

# EASTLAND COUNTY RECORD



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## Hospital Drive Called Failure; Committee Quits

### GROUP SAYS NOT ENOUGH CITIZENS WILLING TO DO PART IN CAMPAIGN

Eastland's hospital committee of three "withdrew" from its task Thursday of attempting to raise \$100,000 for construction of a hospital here.

The committee, made up of C. W. Hoffmann as chairman and of W. B. Pickens and Jack Frost, said the task of raising the money apparently was an impossible one.

The committee's statement: TO THE CITIZENS OF EASTLAND:

Your committee on the hospital has been working regularly and diligently upon the matter for more than a month. It has had numerous meetings with citizens of Eastland.

At the outset it was estimated that sixty percent, as a minimum, of the funds for the project must be raised out of a group of contributors who would give \$5000 each. A portion of this group indicated its willingness to contribute on that basis. However, a sufficient number of the group did not feel that they could come in on the basis indicated.

Aside from this, the committee estimated that a minimum of an additional thirty percent would have to come from contributors below \$5000 in amount and in excess of \$200. Of the ones in this group contacted—and there has been a good cross-section—the response was less than one-fourth the amount of the money needed.

We are convinced that, taking the town as a whole, the citizens want a hospital, but they want "the other fellow" to pay for it and do the job.

A substantial number of people in all groups have indicated willingness to do what they feel they can do. With the exception of these, the great majority of citizens are unwilling to make the contributions which they must make in order to make the plan possible. With so many taking the attitude that they should give less and others should give more, it became apparent that we are faced with an impossible task, which conceivably might go on for months and months, still without any hope of success. The arithmetic of the matter indicates that it is not possible to put it over.

Under the circumstances, considering the frame of mind of a large part of the people, we can see no reason for allowing this campaign to drag on and on into the distant future.

Feeling that we have worked consistently and at great sacrifice of time and effort and that we do not have the cooperation of enough of the citizens to make the campaign further worthwhile, and feeling further that we have done all that we can do in the matter, we hereby withdraw.

Your hospital committee, C. W. Hoffmann, W. B. Pickens, Jack W. Frost

About 175 persons attended.

Whether the withdrawal of the hospital committee from its work meant the entire end of the hospital campaign remained to be seen.

Mrs. James Horton, president of the Eastland Civic League and Garden Club which first launched the hospital movement, said she was rather shocked by the sudden termination of the fund-raising campaign, and had not thought the issues through to the point that she could issue a statement.

Some ideas of continuing the drive on somewhat a different basis, or attempting to find some way to get a hospital if only part of the \$100,000 was raised, had been expressed.

There remained also the problem of various sums raised for the hospital drive by such activities as the recent horse show, and the minstrel performances. Also the money put into the animal banks all over town. Such sums obviously could not be returned to their donors.

A member of the hospital committee said the sum actually raised in the drive was less than \$40,000. A number of the larger pledges were made contingent upon the large gifts totaling \$50,000 or more, it was said.

LOZANOS PARENTS OF INFANT SON

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lozano of Wetbury, Long Island, New York, are parents of a son born recently in New York. Mrs. Lozano is the former Miss Gladys Hoffmann of Eastland, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hoffmann of Los Angeles. She is the niece of C. W. Hoffmann of Eastland.

Mrs. F. W. Hoffmann is in New York with her daughter and grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Moser were in Abilene on business this week.

### H. D. Women Of County To Meet In City Wednesday

Women of the 14 home demonstration clubs of Eastland County will meet at the First Methodist Church in Eastland Wednesday in a county-wide observance of National Home Demonstration Week.

A program that has been prepared will feature a speech by Miss Bess Edwards of College Station, former Texas A. & M. College Extension Service district agent at Stephenville, who has retired after 30 years of extension work.

Also on the program will be Miss Annie L. Lane of Stephenville, successor of Miss Edwards as district agent in District 8.

Other features of the morning program, which will begin at 10:45 p. m., will include group singing, games and skits by the different clubs, a ladies' chorus, and recognition of the oldest and youngest clubs in the county.

Mrs. M. W. Grieger of Flatwood, council chairman, will give the welcoming address.

A menu of baked ham, candied yams, green beans, a crisp salad, pickled beets, hot rolls, butter, pie, coffee and iced tea, prepared by the club women, will be served at 12 o'clock.

Invited guests will be the Eastland County commissioners and their wives, County Judge and Mrs. John Hart, the Extension Service personnel of the county, and husbands of club members.

A regular monthly meeting of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Club Council will be held at 2 p. m., following the luncheon.

### Rendition For School Tax Purposes Urged

Eastland school district taxpayers who have not rendered their property for taxation for the 1951 tax year should do so at once, J. Ross Rucker, school tax collector, advised this week.

Rucker said the renditions should be in by Tuesday, May 1.

Anyone who has not rendered his property may obtain a rendition sheet by calling the school tax office, or by coming there in person, Rucker said. The office is in the Exchange Building, and the telephone number is 211.

### Readership Honors Go To Junior High Group

Fifteen 8th grade students in Eastland Junior High will receive certificates of membership in the Texas Readers' Club this year, it was announced this week.

Membership in the club is made up of students who have read and made written reports on at least 10 worthwhile books from the school library.

Mrs. Joe Stephen, reading instructor, said she was pleased with the high caliber of the books chosen.

Students who are to receive certificates are Douglas Warren, Lyllia Houston, Mary Harlin, Neal Edwards, Hazel Spindle, Earl Corner, Leona Ellis, Raymond Soto, Glenn Maxwell, Norma Robinson, Corine Sellers, Margie Lane, Benny Warren, Margie Franklin and Harlan Herring.

### Bishop To Preach In Episcopal Church

The Right Rev. C. Avey Mason, Episcopal bishop of Dallas, will make his semi-annual visit to Trinity Episcopal Church in Eastland Sunday, and will preach the sermon at the morning service at 11 a. m.

Rev. William Albert, rector of Trinity Church, will present a class for confirmation to the bishop at the service. There also will be a baptismal service for children of the parish.

The public was invited to hear the bishop speak.

Final session of the confirmation class will be held at the church at 7 p. m. Friday.

Don Taylor, nephew of Mrs. E. C. Kilborn, is a patient in the Ranger General Hospital.

