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ABOUT Eastland

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

Mr. Joseph M. Perkins has received a lot of letters from many of her friends around the state (and nation to for that matter) complimenting her on winning the state nomination as a candidate for a position on the General Federation of Women's Clubs Executive Committee. She values highly the one she received from P. D. Wilmett of Tyler, however. For Wilmett, who is now minister of a Church of Christ in Tyler, taught Mrs. Perkins' children in South Ward back in the late 1920's. He still has many friends here and reported that his daughter Elizabeth is to be married June 8 and that his son Ben will graduate from high school this year.

We were over at Jess Siebert's place the other day getting our ears louvered and listening to the ball game at the same time when all of a sudden the radio let out with a terrible screech. We must have looked startled for Mr. Siebert said, "That's just Everett Plowman. He must have sold another milk shake."

And we were talking to Mrs. Jack Germany a while back about news writing (she holds a journalism degree from the University of Texas, you know), and she was telling us of her working days in Houston. She said she was writing for some manufacturing concern and had to write highly technical stories quite often. "I would read them after they came out in the magazine and be amazed that I knew so much about the machine," she said. And brother, do we know what she means!

Which reminds us of what Betty Kinard had to say about her husband. He took her on a tour of the Texas Electric Co. Leon Plant not long ago. Afterward she was telling a group of her sorority sisters about the tour. "You know," she said, "Larry's a lot smarter than I thought he was."

Add the yard of Mrs. A. C. Baker to your list of places to see. A number of employees of Hollywood-Maxwell have called our attention to the flowers she has. One even went so far as to say it was the prettiest yard in town. The Baker home is rather hard to find if you don't know just where it is. You go to the Hollywood plant and turn right on Patterson Street.

Baccalaureate For Olden Grads Is Sunday Morn.

Baccalaureate services for Olden Graduates of both Senior High School and Junior High School will be held at the Olden gymnasium Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Rev. John Morgan, minister of the Olden Church of Christ will be the speaker. Rev. Carroll Herring, pastor of the Olden Baptist Church, will give the invocation, and Rev. Dean Franklin, pastor of the Olden Methodist Church, will give the benediction.

Professional and recessional will be played by Miss Wilma Edwards.

Ushers will be Tommy June Sharpe, Jack Hilliard and Irene Fox.

Everyone is invited to attend.

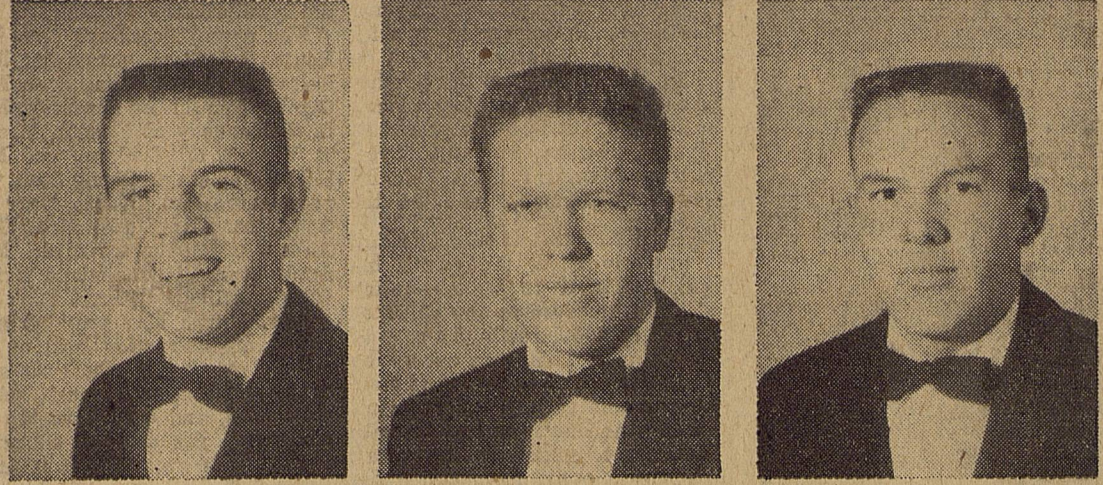
Crawford Trial Begins Monday

The George Crawford murder with malice trial is due to begin again Monday in 91st District Court.

Crawford, charged with murdering his wife, remains in Eastland County Jail. His first trial ended in a hung jury.

Weather FREYSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY
No. Side Square Phone 373
Presents the Weather Report

WEATHER	
High Yesterday	86
Low Last Night	58
Rainfall	1.25
Total For Month	7.26
Total for Year	17.59
Lake Leon Level	76'
Forecast	Partly Cloudy



LEAD YOUTH REVIVAL—These three Eastland High seniors are leading a revival this weekend at the First Baptist Church. Stanley Blewins, left, and Gene May, center, are doing the preaching in the revival, which ends Sunday night, and Bill Upchurch, right, is leading the singing. Services will be held Saturday and Sunday nights at 8 p.m. and Sunday morning at 11 a.m.

Area Peanut Men Meet With Lawmakers Of US

Representatives of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association and the Southwestern Peanut Shellers Association were in Washington relative to representing the Southwestern States in formation of 1957 peanut program plans recently.

Members of the growers organization who attended were Milton Archer of Giddings, a member of the Board of Directors; T. G. Hedley, Wewoka, Okla., director; Ross Wilson, manager; and Don Parker, auditor. Sheller representatives attending were A. S. Moake, president, Southwestern Peanut Shellers Association; and Sydney Reagan, general counsel.

May 6 the Southwestern representatives attended a joint meeting with officials from the Southwestern States and Department of Agriculture.

Cisco Tourney Qualifying To Begin Sunday

CISCO—Qualifying rounds in the 22nd annual Cisco Invitation Golf Tournament will be played during the coming week at the Cisco Country Club Golf Course. Tournament chairmen N. C. Huston and J. L. Thornton have announced.

