor of B. Herring, who recently retired after many years of service in the local store.

Leon Bourland presented Mr. Herring with a gift from all the members of the staff, and each paid tribute to him.

After the supper, the group of 27 went to the Bank Building where movies were shown by B. Howard Green, manager of the store.

Attending the party were Mrs. W. E. Solomon and three children, Betty, Marjorie, and Billy; Mr. and Mrs. James H. Boggus and two children, Linda Sue and Rush; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bourland, Margaret and Betty Bourland; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riggan and son, Morris Lee; Charles Lane, Gary Laurent, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Evans and two daughters, Beverly Ann and Brinda Jane; Mr. and Mrs. B. Howard Green and three children, Ben, Otis and Yvonne, and the honoree, Mr. Herring.

**Glenn Miller Gets Degree At H-SU**

Glenn Miller, son of Mrs. Florence Miller of 600 West Sadosa Street, participated in the commencement exercises at Hardin Simmons University in Abilene Monday morning.

Mr. Miller received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree.

Those attending the exercises included Mrs. J. H. Taylor and Mrs. Miller of Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dendy, Mrs. O. Puckett and daughter of Abilene.

**MURDOCKS LEAVE FOR A. M. A. CONVENTION**

Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Murdock left Thursday morning by plane for Atlantic City, where they will attend the American Medical Association convention to be held next week.

The couple will be gone two weeks.

George McBee, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McBee of Eastland and senior honor student at Texas A and M. College is home for the summer.

**PULLMAN'S DEALER FOR EMERSON RADIOS**

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**Hardeman, Hooper Get Degrees At S.M.U.**

Two Eastland students received degrees from Southern Methodist University in the graduation exercises held May 31.

Dr. Umphrey Lee, president of SMU, delivered the commencement address to the graduating class of 800 students, largest single class in SMU history.

Eastland graduates are Hugh H. Hardeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hardeman, 207 South College Street, who received a degree in Bachelor of Business Administration; and Wallace Lee Hooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hooper of 506 South Daugherty Street, who also received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree.

**Jack Bishop Receives NSTC Master Degree**

Jack G. Bishop, son of Mrs. Sallie Bishop of Eastland and student at North Texas State College at Denton, received his Master of Science degree in Biology at the 59th annual commencement exercises held Sunday.

More than 500 students participated in the graduation program, out of which only 27 received Master's degrees.

Bishop and his wife will remain in Denton for the summer, as Mr. Bishop has accepted a position to teach at the college.

Mrs. J. W. Blackwell of Gorman, grandmother of Bishop, accompanied Mrs. Sallie Bishop to Denton for the commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barber and son, Bobbie, left Tuesday for a week's vacation at Eliasville. They will visit with relatives and Mr. Barber will enjoy fishing at Possum Kingdom.

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**Military Rites Held For Dan Tankersley**

Dan Tankersley, 35, former resident of Morton Valley who died in Brownwood where he had lived for some time, was buried Wednesday with military honors in the Eastland Cemetery.

He was a veteran of the Second World War, and spent most of his service overseas. He was seriously wounded in combat.

Members of the Brownwood American Legion Post, commanded by Earl Tate, had charge of the graveside services, assisted by members of the Eastland Dulin-Daniels Post No. 70.

A 21-gun salute was fired by a firing squad, and J. A. Smith of the Brownwood post blew taps. Pallbearers were Ralph Laswell, L. A. Griffin, Charles Kyle, Ray Morgan, J. W. Matlock and Charles Butler of the Brownwood post.

**Five Eastland Boys Attended A. & M.**

COLLEGE STATION — Eastland has been well represented at College Station the past semester, with five men enrolled.

Estes Halkias, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Halkias, is a junior majoring in business; Bill Crone, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crone, is a junior majoring in petroleum engineering; George Harkrider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Harkrider, is a freshman engineering in business.

Jack Roper, grandson of Mrs. Ora B. Jones, is a senior majoring in agricultural education, and Dick Brogdon, son of Mrs. Lucy Brogdon, is a senior majoring in business.

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**MISS HARRIS RETURNS TO S. M. U.**

Miss Wanda Lou Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. Harris of 1308 South Lamar Street left Thursday to return to Dallas, where she is a student at Southern Methodist University.

Miss Harris will attend the summer session, which will enable her to become a senior student this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burton of Carthage visited in Eastland this week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Glover, who live in the Connellee Hotel. Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Glover are sisters.