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### Mothers, Daughters Invited To Banquet

All mothers and daughters of Eastland and vicinity are invited to the first annual Mother and Daughter Banquet to be held in the basement of the First Methodist Church Thursday evening of next week, sponsors said this week.

The affair will begin at 7 p. m. Tickets are \$1.25 each.

Mrs. E. J. Turner, president of the South Ward P.T.A., which is sponsoring the banquet, said that mothers and daughters of all ages are urged to attend.

An interesting program has been arranged, Mrs. Turner said.

### Training School Held For Women

A training school for "food leaders" of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Clubs was conducted by Mrs. Ethel Sparks, county home demonstration agent, in her home Wednesday afternoon.

Most of the clubs were represented by two "food leaders" who were to return to their clubs and conduct similar schools.

Mrs. Sparks said the purpose of the session was to emphasize the daily and weekly planning of meals, and if possible to persuade the women who belong to the clubs to use the "Texas Food Standard Bulletin" in planning their menus.

"Meal planning," said Mrs. Sparks, "will enable housewives to utilize all left-overs in more attractive ways, make grocery buying a weekly or bi-weekly affair and consume less time and money. Thorough meal planning means using a greater variety of ideas and a wider variety of foods."

At the session, Mrs. Sparks prepared and cooked an entire meal based on menus from the bulletin. She was assisted by Miss Evelyn Bigby, assistant home demonstration agent.

Nine county clubs were represented by the 17 food leaders and six visitors at the meeting. Those who attended, and their clubs, are: Mrs. Gene Hill and Mrs. Winona Childers, Okra; Mrs. Charles Harris and Mrs. D. D. Franklin, Morton Valley; Mrs. Minnie Foster and Mrs. Zeb Bennett, Flatwood; Mrs. W. W. Sewell, Lake Cisco; Mrs. A. J. Woolsey and Mrs. R. J. Stevenson, Word; Mrs. Bill Tucker and Mrs. Electra Hattox, Salem; Mrs. J. T. Alford and Mrs. J. B. Eberhardt, North Star; Mrs. Thelma Collins and Mrs. J. C. King, Carbon; Mrs. Jeff Slippin, Mrs. Job Fleming and Miss Grace Brown, Pioneer-Gunn.

### Howard Brock Named Chief Plant Chemist

Howard Martin Brock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brock of Eastland, has been promoted to chief chemist in the Birmingham, Ala., plant of E. I. Dupont de Nemours Co., makers of explosives, according to word received by his parents.

Young Brock has been with the firm for eight months, following his graduation last June from the University of Texas, where he was awarded a degree in chemical engineering.

Earlier, he had been graduated from Eastland High School in 1943 and had served 38 months in the Naval Air Corps. He now is an ensign in the Naval Reserve.

The Birmingham plant is the largest operated by the Dupont firm.

### Jack Lusk Opens Tractor Repair Shop

Jack Lusk this week began operating a new tractor repair shop in the building at 516 West Main Street formerly operated as an automobile agency by V. T. Moser.

Lusk's shop is in the rear of the location of the Haile Tractor Co., but Lusk said he was operating an independent shop and has no direct connection with the tractor firm.

He invited all his old friends to come and see him in his new location.

### Siebert Named Athletic Director By School Board

The new position of athletic director for Eastland schools was created at a meeting of the Eastland Board of Trustees Wednesday night, and Coach Wendell Siebert was elected to fill the athletic director's place, as well as his previous job as head coach.

It was said that Siebert's other duties may be lightened somewhat to permit his wider scope in his new activities. His salary was not increased.

Almost all other school officials and teachers were re-elected by the board. Ed Hooker was named again as assistant coach; T. R. Atwood was re-elected band director; Miss Loretta Morris was re-named homemaking teacher.

School Supt. W. G. Womack and Business Manager J. Ross Rucker had been re-named for one-year periods earlier, and all four of the school principals, W. H. Stanley at the high school, W. C. Robinson at junior high, Mrs. Ruth Poe Herring at West Ward, and Mrs. H. H. Durham at South Ward, were named to new terms Wednesday.

Vocational Agriculture Teacher M. D. Fox still has a year to go on a three-year contract.

Others re-elected to the same positions they held last year were: High school, J. E. French, Miss Verna Fay Johnson, Charles B. Harris, Mrs. J. C. Whitley, and Mrs. Ethel Woloszyn.

Junior High, Mrs. H. H. Hardeeman, Miss Opal Hearn, Mrs. Bernice Stephen and Joe L. Williams. South Ward, Mrs. Francis Cooper, Mrs. D. E. Frazer, Mrs. Hazel Green, Mrs. H. M. Hart, Mrs. Marvin Hood and Ms. E. E. Layton.

West Ward, Mrs. T. L. Amis, Mrs. P. L. Crossley, Mrs. Guy Patterson, Mrs. Homer Smith, Miss Louise Snoddy and Miss Nettie Thornton.

### Doubting Thomases In Virginia To Get Proof Old Rip Lived Entombed 31 Years

Skeptical Virginians should be convinced the truth of the Old Rip story when Gene Smith of Episcopal High School, Alexandria Virginia, gets his material on the famous Eastland horned frog.

Young Smith wrote as follows to the Eastland Chamber of Commerce: "A native Texan, I objected strongly when our General Science teacher told us about a horned toad that had been sealed in a cornerstone in a Texas town for about four years.

"I argued the point that it had been sealed for thirty years, instead of four. The only proof I could find was in the 'Texas Brags' (Ed. Note: Book on sale at the Eastland County Record) and he would not accept this. I would appreciate it if you could tell me where I could find material proof of the toad being sealed for thirty years, so I could prove it to the class, and the Virginians."

Eastland Chamber of Commerce Manager H. J. Tanner, never shy about proclaiming to the world that it was in Eastland that Old Rip lived in the courthouse cornerstone for 31 years, answered as follows:

"I am enclosing a copy of a booklet giving the entire story of 'Old Rip,' the famous Horned Toad who lived in the Corner stone of the Eastland County Courthouse for 31 years.

"I am also enclosing a program of last year's 'Old Rip Horned Toad Derby,' which is celebrated each year here in Eastland and we have Derby entries from all parts of the United States. Last year we had a Derby entry from ex-Postmaster Gen. Jim Farley, and also one from the well known radio star, Edgar Bergen.