The tournament is scheduled for May 24, 25, and 26. Qualifying rounds may be played anytime during the week beginning May 19. Those who expect to compete for medal honors must play on Friday, May 24. Huston said that area golfers could enter the tournament by telephoning in a qualifying score to the Cisco Country Club. Entry fee is \$7.50.

The annual tournament barbecue will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, May 24. Non-players tickets will be available at the club house.

Match play will begin on Saturday morning, May 25, with the semi-final and final rounds on Sunday, May 26. All matches will be 18 holes. The golf course and fairways are in good condition for the tournament, Huston said.

Approximately \$1,000 worth of merchandise prizes will be awarded to the winners, runner-up, and consolation winners of all flights, according to Huston.

Ranch Association Barbecue Dates Set

Date for the annual barbecue and 1957 business meeting of the West Texas Ranchers Association has been set for Tuesday, June 4 in Eastland City Park Sam Kimmell of Cisco, WTRA president, announced this week.

Date for the barbecue was set at the monthly meeting of officers of the stockman's group. The barbecue this year will be an invitational affair limited to the Association's membership. It was revealed. It will be co-sponsored by 15 West Texas banks and the West Texas Ranchers Association. Kimmell stated that in case of inclement weather the barbecue would be held indoors.

Serving at the annual barbecue will begin at 7:30 p.m. The menu will consist of barbecued beef, potato salad, onions, bread, pickles and drink.

Following the dinner a business meeting will be held, and officers and five new directors will be elected.

Present officers include Kimmell, who has served as president since 1950; R. D. Williams of Putnam, first vice president; T. C. Fambro of Strawn, second vice president; Don Kincaid of Cisco, secretary; and L. A. Williams of Putnam, treasurer.

C. J. O'Connell of Breckenridge is the legal counsel and A. C. Yeager of Eastland is ranger. Mrs. Peggy Gallagher of Cisco is office secretary.

The West Texas Ranchers Association is an organization devoted to protection of livestock and all property of its members, Kimmell explained. The Association maintains a special ranger on duty at all times. WTRA checks livestock auctions, and sponsors, in cooperation with area banks, cash rewards for apprehension of persons guilty of cattle theft. Dues in the Organization are \$5 per year plus 10 cents per head on 65 percent of breeding stock only.

Agriculture officials. This meeting included a discussion of the general aspects of the 1957 marketing season and a study of loan storage provisions for peanuts.

May 7 the above representatives met with Congressman Homer Thornberry, Omar Burleson, Bob Poage and Sam Rayburn of Texas and Carl Albert of Oklahoma. The purpose of this conference was to plan procedure to follow in attempting to persuade the Department of Agriculture to equalize damage tolerance on various types of peanuts. The present grading standards allow for a higher percentage of damage in certain types of peanuts grown in the Southwestern United States. This situation is reducing the market for Southwestern Spanish peanuts.

A similar meeting was held with Sen. Ralph Yarborough. "All of the Texas and Oklahoma Congressmen from peanut producing areas are working diligently to correct this situation and they merit the appreciation of peanut growers in the Southwest," a spokesman for the group which went to Washington said.

The Washington meetings climaxed an extensive campaign by the growers association and the Southwestern Shellers to bring pressure on the Agriculture Department to equalize damage tolerance.

"The attitude of Congressmen was most encouraging to the Southwestern representatives. Department of Agriculture officials have stated repeatedly that this matter is under consideration. It is believed that the Washington meetings will greatly expedite the equalization of grade factors by the Department," the spokesman said.

'Court Can't Cut Pay Of Constables'--Cox

County Treasurer Richard C. Cox charged today that Eastland County commissioners have no authority to cut the pay of constables.

The question, which cropped up again at the last meeting of the commissioners court, remains unanswered as far as what the court plans to eventually do. At the last meeting three constables' pay was slashed but in the same meeting the three got their salary cut back. Two others, the Gorman and Rising Star constables, were given a \$25 a month increase.

There was considerable talk about announcing before the next election that constables' pay would be cut.

In a letter to the Telegram Cox said:

"In a letter from The Attorney General of Texas, and I quote, 'Senate Bill No. 184 of the 55th Legislature that was signed by the governor on April 25, 1957, and became effective on that day:

'BE IT ENACTED BY THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

'Section 2. In each county in the State of Texas having a population of at least 20 thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal census, the commissioner's court shall fix the salaries of the precinct officials named in this act at not more than seven thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00) per annum; provided, however, that no salary shall be set at a figure lower than that actually paid for the calendar year 1956.

Section 10. The commissioner's court shall not exercise the authority vested in said court by virtue of this act, except at regular meeting of said court and after ten (10) days notice published in a paper of general circulation in the county to be effected thereby of the intended salaries to be raised and the amount of such proposed rate.

'Under the provision of this Bill there is a mandatory feature: 1. the publication provision, and as County Treasurer of this county I would like to see the commissioner's court comply with Senate Bill No. 184 of the 55th Legislature, that applies to the other 253 counties of this state and should apply to us.

When the last census was taken Eastland County's population was listed at 23,000. That would make the county fall under the ruling, apparently.

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'Y' Summer Program Plans Are Revealed

Activities Include Something For All

Summer YMCA plans for the Eastland area were announced Saturday by Charlie Marshall, summer program director, and Hubert Jones.

Activities this year for junior and senior teenagers will include tennis, roller skating and swimming if enough interest is shown. Seniors will also be able to take skiing lessons and elementary school children will be offered two different day camps during the summer.

The first day camp will be held June 17-28. The second camp is scheduled for July 8-23. Cost this year will be \$8 per session. Activities will include supervised play, craftwork, swimming and other activities.

Fun clubs, for the teenagers, will be held during the same periods. Jones said that from 10 to 12 teenagers would have to sign up for swimming and tennis if it is to be taught and at least as many as 20 if roller skating classes are to be held. He said it was possible that a teacher may be employed to teach fancy skating.

Jones called for volunteers with boats and motors. They are needed for the skiing classes. The "Y" will pay for gasoline and life jackets.

