

Eastland Echoes

By Casey

THOUGHT FOR TODAY: "No man is in true health who can not stand in the free air of heaven, with his feet on God's free turf, and thank his Creator for the simple luxury of physical existence." — (Higginson).

Paid your poll tax? Poll tax is money well spent. Especially will that be true this election year. It's an odd thing about a lot of folks: If they didn't have the right to vote, they'd be crying to high heaven; since they have it, they are all to prone to neglect it. Which brings us to this thought: JANUARY 31 is the deadline for qualifying to vote by paying that poll tax!

Lately I've been getting colds in all this chill weather. I've discovered a cold can both be positive and negative. Sometimes the eyes have it, sometimes the nose. I've also discovered you're getting in years when it takes twice as long to rest and half as long to get tired. (Chalk Mas).

If you've ever tried to get your foot in the door of the fiction writing field, you've no doubt received a few rejection slips, at least in the beginning. Some of them are gems. The prize one of all was received, one time, by American Author John K. Williamson — from a firm of Chinese publishers:

"We read your manuscripts with boundless delight. By the sacred ashes of our ancestors we swear that we have never dipped into a book of such overwhelming mastery. If we were to publish this book it would be impossible in the future to issue any book of a lower standard. As it is unthinkable that within the next ten thousand years we shall find its equal, we are, to our great regret, compelled to return this too-divine work and beg you a thousand times to forgive our action."

The suggestion was made — urgently — the other day by Sheriff J. B. Williams that merchants exercise considerable care in cashing checks of strangers in the community. Sometimes a shopper, under such circumstances, will try to give a businessman "the rush act," but it's never wise to let him get by with it, because anybody in too big a hurry for the merchant to satisfy himself as to the validity of a check or other instrument is in too big a hurry. Better be safe than sorry!

Those who enjoy good Gospel singing and who journey over to Sabanna Sunday will find it to be a delightful and generally inspiring occasion when the Eastland County Singing Convention is held there.

Let's not blame the highway authorities for cracking down on traffic violations when we realize that hundreds of persons are killed on the highways on holidays, and far more than need be on other days.

BE SURE—SEE Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland Quality Cars at Volume Prices

Quarterback Club to Elect Officers When Meets Friday Night

Unit Due To Process Land Applications

The purpose of a committee of three Eastland Counties recently appointed by the Commissioners Court will be to screen applications of war veterans for land purchases in the county. Composing the committee are James P. McCracken of Cisco, Jesse C. Carter of Ranger and County Agent J. M. Cooper of Eastland. Each county committee has the power to reject applications. Those units will assist with the new land program which became effective Oct. 31, 1955.

J. B. Wright of Magnolia Enters Retirement

John B. Wright, a Magnolia Petroleum Company employe for thirty-five years, has retired and bought a home for himself and his wife at 507 S. Green, Eastland. He was born east of Eastland Jan. 8, 1891, but in recent years had been in the Magnolia shop at Kermit.

Early in life he was a farmer, until going with Magnolia. His first job was digging water wells. He lived at Olden from 1919 to 1936, going thence to Electra and also working at Wewoka and Duncan, Okla., before moving to Kermit in 1947.

The last nine years he has been engaged in making "Christmas trees," devices to fit on flowing oil wells. He married Miss Maude Lamb of Carbon, Jan. 5, 1911. They have two sons, J. W. Wright, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Newman Wright, Texas City, Tex. He is a member of the Church of Christ and the Modern Woodmen and fishing is his hobby.

The shop department at Kermit gave him and his wife a party when he retired, presenting him a gift and dedicating a song to him, and the company gave him a service plaque. He is enjoying taking life easy and isn't worried about any special plans for the future.

From Buddins' Letter, Brazil Service Told

From a letter written by the Rev. H. E. Buddin, former pastor of the Baptist Chapel in Eastland, the Buddins' effective missionary service in Brazil is learned about by their friend Donald L. Kincaid.

Bearing the postmark, Caixa Postal 679, Campinas, Sao Paulo, Brazil, and the date, Nov. 16, 1955, the letter follows:

"Dear Ones: "Greetings. "We come at this season of the year to wish you a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year." And as we think of the glad tidings — Peace on earth, good will toward men. . . we realize possibly as never before. . . more men everywhere are further away than ever from this good-will. Yet the author of these good-tidings is nearby, waiting and longing for men everywhere to draw-nigh unto Him.

"This is our mission, your mission, the mission given unto all his followers. Again, at this season of the year, let us take courage — dedicate ourselves anew — and pray as never before that peace may reign around the world through personal faith in Christ Jesus. This is our daily prayer.