"Of course you can advise our good Virginia friends that we do resent any doubt of the veracity of one of our good Texans, and if the enclosed material concerning 'Old Rip' can not convince them, you can inform them that there are some 2500 good Eastland citizens who still live here

### Scranton Boys Named To 4-H Judging Tests

Four 4-H Club boys from Scranton who make up the 1951 Eastland County 4-H Club Livestock Judging team will compete in the district elimination contest in Stephenville Saturday, C. V. Whitaker, assistant county agent and the team catch, said this week.

Boys on the team are Dan and Don Jobe, Marvin Anthony and Don Slatten. They will compete against teams from 11 other counties at Stephenville, and the two high teams will compete in the State Roundup Contests at College Station.

Accompanying the boys will be Whitaker and his wife and their small daughter Carla, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clinton of Scranton. Clinton is the local leader of the Scranton 4-H Club and the uncle of Dan and Don Jobe.

### Soldiers Ruled Out For Armed Forces Day

There will be no military band or soldiers in Eastland for the joint observance of Ranch Day and Armed Forces Day May 19, Eastland Chamber of Commerce Manager H. J. Tanner was informed this week by letter from Fort Sam Houston.

Eastland civic leader had signed a letter asking for the military to promote the observance of Armed Forces Day, but the reply was that the current training program bans such public appearances.

Ranch Day is sponsored annually by the Band Boosters Club.

### Scouters' Pow Wow To Be In Eastland

The regular monthly Pow Wow for Scouters of the north district of the Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held in the Roof Garden of the Connellee Hotel in Eastland at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

E. R. Maxwell of Breckenridge is chairman for the district, made up of Eastland and Stephens Counties.

Eastland Scout workers will be hosts to the group. Dr. J. C. Whittington is vice-chairman representing Eastland, and Arthur Murrell is in charge of arrangements for the supper.

Maxwell urged every Scout worker to be present at the affair.

### Major Walter To Be Stationed In Germany

Major Harry Walter, who visited in Eastland last week along with his wife and son, and who recently has been assigned to the Second Armored Division at Fort Hood, will leave for duty in Germany May 20, and Mrs. Walter and their son Harry, now living in San Antonio, will follow when arrangements can be made.

Mrs. Mary Lowenthal, mother of Mrs. Walter, is planning to visit the Walter family in San Antonio about May 15.

The Walters formerly lived in Eastland, and Mrs. Walter was a teacher in the schools here.

### Castleberrys Move To Eastland Home

County Commissioner and Mrs. T. E. Castberry moved into Eastland the first of this week from their ranch home near Morton Valley to the home they purchased at 418 South Connellee Street.

They leased their ranch to Jack Baker.

The Castleberrys bought their Eastland home recently from Mr. and Mrs. George Lowrance.

### Scouts Enjoy At City Park

Leadership of Den No. 1, held a joint meeting at the City Park Wednesday school.

They brought his own picnic, and drinks were furnished by the den mothers.

Attending from the committee were Martin Day, Bobbie, Jimmy Barthelmy, Victoria, Jimmy Waller, Gaylene, Trevette Vermillion, Cooper, Billy Don Turner, Dean Fox, Jimmy Herby Weaver, den

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### Methodian Women To Presbyterial

Auxiliary of the Eastland Presbyterian Church attended the Presbyterial which met Thursday of last week.

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### Prevention Set For Thursday

business fire hazards complete going over next week when 35 to 40 members of the North Texas Chapter of Dallas will be here to door business surveys.

Group will have luncheon at 12:30 p. m. and local businessmen interested persons were invited to attend.

Luncheon, Dallas Fire W. G. Burns, reputedly an entertaining talker, will be the principal address. Chatfield, an executive of the Group of insurance



R. CHATFIELD

will lead the Field Club. He is president of the group of insurance men in the area.

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# News From.. STAFF

By MRS. M. O. HAZARD

A producing well was brought in Thursday on the Canet lease making three producers brought in this vicinity the past few weeks. With several more wells being drilled.

It looks now as though Staff will be in the center of an oil field.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Eastland, were the guests Sunday afternoon of their parents, the M. O. Hazards and R. A. Parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard attended preaching services at the Morton Valley Baptist Church Sunday evening. Rev. Hulén Hazard brought the message. Hulén is the grandson of the M. O. Hazards.

Royace Pope and family, of Cisco, were guests Sunday afternoon of his parents the T. E.



ACADEMY AWARD WINNERS . . . At a New York night spot, just before news came from Hollywood of the winners of the academy awards, winners Judy Holliday (left) and Jose Ferrer are cheered by Gloria Swanson (right), center for an award. Judy was judged best actress for part in "Born Yesterday" and Ferrer best actor for part in "Cyrano de Bergerac." George Cukor is at extreme right.

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Popes. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby and Judy Beth., of Eastland, were visiting with his parents, the Allen Crosby Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing were Eastland visitors Monday. Well spring seems to have made her arrival with her beautiful foliage and carpets of green. However the weather seems to be a

bit on the cool side. Mrs. O. T. Hazard visited with her parents, the W. H. Whites, in Eastland Wednesday.

Mrs. Cecil Nelson was an Eastland visitor Monday. Mrs. Fate Parsons and daughter Miss Annie, were business visitors in the community Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard, attended the revival services at the Downing Baptist Church in Comanche County Tuesday evening. The Rev. Ellis Hilliard, of Gustine, delivered the

evening message. Bro. Hilliard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Downing. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeves and small son, were Eastland visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Martin and two daughters, of California, were the guest recently of Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. W. E. Dowling and Mr. Dowling.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were guests Wednesday, of his sister Mrs. Pearl Bourland, in Eastland. Friends of Earl Little, who underwent surgery in the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman recently, are glad to know he was able to re-

**DYING INDUSTRY**

**Ice Harvest Was Big Business Before Electric Refrigeration**

THIS WINTER'S sustained freeze in New England and the Middle Atlantic States brought out skates, skis, and sleds—and reminded old timers of the not so long ago when the harvesting of natural ice was big business.

Seventy years ago, ice manufacturing plants were a novelty. Until well after the turn of the 20th century, many communities even as far south as Virginia had their needs for ice in summer supplied by one or more local ice farmers.

As the number of ice manufacturing plants climbed to its present U. S. total of 7,000, and, in later years, as home mechanical refrigeration became widespread, the southern frontier of natural ice harvesting has retreated slowly northward. No longer do New England ice barons export the natural product by train and shipload to southern climes. Although ice-cutting is still a familiar midwinter scene in the northern United States as well as on Canadian lakes and streams, today's harvests are largely for use not far from the scene of the cutting.

