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Public Invited To Jr. Play Friday

Friday night, Dec. 14, a little bit of Voodoo will invade the Eastland High School Auditorium stage, as the Junior class puts on "Mumbo Jumbo" at 8:00 p.m.

The play is a mystery farce, written by Jack Barnard, which takes place in the living room of Cherry Tree Farm, a summer home in New England over a period of two days.

The plots, sub-plots and action are many, but the main one concerns Peewee's marriage to Peaches during a state of intoxication. He wants an annulment. The action starts as he and his friend Dick carry the money out to the farm to pay off Peaches. The drama begins when they lose the money, then decide to open the farm to boarders while awaiting the arrival of Peaches.

On a stormy night a collection of strange characters come and the fun and fantasy begin. Scattered throughout the play are thefts and deaths. People being put into spells by a West Indian mystic and a native witch woman, chants being uttered, magic being made.

Play director, Mrs. Vernon Mahan, said the cast has put in a month of hard work for the one night production. There have been problems in

rehearsal, for three of the leading male cast are basketball players and many work part time.

"There was trouble in casting for there were many good readers in the junior class that tried out," admitted Mrs. Mahan.

The cast includes: Carrol Terrell as Mrs. Sarah Reynolds; Jack McFarland as her husband, John; John Hart as Dick, a college boy; Jace Staggs as Peewee; Cindy Millican as Tweety, a hired girl; Burt Elliot as Monahan, a state policeman; Bill Morehead as Harold Custer; Vivian Maxwell as Dr. Gaze Omahandra, West Indian Mystic; Sharon McCloud as Kay Samedi, his ward; Debra Woods, as Madame Celesta, native witch woman; Kathy Jordan as Peaches Greeting, a chorus girl; Brent Parker as Lem Marbelhead, a sheriff; Carl Smith as Miss Emma Burpee; and Marilyn Pierson as Daisy, teenage niece.

Special effects are handled by Mark Pipkin, Bobby Mueller, and Bobby Britt.

Stage manager Tom Morren and his crew - Jack Johnson, Brent Parker, Jace Staggs,

and Phillip Rawlins - spent many hours building the set, especially the fireplace.

Script and property girls were Betty Lyerla and Carla Bishop. Publicity was handled by Donna Pinkerton.

Both actors and the audience should enjoy themselves at

"Mumbo Jumbo"; they both will gain something from the performance.

The audience will enjoy good entertainment. The cast will have the satisfaction of seeing their month of hard work become worthwhile in giving a good smooth performance.



Pictured above is the Junior play cast. They are from left to right top row: Brent Parker, Carol Smith, John Hart, Debra Woods, and Billy Daniels. Middle Row: Vivian Maxwell, Kathy Jordan, Cindy Millican and Sharon McCloud. Bottom Row: Bill Morehead, Jace Staggs, Marilyn Pierson, and Bert Elliot.

EHS Band Members Represented Region Try-Outs

On Nov. 17 and Dec. 7, the EHS Band was represented at the TMEA all-district and all-region try-outs at Stephenville and Brownwood.

Those students making the district band were: Randy Frost - second chair cornet and trumpet, Robert Hallmark - first chair percussion I, David Pennington - fourth chair trombone.

Those selected for the region band were: Gary Cannon - third chair alto clarinet, Randy Frost - second chair trumpet, Robert Hallmark - third chair percussion I.

One student, Randy Frost, was selected for the all-area band, and will represent Eastland at the Texas all-state tryouts in Austin, Jan. 19.

The band would like to express its appreciation to Fullen Motor Co. for the loan of a van to take students to the regional try-outs, since a bus was not available from EHS.

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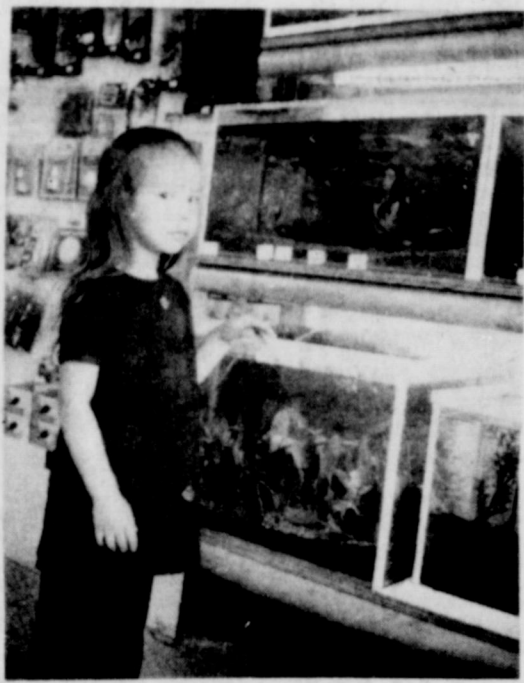
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KRISTIE MASTON ...and fish friends

New Business For Eastland

Another new business has opened in Eastland just in time for the Christmas shopping season.

Wynell's Treasure Island, between Perry's and Mode

O'Day, has everything from tropical fish to wall plaques to stereo tapes to Mexican imports.

"Aquariums make such good Family Christmas gifts," says Mrs. Wynell Maston, proprietor. "Business every day has been better than the day before," she admits.

The shop downtown is an extension of Maston's Fina east of town which is the family business.

Walk in and see the tropical fish, Guppies, Angel fish, exotic African Catfish, Tiger Barbs, Black Mollies, which are a few among the many.