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MISS COLLIE WED TO MR. KROLL IN AUSTIN RITUAL

Against a background of magnolias, white gladiolas and white stock, Miss Kathleen Collie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourn Bailey Collie of Austin, and Mr. Helmuth Conrad Kroll, son of Mrs. O. P. Spiegelhauer of Coupland, were united in marriage Saturday night in the Central Methodist Church of Austin.

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dered pre-nuptial music.

Miss Emily Jean Grissom of Eastland sang "At Dawning" and "Through the Years," accompanied by Miss Jackson.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white lace and satin. The lace bodice was fashioned with long sleeves, and was applied at the waist line to the full satin skirt, which extended into a train. The long veil of illusion was held by an open-crowned headdress of crushed illusion. She carried a bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis.

Serving as bridesmaids were Miss Mary Jo Collie, cousin of the bride, and Mrs. Jack Germany of Wichita Falls. Miss Carolyn Grisham of Abilene attended her cousin as maid of honor. The brides' attendants wore bouffant dresses of white organdie and embroidered banding over yellow taffeta. They carried bouquets of white daisies and wore garlands of daisies in their hair.

The bride's brother, Daniel L. Collie, served as best man, and Clifford L. Lawrence of Houston and E. E. Beran of Cladwell were groomsmen. Ushers included Robert E. Adcock of Cleburne, Lester A. Braun, Henry H. Vollettine and Joe T. Pursell of Austin.

Mrs. Collie, mother of the bride, wore an ankle-length gown of brown chiffon and her corsage was of Peruvian lilies. The groom's mother, Mrs. Spiegelhauer, wore a gown of black lace and had a corsage of gardenias.

A reception at Green Pastures followed the ceremony. Receiving the guests with the bride and groom were the bride's parents, the groom's mother, and members of the wedding party.

For traveling, the bride wore a beige suit with avocado green accessories, and her corsage was of gardenias. After June 6, Mr. and Mrs. Kroll will be at home at 706 West 19th Street in Austin.

Mrs. Kroll is a graduate of Eastland High School. She received a bachelor of science degree in home economics at the University of Texas, and while in the university was an upper-class advisor at Littlefield Dormitory and a member of the Home Economics Club. Before her marriage she was employed in the University of Texas Library.

Mr. Kroll was graduated from La Grange High School and now is a fifth year student in the School of Architecture of the University of Texas.

W. S. C. S. Has Circle Meetings Monday

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in circle group meetings. Mrs. E. M. Grimes of 709 South Seaman Street entertained the Turner Circle in her home.

Mrs. Joe Stephen was at the piano. Mrs. N. P. McCarty conducted a quiz program, after which a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Members present were Mesdames T. M. Johnson, Jim Horton, George Cross, Ora B. Jones, John B. McRae, Stephen, M. B. Titsworth, O. M. White, Earl Bender, E. J. Turner, George L. Davenport, T. L. Fagg, N. P. McCarty, a guest and the hostess.

The McCarty Circle met in the home of Mrs. Pearson Grimes at 515 South Mulberry Street.

Mrs. Ed Willman gave the devotional and Mrs. Charles Harris presided over the business session. Mrs. Frank Crowell gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. M. Bond, Willman, Harris, Ina Bean, O. O. Mickle, I. C. Heck, one guest.

Gift Tea Is Honor For Mrs. Hanna

A group of friends hosted a gift tea for Mrs. Minton Hanna, recent bride and the former Miss Bobbie Jean Lane, in the home of Mrs. B. F. Hanna at 109 North Connellee Street Thursday afternoon.

The guests were received by Mrs. B. F. Hanna and introduced to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Horace Lane of Oesdebona, and Mrs. Irene Hanna of Eastland.

The bride's table was centered with an arch arrangement of sweet peas, with a miniature bride and groom beneath.

Mrs. Claude C. Smith presided at the bride's book, which was the handwork of Mrs. Gerald Wingate.

Mrs. Bourland and Mrs. Hanna ladeled punch.

Members of the house party were Mesdames D. B. Cox, W. R. Smith, J. H. Lee, Dan Childress, C. C. Smith, S. L. Bourland, Billy Johnson, W. W. Linkenhogger, H. E. Lawrence, W. E. Teatsorth, and Miss Betty Bourland.