His ranks thinned, the ice harvester operates one or more big icehouses at the edge of a lake or still-water stream. The wood-frame double walls are armor against summer heat. A tier of doors from

ground to eaves facilitates ice storage and removal. He is ready to cut and store ice as soon as it becomes one foot thick.

Food cooling ventured out of caves and springhouses only a little more than a century ago. Thomas Moore, a farmer of Montgomery County, Maryland, obtained the first U. S. patent on a household icebox in 1893. Moore's idea could make little headway, however, at first. Improved methods of cutting and storing natural ice were necessary before the infant industry could grow by leaps and bounds.

It was the plowlike, horse-drawn ice-cutter of about 1827 that made natural ice harvesting one of the 19th century's big industries. Cutting a deep groove, it more than halved the labor of crisscross-scoring of the frozen surface so that the square blocks could be split off and floated to the ice-house ramp.

That revolutionary horse-drawn cutter has itself long been superseded. The job is now done almost effortlessly by a sled-mounted, gasoline-powered circular saw. Its teeth are so designed that they pull the whole rig forward even as they cut. The saw is set to leave enough of the thickness uncut to support the rig and workers.

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turn to his home in Eastland last Friday. Earl made his home in this community before moving to Eastland. His parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little are residents of the community at present.

Lonnie Crosby, of Cisco, visited his parents the Allen Crosbys Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Fox and children attended trades day in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman Kenneth and Allen, of Olden, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Foreman's parents Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Miller and two sons of Snyder were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson Saturday.

Mrs. R. A. Parker spent Tuesday in Eastland with her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Hazard, and family.

The fine rain Friday will be a great benefit to the gardens and pastures. The farmers have been busy preparing the soil for their field crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hallenbeck of Houston were the week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Hallenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and son, Roy Neil, visited Mrs. Nelson's father, Jess Joplin, at Merkel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alford, Norman Lee and Jerry Lynn visited in Eastland Saturday with Mrs. Alford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland visited relatives in the community Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Terry visited with relatives in Eastland Saturday.



OLDEST LIVING TRIPLETS . . . Mrs. Annie Donall, Mrs. Nellie (Hope) Daniels, and Mrs. Nora Phy, Hollywood, Fla., celebrate their 83rd birthday triplets.

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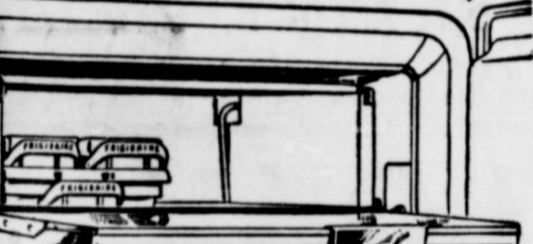
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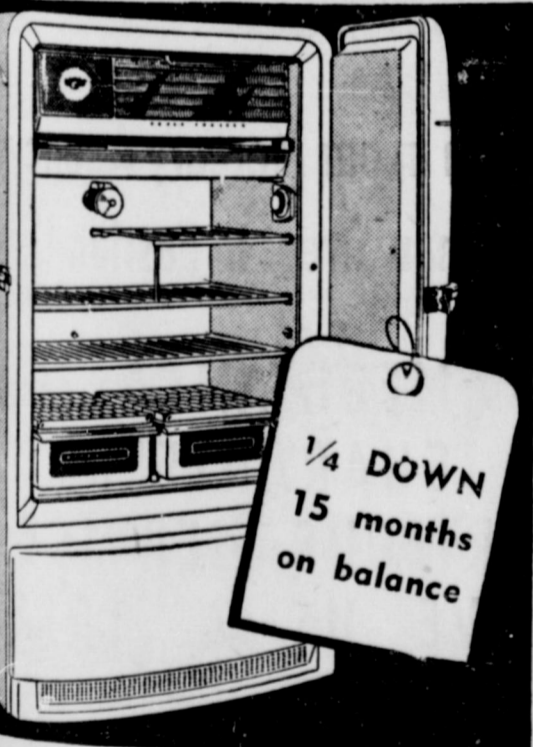
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News Items from OLDEN

By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fox of Texarkana visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Bess Fox, this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson left Thursday for Eldorado, where he will be pastor of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Lillian McMinn has returned from a two-week visit in Kermit with her children.

Dickie Harrell, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrell, is suffering with the mumps.

Stuents of Olden High School enjoyed a musical program in the gym last week by the Ranger Junior College chorus.

The community night program Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. J. C. Capps and Mrs. Harvey Fox visited in Anson last week.

Mrs. Sherman of Shamrock has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Burley Patterson, and son, J. D. Harrell and family this week.

Mrs. Ida Simer's daughter, Miss Laura Simer of Wichita Falls, visited over the week end.

Mr. and Mr. Pete Patterson of Albany visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Patterson, last week.

Ed Colburn left Wednesday for

Abilene, where he was to take an examination for the Air Force.

Mrs. Dick Yielding, Wanda and Mrs. Nettie Fox were in Ft. Worth Monday attending the Ice Capades.

Mrs. Stella Jarrett accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and Mrs. McMillion, of Ranger, attended the Ice Capades in Ft. Worth Friday night.

Mrs. Capps and Mrs. Henry Fox visited in Anson last week.

Mr. Charlie Cook and Mrs. C. L. White, of Ft. Worth, visited thier sister Mrs. W. C. Stark, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cole and Sherrell left Sunday for their home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chanchler and children, of Kingsville, visited her mother, Mrs. Annie Rice, over the week end. Her son R. J. and Mrs. Ray Howell and son were

visiting her also.

Mr. W. C. Stark's Mother of Comanche passed away Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Vaughn and Mrs. W. L. Wharton left Monday.

Mr. C. A. Howell, of Breakenridge, formerly of Olden, is reported to have suffered a severe heart attack.

The Negro Minstral from Eastland was staged Monday night at the Olden Gym. with one of the largest crowds.

Mrs. W. C. Stark is still quiet ill in her home.

Mrs. Nettie Fox, Mrs. Dick Yielding and Wanda attended the Ice Capades in Ft. Worth Monday night.

Mr. Junior Hamilton, of Pampa visited in the home of Mrs. V. M. Hamilton Sunday.

OLDEN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

By PAULINE COLTHARP

We were happy to have the Ranger Junior College Chorus over to entertain us during the week.