"Since our last letter a few notes: (1) The new congregation in Sao Carlos is making progress — a rented building, a revival with 9 decisions, the Sunday school attendance already up to 40, and until January we have as an aim 60 (to turn over to someone else as we go to Parnaiba.) We thank God for these blessings. (2) As presidents of our mission group here, we've met weekly not only to help the new couples but to provide recreation and Bible study for the 21 children of the 10 couples. We have one single lady in the mission. Once a month a social and once a month a business meeting. We have had wonderful fellowship and many spiritual experiences. It will be quite lonely during the next few years away from our friends, even in Brazil. (3) The revolution movement gave everyone a big scare, but it seems to have settled down — calmness everywhere — until January some thing. We are praying that the Lord's work may (Continued on Page Four)



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"COVERING EASTLAND COUNTY"

EASTLAND, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1956

Mavericks May Go All The Way In New District 10-A In 1956



TEN-SHUN!—How the well-trained Army dog reacts to command is demonstrated by this German Shepherd at the Army Dog Training Center, Fort Carson, Colo. That's a two-by-four he's sitting on. His handler is Private First Class Jerry E. Coppus of Lake Odessa, Mich., who trained him for sentry duty.

Farm Program Is Subject Talked in Ag Workers Meet

Statewide Poll Tax Bargain Sale Nears End

Statewide there is a bargain sale in Texas for the month of January only.

It's on a \$1.75 bit of paper called a poll tax and for it in 1956 the owner gets the hoopla of local and county elections, a state election that promises to be a humdinger and the added attraction of a presidential contest.

Many county offices have gone to a four year term, but without exceptions all counties have officials to be elected. State legislative and Senate offices are in many instances to be filled and members of Congress selected.

Many counties expect considerable interest in the election of county party officials, where there has been opposition between the Loyalist - Democrats and the Republican - Democrats. There will be an extra round of party conventions in Texas—precinct, county and state, and this year for the first time, members of the armed forces are entitled to vote.

Poll tax payments have been lagging, but in view of the selections he gets for his money, a lot of Texans are expected to turn loose of the \$1.75. The sale closes Jan. 31.

Olden Hornets, In '56 First, Battle Carbon

Coach Hank Green's Olden Hornets will play their first basketball game of the new year Friday night in the Olden gym when they take on the Wolverines from Carbon.

Both the boys and girls teams will play. Game time is 7:30.

Pic. Brown Is In US, After Far East Stay

Mrs. Wynelle Brown of Carbon, an employe of Eastland National Bank, was telephoned Saturday night by her husband, Pfc. Will D. Brown, from Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

He arrived by boat Saturday afternoon from Korea and had spent 16 months in the Far East. After he receives his discharge at Fort Lewis in about a week or a week and a half, he will come home. They will return to their ranch south of Carbon to live upon his arrival and Mrs. Brown will commute to her work at the bank here.

Mr. Brown's mother is Mrs. Gladys Brown of Sweetwater; his brother is Fred Brown of Carbon and he has an uncle, C. M. McCain, of Eastland.

J. B. Williams Asks Reelection As Co. Sheriff

J. B. Williams, sheriff of Eastland County, today announced that he will be a candidate for reelection in the Democratic primary.

Mr. Williams, well-known Eastland County peace officer, is a lifelong resident of this county and is well known throughout this area. He is a Navy veteran and has had extensive law enforcement experience.

He stated that he will make his formal announcement for the office at a later date, and that he will contact as many voters as possible prior to the election.

Several Ass't Store Managers At Perry Event

Besides a number of key men from the Lufkin office of Perry's and several managers of the firm's stores, the following assistant store managers have been here this week, in connection with the grand opening today of the Eastland Perry store at its new location: M. L. Cox of Lufkin, Gene Hutto of Mineral Wells, Clayton Whaley of Gatesville, Lonnie Bounds of Snyder, Don West of Stamford and Norman Clements of Abilene.

Wildlife Expert To Be Speaker At Meet Of Sabanna Preserve

Custodian at Courthouse Is In Retirement

Peter Clements, boiler-man custodian at the Eastland County Courthouse for around three decades, this week entered retirement, at age 65.

Mr. and Mrs. Clements live on their farm in the Grapevine community, about six miles southwest of Eastland, and in retirement he will devote much of his time to farming. They have a son, Pete Clements, living in Cisco and a married daughter residing at Victoria.

Mr. Clements was reared in the Carbon community. Since he is very fond of fishing, friends in the courthouse "family" gave him a rod and a reel, as a departure gift of appreciation. On behalf of numerous attaches of the Temple of Justice, Jim Bogus, justice of the peace, presented the rod, and the reel was given by the ASC Manager Emmett Powell and SCS Area Conservationist E. E. McAllister and their staffs.