G. W. Warren, who has been ill for a long time, was reported in critical condition this week at his home, 214 South Connellee Street.

W. M. S. Has Study Of Mission Projects

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met in Circles Monday for directed study of community missions projects.

Mrs. J. L. Waller entertained the Maybelle Taylor Circle in her home at 1314 South Seaman. Opening prayer was given by Mrs. Harris.

Present were Mesdames Lee Campbell, Lewis Barber, Howard Upchurch, Charles Butler, Harris, Dorsett, Blevins, and Waller.

Mrs. A. J. Blevins, Jr., community missions chairman, supervised the packing of a box which included soap, hand lotion, and tooth paste for Miss Edith Allison, who is a patient at Sanitorium.

Closing prayer was given by Mesdames Lee Campbell, Lewis Barber, Howard Upchurch, Charles Butler, Harris, Dorsett, Blevins, and Waller.

The Blanch Groves Circle met with Mrs. Georgia Mae Rush 602 West Commerce. Opening prayer was given by

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the many kindnesses, the floral offerings, food and helpful acts extended us at the time of the passing of our loved one. God bless each and every one.

The Dollberry Family

Miss Susie Naylor and closing prayer was given by Mrs. H. F. Vermillion.

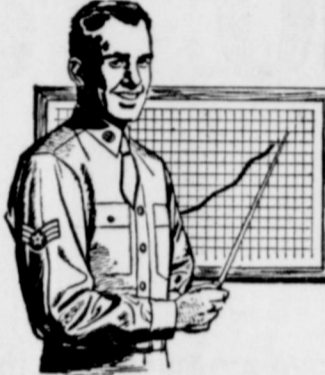
After a brief business session the group visited two shut-ins, Mrs. Hamlett and Mrs. Crowley.

Present were Mesdames Jimmy Young, Georgia Rush, Rosa Bishop, Winston Boles, Vermillion, and Miss Susie Naylor.

The Lottie Moon Circle had no meeting.

The W. M. S. will meet next Monday at the church for business and Royal Service.

Mrs. H. L. Lewis of 311 South Madera Street underwent surgery at Baylor Hospital in Dallas Friday. Her condition later was reported as satisfactory.



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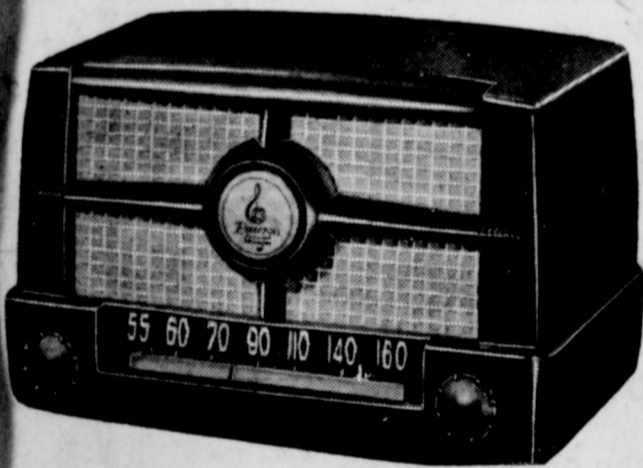
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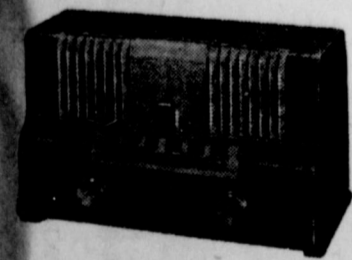


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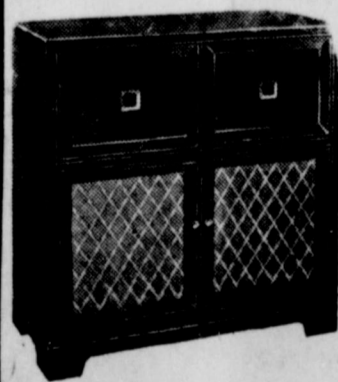


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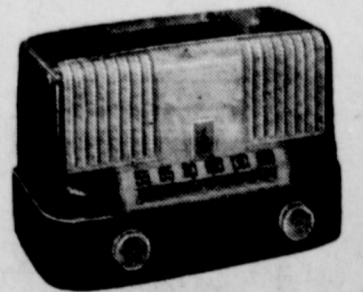
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News from the Court House