The Senior girls were presented with miniature Lane cedar chests as graduation presents from a furniture store in Ranger.

Now that the six weeks tests are over and done with, we can all breathe a little easier.

The Community Night program was a big success. We were really pleaser with the large crowd attending. The program was much longer and better than ever. There will be another Community night in May and don't miss it.

When you are reading this the seniors will probably be in San Antonio. We leave Thursday noon April 26. Our first stop will be Houston on Thursday night. Friday morning will be spent in Houston; Friday afternoon in Galveston; Friday night in San Antonio and Saturday and Saturday night



COCKY COSTELLO . . . Frank Costello, reputed underworld kingpin, undergoes questioning by senate crime committee.

A PEEK at the STARS

By LYN CONNELLY

HOOAGY CARMICHAEL has signed for a five-minute program three times a week . . . According to word from New York, NBC's "Big Show" will close the

current season with the broadcast of Sunday, May 6, in Hollywood . . . Musical Conductor Meredith Willson will return to his

Brentwood, Cal. home at that time to consider several TV and radio offers . . . Charles Coburn will star in a radio series pat-

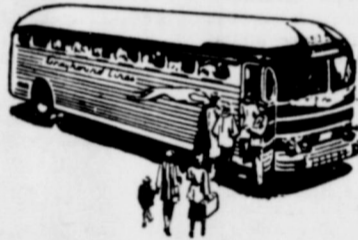
terned after "You Can't Take It With You" which is now being auditioned . . . The late Tom Breneman's "Breakfast in Hollywood," currently emceed by Jack McElroy as "Welcome to Hollywood" will fade from the air in a month to make more time for Woman Commentator Mary Margaret McBride . . . Lucille Ball and Hubby Desi Arnaz are planning a TV show.

PLATTER CHATTER CAPITOL—Red Ingle does a creditable job on the new and popular "Let Me In" . . . Flip has "Chew Tobacco Rag" . . . "K-K-K Katy," World War I favorite, is revived by Mel Blanc who would have had a fine record if he hadn't emphasized the stuttering too much . . . "Flying Saucoers" is on the reverse . . . You're going to love that "Hot Canary Polka" as done by Paul Nero and his violin with Jan Garber's oreh supplying the background.

MERCURY—A new little gal with a low, lovely voice makes her debut on Mercury . . . She's Doris Drew from San Antonio, Tex., and Los Angeles, Cal., way and the song is the oldie "Beautiful Brown Eyes" . . . Flip has "Shut Up and Make Love to Me" . . . A discovery of Frankie Laine, Miss Drew serves notice she's going places.

COLUMBIA—Jo Stafford warbles the always popular "San Antonio Rose" in fine fashion . . . She continues her good work on the reverse with "Lovely Is the Evening" . . . Tony Bennett comes up with the first song from the long-awaited "Valentino" film . . . It's called "The Valentino Tango."

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in San Antonio, also Sunday will be the trip back, with the class stopping at Austin and arriving home late Sunday night. The class has reservations for two nights at the White Plaza Hotel in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Weaver will accompany the seniors.

The Eastland Quarterback Club Minstrels were a huge success in Olden. I beleive it was the best show ever held in the Olden Gym. Everyone seemed to enjoy the show and we hope the show has as much success in Cisco and Weatherford. Marene Johnston did a splendid job of producing and directing the Minstrels.

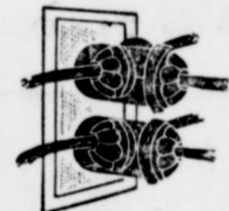
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### MOCK WEDDING, KITCHEN SHOWER HELD FOR COUPLE

A mock wedding followed by a  
kitchen shower climaxed an even-  
ing of fun and congratulations at  
a seated tea in the home of Mrs.  
A. F. Taylor Saturday evening of  
last week which honored Miss  
Veda Myrl Sneed and her fiance,  
Dan Amis.

Miss Sneed and Mr. Amis are to  
be married Saturday, April 28.

Guests for the evening included  
members, former members and  
friends of the Beethoven Music  
Club, of which Miss Sneed is a  
former member.

A highlight of the program was  
an original music romance telling  
of the honored couple's courtship  
through junior high and high  
school, on into college, and Mr.  
Amis' induction into the Air Force.

Both words and music for the  
romance were written by Mrs. Bil-  
lie Hunt Sanders of Weatherford,  
former member of the club and  
friend of the honorees.

During the evening, musical

numbers were played or sung by  
Misses Alice Joyce Cushman, Sallie  
Cooper and Jana Weaver.

Those in the mock wedding were  
Lou Ann Corbell, Alan Vermillion,  
Bill Kendrick, Alice Joyce Cush-  
man and Herby Weaver. The humo-  
rous ceremony was written by  
Mrs. Taylor.

The club presented the honored  
couple with an electric clock.

The home was beautifully deco-  
rated with spring flowers in pink  
and lavender, the bride's chosen  
colors. Miss Jana Weaver presided  
over the frosted punch from the  
bride's table, which was laid with  
a white cutwork cloth and center-  
ed by an arrangement of peonies  
and carnations, topped by pink  
candles in crystal candelabra.

White cake squares topped by  
pink coconut were served by Miss  
Cooper. Misses Corbell and Cush-  
man assisted in the dining room.  
Mrs. Marleece Kendrick presided  
at the bride's book.

Attending in addition to those  
named were Misses Marilyn Mor-  
gan of Littlefield, Eileen Vaughan,  
Margie June Poe, Bobbie Shero,  
Braly Lane, Jeanette Chapman,  
Betty Gay Allen and La Vonda  
Jordan, and Ernest Ray Sneed of  
Snyder, Webb Jordan and Charles  
Lucas.

Other guests included Mr. and  
Mrs. Bill Eddleman of Arlington,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kendrick, Mrs.  
Ernest Sneed of Snyder, mother  
of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Tom  
Amis, mother of Mr. Amis.

### Sorority Officers Installed In Ritual

New officers of the Beta Phi  
Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha  
were installed Monday evening in  
an impressive ceremony conducted  
by Mrs. Johnnie Aaron, sponsor  
and educational director of the  
group.

The ceremonial table was cov-  
ered with a white lace cloth and  
draped with the sorority ESA em-  
blem. Centering the table were  
the national sorority flowers, yel-  
low jonquils, flanked by yellow  
lighted candles.