She and her husband, Dale, have been in the tropical fish and plaster wall plaque and figurine business for almost two years now.

They started with one room out at their Fina station on East IH - 20 Interchange, and have expanded to eight rooms. They set up and stocked the new shop in eight days in order to open to serve Eastland residents during the holidays.

A.G. Crosby of Killeen and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Forman of Olden visited Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Crosby during the weekend.

Youth Fellowship Friday Night

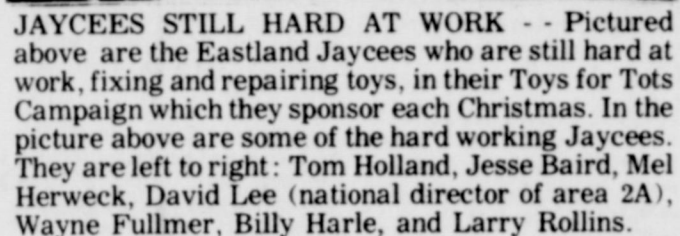
The Christ Ambassador Youth Fellowship will meet Friday night, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p.m. at Merriman Baptist Church. Guest speaker will be Garry Worden of Stamford. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

EHS Bands To Present Concert

The Eastland High School, Junior High, and Beginner bands will present a Christmas Concert on Sunday, Dec. 16, at 2:30 p.m. The concert will be in the EHS auditorium and everyone is invited to attend.

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Sign in an art gallery: "We hung this picture because we couldn't find the artist."



JAYCEES STILL HARD AT WORK - Pictured above are the Eastland Jaycees who are still hard at work, fixing and repairing toys, in their Toys for Tots Campaign which they sponsor each Christmas. In the picture above are some of the hard working Jaycees. They are left to right: Tom Holland, Jesse Baird, Mel Herweck, David Lee (national director of area 2A), Wayne Fullmer, Billy Harle, and Larry Rollins.

Funeral Services Held Monday For Pat Smith, 78

E.P. (Pat) Smith, 78, a former resident of Ranger, died at 8:25 a.m. Sunday at his home in Trinidad following an apparent heart attack.

Funeral was at 2 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church of Trinidad with burial in a Trinidad Cemetery.

Mr. Smith was a retired employee of Lone Star Gas Co. and during Ranger residence, worked at the Sibley Booster Station.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Jeraldine Harris of Fort Worth, Patsy Ruth King of Cisco and Sue Montgomery of Athens; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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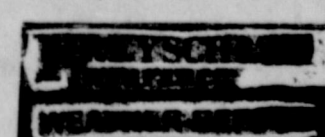
Mrs. Theaopal Walton, 35, of Eastland died at 9:50 a.m. Sunday at Eastland Hospital. Funeral was at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Bakker Funeral Chapel with Jim Pennington, Church of Christ minister officiating.

Burial was at Alameda Cemetery east of Eastland.

Born June 25, 1938, in Desdemona, she married Lynn Walton, Sept. 7, 1953 in Strawn. She was an employee of the Eastland Memorial Hospital and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband of the home; three sons, David, Dennis and Dana, all of the home; two daughters, Doris and Deanna both of the home; one brother, Wilburn Ash of Eagle Lake; one sister, Mrs. Carl J. Christian of Stephenville; and her mother Mrs. Allen Dillard of Mineral Wells.

Pallbearers were Wesley Lewis, Dalton Watson, Winfred Lindley, Eddie Lindley, Bobby Wisdom, and Charles Guthrie.



Cooler on Thursday. Winds northerly 10 - 15 mph.

New Families

Eastland gained nine new families during the month of November.

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Talley, formerly of Worforth, are now living at 404 S. Bassett. They are retired.

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Simmel, formerly of Cisco, now live on Hwy. 80 W. They have two sons, ages 10 and 13. Mr. Simmel is District Manager for Lone Star Gas.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Murphy moved to Eastland from Gorman. They live at 304 N. Seaman. They are retired.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis R. Mangum, formerly of Cisco, are living in the Olden Trailer Park. Mr. Mangum is a service station attendant.

Mrs. Mary H. Evans, formerly of Navasota, is residing at 611 S. Bassett. She is employed by Valley View Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Haley, formerly of Dublin, are living at 403 High. They have three daughters, ages 6, 5, and 3, and one son, 2 years old. Mr. Haley is a service station attendant.

Mrs. Lillian M. Cromwell, formerly of Oklahoma City, is residing in the Sabine Terrace Apartments. Mrs. Cromwell is retired.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy L. McBride, formerly of Denton, are residing at 107 E. Burkett. They have two daughters, ages 2 and 1. Mr. McBride is employed by Texas Railroad Car in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael N. Lewis moved to Eastland from Euless. They are residing at 308 E. Hill. They have a son, 5, and a daughter, 2. Mr. Lewis is employed by the State Department of Health.

'Silent Night' ... In Eastland

"Round yon virgin mother and Child", Where is the Christ Child in Eastland today? The familiar Christmas carol will have a hollow ring for a father and five children here.

"All is calm" ... All is not bright for them now.

How does a nine-year-old boy understand the death of his mother? For that matter, a 13-year-old, or an 18-year-old boy? How can sisters, 12 and 14, cope with the loss of their mother?

"Shepherds quake at the sight..." And for those who know the family members, it must surely be the perfect example of what the word "sorrow" really means.

"Sleep in heavenly peace..." At Christmas time, too. The town sheds big tears. Where is the Christ Child today?

