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Around The Square

With Mack

The other day we were out pricing garden seed and tomato plants, but today we are trying to keep the snow from running down our collar. This West Texas weather man doesn't know what it is all about, for the most ignorant mug-wump in Giles county knows that it is supposed to be cold in the winter. December should produce some ice, but this time about all it produced was perspiration, and we don't like it. When our thermometer should have been reading 32 it read 88, and it is not fair. We had on our long handies, but should have been wearing light weight shorts.

When we came to work today we slipped on the shorts and now we are wondering how on earth we are going to get home. The weatherman says he broke the machine, and until he can get a new one from a mail order firm, he can't do a thing but let nature take its course, and that means ice, sleet and snow.

He should be more careful with that weather making machine for it is none too good at best. Some of the parts he is using come off that old "Chirvy" of ours, and the whole thing is a rebuilt proposition. However, if he will leave that Christmas jug alone and stay on the job, he can produce a lot better weather than he does. There is no excuse for Summer heat right here in the middle of Winter, and we don't want any more zero weather in August. Common sense should teach him that much.

Even the Almanacs leave out West Texas weather. We got our new copy the other day, and immediately turned over to the page that should have told us whether we were to have a White Christmas. Instead of the weather report the page was blank only for a few lines by the Chief Almanacker who said: N. B.—West Texas weather—No comment. Weatherman on "toot." Except most anything and rest assured you will not be disappointed. Consult local editor, biggest liar in region, but fair guesser when sober.

Now with nothing more than this to work on how do you expect us to serve you the kind of weather you want? Fact is, if it doesn't rain pretty soon, we are going to quit guessing. And we should sue the Almanac man for libel. The very idea of even suggesting that we might be induced to inhale a pint or so of this so-called liquid sun-shine. That stuff was made to kill screw-worms—not for men to drink. However, a few of them are still trying to get by with it, and there is the excuse for larger jails.

Not to change the subject, but just to be sure you know all about it, a preacher won first place in the Liar's International the other day. He may be pretty windy, but only for the fact that we are very modest, we would invite him down for a few days and give him a sample of our stuff. Bet we could teach him for ten years and then beat him in any kind of contest he might promote. You know there is an art in the profession. A good liar is in a class all his own. He can dry up tears and break hearts all in one sentence. He will make you laugh when you should be crying, and there are times when we feel you should be shedding tears rather than laughing.

But as this has nothing at all to do with the weather, we shall close until we get something to write about.

Wreck At Seguin Fatal To 2, With 3 Others Hurt
SEGUIN, Jan. 3 (UP)—Three persons remained in serious condition in Seguin hospital today from injuries received last night in a head-on automobile collision which killed two persons near here.

Inferior Grass Is Choking Out Better Grasses

W. M. Hancock, Zephyr, Texas, a supervisor of the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District, has been doing some experimenting on his farm. With the assistance of the technical staff of the Soil Conservation Service he has worked out definite stocking rates and grazing schedules on several of his pastures. He reports his results this way: "The pounds of beef that have been produced from the range that has been properly stocked and managed proves that proper stocking and deferment, at the proper time, is essential to high production. Where a planned system was not followed I found the cattle kept the better grazed down and permitted the inferior grasses to get stronger and eventually take over."

Brush eradication is another practice that Mr. Hancock has proved will pay dividends. With brush pushing and strict grazing control he has succeeded in changing his pasture from heavy brush with scattered clumps of inferior grasses to a pasture that is predominantly Little bluestem, Indiangrass and Sideoats grama. The brush was pushed in the summer of 1947 (with PMA assistance). The pasture was stocked with goats until April 1948. In order to give the better grasses a chance to make a good growth and reseed the pasture was deferred from April to November 1948. In November the pasture was restocked with both goats and cattle and they remained on the pasture until May 1, 1949. The stock was held off the pasture until October 15, 1949. In 1950 all of the goats were taken off this pasture and started on the brush in another pasture.

186 Weddings In County Last Year

Records in the office of County Clerk Virgil Lowe indicate that Eastland county had about 186 weddings during 1951. At least that is the number of marriage licenses issued, though it is possible a few of these may have back-fired. Back-firing is caused from several sources. First, the old gal may change her mind, and very few men will fall for a womanless wedding.

Occasionally a bride or groom may be pulled too green, and it is on these occasions that papa and mama step up and demand further "ageing."

Army May Be Opening POW Mail Parcels

TOKYO, Jan. 3 (UP)—Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's supreme headquarters refused today to confirm or deny a report that headquarters officers are opening and reading all mail from American war prisoners in Korea before forwarding it to the U. S. An official spokesman said he could state only that there is no censorship of the mail from Communist prison camps in that no deletions are made. All letters are forwarded quickly to anxious relatives, he said.

National Broadcasting Company correspondent Joseph Levine said last night that the letters are opened and examined by Allied officers "for information—including any evidence that the doughboy has succumbed to the Communist line."

Russia Proposes United Nations Break Korean Armistice Deadlock



W. M. Hancock, Zephyr, Texas, Supervisor of the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District, looks over some of the cattle that he is wintering on native pasture. To supplement the grass the cattle are given a little home-grown grain. The cattle are staying in very good condition.—Soil Conservation Service Photo.