Good Season Due On Winning Side For EHS In 1956

By NORMAN WRIGHT

Sept. 7 Cisco There
Sept. 14 Dublin Here
Sept. 21 DeLeon Here
Sept. 28 Cross Plains Here
Oct. 5 Ranger Here
Oct. 12 Gorman Here
Oct. 19 Wylie* Here
Oct. 26 Albany* Here
Nov. 2 Open Here
Nov. 9 Throckmorton* Here
Nov. 16 Clyde* Here

Before the last echoes from the bowl games die away and before football talk suddenly turns to something else, let's take one more look at the Mavericks and see what is in store for them in 1956.

In our humble opinion Coach Carrol Shelton can field a team right now, this afternoon, that can beat anything in District 10-A in 1956, and that team has got two or three potential all-stars on it.

It would include Jimmy Martin, Dale Slatton, Harvey Lewis and Bill Upchurch in the backfield; and in the line it would include either Kenneth Watson or Neil Pogue at center; Jimmy Phillips, Duard Turner or Knicky Arthur at guards; Wayne Durham, Carl Freeze or Donald Lee at tackles; and Saul Pullman and Lupe Herrera at ends.

Throng Greet Perry Opening Here Thursday

Customers thronged the grand opening of Perry's at its new and spacious location the west side of the square by the 9 a.m. opening hour Thursday.

Store Manager James K. Smith and high officials of Perry's who were present were delighted with the response and were kept busy handing out opening-day favors.

The opening will continue through Saturday and there are many extra-special values being offered customers.

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Some folks might want to argue about Lupe Herrera being at an end position, but Lupe can play any position on the squad and the Mavs are going to need some ends. Lupe is one of the lads we had in mind for making all-state and if he doesn't get hurt we don't believe there is any power on earth that can keep him off of an all-state team regardless of where he plays.

Other potential all-staters include Wayne Durham, Jimmy Phillips and Bill Upchurch. Wayne Durham has a lot of football savvy and is extremely strong and fast and can reach a high place among all-state elevens if he wants to go for it. He played an all-state game against Cross Plains, incidentally, this past season. Jimmy Phillips is also a lineman that can go as far as he wants to go. He certainly has the ability.

Bill Upchurch is a double barrel threat. He can run and he can pass, and if he doesn't get hurt he'll be the most potent weapon on the Maverick squad. He is capable of executing the most difficult play in football to defend against — the run or pass option, or the running pass. Eagle Day of Old Miss was a past master on this play and you know what he did to TCU in the Cotton Bowl.

In addition to the 13 players already named, Coach Shelton has got about 30 more scattered throughout next year's freshmen, sophomore, juniors and seniors, and among them are any number of boys that can play good football.

For all we know the Mavericks may start off the 1956 football season by losing the first five games, but we don't think so. Cisco, Dublin, DeLeon, Cross Plains and Ranger are a hard road to hoe, but somewhere in there we think the Mavs will take a game or two.

The sixth game is with Gorman, and then they start playing for keeps on Oct. 19 when the first conference game comes up with Wylie, which the Mavs should win in a walk.

The second conference game is with Albany, over there. It will be the toughest conference game of them all but Eastland should win it. Although the lads at Albany, like those at Ranger and Breckenridge, teehee on footballs, they have been going down for the past two years. In 1954 Albany went all the way in the state finals to the very last game which they lost to Deer Park. This past season they didn't get any further than bi-district with Ranger. Losing eleven first string men, including nine starters and two first substitutes, is not going to help them in 1956 and we believe the Mavericks can take them.

Coach Shelton describes Throckmorton as a "toughie," but since the Mavericks take them on in the next to the last game of the season, the boys in red and black ought to be a little "tougher" providing everybody is still playing football and not laid up in spints. Clyde, the last team on the list, is coming up from Class B where they won the championship of their district this year, but we just can't see Clyde in the same class with the Mavericks.

A glance at the schedule will show you that every one of Eastland's hardest games will be played away from home, but all in all it ought to be a good season on the winning side. And the fact that we'll win every game in district 10-A is another one of those stories we're stuck with and we'll stick to it.



Partly cloudy and continued mild Thursday and Friday. Increasingly southerly winds Thursday. High Thursday 70 to 75. Low Thursday night 40 to 45. High Friday in the 70s.



WASHINGTON, D.C. (PHTNC)—General Randolph McCall Pate assumed duties as the 21st commandant of the Marine Corps January 1. He succeeds General Lemuel G. Shepherd, Jr. General Pate, a Marine since 1921, is a combat veteran of Santo Domingo (1923-24); Guadalcanal-Tulagi, Palau, Iwo Jima, and Okinawa during World War II, and commanded the 1st Marine Division in Korea.