Eastland's Christmas spirit began last Friday when Mrs. Theaopal Walton, 35, a hospital dietary department employee, was admitted as a patient. She told her fellow employees then that she guessed her youngsters wouldn't have much Christmas because she might not be able to get their things out of lay-away.

It didn't take a second for her friends at Eastland Memorial Hospital to assure her that they would personally see that the things were gotten for the Walton children. A fund was begun there immediately.

Mrs. Walton died at Sunday School time Sunday morning of an acute blood disease.

"Radiant beams from Thy holy face..." Eastland's formal helpers, the Goodfellows, will of course, do extra special by the youngsters, but the long-time needs are so much greater than just the immediate Christmas effort. Times, over the years, have been harder for the Waltons, but their spirit shows too. There's every hope that the family can stay together.

The father wants it so. Eldest son David, a worker in an Eastland plant, vows it will be so.

With the help of the Eastland Memorial Hospital Employees, and the true Christmas Spirit, it can be so.

The EMH Employees used part of their first-raised funds to buy funeral clothing for the family, and the rest will go to getting the things for the children as their mother asked. But there's more need too and the employees ask that others join.

"With the dawn of redeeming grace..." Warm clothing, Staple food, money, blankets, rugs and love.

Money may be contributed through James Reid, P.O. Box 391, Eastland. Other gifts may be taken directly to the family home at 306 N. Walnut St., or left at Eastland Memorial Hospital with Mrs. Eleanor Wright, Mrs. Martha Brashear, Mrs. Dewey Webb, Administrator Mrs. Helga Tiner, or any hospital employee, who will see that it is delivered to the family.

"Christ the Savior is born!" Where is the Christ Child today? In the hearts of those who love Him and others more than themselves.



MEMBERS STILL ROLLING IN - This week's new member to the Eastland Chamber of Commerce is Opal Bennet, manager of Ford's Dry Cleaners in Eastland. Ford's Dry Cleaners provides the very best in dry cleaning needs.

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PAPER FOR
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4H CLUB

4-H members from Eastland County can look forward to having a good time and helping needy families in the county next Monday night. The annual county wide Christmas Party will be held next Monday, Dec. 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the National Guard Armory building in Cisco. Mr. Joel Wilson, with West Texas Utilities in Abilene, will be here to call the square dancing at the party. 4-Hers attending the party are asked to bring some non-perishable food item such as canned food for the Goodfellows and cookies for refreshments at the party. Afterwards the food items will be sent to the Goodfellows in the county for distribution before Christmas. 7:00 p.m. to help with the decorations for the party and

also for a short meeting before the event begins.

All members of the County 4-H Council and Junior Leaders Associations are asked to be there at 6:00 p.m. instead of

Farm Users To Get Fuel

Area farmers needing more diesel fuel may request it by applying immediately to distributors, according to Barry Rudd, Chairman of the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASCS) Committee.

Rudd has received notice that this revision on distillates in the emergency fuels program is effective for 60 days. It should go a long way toward enabling many farmers who need diesel tractor fuel, to continue a variety of farming activities important to producing food for the nation. The revision notice is from the Office of Petroleum Allocation (OPA), Department of the Interior.

December 13, 1973

Thoughts

From The Living Bible

Six stone waterpots were standing there; they were used for Jewish ceremonial purposes and held perhaps twenty to thirty gallons each. Then Jesus told the servants to fill them to the brim with water. When this was done he said, "Dip some out and take it to the master of ceremonies." When the master of ceremonies tasted the water that was now wine, not knowing where it had come from (though, of course, the servants did), he called the bridegroom over. "This is wonderful stuff!" he said.

John 2:6-10
Religious Heritage of America

Nicholas H. Smith, Assistant Deputy Administrator of Programs for ASCS in the U.S. Department of Agriculture for the USDA, said this revision in the use of distillates was approved Nov. 19, 1973. Smith said this change is now "the law of the land" and suppliers are obligated to give farmers and ranchers preference in supplying their needs of diesel fuel. In addition to farmers, those given preference under this revision are mass transit and those who produce the fuel itself.

The mandatory distillate fuels allocation program went into effect Nov. 1, 1973, basing a farmer's initial allocation on the amount of diesel and other distillates he had used in the corresponding month of last year.

Winter Carnival

Dec. 15

Eastland Jaycees are sponsoring a winter carnival through Dec. 15 at Maverick Stadium parking lot. All proceeds from the carnival will be donated to the library fund.

Cycle Club Holds Meeting

The Eastland County Cycle Club held their third meeting Tuesday night at Chesnut's Cycle Center in Ranger, with all members attending and

COUNTY NEWS

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

- Eddy J. Anderson - Chev. - Amarillo
- C.E. Ross - Ford - Mingus
- J.L. Morrow - Ford Pkup - Gorman
- Geo. A. Riebe - Int'l Pkup - Strawn
- Frank T. Hightower - Ford Pkup - Eastland
- C.B. Chaney - Chev. Pkup - Eastland
- RR.C. Mehaffey - Chev. Pkup - Gorman
- R.L. Kinser - Ford - Gorman
- Danny Snider - Ford Pkup - Gorman
- Hugh C. Matthias and others to St. of Texas - notice st. tax lien
- Mrs. W.E. Morris to Lewis C. Hull and wife - release deed of trust
- R.C. Massey to L.E. Booth - warranty deed

everyone proclaiming it a large success. New secretaries elected were Donnie Chesnut and Charlie Rose. Items concerning the previous meeting were discussed and some new laws brought into effect.