Officers installed were, presi-  
dent Mrs. Harold Courtney, vice-  
president, Miss Evelyn Bigby, re-  
cording secretary Miss Bobbie  
Shero, corresponding secretary  
Mrs. Bill Martin, treasurer Miss  
Helen Lucas, and sponsor, Mrs.  
Aaron, re-elected.

Members of the chapter pre-  
sented a gift to Miss Helen Lucas,  
the outgoing president.

The social hour was enlivened  
by the revealing of secret pals for  
the past year. Refreshments of  
cake and coffee were served to  
those mentioned and Mesdames  
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### Two In Pioneer Club Honored On Birthdays

Two members of the Eastland  
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red with a birthday dinner Tues-  
day in the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Will Martin.

Two large birthday cakes sur-  
rounded by pansies held the  
place of honor in the names of  
Mrs. Ella Westbrook and Mrs.  
Beulah Speer. Both honorees  
were presented with gifts, after  
which J. B. Speer proposed a  
toast to the recipients and pre-  
sented a cake knife to the club  
in memory of the Steel family.

During the business meeting  
which followed the dinner, \$30 was  
voted from the treasury to be  
given to the Eastland Hospital  
Fund in honor of Mrs. O. P. Mor-  
ris, treasurer of the organization.

During the program, Mrs. Flo-  
rine Martin gave a sketch on "The  
Hearts of Haven," and Mrs. Tonsie  
Johnson read "Sermons We See."

The next meeting of the club  
will be in the home of Mrs. Maud  
Braly at 403 South Daugherty  
Street.

Twenty-Three members and five  
visitors attended the session.

### Class Votes To Give \$100 Toward Hospital

Members of the Martha Dorcas  
Class of the First Methodist  
Church voted to donate \$100 to  
the Eastland Hospital Fund during  
a meeting Wednesday afternoon  
in the home of Mrs. Frank Castle-  
berry.

Mrs. Castleberry was assisted in  
entertaining by Mrs. E. M. Grimes,  
Mrs. Fred Davenport and Mrs. B.  
O. Harrell.

After a brief business session  
conducted by Mrs. Harrell, Mrs.  
Davenport gave the devotional.

Two young guests, Misses Karen  
Castleberry and Mary Angeline  
Vaughan, played piano solos and  
assisted in serving punch and  
cake to those named and to Mes-

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Sr., W. B. Harris and J. V. Harbin,  
and to three visitors, Mesdames  
Ethel Coleman, Wilbur Laney and  
J. E. Jessop, the latter of To-  
peka, Kans.

### Dinner At Church Held By Presbyterians

Members of the Eastland Pres-  
byterian Church held their month-  
ly fellowship dinner in the church  
Monday evening, with about 20  
persons in attendance.

The long, linen covered table

was decorated with roses and pan-  
sies.

After the dinner, the women of  
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lamp. The occasion was the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clark on Thursday, April 19. Mrs. Clark is secretary of the W.M.S.

Mrs. G. W. Thomas conducted games at the party, and punch and cookies were served to the 19 W.M.S. members present by Mr. and Mrs. Clark and their grandsons, J. T., Jr., and Johnnie Clark.

Mesdames Ned Morris, Edna Lovell, Henry Lovell, Hallie Sea-

strunk, Rayneal Baze, O. Stone and G. W. Thomas attended the district conference of the W.M.U. in Cisco Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler attended funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Watkins, 91, in Gorman Monday.

Mrs. Lurene Hurst of Fort Worth spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Knight.

Mrs. Walker McCulley visited her mother, Mrs. C. R. Hamilton, in Gorman Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Bigby and daughter of Colorado City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett of Levelland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese, Saturday. Walter J. Greer, Jr., and H. V. O'Brien, Jr., spent the week end in Fort Worth and attended the IceCapades.

Mrs. Gates of Lampasas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Crawford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kitchens and family of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson and daughters have returned from a visit with relatives in Midland, Odessa and Brownfield.

Rev. C. Y. Butler of Clifton, and L. W. Butler of Big Spring, visited their brother, Joe Butler of Ranger, who is ill, and their cousin, Ike Butler, in Carbon last week. Other guests in the home were Mrs. Mattie Butler, Mrs. Stella Hardwick of Lamesa and Forrest Keith McAdoo.

Mrs. J. G. Medford left Sunday for Fort Worth, where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Donald Altizer and family. Mrs. Altizer, the former Miss Kate Medford, underwent an appendectomy in a Fort Worth hospital Monday.

News From . . . CHEANEY

-By Special Correspondent-

A host of friends and old time neighbors of Alameda and Cheaney gathered at the grave side Monday, April 23, 1951, at the Alameda Cemetery, to pay last respects to, Mrs. J. M. Watkins, who passed away in her home in Gorman, Sunday morning at 12:30 A. M. April 22, 1951, following an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Watkins, had she lived until Monday, would have been 92 years of age.

Her husband, J. M. Watkins, preceded her in death eight years ago and she has, since that time, made her home in Gorman. She has been a faithful member of the Church of Christ for 75 years.

Funeral Services were held by M. F. Manchester, Minister at Rising Star, Texas, a long time friend of the family, and Layton Plaster, Minister of the Gorman Church, who assisted him.

She is survived by 9 children, one son, William Watkins, Center, Texas, and 8 daughters, Mrs. Ada Wages, Fredrick, Okla. Mrs. Jimmie Belle Tate, DeLeon, Texas; Mrs. Eva Wright, Mrs. Alma Craig, Mrs. Kate Love, all of Gorman, and Mrs. Pearl Brooks of Ingleswood, Calif. All were present with the exception of Mrs. Brooks.

A brother, Bart Hughs, 86, of East Texas was present, also several of the grand children, great grand children and great - great grand children and other relatives.

Numerous friends came from Breckenridge, Desdemona, Carbon Olden, Stephenville and Eastland.

There will be a singing at the Cheaney Church of Christ Sunday afternoon, and everyone is invited to attend.

Scale Runners Club Officers Are Named

Officers of the Scale Runners Club were elected at a meeting of the club Wednesday in the home of Julia Lynn Inzer.

Elected were: President Evelyn Bailey, vice-president Mary Angeline Vaughan, secretary Glenna Kilgore, critic Sue Stoker, assistant pianist Julia Lynn Inzer, parliamentarian Ella Joy Walker, historian Jamie Barker, reporter Jane Howell, and pianist Betty Jo Westfall.