Joe Faircloth Candidate For Commissioner

Joe Faircloth of Ranger, at this time chief deputy for Sheriff Frank Tucker, but former oilfield worker and livestock agent, has asked us to announce to the voters of Eastland county, that he is a candidate for the Office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

Mr. Faircloth is by no means a stranger in this section, and for more than 45 years has been a resident of Eastland county. He was at one time employed by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association of Ft. Worth as brand inspector. For 20 years he was an employee of the Lone Star Gasoline Company. Later he operated Sales Barns in Ranger. During the past years he has been serving as chief deputy sheriff of Eastland county.

He is a family man, having a wife and daughter. Is a member of the Baptist church and Masonic Lodge.

Joe says he is running on his own merits and not on the demerits of any other candidate who might announce at a later date. He is well and favorably known and feels he can render a service that will be appreciated by county taxpayers, if they see fit to elect him. His candidacy, of course is subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Gasoline Tank Causes War-Like Explosions

HILLIARDS, O., Jan. 3 (UP)—A derailed gasoline tank car of a Pennsylvania freight train exploded in the downtown section last night, starting a spectacular fire that destroyed a new grain elevator and touched off a load of 20-millimeter shells stored in a boxcar.

At least four persons were injured slightly by the exploding ammunition which a World War II veteran said sounded like "Guadalcanal."

The flying bullets endangered about 600 residents and an estimated 150 firemen who brought the blaze under control about midnight, slightly more than four hours after it began.

Little Items Of Local Interest

J. M. and Leon Smith came in Tuesday from the lower country where they have been hunting. Both brought in a buck—one a three and the other a four point. Earlier in the season they got an 8-point buck in South Texas.

Tug Racing To Save Battered Ship; Skipper Still On Board

LONDON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Gale-lashed seas threw the battered American freighter Flying Enterprise into an 80-degree list today and the U. S. Navy announced preparations to remove if necessary the heroic skipper who has battled alone for six days to save the stricken vessel.

U. S. Naval headquarters here said the American destroyer John W. Weeks was standing by, ready to remove Capt. Henrik Kurt Carlsen from the ship.

"Preparation has been made with Captain Carlsen for rescue if required," the Naval announcement said.

It added that the Flying Enterprise was rolling as much as 80 degrees in squalls and heavy seas. Its decks were nearly vertical.

However, the Navy said, 60 degrees is still the hapless vessel's "normal list." It said winds of up to 63 miles an hour were clocked by the destroyer standing by west of Land's End, southwestern tip of England.

A British sea-going tug raced to get the 6,710-ton freighter in tow before even worse weather brewing in the sea capsized it.

The 37-year-old Woodbridge, N. J. skipper of the Flying Enterprise directed the evacuation of all passengers and crew Saturday and determined to remain with his ship until it was taken in tow or went down.

Famed 101 Ranch Boss Dies From Cancer At Waco

WACO, Jan. 3 (UP)—Col. Zachary (Zack) Taylor Miller, last of the three brothers who owned and managed the famed 101 Ranch in Oklahoma, died in Hillcrest Hospital at 2:39 a.m. today from cancer of the liver.

The fabulous Oklahoma pioneer and stockman who loaned countless thousands of dollars to his Indian friends and once was cured by Indian medicine men, had been hospitalized six weeks. He was 73 years old.

March Of Dimes Drive Begins In Eastland Today

The Eastland County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis spent \$7861.34 to assist a total of eight polio patients last year, it was revealed today by Joe Collins, Chapter Chairman.

Making public the 1951 financial report of Mrs. Ida Plummer, Chapter Chairman, Mrs. Plummer declared that services made possible through funds raised in the 1951 March of Dimes underlined the need for a successful 1952 drive.

The record of what has been done makes us all eager to continue and to expand this work as needed, he said. Unfortunately, even if we had no cases of infantile paralysis in our county in 1952, there remains much to be done for patients stricken in 1951 or before. Of the eight patients aided in 1951, one was an old case, seven new ones. The toll of polio continues on into the next year or years.

The report showed that \$7861.34 was expended for hospitalization of polio patients whose families could not afford full cost of care themselves.

The Eastland County March of Dimes last year raised \$3779.04 of which 50 per cent retained for local services and 50 per cent sent to national headquarters for its scientific research and professional education program, as well as emergency aid to chapters. The national office supplements local funds when high incidence wipes out local resources. During the year \$3250.00 was received in emergency aid by the Chapter. Mr. Collins said, and the Chapter begins 1952 with \$1323.00 in unpaid bills.

Gordon L. Smith Takes Post As Res. Engineer

Gordon L. Smith is now resident engineer in Eastland county, for the State Highway Department. He succeeds E. M. Pritchard, who has been transferred to Brownwood and promoted to assistant District Engineer.

Until the first of the year, when his promotion became effective, Mr. Smith had been serving as assistant resident engineer. He has been in Eastland for four years. J. D. (Jimmie) Coker of Coleman, has been named as assistant Resident Engineer here, and will arrive within the next few days. This will give the local office a crew of five men.

Country Club To Elect Officers Friday Evening

Members of Eastland County Club are to meet at 7 p.m. Friday evening at the new building of the club for the purpose of electing officers and directors for the new year.

OTHER NATIONS EXPECTED TO REJECT RUSSIAN BID

By Richard Watkins
United Press Staff Correspondent
PARIS, Jan. 3 (UP)—Russia proposed today that a United Nations Security Council meeting be called immediately to attempt to break the deadlock in the Korean armistice talks.