Anyone wishing to join the

club may contact Jimmy Easter or Tommy Rose, anyone any age may join. The club wants members from any town anywhere. There is no restriction.

The next meeting will be held at the Herring Truck Terminal

across from the Pony League Field in Eastland Tuesday, Dec. 18, at 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Everyone is urged to attend.

The next Eastland County Cycle Club Meet will be Sunday, Dec. 16, at Ringling Lake in Eastland with all types of

riding offered. Everyone is invited to come ride or just to watch. The meet will start at 1:00.

The total enrollment of the club now stands at 55. With hopes many more will be at the next meeting.

Question:

Is Lone Star doing everything it can to hold down costs?

Answer:

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We're operating more efficiently than ever before. But our costs are going up none the less... just like yours.

For instance, the interest rates on money we have to borrow for constructing new gas supply systems have increased dramatically. These rates have recently been at all time highs.

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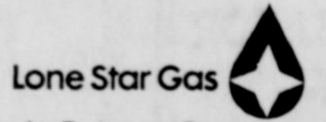
These investments don't even include the cost of all the gas we must buy to fill the line. In 1969, natural gas

cost us about 19 cents per thousand cubic feet.

Recently we paid more than 85 cents for major new supplies. And the price is still rising.

Costs like these are the price Lone Star must pay for your continuing natural gas supplies. It's important that you understand our need for adequate rates so we can continue to deliver clean gas energy to your home for winters to come.

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A millionaire said, "I thought money could buy happiness. I've been miserably disillusioned." "I have money, beauty, glamour and popularity," cried a famous film star. "I should be the happiest woman in the world, but I'm not. Why?"

Psalms 119:1 has the answer: "Blessed are the undefiled in the way, who walk in the law of the Lord."

The word "blessed" means happy, and the expression "in the way" describes a journey. The verse could be translated, "Happy are those who in the journey of life are on the road that leads to heaven."

There was a man who asked a boy for directions to reach his destination. "If you go on the way you're headed," he replied, "you'll never reach it. But if you turn right about-face, you'll find it immediately."

Happiness is found when a man turns right about-face and walks not occasionally but habitually in the law of the Lord. It is a matter of finding the way in which the Lord would have us go and then going that way.

The one who is wholly His and who makes it the habit of his life to be holy is the happy one.



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Music Study Club Holds Christmas Banquet

Music Study Club of Eastland held their annual Christmas Banquet honoring husbands and guests on Saturday evening, Dec. 8th at 7:30 p.m. in the beautiful dining room at Ramada Inn.

President Mrs. Rossander, presided. Upon entering guests were served colorful cranberry punch by Mrs. Bobby Bringham. Holiday decorations were everywhere. Guests found their places at the table by the lovely artistic place cards. The usual three course bountiful dinner was served.

Rev. Stephen M. Church gave the invocation. Quotation for the program "It is Christmas, a time of joy for the grown-ups and a time of expectancy for the little folks" by John W. Holland.

Hymn of the Month: Brightest and Best played to the tune of Morning Star.

Reginald Hebes - James P. Hardive, Darnelle Finch and Craig Shewmake were presented and entertained the guests for the entire evening. They performed on two Conn Organs courtesy of the Conn Organ Studio of Abilene. Mrs. Finch gave Cole Porter Medley - an arrangement by Dora Nell Finch and she gave numerous additional Cole Porter compositions throughout the evening. Everyone was signing Christmas carols. Even Santa paid a visit.

Fifty members and guests attended. Hostesses were Mrs. Rossander, Susan Johnston, Mrs. Rice.

Marjorie van Hoose
Club Reporter

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MARRIAGE LICENSE
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INSTRUMENTS FILED
Roy Alexander and wife to Mrs. Lena Eason - warranty deed

Bertha A. Anderson to J.R. Hunt and wife - warranty deed

Charles F. Brooks and wife to The Berge, Marjorie and others - deed of trust

James F. Busbee and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Bernie Barnes and wife to Nu - Energy Corp. - oil, gas, mineral lease

J.H. Burton to Nu - Energy Corp. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Bernie Joe Barnes to Nu - Energy Corp. - oil, gas, mineral lease

lease.
D.H. Ballinger to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

John H. Brewer and others to Pitts Oil Co. oil, gas, mineral lease

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B.V. Bollinger to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease.

Mrs. Bessie Bennett to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Ira M. Bevers to First Nat'l Bk., Cisco - deed of trust

T.C. Bartling and wife to Ranger Jr. College - warranty deed

Joe G. Barnes to E.W. Griffin - oil, gas lease

Tom C. Barnes, dec'd to the public - proof of heirship

Guy W. Barnes, dec'd to the public - certified copy will

E.J. Barnes, dec'd to the public - certified copy will

Colonel C. Coody and wife to Scott L. Taliaferro - oil, gas, mineral lease

Zedee S. Cagle to Delle A. Smith - warranty deed

Jack Roy Clark - to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

John D. Clark and wife to Nu - Energy Corp - oil, gas, mineral lease

Mrs. A.O. (Eloise) Criswell to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Nina Cummings to Michael L. Jones - quick claim deed

Catherine Cunningham to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Helen R. Crawford to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease.