EHS Cage Card Told For 1956

The Eastland High School Mavericks basketball schedule was announced today. It follows:

- Jan. 6 — Stephenville there.
- DISTRICT
- Jan. 10 — Cross Plains there.
- Jan. 13 — Rising Star here.
- Jan. 17 — Wylie here.
- Jan. 20 — Ranger there.
- Jan. 24 — Gorman here.
- Jan. 27 — Cross Plains here.
- Jan. 31 — Rising Star there.
- Feb. 3 — Wylie there.
- Feb. 7 — Ranger here.
- Feb. 10 — Gorman there.

Dwight Brock To Songfest At Sabanna Sunday

Dwight Brock, well-known singer and song leader, will take part in the mid-winter convention of the Eastland County Singing Convention at Sabanna Sunday, according to word received by Judge R. L. Rust of Eastland.

Mr. Brock is with the Stamps-Baxter music organization. J. R. Baxter, president of Stamps-Baxter, Dallas, has written Judge Rust of Mr. Brock's plans to be present at the Sabanna affair.

"He is one of the finest convention men I know," wrote Mr. Baxter, "and I think you will be happy with his work."

Mr. Brock, formerly in charge of the firm's Chattanooga, Tenn., operation, had just returned from that city when he accepted the invitation to participate in the opening convention of the county association's year.

Henry Carter of Rising Star, president of the singing association, stated that a number of good singers will be in the gathering and added that the public has "a most cordial invitation to come out for this convention."

Lions Club To Resume Meets Next Tuesday

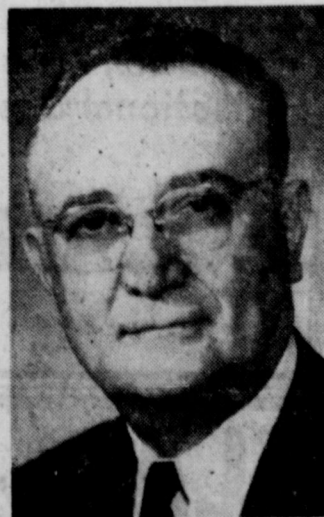
The Eastland Lions Club will resume its regular weekly meetings on next Tuesday, January 10, at the Methodist Church, president Harold Reese has announced. The Lions have not met during the holiday season due to conflicting schedules in Fellowship Hall, and the holiday rush.

Lion J. C. Poe has charge of the program Tuesday.

Epiphany Feast To Be Observed At Holy Trinity

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church will observe the feast of the Epiphany or the Manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles, Friday, commemorating the coming of the Wise Men to Bethlehem. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 8:45 a.m. and at 10 a.m., announced the Rev. Arthur E. Hartwell, rector.

BE SURE—SEE Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland Quality Cars at Volume Prices



JOE E. CHILDERS, prominent Abilene Lion, is being presented by the 5,000 Lions of Dist. 2-E for Lions International director. It was learned from "Pop" Garrett of Eastland, zone chairman of the organization.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

Stated meeting Eastland Lodge No. 467, Second Thursday each month, 7:30 p.m.
Henry Van Geem, W.M.
L. E. Huckabay, Sec'y.

Notice - Masons
There will be work in the F. C. Degree Friday night, January 6, 1956. Lodge opens 7:30 p.m.
Henry Van Geem, W.M.
L. E. Huckabay, Sec'y.

LOST & FOUND -

LOST: 1955-'56 class ring. Finder please call 811-W. Reward.
LOST: School boy's glasses Wednesday. Dark gray plastic frames. Call 446-W.

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WANTED: Bookkeeping to be done in my home. References. Phone 873.

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FOR SALE: 1941 Plymouth. Good work car. Phone 508-J.
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Florida citrus industry views with alarm Food and Drug Administration's order banning use of artificial food dyes now used to color oranges. There's usually a lack of sufficiently cool weather to give Florida's oranges the color which is taken erroneously by the public as proof that oranges are ripe.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

COURT NEWS
INSTRUMENTS FILED
James Doss Alexander to Ruth-erford & Steel, MML & assignment.
H. B. Alexander to Clark P. Chandler, assignment.
W. L. Andrus to A. L. Underwood, warranty deed.
A. D. Anderson to Homer S. Head, oil and gas lease.
S. F. Bond to R. E. Grantham, oil and gas lease.
William C. Bradley to Clark P. Chandler, assignment.
Randolph Brooks to B. F. Stovall, Jr. warranty deed.
Hubert H. Buchanan to J. M. Edwards, warranty deed.
Nancy Buchanan to The Public, proof of heirship.
Jim Bell to J. B. Easter, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Jim Bell to J. B. Easter, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Bula B. Butler to E. W. Griffin, oil and gas lease.
Thomas B. Colwell to Gulf Oil Corporation, assignment of oil and gas lease.
C. M. Caldwell to R. E. Grant-ham, oil and gas lease.
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DAY'S END—The good old Army combat helmet is still a dependable wash basin for soldiers maneuvering in the field. Here Private First Class Jesse W. Reid Jr., of Manassas, Va., removes the grime of the day while Specialist Second Class William French of Grapevine, Tex., gives an assist. Both are members of the 601st Field Artillery Missile Battalion, Fort Bliss, Tex.