The surprise proposal also would call on top-level delegates—perhaps foreign ministers—to survey all phases of the cold war to determine if tension could be eased.

The resolution was submitted before the UN General Assembly's main political committee under a special UN charter provision authorizing "periodic" Security Council meetings attended by high government officials and specially-designed delegates.

It was believed the Western powers would hastily reject the move. They have maintained persistently that a Korean cease-fire is a purely military problem that must be negotiated in battle-filled talks.

The resolution was submitted during a committee debate in which Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky accused the United States of trying to hatch a Korea-style war in Southern China.

Vishinsky's 38-page speech, mainly devoted to a rejection of an 11-power resolution to bolster the UN's anti-aggression machinery, was comparatively restrained.

His main theme was that the U. S. was trying to use the UN as a camouflage for its "aggressive policies."

He again accused the U. S. of starting the Korean war and then echoing the Chinese Communist claim that the Americans are plotting a war against Red China itself.

"U. S. supplies support the bandit groups of Kuomintang Gen. Li Mi on the frontier of Thailand, Burma and Viet Nam (Indo-China) in Yunnan Province," he said.

"All this is preparation for new aggressive actions against the Chinese People's Republic in this and other countries of this part of world," he said.

He made the charge in answer to a proposal, by 11 nations, backed by the U. S., to streamline the UN's collective security machinery to enable it to deal with any new aggression as rapidly as possible. The plan would authorize the UN to delegate regional defense groups like the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to act on its behalf to repel an aggressor.

"Vishinsky said the new program would not enforce peace but would become a threat of a new war."

County Roads To Get Attention During The Year

Quite a few miles of roads in Eastland county will come in for attention this year, according to Engineer Gordon L. Smith of the local Highway Department office.

The most outstanding job for the year will be that of the Eastland-Ranger highway, which is to be straightened out, and widened to make a 4-lane highway, similar to that between Eastland and Cisco. Considerable work will be done of the Carbon-Okra road, including two new concrete bridges.

Approximately 17.4 miles of farm-to-market roads are included in the year's program.

State Highway No. 16 from Strawn to Desdemona is to be put in good shape. Thirteen miles of this road is in Eastland county.

Texas Covered By Rain, Sleet, Snow And Ice

By United Press
Much of Texas remained in winter's grip today and more freezing rain was in prospect for already icy South and West Texas where three deaths were charged to traffic accidents on slick highways.

Road conditions remained extremely hazardous in the Panhandle and the highway patrol warned that hundreds of miles of West Texas highways were glazed. Snow fell Wednesday night at Amarillo. Fog rolled in from the coast and Austin and Waco weather stations reported cold drizzle falling this morning.

Freezing rain sliced down at Lubbock, Mineral Wells, Big Spring and Abilene. Amarillo temperature was 24 degrees at 4:30 a.m. today and the other readings were Childress 26, Wichita Falls 28, Lubbock 25, Abilene 29, Ft. Worth and Dallas 32, Waco, 35, Austin 35 San Antonio 37.

Houston and Corpus Christi were fog-wrapped. The mercury dropped to 44. Brownsville had 67 degrees.

Latest reported victim of a traffic accident was Henry B. Campbell, Santa Fe Railroad engineer from Amarillo. He died of injuries received in a collision near Wichita Falls.

Hane Herron, 17-year-old Hylton girl, died yesterday in an accident near Sweetwater and Ann Thompson, 11, of Amarillo, died yesterday from injuries received Tuesday.

Clayton Rand Says

It was thoughtful of Senator Bob Taft to have his tonsils taken out this early in the presidential campaign. Often the removal of one's tonsils changes one's voice and it will be interesting to see what effect, if any, this operation has upon the Senator's candidacy.

A candidate for president has to have much more today than a catchy platform and qualities of statesmanship. On account of radio, television and shorts on the "screemies" he must have sex appeal, be more or less photogenic and possess a radio personality.

It becomes necessary for some candidates to study elocution and with television coming into the political picture candidates may have to submit to plastic surgery, like movie actors, to be presentable.

George Washington with his false teeth, Abraham Lincoln with his wiskers, and Calvin Coolidge with his cold exterior might have had some trouble today melting masses.

A political campaign is as hard on the people as on the candidates and 1952 promises to be a rip-snorter. There will probably be more static on the radio and more distortions on TV than the people have ever encountered.

So it was kind of Senator Taft to condition himself for the campaign. If President Harry Truman would only have his adenoids removed now, we'd know whether he had made up his mind.

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Doss Alexander to Ray to \$200 for Life Insurance Company, well, soft water of trust.
Johnnie Aaron to Texas from town, trice Service Company, rlyer, Carbon, way.

Forrest Boone to Ray choice lots Young, cor. oil and gas lease, 915 West ranty deed.
G. F. Beck to J. L. Joyner,

W. A. Byrd to Dere She have an old quit claim deed.
Burton Lingo Company it. We will Ace Lucas, partial release of or, or may- Earl Bender to Robert L. O might even ton Jr., release of vendor's licket knife. E. C. Conner to J. J. Callaway's Store. assignment of oil and gas lease, A-1 con- Carbon Cemetery Assn., to delivery H. Warner, cemetery deed, at Wilson way.