H.W. Clifton and others to Eastland Investment Inc. - warranty deed

Raleigh E. Darnell and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

R.D. Ditton and wife to Hubert B. Cameron and wife - warranty deed

T.L. Dupree to E.W. Griffin - oil, gas lease

Eastland Nat'l Bank to V.T. Moser - abstract of judgment

Eastland Nat'l Bank to St. of Texas - asgn judgment

Mack Elliott to William O. Smith - M - D

Mack Elliott to William O. Smith - deed of trust

John T. Farr and others to L.T. Scott - oil, gas, mineral lease

Joe Fraley and wife to Nu - Energy Corp - oil, gas, mineral lease.

B.L. Files and wife to Natural Gas Finders, Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

1st Fed. S&L Assn - to Burton Christenson and wife - release deed of trust

1st Comanche Bk. in Comanche to H.S. Weston and wife - release deed of trust

1st Nat'l Bk. Midland to K.C. Fuel Co. - release deed of trust

1st St. Bk. Rising Star to Roy Alexander and wife - release deed of trust

1st Nat'l Bk. Baird to Stephenville S&L Assn - asgn. mechanics, materials lien

1st St. Bk. Ranger to Jesse Brown and wife - release deed of trust

Geo. P. Fee and wife to the public - homestead designation

Thearon G. Gilmore and wife to Rayford Burgess - warranty deed

W.E. Gardner and wife to Natural Gas Finders, Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

W.H. Grove, dec'd by Trustee to Lone Star Producing Co. - lease agreement

Bessie Hill to Chaparral Const. Co. to 1st Nat'l Bk., Cisco - mechanics, materials lease and asgn.

Mrs. Susan Hunt to D.A. Lambert and wife - warranty deed

Richard L. Hatfield to Gerald H. Lee - deed of trust

Mrs. Lela Ham to Natural Gas Finders Inc. oil, gas, mineral lease

E.H. Hill and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Weldon C. Hill and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

R.B. Hall Jr. and wife to Michael L. Jones - warranty deed

Wilma Jean Hunt and husband to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Tom K. Hallenbeck and wife to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Lillian Hansen and others to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Hogan Thomas Gail and wife to Stephenville S-L Assn - deed of trust

K.B. Homes and others to Doris Richeson and husband - warranty deed

Higginbotham Bros and Co. to A.E. (Eddie) Barker - abstract of judgment

J.R. Hunt and wife to 1st Fed. S&L Ranger - deed of trust

Gerald Ingram and wife to W.J. Jones and wife - warranty deed

W.J. Jones and wife to 1st Nat'l Bk., Cisco - deed of trust

J.T. Case Cr. Corp. to Fred. K. Moseley - releasw abstract of judgment

Alvin Kitchens and wife to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Gerald H. Lee to Richard L. Hatfield - warranty deed

Lenola Lewis and others to Ivan Webb - warranty deed

C.A. Livingston and wife to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Claudia Trobaugh to Dale Trabough - quick claim deed

Verna Dean Underwood and Lofland Co. to Fred K. Moseley dba et al Indv. and release - abstract of judgment

Lewisville Nat'l Bk. to Roy M. Martin - release deed of trust

Robert D. Medford and wife to Natural Gas Finders Inc. - oil, gas, mineral lease

John V. Moyer and others to William H. Harper and wife - contract agreement

Mrs. Ray M. Martin to G.B. Murray - warranty deed

Nichols Oil and Gas Corp to Martha Dotherons - asgn of overriding royalty

C.C. Nelson to John Sizelan - warranty deed

Overton Oil and Gas Corp to Nichols Oil and Gas Corp - oil, gas lease

Geo. Owens and others to Gene Fraley and wife - release venders lien deed of trust

T.B. Piburn and wife to 1st Nat'l Bk. Gordon - deed of trust

Hollis Pippin and wife to Pitts Oil Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

James W. Reid, trustee to Rozelle Uffleman - warranty deed

C.C. Rutherford and wife to Nu - Energy Corp - oil, gas, mineral lease

Miss Eleanor P. Roberts to Nu - Energy Corp - oil, gas, mineral lease

Doris Richeson and wife to 1st St. Bk. Ranger - deed of trust

Thomas H. Seay and others to Arlon Smith - warranty deed

John R. Shaw, Jr. to James Powers - power of attorney

Marjorie TheBerg and others to Charles F. Brooks - warranty deed


Joe Tow and others to Cook Lumber Co. - oil, gas, mineral lease

Claudia Trobaugh to Dale Trabough - quick claim deed

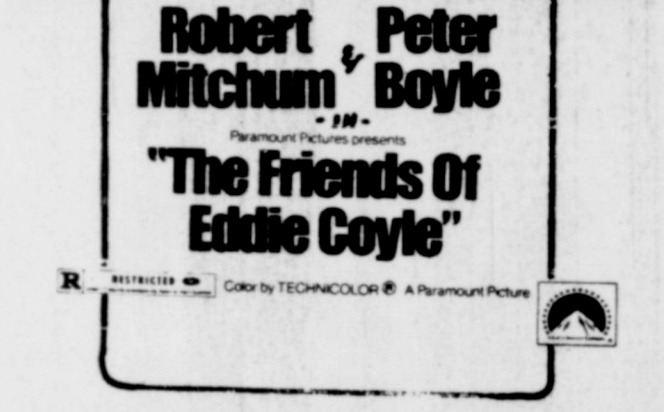
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 Ruby Varner
 Lee Michael
 Modena Polk
 Martin Stuart
 Woodie Parsons
 Albert Williams
 Horace White