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Ellen is president of the young peoples department of the First Methodist Church and sings in the church choir. She is immediate past president of the Tri-Hi-Y and a president of the Co-ed Club. Ellen was a member of the girls tennis team for four years, has been a member of the school annual staff for three years and has worked in the principal's office at high school for three years. She worked as school reporter for the Telegram during the past year.

Hoffmann Top Ranking Cadet At Academy

C. W. Hoffmann, Jr., who graduates from Peacock Military Academy in San Antonio May 24, has been named the outstanding Cadet and appointed battalion commander, which is the highest rank at the Academy.

Senior week began officially Friday, May 17, with a Junior-Senior Prom and buffet supper which was strictly formal. Full dress uniforms with Parade Whites will be held at the San Antonio Country Club.

Other activities will include—Monday, May 20—Senior Class Supper.

Tuesday, May 21—Superintendent's Lawn Party and Picnic Supper.

Wednesday, May 22—Commandants Open House for Seniors and their dates.

Thursday, May 23—1:30 p.m. Graduation Parade at the Academy Parade Ground. At this time, Hoffmann will turn over the Command of the Cadets to the ranking Junior Cadet.

Thursday, May 23—8:30 p.m. Garden Party and Dance for all Cadets and parents.

Friday, May 24—Graduation and Closing Exercises. All Cadets dismissed immediately after Farewell to Class of 1957.

Spring Program To Be Presented By South Ward

An all school spring program will be presented Tuesday at 8 p.m. by the students of the South Ward School in the school auditorium. This is being held instead of graduation exercises this year.

The program which all students of the school will participate will be as follows:

First grade—acrostic on South Ward.

Second and third grade—sing spring songs.

Fourth grade—"Spring and Fancies"

Fifth grade—sing songs and give original poems.

Mrs. Harold Durham, principal of the school announced that the public is invited to this all school affair.

Lone Star Gas Employees Win Driving Awards

Twenty Lone Star Gas Company employees in Eastland have earned certificates of merit for driving automobiles on company duty one to 11 years through 1956 without an accident.

They are J. F. Tow, production foreman, and C. W. Medford, 11 years; L. A. Lawrence Jr., L. M. Files and A. E. Smith, eight years; V. L. Franklin, seven years; F. G. White, six years; T. R. King, production engineer, W. B. Eaves and W. D. Tankersley, four years; H. G. Dillinger, three years; J. D. Wilson, production engineer, Gerald D. Lewis, B. Wilson, R. E. Pool Jr. and R. M. Koch, two years.

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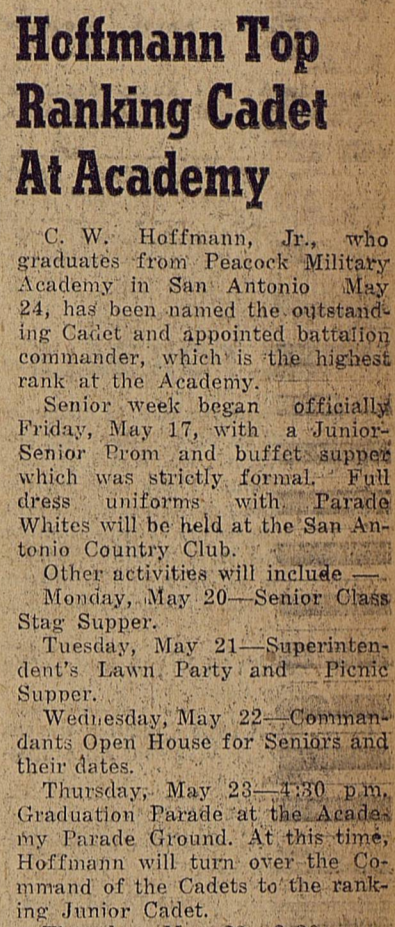
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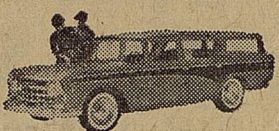
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for the coming year: President, Mrs. Roy Benton, Cisco; vice presidents, Mrs. Kelsey Starks, Rising Star, Mrs. Glover Johnson, Scranton, Mrs. L. G. Kennedy, Ranger, Mrs. J. T. Wright, Eastland, and Mrs. Helen Donham, Rising Star; Secretary, Mrs. W. L. Darr, Cisco; and Treasurer, Mrs. Gene Abbott, Cisco. Mesdames Starks, Kennedy, and Wright were installed by proxy.

Mrs. Evelyn Fitch of Bedford, President of the Tarrant County Council, assisted in discussions. Local Units represented were Ranger Young School, Rising Star, Scranton, Cross Plains, Cisco West Ward, and Strawn.

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Miss Cecilia Mooney

Cecilia Mooney, Robert Gabrysch Will Be Married June 22nd

The approaching marriage of Cecilia Mooney and Robert Gabrysch has been announced by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Edmund Mooney of Dallas.

Miss Mooney is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. William Bourdeau of Ranger. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gabrysch of Falls City, Texas.

The wedding will take place at St. Rita's Church in Ranger, June 22nd. Both the future bride and groom are graduates of the University of Texas. Miss Mooney is on the teaching staff of Midland schools and Mr. Gabrysch is with the U. S. Army, stationed in El Paso.

LONE STAR-

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years; and F. Urban, district production superintendent, H. J. Corothers, district engineer, W. J. Graham and E. R. Grisham, one year.

These men who represent the West Central Texas District of Lone Star Producing Company's Production Department and the Ranger Pipeline District, received their awards from Glenn Covington of Dallas, Lone Star safety engineer.

SOIL-

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not considered as ends in themselves, but rather the means for sustaining happy family life. Schools and churches that adequately meet the need of the community are written large in people's minds. There is a healthy flow of farm produce to the market place. The entire country flourishes as farmer, businessman, professional men, craftsmen and laborers exchange services with a sincere desire that each be adequately rewarded for his contribution to the well-being of the community.