In the program, piano solos were played by Mary Vaughan, Sue Stoker, Mike Perry, Julia Lynn Inzer, Glenna Kilgore, Ella Joy Walker and Evelyn Bailey.

Gayle Kilgore read an article on "How Fairies Play."

Before the refreshment were served, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, sponsor of the club, conducted a musical quiz for those mentioned and for Beverly Moser, Linda Huckaby, Jane Howell and Pat MacMoy.

Mrs. I. C. Inzer assisted her daughter with serving.

New South Ward P-TA Officers Are Named

New officers for the South Ward P-T.A. were elected at a meeting of the organization Tuesday.

Mrs. E. M. Pritchard was elected president to succeed Mrs. E. J. Turner. Other officers elected

were Mrs. L. E. Huckaby first vice-president, Mrs. Turner second vice-president, Mrs. H. B. MacMoy third vice-president, Mrs. Charles Butler secretary, and Mrs. A. J. Blevins, Jr., treasurer.

Mrs. Cooper's first grade pupils were hosts for the social hour and program.

Five of T. R. Atwood's Eastland High School Band students, Misses

Jo Ann Hollis, Joan Hicks, Brenda Tankersley, Mozelle Pullman, and Jimmy Lynn Harris, presented a musical program preceding the speakers, Mrs. L. M. Chapman and Mrs. Walter Payne, who talked on "Our Responsibility toward Youth" and "Forgetting Ourselves," respectively.

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News from the Court House

SUITS FILED

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

Hickok Producing & Development Co. vs. Lawton Hedrick, et al, trespass to try title.

Post Produce Co. vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Co., damages.

D. J. Walker vs. Leola Walker, divorce.

Textile Banking Co., Inc., vs. Lloyd Clem, Inc., suit to collect debt.

J. C. McKinney, et al, vs. W. Ray Jones, et al, suit to set aside judgment.

Eunice McCain vs. David McCain, divorce.

W. R. Penn vs. Carolyn Penn, divorce.

ORDERS & JUDGMENTS

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

Juanita Mae Little vs. Sherman Franklin Little, order to reset temporary injunction.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

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

W. M. Angle to W. F. Lacey, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Bula Anderson to Rex Bailey, warranty deed.

E. L. Atwood to Mrs. Agnes Townsend, warranty deed.

U. Z. Aaron to L. E. Hageman, release of vendor's lien.

Rosa Bishop to Viola Pollard, warranty deed.

James L. Brown to James L. Brown, Jr., warranty deed.

E. A. Ballinger to Raymond Young, oil and gas lease.

Bessie Bennett to Raymond Young, oil and gas lease.

Daniel N. Conway to Norma F. Conway, warranty deed.

Jack Chamberlain to The Public, affidavit.

G. D. Chastain to Houston Bra-shares, release of oil and gas lease.

Alta Mae Clegg to James L. Overton, warranty deed.

Oliver Canet to O. V. Jones, oil and gas lease.

Frank Crowell to First Federal Savings & Loan Assn., transfer of ML.

Charles L. Cofer to Mrs. Lila Hendricks, quit claim deed.

City of Eastland to Mrs. C. H. Davis, deed.

City of Cisco to J. E. Shirley, deed.

City of Cisco to J. Walter Johnson, deed.

City of Eastland to W. D. R. Owen, deed.

City of Cisco to The Public, dedication and plat.

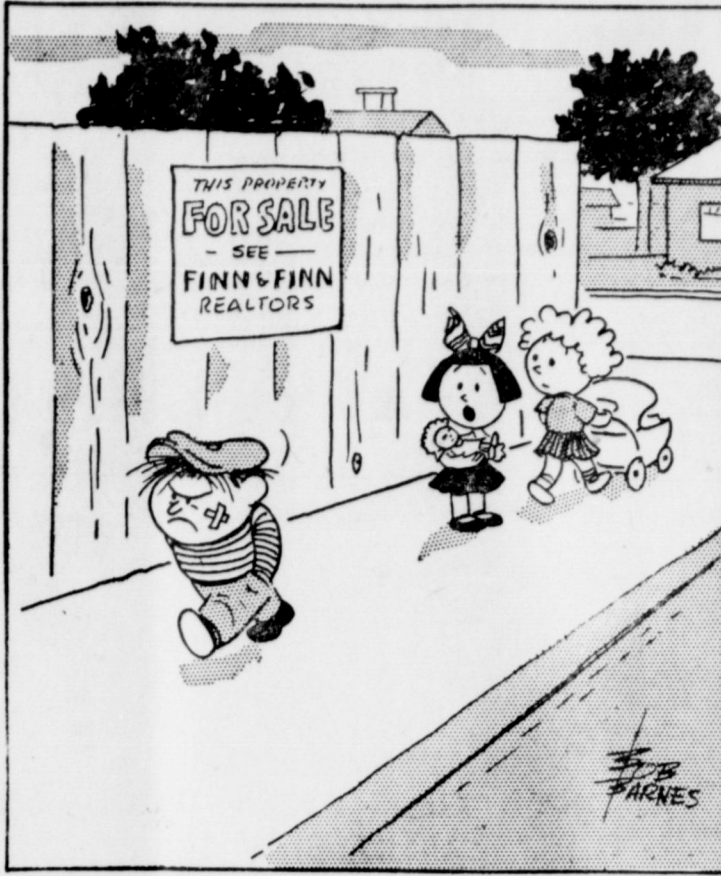
Minnie E. Dollar to B. H. Hight, warranty deed.

Ditmore Land & Cattle Co. to Lillie O. Farmer, quit claim deed.

Deep Rock Oil Corp to the following, gas pooling agreements: S. Lemley Plummer, Hubert H. Haskins, Mollie S. Gholson.

M. O. Duncan to R. O. Duncan, release of vendor's lien.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"They Say He's So Tough He Only Eats The Lions And Tigers In Animal Crackers."

Beverly S. Dudley, Jr., to Bankers Life Co., deed of trust.

C. S. Eldridge to Jack Brown, contract.

First Federal Savings & Loan Assn. to Lois Dunn, release of deed of trust.

First Federal Savings & Loan Assn. to Woodrow Harbin, release of deed of trust and of ML.