M. Cunningham to J. only deed.

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FOR SALE: Gas range and electric refrigerator. 710 S. Broughton, phone 617-J.

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WANTED: Roofing work. Stafford Roofing Co. "For Better Roofs". Box 1267, Cisco, Phone 465.

WANTED: Man to work on dairy farm. D. F. Williams, Eastland, Rt. 2. Phone 744-J-1.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates of public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1 Joe Faircloth

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FOR RENT: House. Apply 407 S. Maderia St. Phone 476-W.

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FOR RENT: House. Apply 497 S. Maderia St. Phone 476-W.

FOR RENT: Apartment. 305 N. Daugherty. Phone 811-W.

FOR RENT: 4-room apartment, newly decorated. 599 W. Commerce.

FOR RENT: Bedroom, 415 South Seaman.

FOR RENT: 2 room furnished apt., 205 South Walnut.

FOR RENT: Large house, near schools. Call 596 J.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE

TO THE CITIZENS AND OWNERS OF PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS
Notice is hereby given that under H. B. No. 888 heretofore passed by the Legislature of the State of Texas, fifty and more of the qualified voters of the territory embraced within the city limits of the City of Eastland, Eastland County, Texas, who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same to the County for taxation, have petitioned Eastland County Water Supply District for annexation of said territory to said District; a certified copy of said petition has been filed with the Commissioners Court of Eastland County, Texas;

The Board of Directors of Eastland County Water Supply District has unanimously adopted a resolution requesting the Commissioners Court of Eastland County to annex said territory to said District, without condition; a certified copy of such resolution has been filed with the Commissioners Court;

Said Commissioners Court has fixed January 14, 1952, at 10 o'clock A.M. as the time and the Commissioners Courtroom in the Court House of Eastland County, at Eastland as the place for a hearing to be held by said Court on the question of whether the territory proposed to be annexed will be benefited by the improvements, works and facilities contemplated to be owned or operated by said District; all persons interested may appear at such hearing and offer evidence for or against the intended annexation.

Dated this the 31st day of December, 1951, at Eastland, Eastland County, Texas.
COMMISSIONERS COURT OF EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS
John S. Hart, County Judge; T. E. Castleberry, Commissioner; A. M. Thurman, Commissioner; Henry Carter, Commissioner; Arch Hint, Commissioner.

Control Found For Crabgrass

Crabgrass, the common pest of lawn growers, may be controlled by chlordane, says Capper's Farmer.

"Chlordane, the insecticide that kills grasshoppers, ants, flies and other bug pests, also kills crabgrass and chickenweed," reports the nationally-circulated farm magazine.

"When it was reported that chlordane residue in the soil affected seed germination, a Michigan scientist tried the insecticide on crabgrass. It delayed emergence, prevented germination of seed when applied in the soil and killed the crabgrass when sprayed on the foliage. The effect upon seed is important because other crabgrass controls now available do not prevent germination and require repeated applications.

"Best results were obtained from foliage applications when chlordane was applied 5 to 10 pounds an acre in a refined oil carrier. This mixture killed crabgrass quickly without injury to other lawn grasses.

"The method permits a quick kill of crabgrass with a single application of spray mixture and also leaves a residue in the soil which may prevent reinfestation later in the season."

A kangaroo, standing tall as a man and weighing 200 pounds when full-grown is only an inch long at birth—about the size of a bee—according to nature authority Alan Devoe in the January Reader's Digest.

UNKIE HANK SEZ
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JANUARY CALENDAR

The following items have been listed for the January Calendar. If any item of interest has been omitted please call 601, 223 or 224-R.

- JANUARY 3rd** Thursday Afternoon Club, 3 p.m. Woman's Club.
- JANUARY 4th** Eastland Public Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 5th** Eastland Public Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 7th** Eastland Public Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 8th** Lions Club meeting, First Methodist Church, 12 noon. West Ward PTA Study Club 9 a.m. B. H. Green Home, 902 West —Plummer.
- JANUARY 9th** Civic League and Garden Club, 3 p.m. Woman's Club. Eastland Library open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 10th** South Ward PTA Study Club 9:30 a.m. R. H. Latham Home, 706 South Bassett. Alpha Delphian Club, 3 p.m. Woman's Club.
- JANUARY 14th** Beethoven Junior Music Club, J. M. Cooper Home, 513 South Daugherty, 7:30 p.m. Rotary Club Connellee Hotel Roof Garden, 12 noon. WSWS 1:30 p.m. First Methodist Church. Eastland Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 15th** Lions Club, First Methodist Church, 12 noon. West Ward PTA meeting 3:15 p.m. West Ward School.
- JANUARY 16th** Music Study Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club. Eastland Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 17th** Thursday Afternoon Club, 3 p.m. Woman's Club.
- JANUARY 18th** Eastland Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 19th** Eastland County Federation 2:30 p.m. Woman's Club. Eastland Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 21st** Las Leales Club 7:30 p.m. Woman's Club. WSWS 1:30 p.m. First Methodist Church. Eastland Library 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Rotary Club, 12 noon, Connellee Hotel Roof Garden.
- JANUARY 22nd** Lions Club, 12 noon, First Methodist Church.
- JANUARY 23rd** Eastland Public Library, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- JANUARY 24th** Baptist Cleaners Class party, Group 3 Hosts. Alpha Delphian Club, 3 p.m. Woman's Club.
- JANUARY 28th** WSWS Circle Day, 3 p.m.