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REA Loan Granted To Rising Star Telephone Firm

The Rural Electrification Administration has approved a loan of \$545,000 to the Kaiser Telephone Company of Rising Star, Sen. Ralph Yarborough has announced. Sen. Yarborough said the money is for providing rural telephone service in five counties, Brown, Callahan, Comanche, Eastland and Coleman.

Edgar O. Kaiser is president of the Rising Star Company.

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Mental Health Society to Be Topic of Co. Council P-TA At Ranger

Mrs. M. W. Herweck of Ranger, retiring president of the Eastland County Council P-TA, has announced that the next meeting of the council will be held at Ranger Junior College Cafeteria at a date tentatively set for June 4 or June 6, at which time plans to form a Mental Health Society in this area will be discussed.

Dr. Leach, head of the psychology department of Abilene Christian College, Dr. Bob Netherland of Texas University, and Mrs. Sybil Kessler, District I P-TA Mental Health Chairman, will be the speakers.

is properly filed, the owner becomes entitled to an exemption of State taxes up to the value of \$3,000 or 200-acres in the case of farm lands. This is an exemption from payment, not complete from rendition and assessment. There is no similar exemption with reference to county or city taxes.

The homestead claimed for tax purposes need not be the property which is actually occupied by the owner as his residence.

When the homestead affidavit is not filed by April 30, the taxpayer loses his right to the \$3,000 or 200-acre exemption, and consequently becomes liable for more taxes than he would otherwise be required to pay.

Property taxes are assessed against the person who is the record owner of each piece of real and personal property on the first day of January of each year. Individuals purchasing property during the year should make sure that the taxes for all previous years have been paid. Otherwise, the purchaser may be forced to pay hundreds of dollars in delinquent taxes to protect his property. Unpaid taxes create a lien against the property which can be enforced regardless of change of ownership.

One should also keep in mind to make some arrangement for the previous owner to pay his prorata share of taxes for the current year. Otherwise, the buyer may find it necessary to pay the entire taxes for that year.

When taxes are not paid by the deadline prescribed for the particular taxing unit (city, county, State, or district), monetary penalties and interest are added from month to month. In addition, the property becomes subject to seizure and sale to satisfy the tax lien. This lien applies to all property, whether homestead or not.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

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Homestead May Be Sold for Taxes

Many Texans have the mistaken impression that their homestead cannot be seized and sold for delinquent taxes. In many cases, this idea has led to considerable grief and monetary loss which could have been avoided. A homestead should be rendered to tax assessor like any other property, and taxes assessed against it should be paid as faithfully as those on any other taxable property.

The deadline for rendering property for taxation is April 1, so far as most city taxing agencies are concerned: The last date for rendering real and personal property for state and county taxes is April 30. State taxes are collected by the County Tax Collector.

Under the Texas Constitution, each family is entitled to claim one piece of real property as their homestead. This claim must be established by an affidavit filed with the county tax assessor on or before April 30, each and every year. This affidavit must be filed by the owner himself. A lending agency cannot do so, even though it may actually pay the annual taxes thereon from a fund created by the owner's monthly installments.

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O. M. Franklin In Rug-Cleaning Business In Ranger

Mail Carrier O. M. Franklin has become affiliated with the Abilene Carpet and Furniture Cleaning Service and is now ready to do that type of work in his spare time.

Franklin said rugs and carpets could be cleaned right on the floor and meticulous work guaranteed. Hand cleaning is used on domestic and oriental rugs, wall-to-wall carpeting and furniture upholstery without removing any of the articles from the house.

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Music Study Club Installs New Officers by Candlelight Tuesday

Mrs. Frank Sayre was installed as president of the Eastland Music Study Club Tuesday night in a beautiful candle light ceremony in the Women's Club. Mmes. Howard Gill, R. L. Carpenter and Griffith Hart were hostesses for the occasion with husbands of the members as guests.

To begin the musical program, Mrs. Audrey Dendy sang in lyric soprano voice "Face to Face" by Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Kinnaird.

A covered dish buffet supper was served at a V-shaped table covered in white and centered with a white and green floral arrangement.

In installing Mrs. Sayre Mrs. W. H. Hoffman stated, "The candle now burning shines for our new president and may the principles of life shine through her years of service in our midst."

Mrs. Hart lighted a tall white taper for each officer installed and Mrs. Gill pinned a white carnation corsage with green satin ribbon, carrying out the club colors, on each officer, as Mrs. Hoffman read the impressive ceremony.

Others installed as leaders for the coming year were Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, first vice president; Mrs. Allen D. Dabney, second vice president; Mrs. Donald Kinnaird recording secretary and pianist; Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, corresponding secretary; Mrs. T. E. Richardson, treasurer; Mrs. D. L. Houle, parliamentarian; Mrs. A. F. Taylor, reporter; Mrs. A. H. Johnson, choral director; Mrs. Marvin Hood, critic. The ceremony was written by Mrs. Carpenter.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Saturday, May 18
4 p.m.—The EGBDF Club will meet in the home of Mrs. F. I. Drago who will preside as president.

Monday, May 20
7:30 p.m.—Members of the Las Leales Club will meet in the Woman's Club to hear Mrs. Thura Taylor speak on "American Youth" and Mrs. W. Q. Verner talk on "Whatever Their Future Brings."

Tuesday, May 21
8 p.m.—An all school spring program will be held at the South Ward School with all South Ward students participating in the program.

Tuesday, May 21
3:15 p.m.—Officers will be installed at the meeting of the West Ward Parent - Teachers Association with the third grade mothers and Mrs. Marvin Hood as hostesses.

Thursday, May 23
7:45 p.m.—Mrs. F. L. Drago will present her 34 piano students in piano recital in the Woman's Club.

Morgan Circle Meets With Mrs. Jenkins Tuesday

Mrs. Clarence Jenkins was hostess to nine members of the Morgan Circle of the First Baptist Church Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon in her home on East Conner.

A business meeting was presided over by the circle chairman, Mrs. J. W. Hardin, after which a mission program was held. Those taking part on the program were Mmes. Hardin, John Dicky, P. A. Witcher, James E. Wright, and M. R. Maynard.