J. J. Grimshaw to W. M. Angle, oil and gas lease.

B. E. Garner to Walter Leo Gann, quit claim deed.

E. B. Gamblin to Vin Gamblin, assignment of oil and gas lease.

W. L. Holmes to The Public, affidavit.

Hickok Producing & Development Co. to Lawton Hedrick, lis pendens notice.

J. H. Havner to L. O. Lynn, warranty deed.

W. L. Hinds to E. H. R. Sabens, release of oil and gas lease.

E. O. Hendricks to The Public, proof of heirship.

Lila Hendricks to R. D. McCrary, warranty deed.

J. W. Hooks to Bankers Life Co., transfer of lien.

O. V. Jones to E. M. Shirley, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Madge Johnston to M. O. Johnston, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Charles J. Kleiner to Bankline Oil Co., oil and gas lease.

Mary Louise Kleiner, et al, to Bankline Oil Co., oil and gas lease.

Lincoln Tank Co. to The Public, release of MML.

Wayne Lingle to C. M. Ledbetter, warranty deed.

W. L. Lorenz to Howard H. Lewallen, warranty deed.

G. L. Lowrance to M. V. Standish, deed of trust.

G. W. Mitchell to S. D. Johnson, oil and gas lease.

W. H. Mayhew to W. A. Garrett, warranty deed.

Wade Massengale to W. M. Jones, warranty deed.

McElroy Ranch Co. to Anna Weiser, release of oil and gas lease.

McElroy Ranch Co. to Alvie Hines, release of oil and gas lease.

R. D. McCrary to First Federal Savings & Loan Assn., deed of trust.

Ray A. Norris to Raymond Young, oil and gas lease.

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Wanda V. O'Brien to The Public, cc probate.

Grace Pulley to First National Bank of Fort Worth, deed of trust.

L. H. Qualls to The Public, affidavit.

Myrtle C. Rogers to W. M. Angle, oil and gas lease.

Lucy A. Rust to B. C. Warlick, oil and gas lease.

Allison Rich to Arthur Kingery, oil and gas lease.

W. B. Roberts to Helen Claxton, warranty deed.

Southern Holding Co. to The Public, agreement.

Robert J. Steel to Dovie M. Wood, MD.

G. W. Shults to Robert L. Shults, warranty deed.

E. M. Shirley to Jay Graves, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Robert J. Steel to Guy Parker, MD.

E. H. Sabens to H. G. Nelms, assignment of oil and gas lease.

E. H. R. Sabens to J. D. Beckelman, assignment of oil and gas lease.

E. H. R. Sabens to Marcus Parker, assignment of oil and gas lease.

E. H. R. Sabens to J. J. Roberts, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Tom B. Stark to J. J. Callaway, MD.

N. B. Squires to Mrs. Sudie

Jones, quit claim deed.

Hazel Tindal to Mrs. Ruby Carpenter, warranty deed.

W. T. Thaxton to The Public, cc probate.

W. E. Tyler to H. P. Shaw, warranty deed.

J. R. Todd to E. I. Denton, release of vendor's lien.

L. A. Thompson to L. H. Welch, MD.

C. G. Uffleman to State Highway Com., quit claim deed.

United States vs. Royce L. Boyd Co., notice of tax sale.

Glen White to K. N. Greer, contract of sale.

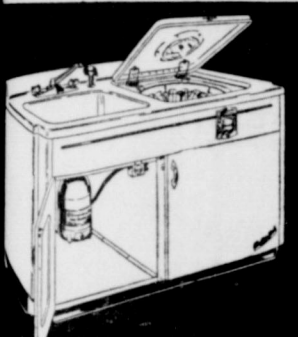
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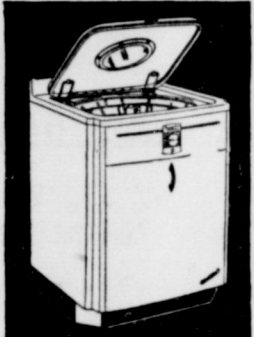
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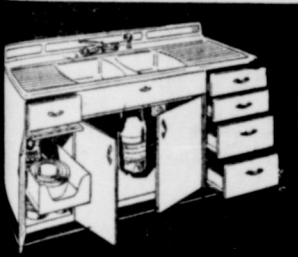
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## News From . . .

### Morton Valley

By MRS. CLIFTON BECK

Mrs. Bobby Lee Emfinger, a Morton Valley girl and a licensed beautician, is opening a beauty shop in her home, just east of the States Oil Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Joe Sturm and Eddie of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gann visited in the Graham home on Sunday also.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hearn and daughters of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hearn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brockman II, Sidney Ann and Chuck of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brockman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart and Jan of Lubbock spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thompson.

The Harmony Baptist Church will hold a revival April 29 through May 13 with the new pastor, Claude Harris, in charge. Dr. Tidwell of the Bible Department of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, will conduct the services Sunday. Hulen Hazard will lead the singing and Royce Burrows will be the pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown of Alameda visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee Emfinger Sunday.

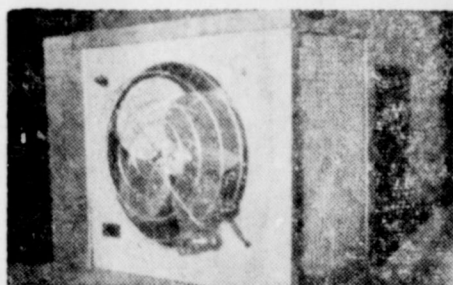
We had a pretty good shower and a sprinkling of hail last Friday, and the good it did is showing up already.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Turner are

in Flint, Mich., where he is attending a school for mechanics. Mrs. Boyd Hazard had a telegram from them saying they had arrived safely and had a nice place to stay. Mr. Turner, who is being sent to the school by the Lamb Motor Company, will be there for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Shamburger and Linda spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Shamburger, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Franklin

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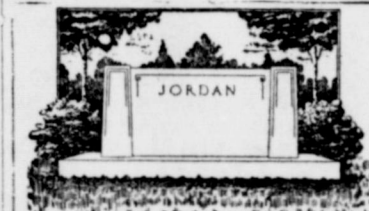
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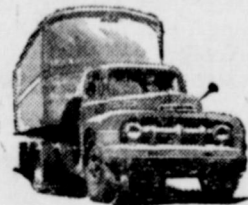
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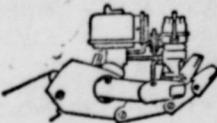
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