Plan Before You Remodel

It's the wise homemaker who learns a few cold, hard facts about remodeling.

There is more to re-doing a kitchen or bathroom than deciding what colors to have, or what equipment to add or replace, experts insist. Here are some of their suggestions.

1. There is no long-range economy of budget dollars in using substitute materials which will not stand up under steam, heat and water. Time-tested, hard-surface coverings for walls and floors such as clay tile, are recommended for bathrooms and kitchens, where ever-changing temperatures make it necessary for surfacing to be durable.

2. "Wife-saving" equipment is a good investment. This is especially true in the kitchen, in which as many automatic appliances as possible should be installed in the course of a remodeling program.

3. Beware the cheap shower stall. If you want that extra bathing facility in your newly revamped bathroom, be sure that you get the very best plumbing materials and the most lasting, water-

proof walls, such as clay tile, for the stall. Plumbing and building authorities warn that inferior shower wall and floor materials often cause a great deal of trouble, especially if it is on the second floor, where leakage can ruin the downstairs as well as the area immediately around the stall.

4. Layout of equipment, particularly in the kitchen, is highly important in order to save steps and time. The same experts warn against surfacing for counter tops and sink drainboards which will not last many years under the ravages of hot water and sharp objects. They recommend durable clay tile for such surfaces, as well as kitchen cabinets of lasting, non rusting metal.

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NEWS FROM OLDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Rouch and children have returned to their home in Odessa, after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Snodgrass and family of San Antonio, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holloway and children of Waco, have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Renfro. She also visited with her brother, Gerald, who is here from Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norton, Jeff and grandma Norton spent Christmas in Odessa, with Mr. and Mrs. Weir Norton.

Rev. and Mrs. Alford Nelson spent the holidays in South Texas with her mother.

Mrs. Burley Patterson has returned home from the hospital in Stamford, where she underwent surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson had all their children with them during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Balley Stark and daughter, Ann, of Port Arthur, spent Sunday here with their parents.

Mrs. Joe Langdon and son of Breckenridge, were visiting in Olden Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Simer and daughter, Winkie, left Thursday morning for El Paso, where Miss Simer will resume her school work.

D. O. Moffett was a patient in the Ranger Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet, and Louise, visited in the home of Mr.



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and Mrs. Geac Rouch, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Yielding of Andrews, are visiting his parents here this week.

Mrs. Harvey Basham of Eastland visited Mrs. Dick Yielding Monday morning enroute to Ranger.

Mrs. Hattie Baker visited her son in San Antonio, during the holidays.

Mrs. Clara Patterson and son left Sunday to join her husband in Cross Plains, where he is now working.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morton and children of Ohio, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lillian McMinna.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Scott visited their children in Dallas and Oklahoma City during the holidays.

Mrs. Ruth Chancellor spent Christmas Day in Stephenville, with her daughter Johnny Ruth.

R. J. Wilkerson of Merton, spent Christmas here with his mother.

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WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

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Surprise Stork Shower Honors Two Sorority Members Wednesday

Mrs. Bill Arthur and Mrs. John Trotman were the honorees at a surprise baby shower Wednesday evening by the Zeta Pi Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority in the home of Mrs. A. H. Johnson.

The honorees were called to the Johnson home on the pretext of a called meeting of the Chapter. Mrs. Bob King, vice president, opened the meeting and presented Mrs. Johnson, who presented the gifts to the honorees in the form of two large bundles of laundry.

Refreshments of hot apple cider and cookies was served from the dining table, which was centered with an arrangement of red carnations floating in a large crystal bowl. A huge green candle, decorated with a silvered pine bough and balls, lighted the scene. Silver appointments were used and presided over by the hostess.

Others present were Meses. Bill White, Ed Hooker, Frank Sayre, LeJuene Horton, R. B. Pipkin, W. H. Stanley, Fehrman Lund, Joe Sparks, Ronald Phillips, Don Doyle.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS
A regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastland National Bank, Eastland, Texas, will be held in the Banking rooms of said bank, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m. on the 8th day of January, 1952 being the second Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing directors and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the stockholders meeting.
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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith returned Tuesday from Hope, Ark., where they attended the wedding December 31st of Mr. Smith's niece, Miss Patsy McPherson and Jack Gray of Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bufkin who have been living on Route 2, Eastland, have moved to 207 West Sadosa this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bufkin have two sons, Ronnie and Johnny nine and six years of age.

Jesse McKee of Tyler was a business visitor in Eastland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Houle are spending several days in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and children have returned from Kilgore, where they visited in the home of Mr. Moore's parents.

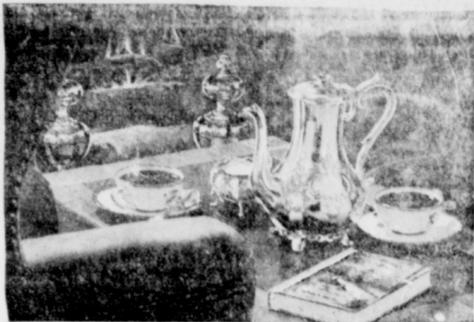
Tom Grissom and Stan Stephen were in Dallas Tuesday where they attended the Cotton Bowl football game and the musical comedy, "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," Tuesday night. They reported to have seen Greer Garson in the audience.