Bill Gailey
 O.D. Phillips
 Laura Todd
 Lota Hutton
 Anna Blue
 Joe Greenfield
 Bill Davis
 Shannon Daughtery
 Jim Brashears
 Ruth Riddling
 Mattie Cox

Bertha Tankersley
 Emery Ford
 Henry Griffith
 Addie Moseley
 Leona Hill
 Duke Stamford
 Joe Podock
 Baby Boy Jones
 Homer Goforth
 Patients in Eastland Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning were:
 Linda Drake, Stephenville
 Joel Bond, Olden
 James Isbell
 Dallas Frost
 William Walker, Carbon

Clifton Beck, Mingus
 Ruby Gilmore, Gorman
 James Franklin, Cisco
 Hudson Collins, Stephenville
 Helen Plew
 Lula Johnson, Gorman
 Melvin Sandler, Cisco
 Albert Cogburn
 Robert T. Powell
 Claude Chipman, Gorman
 Billy Koerner, Ranger
 Ardella Hayes
 Sudie Groves
 Ruby Staton, Cisco
 Grady J. Henderson
 Bennett Shortes, Carbon
 Tina McBea

Pearl Hobbs, Carbon
 Nina McMillan, Gorman
 William McMillan, Gorman
 Fannie Turner, Strawn
 Lillie Dunlap
 Sophie Harris
 Johnnie Adams, Cisco
 Deborah Roberts, Moran
 Lillian Nordyke, Cisco
 Iral Inzer
 Johnny Hart
 Arlie Butler, R. Star
 Lucille Aston
 Ethel Stevenson, Baird
 Drucilla Eppard, C. P.
 Elsie Glenn
 Bill Bledsoe, Cisco

Varge Daniel
 Edgard G. Houser,
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Saltines	Melrose Soda Crackers Safeway Big Buy!	16-oz. Box	29¢
Apple Sauce	Highway. Mellow Flavor! Safeway Big Buy!	16-oz. Can	20¢

Shop and Save!

Aspirin Tablets	Safeway 100-Ct. 5-Grain Bottle	18¢
Mouthwash	Safeway 16-oz. Bottle	38¢
Vitamin 'C'	Safeway 100 MG 100-Ct. Bottle	49¢
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Hair Spray	Truly Fine 12-oz. Can	49¢

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Armour Golden Star	Self-Basting Young Turkeys. Over 10-Lbs. USDA Grade 'A'	-Lb. 79¢
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Potatoes	Russet. US #1A. 5-lb. Bag	5.59¢
Mixed Nuts	*Pecans *Walnuts *Almonds *Brazil Nuts *Pistachios. -Lb.	89¢
Apples	*Red or *Golden Delicious Washington State. Extra Fancy! -Lb.	29¢
Tangelos	Florida. Sweet & Juicy! 5-lb. Bag	79¢
Cranberries	Ocean Spray. 1-lb. Pkg.	39¢
Mincemeat	Borden's Condensed. 9-oz. Pkg.	47¢
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Maverick Basketball Teams Playing In Tournaments

Lately Maverick Basketball teams have been playing in tournaments every weekend. Today the girls and boys varsity teams will begin play in the Baird Tournament in afternoon games.

The boys A and B teams, and the girls A team will play next at Gorman Tuesday at 5:30 p.m.

Last weekend in the Gorman Tournament, the Mavericks lost a squeaker to Ranger 40 to 37 and were soundly thumped by Dublin 64 - 35.

The Mavericks behind the

shooting of Jill Price, Ann Haun and Cynthia Pinkerton advanced to the Finals of the Gorman Tournament.

In the Dublin game, Morren was high point man with 12 points, closely followed by Marshall with 10 and Robertson with 8. In all three quarters Dublin outscored Eastland almost two to one to pull away to an insurmountable lead.

Against Ranger Morren was again high point man with 15 points. Boles scored 8 and Robertson and Staggs each scored 6. The game was close

all the way, but the major factor that sealed Eastland's doom was 6'7" Gohlke of Ranger who scored 27 points.

The girls squeaked by Dublin 56 - 54 in exciting overtime play. Outstanding defensive players were Jerri Simms who snagged 9 rebounds and Thresa Tankersley with 6 rebounds.

They handled Gorman with more ease, winning 51 - 39. Jill Price, Ann Haun, and Cynthia Pinkerton continued their good shooting and Jerri Simms and Dollie Moseley sparkled on defense.

However the Mavettes met their match playing Hamilton in the tournament final, being trounced 70 - 29. The Eastland high scorers were shut down by the Hamilton defense.

Both Dollie Moseley and Ann Haun were named to the all tournament team.

In weekday games, the Mavettes continued their winning ways beating DeLeon Monday night 51 - 43 and Gorman again Tuesday night 55 - 32. The girls B team also whipped Gorman 34 - 18.

This brings the Mavettes to a 6 - 4 record for the year. They have really missed senior guard Karen Jones the past four games, who has been out with appendicitis. She was leading the defense in rebounds.

Against Gorman Tuesday Jerri Simms had a fine defensive night with seven rebounds and Ann Haun shot 23 points to lead the Mavettes to victory. The team had 43 rebounds, almost as many as the points scored.

Monday the Boys varsity was edged by DeLeon 41 - 39. Boles and Morren were high point scorers with 11 and 10 points. The Mavericks played a close game all the way, but could not make up a deficit of six points in the second period.

Tuesday both A and B teams lost to Gorman 74 - 35 and 65 - 54.