J. D. Alexander to Weldon H. Coffey, warranty deed.  
 T. J. Anderson to C. B. Pruet, warranty deed.  
 George E. Baldwin to Edward M. Barry, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 George E. Baldwin to Albert T. Goetz, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Joe Blaloch to W. W. Green, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 A. J. Blackman to H. D. Oden, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Alice Crabtree to W. A. Stiles, oil and gas lease.  
 W. E. Crawford to Charley Nokes, special warranty deed.  
 C. W. Claypool to Maggie V. Dyer, release of oil and gas lease.  
 J. J. Callaway to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.  
 Weldon H. Coffey to E. G. Hargrave, warranty deed.  
 J. Q. Clark to Tom B. Stark, special warranty deed.  
 City of Eastland to Carl Angstadt, deed.  
 City of Eastland to R. E. Head, deed.  
 M. E. Daniel to J. F. Baker, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 F. E. Day to The Public, affidavit.  
 A. E. Dobbs to The Public, affidavit.  
 Maggie V. Dyer to McElroy

Ranch Co., oil and gas lease.  
 A. B. Edwards to J. M. Causbie, release of oil and gas lease.  
 Cyrus B. Frost to W. A. Stiles, oil and gas lease.  
 Ed Franklin to W. O. Caraway, quit claim deed.  
 Clarence Fox to Fred M. Birdson, oil and gas lease.  
 First State Bank, Rising Star v. T. S. Holden, lis pendens.  
 L. N. Fenter to Walter G. Preston, quit claim deed.  
 First National Bank, Cisco to J. H. Taylor, release of MML.  
 O. M. Gage to Mrs. Sophronia J. Ray, quit claim deed.  
 L. E. Griffin to R. D. McDaniel, release of judgment.  
 J. A. Green to C. C. Hall, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 W. H. Green to O. D. Albrook, agreement.  
 J. A. Green to P. H. Schroeder, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Garland M. Hargus to June B. Hargus, release and remitter.  
 Home Owners Loan Corp. to J. O. Earnest, release of deed of trust.  
 J. V. Heyser to The Public, affidavit.  
 Bill Hunter to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
 H. H. Harrelson to Dr. N. A. Brown, warranty deed.  
 G. C. Howell to Joe Blalock, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Cora J. Hunter to Edd Houston, warranty deed.  
 R. C. Hilgenberg to L. W. Hilgenberg, warranty deed.  
 Higginbotham Bros. & Co. to W. E. Pringle, warranty deed.  
 Mrs. Mittie L. Hunt to H. S. Stubblefield, deed of trust.  
 Cecil Jessup to W. I. Moseley, warranty deed.  
 Thomas A. Jirik to Maggie V. Dyer, release of oil and gas lease.  
 Jarecki Mfg. Co. to Del Lake Oil Co., Inc., MML.  
 J. J. Lynn to Olena Britain, release of oil and gas lease.  
 Franklin M. Love to Ralph D. Curtis, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to W. T. Hoey, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to C. J. Hoke, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to M. C. Hoover, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to C. O. Puckett, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to O. E. Delaney, Jr., MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to Sheldon Ward, MD.  
 Franklin M. Love to T. J. Stewart, MD.  
 James M. Linebarger to Humble Employees, Wink, deed of trust.  
 Marjorie Maddocks to Jennetta Jensen, deed of trust.  
 Juanita Murray to R. D. Murray,

warranty deed.  
 Joe McIlvain to W. A. Stiles, oil and gas lease.  
 L. E. McGraw to W. D. Cannon, warranty deed.  
 R. D. McDaniel to Homer T. Glover, assignment of mineral interests.  
 Oakhurst Dev. Corp. to C. M. Pinkston, warranty deed.  
 B. F. Owens to Walter Owens, warranty deed.  
 Eva Pinkston to E. Brumbelow, warranty deed.  
 C. M. Pinkston to Oakhurst Dev. Corp., deed of trust.  
 W. E. Pringle to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., deed of trust.  
 J. W. Ray to W. A. Stiles, oil and gas lease.  
 George W. Rollins to Helen Begley, release of judgment.  
 Clendemin J. Ryan to Mobley & Delaney, Inc., release of oil and gas lease.  
 R. M. Shultz to L. E. Davis, warranty deed.  
 Rose E. Flippin Smith to Alfred Carlton, warranty deed.  
 Frank Sparks to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
 Andrew F. Stenford to Clyde Custer, warranty deed.  
 Hazel Davis St John to Neely & Neely, oil and gas lease.  
 O. H. Simpson to W. H. Green, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 L. A. Warren to E. J. McCurdy, Jr., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
 Hall Walker to D. H. Limbocker, warranty deed.