The next meeting will be in the Baptist Church May 28 with Mrs. Hardin as hostess.

The meeting was closed with the chairman leading the group in prayer.

Present were Mmes. Dicky, Hardin, Jenkins, Witcher, Wright, Maynard, Benny Edwards, Harold Hitt and Ruth Daniels.



ARMED FORCES DAY—Sunday is Armed Forces Day and Eastland County joins hands to pay honor to their men in service. Highlighting the occasion in the Eastland area will be an armed forces day parade in Ranger this afternoon (Saturday) at which time the new Guard building there will be dedicated. Miss Jeanne Pittman of Eastland will be introduced following the parade as Guard sweetheart. The Eastland Marine Reserve unit will march in the parade as will the Sheriff's Posse.

Mrs. H. M. Hart Is Hostess To Class At Supper

Mrs. H. M. Hart was hostess to the Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at her home at 601 South Bassett, with Mrs. Earl Stephens as co-hostess.

Places were arranged for six at the dining table which was laid with a linen cut work cloth, and centered with an arrangement of yellow roses and Bells of Ireland. In the living room, places were set for eight at quartet tables. They were also laid with cutwork linen cloths and centered with small arrangements of roses and bridal wreath.

Mrs. R. L. Young, teacher of the class gave the invocation.

Following the supper, Mrs. T. L. Amis brought the devotional with the remainder of the evening being spent in fellowship. The next meeting will be the second Tuesday in June.

Those present were Mmes. Roy Young, Ita R. Parrish, C. T. Lucas, Harl O'Brien, Victor Cornelius, Marvin Hood, Don Parker, T. L. Amis, Artie Liles, Carl Timmons, Earl Stephens and Hart, the hostess.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our deepest appreciation and grateful thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during the illness and passing of our loved one.

The A. M. Hearn Family

CALIFORNIA VISITOR

Mrs. A. E. Barnes, of Bakersfield, California is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lafoon while her father is ill.

Every room will be needed to house all the visitors in Eastland June 8-9. Make your home available for Texas' Biggest Homecoming.

Rebekahs Plan School, Party At Tuesday Meet

Mrs. Mae Mitchell presided at the Tuesday evening meeting of the Rebekahs in IOOF Hall.

Mrs. Ruby Crawley, deputy president, announced that she would hold a school of instruction for officers and members Tuesday evening, May 21. All members are asked to be present. A model lodge session will be held in the near future, Mrs. Crawley announced.

The group planned to sponsor a "42" party for Friday at the lodge hall. Tickets may be had from members or at the door.

Those present were, Mmes. Tommie Crawford, Jo Poole, Blanche Nicols, Mae Mitchell, Ruby Crawley, Genoa Brown and Edna Ballew.

County Native Dies In Wreck

Tom Watson Hudnall, who was reared near Rising Star, was killed last Friday in an automobile accident, his wife was seriously injured and his two girls slightly hurt.

Mr. Watson was employed by an electric company for the past 10 years at Old Ocean. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors besides his wife and children include a brother, E. T. Hudnall of Rising Star; a sister, Thelma Meador of Arizona; and a number of other relatives in Eastland County.

Know some ex-student of EHS that everyone else may have forgotten? Send his or her name to Terrell Coleman, 115 North Sixth, Waco. Let's have 'em all here June 8-9 for Texas' Biggest Homecoming.

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Friendship Club Has Luncheon In Mrs. Horn's Home

Members of the Friendship Club were guests of Mrs. Lon Horn Thursday in her home for a covered dish luncheon.

The ladies were served ham, baked beans, salad, cake and ice cream from a table laid with a red Irish linen cloth, the handiwork of Mrs. Margaret East. A floral arrangement of roses, bridal wreath, and mock orange blossoms centered the table.

In the afternoon a business session was held with the newly installed president, Mrs. Horn, presiding. Other new officers were also in their places.

Following the meeting the ladies spent the afternoon visiting, working, crocheting and doing hand work.

Those present were Mmes. Bruce Butler, C. H. McBee, Clyde Walker, Harold Denny, Nora Stiles, Winnie Wynne, Margaret East, J. W. Wallace, B. H. Clifton and the hostess. Guests attending were Mrs. R. E. Brown of Brownwood and Mrs. B. F. Hanna and daughters, Susie and Becky and Mrs. J. W. Watson.

Look Who's New

A daughter, Alice Marie, was born to Lt. and Mrs. N. N. Richardson May 7 in Reno, Nevada. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spurlen of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Richardson of Abilene.

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Hospital News

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital are:

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Mrs. Luther Hatfield, Strawn, surgical
Mrs. Connie Lewis, medical
Judy Lewis, medical
Mrs. J. M. Nash and baby girl
Mrs. James Warner and baby girl
Mrs. A. L. Seay, medical

Mrs. Larry McAfee, surgical
R. L. Jones, medical
Dismissed was Mrs. J. A. May. Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland are:
Mrs. E. M. McCoy, medical
Mrs. George Ford, medical
Dismissed were Linda Evans, S. H. Peel, and Mrs. Kate Barber Hanks.

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DOLLAR STRETCHERS
IN THE COUNTY SEAT
By Frances Moore

If we can just hold this rain back awhile, it looks like we might have summer yet.

The MAJESTIC THEATRE has just connected their air conditioner again to give you another summer of cool, relaxing entertainment. "Boy On A Dolphin" is showing Sunday and Monday and a pass is waiting for you if you are the first person to go by one of the merchants mentioned in this ad and mention this column.

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Have you noticed how many cars are stopping at the DAIRY KING lately. Everyone is finding out what refreshing fountain drinks, sundies, malts, milk shakes and ice cream they serve, not to mention the delicious sandwiches and hamburgers with hot french fries. The DAIRY KING also has curb service after 5:30 p.m. on weekdays and earlier on weekends. Join the crowd!