Rebekah Lodge Met Monday

Eastland Rebekah Lodge Number 177 met Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Rebekah Hall.

Regular session was presided over by Noble Grand Mary Frances Copes, vice Grand Mary Mahaffey. The order of business was election of officers for the following year was dispensed of and installation of officers will be in January.

Following the business meeting the lodge retired to the dining room for a Christmas program Mrs. Goldie Taylor gave the Christmas Story of "A Visitation From Christ" and Lula Mae Basham sang "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day".

Sandwiches and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Miles Awalt, Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Basham, Mary Frances Cope, Olive Underwood, Ola Mae Jackson, Genoa Brown, Mary Mahaffey, May Woods, Bessie Marie McCollum, Ethel Rowch, Goldie Taylor.

Exchange of gifts and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Has Surgery

Mrs. Leta Penn, an Eastland resident, has recently undergone surgery in Fort Worth. Friends may send card and letters to Harris Hospital, Room No. 372, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

In order to provide expanded news and advertising coverage and in keeping with present newsprint conservation practices, the Cisco Press will eliminate its Tuesday afternoon edition later this month.

'Versatile Gourd'

Creative Thinking, the program topic, was exemplified by Mrs. Guy Patterson when she traced "The Versatile Gourd" from the earliest recorded time for the Thursday Afternoon Club meeting at the Woman's Club at 3 p.m. on Dec. 6. Mrs. Patterson's research placed radio - carbon tests of gourd fragments found at pre - Columbian archaeological sites in Mexico and Peru at 7000 B.C. and in Egyptian tombs at 3400 B.C. The famous painting "Flight Into Egypt" of the Holy Family shows a gourd tied to Mary's saddle pommel, probably used as a water dipper. Jonah was said to have hid under the huge leaves of a gourd vine when ejected from the mouth of the whale onto land. Tropical countries and islands used them endlessly for canoes, baby cribs, household utensils, religious rites and ornaments. Children of Chinese river inhabitants used dried gourds tied around their waists as life preservers. Present day American cultures use of gourds is mostly for decorative purposes. But American Indians and early settlers found innumerable uses for them. Club members easily recalled the use of gourds as nest eggs, stocking darners and water dippers.

The short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Herman Hassell, 1st vice president, while club reports were given. The recent rummage sale brought in \$669 to be applied toward the indebtedness of the Eastland Centennial Memorial Library reported Mrs. L.E. Corbell.

The Christmas party will be held at the Lone Cedar Country Club at 7 p.m. on Dec. 20 for club members and their guests. Tickets are available from Mrs. Hassell, Mrs. James Horton and Mrs. Marene Johnson. Reservations will be received through Tuesday, Dec. 18.

Using a Christmas theme the hostesses of the afternoon, Mrs. J.F. Francis and Mrs. Roy Young served refreshments to Mesdames Turner Collie, L.E. Corbell, Pat Crawford, Fred Davenport, J.O. Earnest, C.B. Frost, Sr., Ben Hamner, Herman Hassell, James



Assisted by Eastland Volunteer Firemen, an unidentified fireman Tuesday enters the smoke filled residence of at 204 S. Connellee. The fire charred and heavily damaged the rear portion of the white frame house. Nobody was home at the time of the blaze and the cause is unknown at present. (Photo by John May)



Members of the Junior Play crew are pictured left to right: They are Mark Pipkin, Bob Mueller, Phillip Rollins and Terry Mahaney.

Thursday, December 13, 1973

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 Special thanks to Eastland Memorial Hospital, Bakker Funeral Home, Dr. Alexander, Valley View Lodge and Morton Valley Community for the lunch. Also a special thanks for the loving kindness and sympathy extended to us by all our friends at this time. May God bless each of you.
 Family of Alma Matthews

May we express our appreciation to those who remembered us during the illness and death of our loved one, Theopall Walton.
 Special thanks to Eastland Memorial Hospital, Dr. Buigerin, Bakker Funeral Home, J.E. Pennington, Church of Christ minister, those who provided music and to those who sent food, flowers, and cards.
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CARD OF THANKS
 May we express our appreciation to those who remembered us during the illness and death of our loved one, Martha Ann Terry.
 Special thanks to Hickman Nursing Home, Eastland Memorial Hospital staff, Arrington Funeral Home, Dr. Treadwell, Luce Pittman and Flo Clark for the music, Rev. Bill Betts and Rev. W.E. Hallenback, police and fire dept. for serving as escorts, to those who sent food, flowers and cards.
 Arieta Mace & family
 Ada V. (Cox) Morren and family
 Brothers and sisters of Martha Ann Terry

CARD OF THANKS
 May we express our appreciation to those who remembered us during the illness and death of our loved one, Myrtle Strickland.
 Special thanks to hospital staff, funeral home, doctors, those who provided music and preachers and to those who sent food, flowers, and cards.
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Open House will be held in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hgan and family on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16, from 2:00 to 4:30. The house is an all-electric Gold Medallion Home and was constructed by Wayne Webb, General Contractor of Cisco. Refreshments will be served and friends and area residents are invited. The house is located near Carbon city limit on FM 2526.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gilbert visited relatives in East Texas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baker attended the funeral of their nephew Johnny Walter Holloway of Arlington, Sunday. Mr. Holloway was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Holloway of Arlington. The Holloways are former Carbon residents.