James Cheatham, Jr., of Houston, returned to his home Tuesday after having visited here over the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Chatham, and with other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Toombs.

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Program On The American Ballads Presented At Music Study Club

Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, president, presented Mrs. Pat Miller, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins and Mrs. Art Johnson on a program on Ballads Wednesday afternoon at the meeting of the Music Study Club at the Woman's Club.

Mrs. Miller sang, "Who is Sylvia" and "No John No" from "Songs of our Country" by Fox, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Kinnaird.

Mrs. Perkins spoke on the "Ballad of Tradition", and with Mrs. Johnson singing, she played the most well known, that are a part of American history. Mrs. Johnson also led the group in the singing of a group of Folk Songs.

Following the program a social hour was held during which tea and cookies were served from a table laid with a lace cloth and decorated with an arrangement

Zeta Pi Chapter Hosts Annual New Year's Eve Dance

Members of the Zeta Pi Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority and their guests had the annual New Year's Eve dance Monday night at the Roof Garden of the Connellie hotel.

Decorations were of red, white and blue and at midnight paper hats and noise makers were passed to each of the guests by the hostesses. Meses. Joe Halbert, W. A. Leslie, H. C. Gage, J. T. Cooper, F. W. Graham, Fehrman Lund, John Goode, Roland Phillips, and Don Doyle.
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Armed Forces Waste Must Go

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3 (UP)—Secretary of the Army Frank Pace said today an investigation is being made of reports of waste in the Armed Forces and promised that "any waste found will be cut out."

Pace, here to inspect Army ROTC units at Tulane and Loyola Universities with Sen. Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex.) said he believes Allison enroute to her home in Kilgore.

Mrs. W. W. Linkenhog and children, Pat and Linda, accompanied Mr. Linkenhog to his work in Bridgeport, Tuesday.

Mrs. Aubrey Van Hoy accompanied her son and daughter, Conner and Charlotte Tuesday to Austin, where they will continue their studies at the University of Texas, after having spent the holidays here.

Johnson's recent report on military waste was based on "extremely sound" information.

"I haven't had a chance to check the specific details," the Georgian said, "but we are doing so now and any waste found will be cut out."

GI's Favor Get The Job Done Or Get Out Of Korea

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 3 (UP)—The average American soldier in Korea either wants to "pull out or get the job done," according to Republican Congressman George H. Schwabe of Oklahoma.

Schwabe, just returned from a tour of the Far East, said last night that morale is "not as high as it might be" in Oklahoma's 5th National Guard Division, now committed to battle.

World War I and II troops had more spirit, Schwabe said. The men in Korea are "neither slackers or cowards, but most of them I talked to either wanted to pull out or get the job done."

Americans Ate Less Meat In '51

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Americans ate less meat during 1951 than in any of the past nine years.

The Agriculture Department's meat experts are preparing final consumption and production figures for 1951. Both are expected to drop to 1941-42 levels.

A spokesman said final figures of total meat production last year probably will be about 20,000,000,000 pounds. This compares to 1950 output of 20,231,000,000 pounds and is the lowest since 1941 when a then-record 19,500,000,000 pounds of meat were produced.

Meat consumption figures will show that Americans ate an average of about 140 pounds of meat each last year. At the beginning of 1951 officials estimated per capita consumption for the year at 148 pounds.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages
Suits Filed, Court Judgments
Orders, Etc.

COURT NEWS INSTRUMENTS FILED
The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
J. S. Anderson to E. C. Connor, oil and gas lease.
Doss Alexander to Southland Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
Johnnie Aaron to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.
Forrest Boone to Raymond Young, cor. oil and gas lease.
G. F. Beck to J. L. Joyner, warranty deed.
W. A. Byrd to Dere Sherrill, quit claim deed.
Burton Lingo Company to Ace Lucas, partial release of M.L. Earl Bender to Robert L. Clinton, Jr., release of vendor's lien.
E. C. Conner to J. J. Callaway, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Carbon Cemetery Assn., to H. H. Warner, cemetery deed.
James M. Cunningham to J. L. Warren, warranty deed.
D. H. Choate to Luling Oil & Gas Company, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Commercial Metals Company v. Hyman Stein, abstract of judgment.
Cooper & Hemphill to Beh W. Clyatt, release of oil and gas lease.
Mattie Davidson to Grover Hartt, Jr., oil and gas lease.
Evelyn Davis to Wallace E. Simpson, warranty deed.
W. H. Duggan to Marie Duggan, warranty deed.