City of Cisco to G. C. Hammett, quit claim deed & resolution.
Clark P. Chandler to H. B. Alexander, assignment.
M. C. Carey to Venia Norvell, M. D.
Robert L. Clinton, Jr. to Edwin Jack Chambless, warranty deed.
Edwin Jack Chambless to Prudential Insurance Company of America, deed of trust.
Clark P. Chandler to Delpha W. Barr, assignment.
R. L. Cozart to Ollie Moran, MML & assignment.
R. L. Cozart to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.
Constance O. Douglas to R. E. Grantham, oil and gas lease.
Constance O. Douglas to R. E. Grantham, oil and gas lease.
D & K Mfg. Company v. Desdemonia Ornamental Iron Works, abstract of judgement.
D & K Mfg. Company v. Willy's Furniture Company, abstract of judgement.
Lloyd Daughy to Church of Christ, Ranger, special warranty deed.
Cora M. Davidson to J. R. DeArmond, special warranty deed.
M. E. Daniel to J. H. Fossett, warranty deed.
Daisy N. Erwin to R. E. Grant-ham, oil and gas lease.
A. A. Hutton to H. M. D.
Higginbotham Bros. & any to A. L. Underwood, warranty deed.
Don Harris to First State Bank, deed of trust.
Don Harris to First State Bank, deed of trust.
W. M. Jarrell to Lovell F. Sut-tle, Jr., assignment.
W. M. Jarrell to H. W. Porter, assignment.
R. Kamon to F. M. Shaver, release of oil and gas lease.
L. W. Leach to Earl Caraway, MML & assignment.
N. A. Moore to E. W. Griffin, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Lula Pearl McDonald to B. T. Stovall, Jr., warranty deed.
W. D. McAlister to Bessie L. Beaty, warranty deed.
E. T. McKelvain to L. N. Car-llie, warranty deed.
Raymond W. McCauley to John H. Webb, lease.
PROBATE
Oscar Wilson, deceased, appli-cation to probate will.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
Kenneth Wayne Foreman and Arlena Ash. Glenn Erroll Clifton and Della Mae Joiner.
SUITS FILED
Leonard L. McIlvain v. Irma D. McIlvain, divorce.
J. L. Thornton v. Ray Plumlee, suit on note.
THE SMITHS VISIT IN WORTHAM
The Rev. and Mrs. Richard R. Smith III and children, Marsha, Eileen and Russell, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wil-lard of Wortham during the Yule season.

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- Ledger Binder
- Ledger Indexes
- Columnar Sheets
- Columnar Pads
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- Day Books
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- Receipt Books
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- Brief Cases
- Storage Binders
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- Speedball Ink
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Around the Town At Olden

By Mrs. Dick Yielding

Mr. and Mrs. Wince Graham and children of Louisiana have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Renfro and baby of Fort Worth were recent visitors in the Claud Renfro home.

Mrs. C. H. Everett had as guests in her home over the holidays all of her children.

Callers in the home of Mrs. Dick Yielding last week were Mrs. Adra Fox of Eastland and Mrs. Ervin Harrison of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock have returned from visiting relatives in Woodson and Olney.

Mrs. Jay Marshall of Eunice, N.M., has been visiting her brother, Box Fox, and family here.

Several couples from Olden attended a watch party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Harrison in Ranger Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Levens and daughter of Seminole, Okla., spent Monday in the home of Mrs. Dealva Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding and daughter, Wanda, accompanied Connie Nabors to her home in Mineral Wells Sunday. They spent the day in the Nabors home. On Monday the Yieldings accompanied Jody Crawford to near Wichita Falls, where they met his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford, and Jody returned to his home with them.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Edna Hamilton Christmas was Virgil of Odessa, Virgil Jr. and wife of El Paso, a sister, Mrs. Charlie Keck, and Mr. Keck, of Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Bryan, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John McKelvin and son, Ken, of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Morten of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark have returned home from Odessa where they spent Christmas in the home of their son, Raymond Stark, and Mrs. Stark.