Recent visitors of Mrs. O.A. Mangum ere her daughters Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Green and son of Derby, Kansas, and Mrs. Jack Scott of Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. R.E. McMillan Saturday.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Burlison last Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burlison of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burlison, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burlison of Stephenville, Mrs. Mona Rae Watson and children of Euless, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris, Lisa and Candi and Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Mrs. Jeanna Pack and Mr. and Mrs. James Norris and baby of Carbon.

S. Sgt and Mrs. Melvin Read and Tonya, Miss Alice Garrett and Don Wagner of Fort Worth spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Garland Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Reed.

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The Howard circle of the UMW is sponsoring a drive to obtain new Cokesbury Hymnals for the church sanctuary for the evening services. To date, these have been pledged:
 Mrs. Joseph Perkins five books in honor of Mrs. Clyde Pipkin.
 Mrs. O.O. Mickle, three books. Mrs. Bess Francis, two books one in memory of her mother, Mrs. W.C. Whitely and one in memory of Mrs. Cora Davis.

Mrs. Turner Collie two books, one in memory of her husband, Judge Turner Collie, and one in honor of her son, Dr. Bob Collie.

Mrs. Walter Rice, two books in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Smith. Mrs. Dick Hodges, five books, one in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, one in memory of her daughter, Kay Morton, one in honor of her son, James Morton III, one in honor of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Rodgers, and one in honor of our daughter, Mary Ellen Hodges; Neil Moore, three books in honor of Mrs. Grady Pipkin. Mr. and Mrs. Veon Howard, five books in memory of Grady Pipkin, Jim Horton, Earl Bender, M.A. Clyatt and Mrs. Cora Davis.
 Mrs. Joe Stephen one book in

Harlingen visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Gilbert Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Lasater, Linden and Terry entertained with an early Christmas dinner last Sunday. Special guest was Mr. Lasater's mother Mrs. Trannie Lasater of Eastland. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern, Brenda Nita and Amy of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Stuart, Harrell Dean and Darrell of Duncan, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Lasater of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Caraway, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Caraway, Shannon and Tonya, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scitern, Becka, Allen and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. John Lasater all of Kokomo, Mr. and Mrs. George Lasater, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Lasater and Lorri, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lasater all of Eastland.

memory of Mrs. Cora D Davis.
 Mrs. Esther Griffith, one book in memory of her husband, C.C. Griffith.
 Mrs. Luther Bean one book in memory of her husband, Luther Bean.
 Mrs. C.T. Brockman one book in memory of her husband, C.T. Brockman.
 Mrs. Ed F. Willman two books, in memory of her husband Ed. Willman and Jay Whately.

Stephens Visitors

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen over the weekend were Stan Stephen and family of Bryan; Rod Stephen and family of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Jones of Van, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and sons Jack Jr. and Rex of Abilene visited in the home of Mrs. Jewel Golsen, 513, Green St. Sunday evening.

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Mr. Wirtzell Reed and Tammie of Bridgeport visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Reed during the weekend.

Mrs. John Nix and Mrs. Pebble Harrison spent last Monday with Mrs. Fannie Kincaid of Abilene.

Mrs. John Harris and children have joined S. Sgt.

John Harris at McConnell AFB, Kansas w, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Dabbs visited Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Howard of Sweetwater during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Crosby visited her sister Mrs. Flossie McFadden of Duncan, Oklahoma.

Dr. and Mrs. Terry Treadwell and daughter visited Dr. and Mrs. M.M. Treadwell this weekend.

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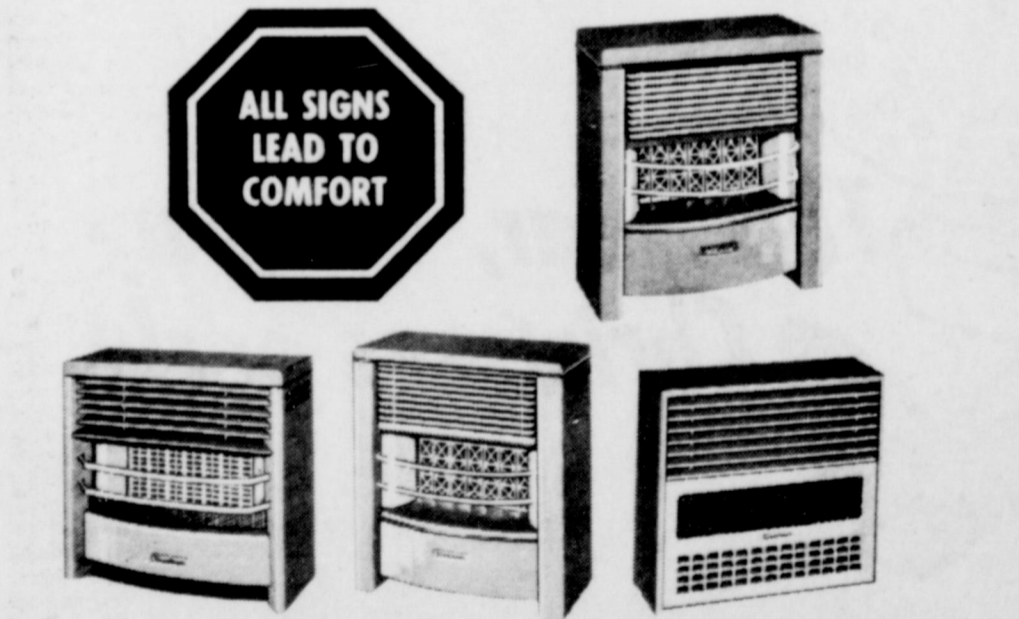
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