JEANETTE'S really has a bargain on this week. They have regular 79 cent dress links in beautiful colorful prints for four yards for only \$2.00. It is just the bargain you have been looking for to make those summer dresses out of. Go by JEANETTE'S and pick your material out before it is all sold.

And here's even another bargain for you. The Connellee Coffee Shop will serve you a delicious dinner of baked ham, green beans, cream potatoes, combination salad and strawberry short cake Sunday for only \$1.25. Go by the CONNELLEE and get a bargain and a treat.

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School Calendar
May 28-29: Final Examinations
June 2: Baccalaureate Services, 8 p.m., High School Auditorium, Rev. James Fleming, speaker.
June 3: Senior Commencement, 8 p.m., High School Auditorium.
Tentative plans for seniors also include a Hobo Party, Ice Cream Supper and Junior - Senior Slave Breakfast.
Make plans to welcome back Eastland's ex-students now. June 8-9—date for the first annual all-school homecoming—is just around the corner. Do your part to make this Texas' Biggest Homecoming.

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Church of Christ Service Schedule For Week Listed

"Respect and Reverence in Christianity" will be the morning sermon topic Sunday of Otta Johnson, Church of Christ minister. The morning service begins at 10:50 a.m. "Climbing the Golden Stairs" will be the evening topic. Evening services begin at 7:30 p.m. Bible study classes are held at 10 a.m. for all ages and a special class for Vacation Bible School teachers and young people is held Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel Baptist Church Young Ladies Awarded

With a garden setting of white picket fences covered with roses, the young ladies of the Girl's Auxiliary of the Bethel Baptist Church receive their awards.

Maidens Carolyn Key, Sue Halmark, and Linda Holloway, received green octagons showing they had completed their work. Lady in Waiting Brenda Falk received a white star to go on her Octagon and Princess Sue Koch received the gold G. A. monogram to signify her forward advance in the steps of the Queens Court. Each girl was presented with a yellow rose bud as she received her charge to be an example in Christian living. During the service colored spot-lights played on glittering stars that hung from the ceiling, and a spot light followed each girl down the aisle to her place on the green lawn.

Miss Connie Koch preceded the girls, scattering rose petals in the path, and also assisted Mrs. James Fleming in presenting the emblems. Miss Sandra Curtis, counselor for the Girls Auxiliary, introduced James Fleming who was the inspirational speaker for the occasion. Miss Curtis presented the girls to the church as each gave an example of her work that she had done to complete that step.

Episcopal Church Services Listed

Rev. R. A. Lewis of Breckenridge conducts communion service each Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Eastland. Lay Leaders service is held Sunday at 10 a.m.

Building Drive At Bethel Church Off With Boom

The Building Campaign of the Bethel Baptist Church got off to a booming start last Tuesday night at the kickoff banquet. According to the pastor, James Fleming, "The response was overwhelming in every way, exceeding our most optimistic expectations." The banquet was one in a series of events that will lead up to the start of the construction of the new auditorium in mid July.

Sunday morning at 9:45 the regular Sunday School hour will begin. The guest speaker for the opening worship devotional will be Mrs. Roy Young. Mrs. Roland Koch, Sunday School Superintendent, will be in charge. The Worship Hour begins at 11 a.m. The pastor, James Fleming, will be speaking.

Training Union begins the evening worship services at 7 p.m. with the evening worship services following at 8. Activities for the week include: Royal Service Program for W.M.U. at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, led by Mrs. Allen Brim; G. A. will meet after school, Wednesday at the Fleming residence; Wednesday night the pastor will continue the study of the book of Ephesians.

First Methodist Services for Week Announced

The following services will be held this week at the First Methodist Church:

Church School begins at 9:45, Rudolph Little, superintendent. Morning worship is at 10:50 with the pastor, the Rev. Richard R. Smith preaching on the subject—"Failure, Focus, Faith." The choir will sing "Send Out Thy Light" by Gounod. Mrs. Alva Lotspeich, organist, will use the Prelude by Sincero and as the offertory "Prayer" by Bossi.

The Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:15 with Linda Huckabay leading the Seniors. Rev. Smith will bring the third talk on "Unusual Religious Group."

The evening worship is at 7 o'clock with the pastor in the pulpit using as a topic "Changing The Subject." Wendell Siebert will conduct the singing with the youth filling the choir loft.

Monday at 1 o'clock there will be an Executive Luncheon of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the home of Mrs. T. M. Collie, hostess. All officers are requested to bring their reports to be given at this time. The Church's fourth quarterly conference will meet at the church Monday night at 7:30. All reports for the year are to be given. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet in the Chapel at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning for a short prayer meeting to be followed at 9:30 by the "Spiritual Life Program" in the church parlor. Mrs. W. F. Davenport is the leader.

The pastor will conduct the Bible Study on "Spiritualism" Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. The chancel choir will meet for rehearsal Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Christian Science

Humanity's need of spiritual growth and progress will be brought out on Christian Science services this Sunday.

Keynoting the Lesson - Sermon entitled "Mortals and Immortals" is the Golden Text from I Corinthians (15:53): "This corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality." Readings from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following (265:5): "Mortals must gravitate Godward, their affections and aims grow spiritual, they must near the broader interpretations of being, and gain some proper sense of the infinite, in order that sin and mortality may be put off."

Scriptural selections to be read include the following from Psalms (89:15): "Blessed is the people that know the joyful sound; they shall walk, O Lord, in the light of thy countenance."

First Baptist Services Listed For This Week

Sunday School time at First Baptist Church is 9:45 with A. J. Blevins, Jr. Superintendent. Worship services at 11 will be in charge of the young people with Stanley Blevins bringing the morning message and Bill Upchurch in charge of music with Betty Westfall at the piano. At the Sunday evening service Gene May will preach and Julia Inzer will play the piano. This will climax the Week-End Youth Revival. Other meetings Sunday will be Elementary Choirs at 6:00 p.m. and Training Union at 7:00 p.m.