**SUITS FILED**  
 The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:  
 Mayne Jean Mayo v. Billy Joe Mayo, divorce and custody of child.  
 Larue Nadine Hallum v. J. A. Hallum, divorce.  
 Beulah L. Riddle v. C. A. (Jack) Riddle, divorce.  
 First State Bank of Rising Star v. T. S. Holden, suit on note and foreclosure of lien.  
 Nina Franklin v. Estel Carl Franklin, divorce.

**ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS**  
 The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:  
 Clara Wells Needham et al v. Gulf Refining Co., plaintiff's first amended controverting affidavit.  
 Donnie L. Grimes et al v. J. B. Herring, order.  
 Mrs. Leola Adams v. Ralph Adams, judgment.  
 Beth Lasater et al v. Jack P. Bagley, order.  
 Clara Wells Needham et al v. Gulf Refining Co., order.

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 Lee A. Ligon to Betty Jo Williams, Ranger.  
 Virgil W. Rust to Mary Louise McCarthy, California.

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I WILL buy any kind of pipe or oil field salvage. Do all kinds of oil field, pipeline and dirt work, including small tanks. Marvin Hood, phone 108J.

WANTED: Your parts and car repair business at our new and modern shop at 416 South Seaman Street. McGraw Motor Company. 20tf

WANTED: To pasture cows by the month. Good grass and water. Mrs. Hallie Seastrunk, Carbon. 111tp

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Good reconditioned refrigerators — electric, gas or ice boxes. Priced to sell. See these refrigerators before you buy. Lucas's. 104tc

FOR SALE: Sears Roebuck Cold-spot electric refrigerator, good running condition, cheap. Phone No. 7, Eastland. 10tfp

FOR SALE: Refrigerator, chest of drawers, bookcase, mattress and springs, and other household articles. Mrs. Johnny Hightower, Lamar Apartments. 111tp

FOR SALE: We have some bargains in good, clean, used refrigerators, both gas and electric. Come and see them at Willy-Willys Furniture Mart. 16-tfc

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FOR SALE: Registered Duroc gilts and boars, about four months old. Clyde Wall, Rt. 1, DeLeon, Texas. 84tp

FOR SALE: 6-room house at 217 South Oak Street. See Weaver Hague or call 185 after 7 p.m. 6tf

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- 4-room house in Ranger to be moved from lot.
  - 4 rooms and bath, Eastland, to be moved.
  - 3 rooms and bath, with two lots \$1800, terms
  - 3 rooms, large lot, \$900, terms
  - 5 rooms and bath, stucco finish \$2500
  - 4 unit apartment on paved street, good revenue, \$3500
  - 3 rooms and bath, deep lot, \$1800
  - 6 rooms and bath, good neighborhood \$4200
  - 5 rooms and bath near schools, easy terms \$4000
  - 6 rooms, paved street, nicely finished \$4750
  - 5 rooms and bath, oak floors, Venetian blinds \$5500
  - Duplex on paved corner \$5500
  - Duplex on paved street \$5300
  - 6 rooms and bath, nicely finished \$5500
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  - 5-room, modern, pavement both sides \$5000
  - 5-room, real nice finish \$4200
  - 5-room, hardwood floors, 4 lots \$4000
  - 6-room beautiful home on Seaman \$8000
  - 3-room modern home and store building, both furnished \$3650
  - Two-story rock, close in, living quarters and business \$3500
  - 5-room rock, real nice and modern, 2 acres choice land \$5500
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## SIDE ISSUES...

(Continued From Page One)

proposed here a while back, we'll see how much business it will drive from our thriving neighbors into Eastland.

The big argument against the meters, you may recall, was that if they were installed in Eastland, business of the farmers and ranchers would be driven to our neighbors who had no such hated devices.

At the time I had an open mind on the subject, and still do. But at least if any business is to be driven elsewhere by the meters, it ought to help Eastland merchants greatly, unless our own City Commission reverses the field and installs them too, because when the Ranger installations are made, the meters will be in Cisco, Ranger and Breckenridge, the nearest large towns to Eastland.