Mrs. V. W. Flowers of Dallas spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Lockheart. The two families spent Sunday in Abilene with the Marcell Daniels family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hamilton had

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday, Jan. 5
7 p.m. — The Evangel Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church will meet for a covered-dish supper at the home of Mrs. Aubrey Van Hoy, 1405 S. Seaman.

as guests in their home over the holidays Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hamilton, all of Fort Worth; Miss Sue Hamilton of Dallas and Miss Mollie Green of Grayford.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Holt received word Saturday afternoon of the death of Mr. Holt's sister in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Coke Sayer and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Talley Sunday.

Mrs. I. E. Talley and Mrs. Dick Yielding are employed at Perry's in Eastland.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

A STYLIST says that women express their sentiments by the clothes they wear. How vague some girls are about it.

If dad uses slang he's setting a bad example—if he doesn't, his kids think he's old-fashioned.

According to a political writer, most politicians are dull and



need some effective gags. That's what we call a sense of humor.

How does a woman ever live to be 100 when she stays 30 so long?

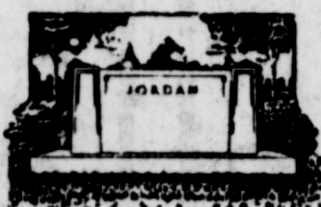
Men are funny! Lie to their wives so they can get out to play poker, when, if they stayed home, they wouldn't lose any money.



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GUESTS FROM DENVER CITY, BROWNFIELD AND FROM LUBBOCK

Mrs. Louise Watson of Denver City, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Teatsorth Monday night after taking her daughter, Mary, back to Abilene Christian College, where she is a student. Mrs. Watson is a niece of Mrs. Teatsorth. During the Yule season the Teatsorths had as their guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White of Brownfield. Their guest two days the past week was Mrs. W. W. Linkenhogger of Lubbock, formerly of Eastland. During her stay here Mrs. Linkenhogger's daughter, Linda, visited Sidney Seale, and her son, Pat, was Leo Stambaugh's guest.

Organ and Piano Duos Features Of Music Study Club Meeting

Mrs. Donald L. Kinnaird and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins played Mrs. Perkins new Hammond electric organ, alternately, during the refreshment interlude Wednesday afternoon when the Eastland Music Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Perkins, 1021 S. Seaman. The tea table, laid with a gold cloth, was decked with a gilded and silvered arrangement featuring pink balls and angels and held Christmas cake squares, chocolate candies, cookies and the silver coffee and tea service, with Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, club president, pouring.

Pink candles in brass holders and angels decked the mantel above the wood-burning fire while pink carnations, pink candles, a number of angels encircled in aqua angel hair on pink styrofoam bases were used throughout the reception rooms. Lighted inverted pink rose trees were at the windows and a Yule tree stood on the porch.

The program included two piano-organ duos, Schubert's "Ave Maria" and an old French carol, "In Excelsis Deo" (Lee Ellis), with Mrs. Kinnaird playing the organ and Mrs. Perkins, the piano.

Mrs. Perkins then displayed some celanese dress fabric, given to her by a friend, Mrs. William C. Hamner of New York City. Plants for making the synthetic fabrics are at various places in the United States—two in Texas, at Bishop and at Pampa. One dress length of unusual beauty was white lace, made in Paris, France, from celanese made in the United States. Mrs. Perkins awarded two pieces of celanese, one to the president, Mrs. Carpenter, and the other as a door prize, won by Mrs. Marvin Hood.

Mrs. Perkins then showed colored slides including celanese patterns and their origins, and some contemporary and also some historical homes. Outstanding among these was Wayside Inn, located near her home in Gleasondale, Mass. Wayside Inn, historical and famous place to dine and entertain, burned Dec. 21, and Mrs. Perkins, who recalls many happy times there, expressed the hope that it would be rebuilt or, if there is enough of it left, restored.

The meeting opened with the Club Collect, led by Mrs. T. E. Richardson and as the hymn of the month, "Awake, My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve" (Doddridge), was sung by the group. Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Kinnaird accompanied at the piano and organ.

Mrs. Carpenter presided at a brief business session and Mrs. L. E. Corbell read the minutes. Mrs. Kinnaird reported that the piano at the clubhouse had been made stationary and secured to its spot by the committee appointed by the president to attend to this matter.

Mrs. Richardson reported for the finance committee and a letter from Mrs. E. E. Traweck of Abilene, president of Sixth District, T.F.M.C. was read in which she thanked the local club for its contribution toward her "president's pen."

Present were Meses. Carpenter, Corbell, Hood, Kinnaird, Richardson, Floyd Cassebolt, A. E. Cartledge, Allen D. Dabney, B. W. Patterson, Frank Sayre, W. C. Vickers, Howard Gill and the hostess, Mrs. Perkins.