Monday evening at 7:00 the Business Women's Circle will meet with Mrs. Ita Parrish and the Brotherhood will have a covered-dish supper and Rev. Earl Sherman, pastor of First Baptist Church, Albany, will bring a message.

Tuesday morning Mrs. I. C. Inzer will lead the Bible Study for the W.M.U. at 9:30 in the Adult II Department. Wednesday evening at 7:00 the R.A., G.A., Y.W.A., Sunbeams, and Teachers of the Sunday School will meet with Prayer Meeting following at 8:00 and Choir Rehearsal at 8:45.

Presbyterian Church Services Are Announced

Morning worship at the First Presbyterian Church, corner Walnut and Valley Streets, is at 11 o'clock, with Sermon by the Minister, The Rev. Eugene H. Surface. The sermon subject is "The Church—the Creator of Culture."

Sunday Church School convenes at 10 o'clock. The minister goes to Albany Sunday night to assist in the installation of the recently called pastor of the Matthews' Memorial Church in that city. As a member of the Commission appointed by the Presbytery of Abilene, Rev. Surface is to give the Charge to the pastor. The Installation Service begins at 6 o'clock — this earlier hour due to the Baccalaureate service for Albany High School later on the same evening. The pastor — elect is newly graduated from McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago.

The Women's Association meets Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the church. The Bible lesson on "Jesus' Teachings on Citizenship" is moving into its last sessions. The lesson this time is "In What Spirit?"

Calvary Baptist Church Services Are Announced

The Calvary Baptist Church, 207 North Oak, will begin services Sunday with Sunday School at 10 a.m. The lesson for Sunday will be taken from the fifth chapter of Exodus. Preaching will be at 11 a.m. Sunday night services begin with prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Harl L. Williams is pastor.

First Christian Church Services Are Announced

Church School meets at the First Christian Church, studying the story of Sodom and Gormorrah, with emphasis on the power of intercessory prayer. Classes for all ages are available with consecrated teachers. Morning worship begins at 11:00 with the pastor, Roy M. Turner, in the pulpit preaching on: "Life's Saving Tensions" using as a text, John 12:27-36. A nursery is available. Vespers begin at 7:30 with old fashioned gospel music. There will be a men's choir. The meditation theme is: "Too Much Believing" taken from Acts 17:22.

The groups of the C.W.F. who meet in the daytime are having luncheons at noon as closing meetings for the fiscal year. Group 1 will lunch at Mrs. Lon Horn at 12:00, Group 2 with Mrs. Winnie Wynne, at 12:00 Group 3 at the parsonage at 12:00. These luncheons will be covered dish. Call the group leaders for information. Group 4 will meet at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Arthur Gallagher.

Vacation Bible School teachers will meet Monday at 4:00 at the Parsonage.

COUNTY NEWS ROUND-UP

LAKE CISCO RISES—The city water reservoir (Lake Cisco) has gained 22 feet of new water since the middle of April when the current "rainy spell" began. City officials estimate that this represents enough water to supply the city for three and a half years without additional rains. Measurement at the dam now is 50 feet.—THE CISCO PRESS

COMMENCEMENT FRIDAY—The commencement program of Rising Star High School will begin with the baccalaureate services Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church when Harry A. Tansil will preach the sermon for the 21 members of the graduating class. The graduation exercises will take place in the high school auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday, May 24. Wanda Bradley is valedictorian and Sandra Bradley salutatorian.—THE RISING STAR RECORD

BURN TRASH—An ordinance repealing the non-trash burning clause of the city garbage law was approved by the City Commission at the semi-monthly meeting Tuesday night at city hall. Effective immediately, the burning of trash will be allowed from 6 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Wednesday only.—THE CISCO PRESS

GORMAN GRADUATION—The Gorman High School commencement will be held Friday, May 24. Linda Lee Speck will give the salutatory address and Sara Jane Thompson the valedictory address. The baccalaureate program is to be held Sunday at 8 p.m.—THE GORMAN PRESS

Moore About—

(Continued from Page One) which dead-ends at their house. —vcm— Eastland County came close to having a bunch of all-weather school superintendents last week. County Supt. H. R. Garrett, Eastland Subst. Wendell Siebert and the superintendents from Cisco, Desdeno and Gorman all went to Austin for a meeting. They stayed in Lampasas to drink coffee and left just a few minutes before the levee broke and the town was washed away. Water was standing eight feet deep the next morning in the cafe they had coffee in. —vcm— Harvey Kimbler, who does the preaching for the local Baptists, is one of these golfing pastors. He said that not long ago he was out knocking the little ball around and happened to drive two shots in a row into the woods. Mrs. Henry Pullman was playing in a foursome right behind the preacher and Kimbler heard her say to one of the other members, "And all he can do is just stand there." —vcm— We hate to keep giving all this free advertising to Doc Davis but we can't help but ask if you have seen that giant bottle of medicine he has back there in the back. Doc tells us its guaranteed to be a cure-all. If it doesn't cure what you have after you use up the whole bottle he will give you a refill for free. —vcm— We don't like to put the manager on the spot, but after taking a sneak look at Eastland's two teenage baseball teams we predict a pair of winning clubs. —vcm— Phil Hilliard, son of Olden School Supt. Travis Hilliard, and a brainful Ranger Junior College freshman, has come up with the answer to the question we asked about the constables' pay. You remember. We wanted to know how much they were going to get docked by the county treasurer for that 15 minute, \$25 a month pay cut they took Monday. Hilliard uses up 12 pages of scratch paper before he came up with the answer: four cents. —vcm— See you in church.

COMET—

(Continued from Page One) and starter Terry Treadwell was charged with the loss. Charles Justice and Weldon Broussard both doubled for the losers for the only extra base hits of the game. In all the Dogs got six hits while the Medics collected four. Jimm Fracuss pitched the final inning for the Dogs, striking out three of the four batters he faced while issuing one walk. George Kimbler pitcher two innings for the Medics, giving up two hits but no runs. Monday night the Bulldogs play the Lions in the 6:30 tilt and the Comets play the Medics in the second game.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	B
Comets	2	0	0
Lions	1	1	1
Bulldogs	1	1	1
Medics	0	0	2

ACTIVITIES—

(Continued from Page One) jackets which are used. Plans for this year call for having the new "Y" building open each Friday and Saturday for members of the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y. At least one night a week is also planned for the Junior Tri-Hi-Y girls and the Junior Hi-Y boys. Information on the day camps will be distributed to all grade school pupils in Eastland this week. Registrations blanks will be included in the pamphlet handed each child.