Ethel F. Dunn to Laura McGehee, warranty deed.
Federal Land Bank of Houston to Raymond Young, sub. oil and gas lease.
Federal Land Bank of Houston to Levi L. Neal, release of deed of trust.
First State Bank, Rising Star to Douglas W. Curtis, release of deed of trust.
J. A. Green to C. C. Hall, assignment of oil and gas lease.
W. M. Grozier to R. A. Bearman, oil and gas lease.
Grover Hartt, Jr. to J. J. Callaway, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Morris Hodges to W. H. Mickow, deed of trust.
Glenn Hightower to W. E. Solomon, release of vendor's lien.
Hess Feed & Grocery, Inc. to E. D. Hess, deed and cc reso.
J. E. Johnson to Raymond Young, oil and gas lease.
Mrs. Francis Jopling to L. A. Warren, oil and gas lease.
Joe M. Jones to F & M National Bank, Abilene, assignment.
J. L. Joyner to Bob Barnhill, warranty deed.
R. L. Jones to C. S. Eldridge, release of deed of trust.
Ben Kelton to Raymond Young designation.
W. H. Keasler Oil Company to Earnest Krager, deed of trust.
W. H. Keasler Oil Company to Earnest Krager, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Lone Star Plant Company to The Public, assumed name.
Ace Lucas to City of Cisco, quit claim deed.
Loretta Latham to Ethel F. Dunn, warranty deed.
C. W. Latham to Ethel Dunn, release of vendor's lien.
Alma Morris to Humble Pipe Line Company, right of way.
C. M. Murphy to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.
McElroy Ranch Company to Forrest Boone, release of oil and gas lease.
McElroy Ranch Company to T. L. Brown, release of oil and gas lease.
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F. Johnson, release of oil and gas lease.
J. P. McCracken to Raymond Young designation of depository.
J. R. McMurrey to E. C. Connor oil and gas lease.
McElroy Ranch Company to L. W. Welch assignment of oil and gas lease.
C. M. McCann to Golden Lawson, warranty deed.
Laura McGehee to Agnes Townsend, warranty deed.
Velda Ruth Nichols to Raymond Young, oil and gas lease.
L. R. Nabors to Dere Sherrill, warranty deed.
Clarence C. Pippen to W. E. Solomon, warranty deed.
Grady Pipkin to R. B. Pipkin, warranty deed.
C. E. Ross to G. A. Sublett, warranty deed.
Pearl Ross to The Public, proof of heirship.
Wilson A. Robinson to Burton-Lingo Company, MML.
Maurine Mancill Royall to R. A. Bearman, oil and gas lease.
T. D. Stephenson to Raymond Young, designation of depository.
A. A. Stephenson to Raymond Young, designation of depository.
W. S. Stephenson to Raymond Young, designation of depository.
J. W. Sorrells to Warren D. Sorrells assignment of oil and gas lease.
B. J. Snoddy to The Public, cc probate.
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Sellie Snoddy to The Public cc probate.
D. H. Spencer to Jack Pittman, MML.
W. E. Solomon to Lois A. Dunn deed of trust.
W. E. Solomon to Wilma N. Gilliam, warranty deed.
Texton Oil Corp. to H. I. Glascoe, assignment of oil and gas lease.
J. W. Templeton to Grover Hartt, Jr., oil and gas lease.
L. M. Threat to W. M. Isenhower, deed of trust.
Tax Collector to Lloyd Dillinger, receipt.
J. Parker Thompson to Martha L. Thompson, assignment of oil and gas lease.
G. C. Tidale to Gilbert E. Peterson, MD.
Charley Wagley to E. C. Connor, oil and gas lease.

Richard F. Vann to Wanda Pearl Phillips.
Earl Dee Guyton to Sandra Foster Cisco.
SUITS FILED
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
Margaret Jeannett Parker v. Leonard C. Agnew, for custody of child.
ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:
Kate P. Nabers v. William L. Nabers, judgment.
Pearlie Cozart v. M. L. Cozart, judgment.
Jean Scitren v. Leonard Scitren, judgment.
Leona Payne v. M. D. Payne, judgment.

Womens Clubs To Study Finances, Taxes At Forum

WORTHAM, (SPL)— Forums on "The Financial Facts of Life" and the "Housewife Withholding Tax" will be top program events for the Texas Federation of Womens Clubs board of directors meeting in August January 8-9.
Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs of Wortham, president, has called this first meeting of her administration at federation headquarters to lay work plans for the next two years.
Tuesday night's opening forum will call attention of the 1300 member clubs to a new subject added to federation fields of work—that of economic security. "With 7 out of 10 women outliving their husbands, it's common sense for clubs to study this field," Mrs. Stubbs emphasized.

The resulting discussion on "ABC's of Handling Money" will be led by three prominent Dallas businessmen. J. Ralph Wood is president of Southwestern Life Insurance Company; E. O. Cartwright, partner of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner, and Beane; and Robert H. Ferguson, trust officer of the Republic National Bank.
Marshall's embattled housewives will send a representative trio to hold Wednesday's public affairs program. Their talks will summarize their opposition to the withholding provision of the Social Security Act. Mrs. Carolyn Abney, Mrs. Dorothy Martin and Mrs. Cleste Clemmens will charge it is unconstitutional to force citizens to work as tax collectors without pay. Club leaders from all over Texas will be told that the right to present their case in court is all Marshall housewives ask.
Mrs. W. L. Womack, Tyler, and Mrs. Wade Odum, Wortham, will appear on the opening dinner program. Mrs. E. N. Smith, Marshall,

will moderate the finance forum. She will be assisted by Miss Nanine Simmons, Mexia, and Mrs. J. W. Walker, Plainsview.
Mrs. James A. Allen, Childress, presides at the public affairs forum, assisted by Mrs. Kirk Hall, Dallas, and Mrs. Fred Brooch, Jr., Munday.
Presiding at the Wednesday board luncheon will be Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, federation first vice-president.
Preceding the two-day program will be preliminary Tuesday meetings of Trustees, executive and finance committees.