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Dr. Ward Ends Ministry At First Baptist, Cisco

Dr. H. M. Ward, who has served as pastor of the Cisco First Baptist Church since October 1, 1952, preached his farewell sermon for the congregation Sunday. Dr. Ward has resigned his Cisco post to accept the job as Secretary of Missions in District 2 with headquarters at Jacksonville.

In his new post as secretary of missions, Dr. Ward will serve under both the District Board and the Baptist Convention of Texas. District 2 is made up of some 250 Baptist Churches and nine associations. The district is in 12 East Texas counties.

The committee named to seek a successor for Dr. Ward will begin work soon.

Sunday, January 8, Dr. A. Donald Bell, professor of psychology and counselling at Southwestern Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, will speak at both morning and evening services.

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(Continued From Page One) prosper through it all. (4) And my studies — what wonderful experiences. I would like to have a year to perfect the beautiful language of Portuguese, but then we hate being away from our field even for these few months. We long to be back among our people.

"And our family . . . (Virginia takes over the pen) . . . It's hard to keep enough food cooked up, clothes with buttons on, and knees mended, etc. . . . three normal and healthy children? God is good. Our health has been good. Of course Tim's tonsils are huge and will have to come out soon, but that is supposed to be something simple. Every week-end Horace and one or two others of us are in Sao Carlos; and that gives us something to do, too. When the revolution came about, we stocked the pantry with plenty of flour, sugar, canned milk, and other stuff — just in case; the windows are kept closed and we don't go out on the street unless by absolute necessity. Ingredients for fruit cakes have been purchased (nuts average \$1.75 per pound) and we have Christmas tree decorations which we've accumulated over a period of years . . . so, we plan on having some Christmas celebrations. Above all, though, we are trying to prepare our children's hearts, as well as our own, to observe this season of the year with the appropriate sentiment and reverence that it should be kept in. May the Lord help us all to understand Him more and to give more of ourselves to Him because He has allowed us to experience one more Christmas of 1955."

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3:15—Modern Romances
3:30—Homemakers Fiesta
4:00—Finky Lee
4:30—Rowdy Doody
5:00—Keweenaw
5:30—Western Theater
6:00—Evening Report
6:30—Reel Music
6:45—Invitation Playhouse
7:00—You Bet Your Life
8:00—On The Farm
8:30—Ford Theater
9:00—Lux Video Theater
10:00—Late Report
10:15—Man Behind The Badge

FRIDAY, JAN. 6

7:00—Today
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—The Ernie Kovacs Show
10:00—Home
11:00—Movie Museum
11:15—News, Music, Sports and Weather

11:30—Feather Your Nest
12:00—Sign Off
12:59—Previews
1:00—On Your Account
1:30—Reel Music
1:45—Brighter Day
2:00—Matinee Theater
3:00—Daily Devotions
3:15—Modern Romances
3:30—Homemakers Fiesta
4:00—Finky Lee
4:30—Roy Rogers
5:00—Keweenaw
5:30—Superman
6:00—Evening Report
6:30—Coke Time
6:45—News Caravan
7:00—What's New
7:30—Life of Riley
8:00—Highway Patrol
8:30—Steve Donovan
9:00—Calvalcade of Sports
9:45—Red Barbers Corner
10:00—Late Report
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10:15—Waterfront

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8:00—Kitty's Wonderland
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—The Ernie Kovacs Show
10:00—Home
11:00—Texas Living
11:45—The Jones Place
12:30—The Jones Place
12:45—Movie Marquee
2:00—Matinee Theater
3:00—A Date with Life
3:15—Modern Romances
3:30—Queen for a Day
4:00—Evening News
4:10—Weathercast
4:15—Tricks and Treats
5:00—Mickey Mouse Club
6:00—Cisco Kid
6:30—The Lone Ranger
7:00—You Bet Your Life
7:30—Dragnet
8:00—Peoples Choice
8:30—Ford Theatre
9:00—Lux Video Theatre
10:00—Texas News
10:15—Weather Telefacts
10:25—News Final
10:30—Count of Monte Cristo
11:00—Tonight
12:00—Sign Off

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6

6:50—Let's go Fishing
7:00—Sunup
8:00—Kitty's Wonderland
9:00 Ding Dong School
9:30—The Ernie Kovacs Show
10:00—Home
11:00—Texas Living
11:45—The Jones Place
12:30—Ann Alden Show
12:45—Movie Marquee
2:00—Matinee Theatre
3:00—A Date With Life
3:15—Modern Romances
3:30—Queen for a Day
4:00—Evening News
4:10—Weathercast
4:15—Tricks and Treats
5:00—Mickey Mouse Club
6:00—Cowboy Thrills
6:30—Rin Tin Tin
7:00—Ozzie & Harriet
7:30—Crossroads
8:00—Dollar a Second
8:30—The Vise
9:00—Ethel and Albert
9:30—Douglas Fairbanks
10:00—Texas News
10:15—Weather Telefacts
10:25—News Final
11:00—Suspense
11:00—Tonight
12:00—Sign Off