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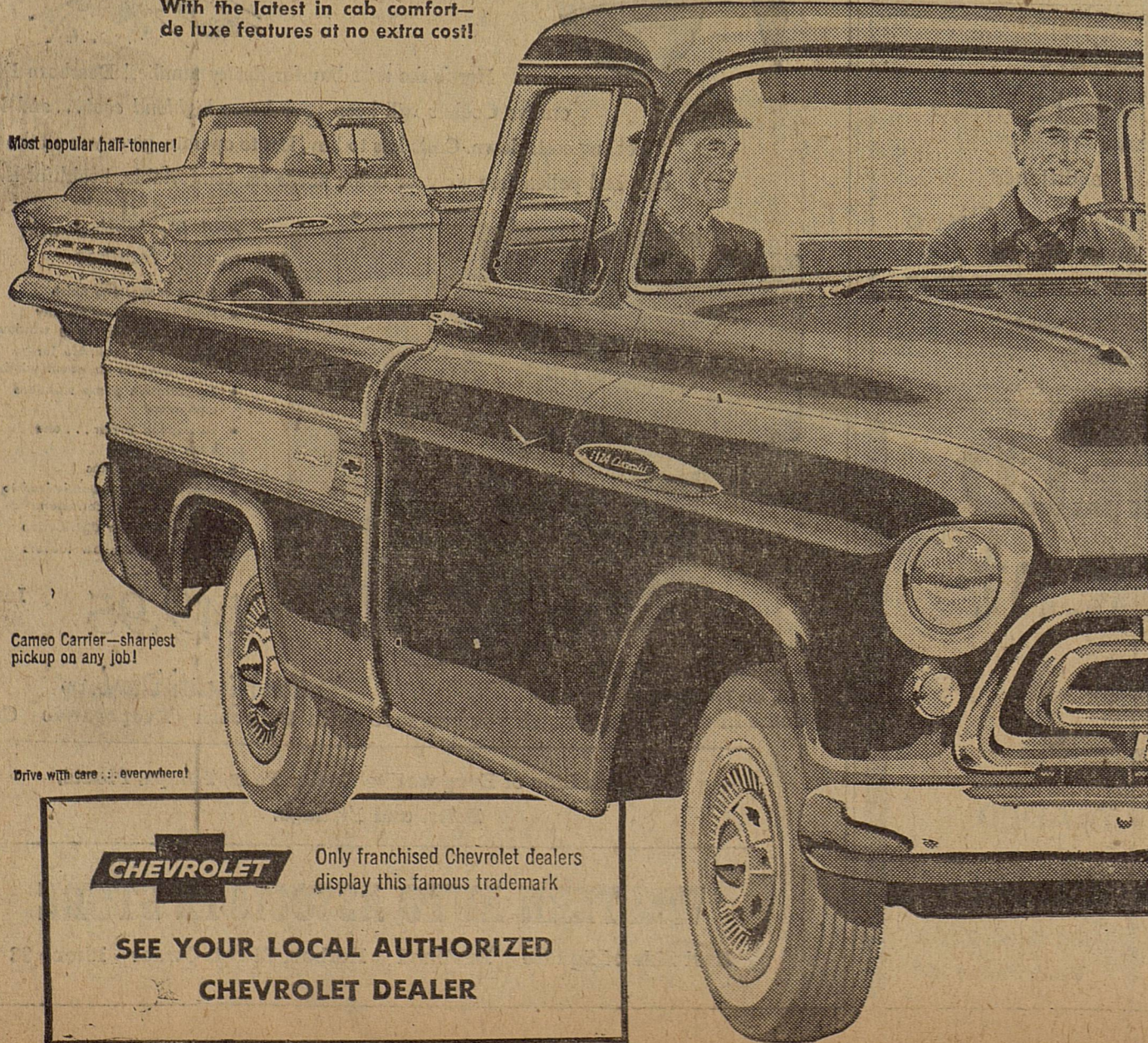
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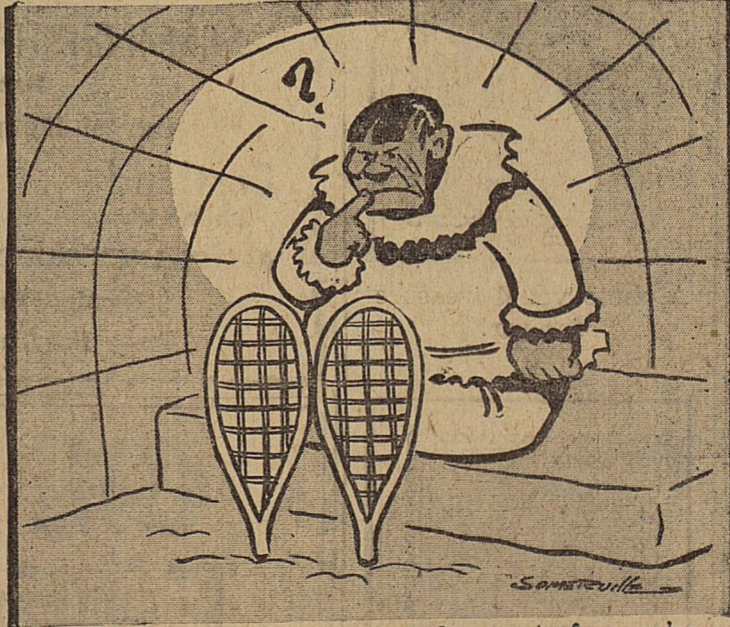
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