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About 12 Persons Hit By Leprosy Over The State

AUSTIN, Jan. 1 — About 12 persons in Texas come down with leprosy every year, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "Since 1921 over 300 individual cases have been diagnosed, mostly in counties bordering the Gulf Coast and Rio Grande River.

"Leprosy," Dr. Cox says, "is one of the penalties of being human. No other animal ever gets it. You do not need to worry a great deal about it because it is probably the least catching of all communicable diseases. The horror and shame in which the disease is held today is a hold over from Biblical times.

"One consolation about the whole thing is that a Russian satellite-Rumania-is the world's focus of leprosy.

"The disease takes two forms, one called tuberculoid because it resembles tuberculosis; and the other lepromatous. The second type affects twice as many men as women, presumably because "there are more modes and opportunities for infection in men."

"Lepromatous patients live an

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average of 8 to 10 years, while the tuberculoid type apparently doesn't affect the patient's life span. Neither type is as catching as tuberculosis or other communicable diseases.

"Most cases of the disease are contracted during childhood," Dr. Cox reports, "with manifestations actually appearing in the teens or early 20's.

"Medical researchers at the national Leprosarium at Carville, La., are having success in the treatment of leprosy by the use of certain drugs. The Texas State Department of Health can assist anyone suffering with this disease in securing treatment at Carville."

The largest frog is the goliath frog of West Africa. Its large thigh bones are highly prized by the natives for use in ceremonial rites.

HEALTH TALKS

Benign is the desired verdict when someone has had a growth removed from the body to find out whether it is cancer or not. Benign means innocent or not endangering life or health; malignant is the opposite term which is applied to cancer.

Beriberi means extreme weakness, one of the outstanding symptoms of beriberi disease. Widespread in the Orient, beriberi also occurs among heavy rice-eaters in this country and was prevalent among the Japanese prisoners of war. It is a deficiency disease, meaning the lack of some ingredient essential to the proper functioning of the body. In the case of beriberi, the deficient ingredient is thiamine, vitamin B-1. Burning, tingling and numbness of the hands and feet are often symptoms of beriberi. It may cause swelling of the body, paralysis, and heart trouble, all accompanied by an extreme weakness.

Bezoar is a word that has come through many languages and means hairball. Its presence in so many different tongues is due to the many myths connected with the hairballs of animals, which were supposed to have magic powers to protect against any poisons. The eating of unripe persimmons may cause a hairball in man's stomach, sometimes large enough to create an obstruction.

Bilateral means relating to two sides. Some diseases affect only one side of the body (unilateral) while others affect both sides of the body. In some cases the unilateral or bilateral symptoms will be of great aid in the diagnosis of the disease. A headache, for instance, is usually from a different cause if it is felt equally on both sides of the head than if it is felt on only one.

And how much is a billion dollars? James L. Holton gives a graphic illustration in the January Reader's Digest. A mere million, in crisp new \$1000 bills, would stack eight inches high. But a billion, in \$1000 bills, would make a pile 110 feet higher than the Washington Monument.

"square" of asphalt shingles contains enough material to cover 100 square feet of roof surface.

TODAY'S SPORTS PORTRAIT

By Ed Feinen
United Press Sports Writer

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Jan. 3 (UP)—In the neatly-furnished parlor of his home, bedecked with trophies of his many triumphs, world figure skating champion Dick Button enthusiastically demonstrated two new maneuvers he has dreamed up in his quest for a second Olympic medal.

"They've never before been tried in actual competition," explained the handsome 22-year-old Harvard Senior, who leaves today for Europe where next month he will defend his olympic and world championships. "And they're the toughest I've tried yet."

The maneuvers, Button disclosed, were the "triple loop" and the "triple double-axel," and he smiled as his interviewer evidenced bewilderment.

"On the triple loop, I start off on my left skate, do three complete spins in mid-air, and come down again on the same skate," he outlined with a hop and the gracefully-executed spin of a ballerina. "Now, the other one is harder,"

he continued. "For an ordinary double-axel, I start off on my left skate, do 2 1-2 spins, and come down on my right foot skating backwards. On my new triple double-axel I do that three times in one series."

The clean-cut New Jersey youth then retreated to an easy chair, smiling with satisfaction at having "sold" his talent to a new audience.

"I couldn't tell you how or why I ever got started in figure skating," he confessed. "When I first began skating at 12, I was pretty chubby and could hardly stand on skates. But as I grew older figure skating appealed to me. I've just always gone in more for sports that require skill and co-ordination rather than sheer speed or stamina."

Button's start at his chosen hobby was anything but encouraging. A coach, whom his father had asked to take young Dick in hand, took one look at the stumbling youngster and volunteered: "He'll never be a figure skater if hell freezes over."

Today Button is acknowledged the greatest in the world. Besides his olympic gold medal—the first ever won by an American in figure skating, he has won four world titles, three north American crowns, six U. S. Championships, and one European title (American

champion have been barred from the European championships since Button won in 1948).

At Harvard, where he is majoring in political theory, Button is an outstanding student. He has just won Burr scholarship as the senior "who best combines the qualities of character, leadership, scholarship and athletic ability."

Because of his fine scholastic record, Button has been granted time off from his studies to compete in the olympics. He leaves today by plane for Garmisch, Germany, where he will launch a strenuous five-week program of eight to 10 hours of daily practice.

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