Building, or rebuilding, a golf course in Eastland has been tackled so many times that a large segment of the citizenry now yawns when the subject is mentioned.

But under the chairmanship of Don Hill, I believe, the project is going to go this time. It may not go as fast or as cheaply as its most ardent well-wishers hope, but if it goes at all it will break the modern course record and be considerably under par.

We have a fine group of colored people in Eastland, on the whole, and it was rather a relief for me to find out that a group of Negroes rioting on the Courthouse lawn last Friday were not from Eastland but from Abilene.

On the whole, our Eastland colored population works hard, has good homes, minds its business rears its children to be decent and law abiding citizens.

What more could you ask of any group of people anywhere?

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cornelius and La Verne went to Fort Worth Monday. They returned to Eastland Wednesday evening.

Dick Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frak J. Sparks, and Doug Garner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Garner, are home for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Crowley of Eastland spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. M. Hutto and family in Olden.

Stalactites hang down from the roof of a cave while stalagmites project up from the floor.

According to legend, the Killenny cats ate each other except for their nails and the tip of their tails.

Scottish plaids indicate by their designs and colors the clan or regiment to which the wearer belongs.

Romans turned "thumbs down" at gladiatorial combats to express disapproval and signal the winner to kill the loser.

William Wrigley, Jr., paid a \$25,000 prize to George Young for swimming from Catalina Island to the mainland.

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## HARRIS FAMILY TO VISIT RELATIVES

Don Harris, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. Harris of 1038 South Lamar Street, will visit with his sister, Miss Wanda Lou Harris, while Mrs. Harris and son, Sam, spend a two week vacation in El Paso visiting with the oldest son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. Harris, Jr., of 2902 Tularosa Avenue.

## HUTTO RETURNS HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Marvin Hutto, printer for The Eastland County Record, was taken to his home in Olden Thursday from the Rasper General Hospital, where he had been under treatment for a week and a half for a kidney infection.

His condition was much improved, but doctors said he would be in a weakened condition for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Roper of Albuquerque, N. M. are visiting in the home of Mrs. Florene Miller at 600 West Sadosa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cornelius and children, Kathy and Albert, spent the weekend in Temple visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cornelius.

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## News Items From CHEANEY

By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

The Cheaney Singing Class is announcing the annual all-day singing at the Cheaney Baptist Church and extended a cordial invitation to all to come.

Basket lunch will be spread at noon, so come and take part in this meeting.

On Tuesday night, June 14, there will be a picture show at the Alameda High School gym for all the community, announces Delbert Capps, Ranger Studio man.

Mr. Capps is promoting this program and it is backed by Ranger Business men in cooperation with the Salem Home Demonstration Club.

People are invited to come and bring some one with you: it's all free. Name of the feature and comedy are not available at present but you may count on an evening of fine entertainment. Tell your friends and come.

Many visitors from other congregations were present Sunday at the Alameda Church for the morning worship. There was lunch at noon and singing in the afternoon.

The purpose of the occasion was that this is the last meeting in which the local minister, Harry E. Payne, will be with this church. He is preparing for missionary work in Holland.

Little Jerry Yancey has been ill for the past several days.

Visitors Sunday to spend the week Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker, Mrs. Ann Love, John, Ellen, and Betty Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howard of Ranger.

Wonder how the fishing was at Possum Kingdom Lake? We learned of Mrs. Electra Hattox' fishing trip there a week late.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Case and boys left Friday for Globe, Arizona where he was formerly employed as a mechanic.

Mrs. Eva Underwood visited 2 weeks in Bell County with relatives and then returned home ere this news item came to this correspondent's attention.

Mrs. Bill Greenway and family

of Roswell, N. M. visited the past week with her sister, Mrs. John Love.

Visitors at Alameda Sunday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Merritt of Moran. Arlon married 2 weeks ago and they were here visiting an uncle and an aunt; Idos Echols and Miss Cora Echols. Mr. and Mrs. Hayden of Eastland and their son, Butch of Fort Worth, were here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blackwell.

## BIRTHDAY VISIT MADE TO MRS. COLLINS

Mr. and Mrs. Tildon Collins of Clyde visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins at 415 East Conner Street Wednesday.

June 1 was Mrs. John Collins birthday, and the couple from Clyde came to Eastland for the occasion.

## USED CARS

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