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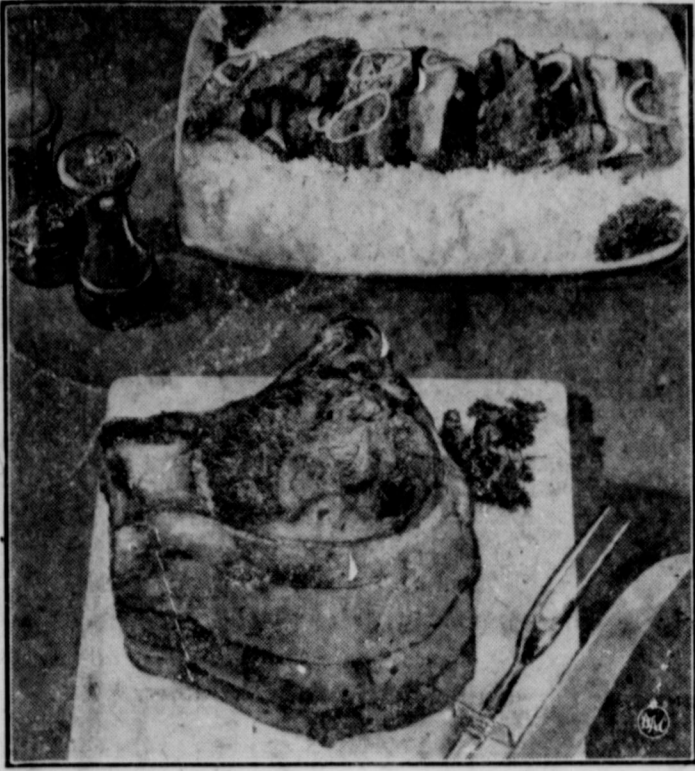
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of interest to WOMEN

Edited by **FAY CASEBOLT**

Co-Ed Club Members Hostess To 100 At New Year's Dance

Among the New Year parties was a dance Friday night hosted by the members of the Co-Ed Club.

The semi-formal occasion, held at Legion Hall in the City Park, was attended by about 100 high school students and young people home from college.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins Hostess Luncheon Club

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins was hostess to the Readers Luncheon Club Tuesday at her home, 1021 S. Seaman.

Mrs. A. F. Bandy, president, led the discussion following lunch. Centered with pink carnations and laid with a white damask cloth, the dining table was set for the club members present.

An angel theme was used in the decorations throughout the reception rooms, featuring hues of pink and silvered foliage.

GUESTS OF THE JACK CHAMBERLAINS

Yule holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chamberlain were Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Wicks; his brother, Charles Wicks, and her father, Mr. Anderson, all of Witten, S.D.

From here the Wicks went to Hot Springs, Ark., for several weeks and from there they will go to Florida for the rest of the winter, as is their custom. Their home is on their large ranch in South Dakota.

THE HARTWELLS VISIT IN SOUTH TEXAS

The Rev. and Mrs. Arthur E. Hartwell entertained their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Leroy Lamberth at a seafood dinner at San Jacinto Inn, San Jacinto Battle Ground, last Thursday.

They were guests of the Lamberths for a family reunion Tuesday night at the Lamberth home at Bayview, Galveston County. Twenty members of the family were present including children and grandchildren.

MRS. LOVELACE BETTER

Mrs. Tom Lovelace, who has been quite ill in Ranger General Hospital, is reported to be in an improved condition.

Rebekah Lodge Holds 1st Meeting of Year

Eastland Rebekah Lodge No. 177 met Tuesday night, January 3, for the first meeting of the year. Genoa Brown, Noble Grand, presided.

There were 25 members present. Preparation was made for the installation of the incoming officers, which will be held Tuesday night January 10, in the lodge hall.

Team Captain Blanche Nicols will be in charge of the floor work. The lodge extends a cordial invitation to the public.

VISIT IN EAGLE PASS AND MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan of Eastland visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Peck of Eagle Pass the past week. They also made a tour into Mexico taking a good view of several old cities such as Piedras Negras, Villas Fuenta, Amoralis and Zaragoza. Some of the churches they saw are more than 200 years old, Mr. Jordan said. They crossed the Rio Grande River on the new one million dollar bridge which is now about completed.

BACK TO COLLEGE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen had their sons home for the holidays from college. Stan left Friday to visit in Gatesville and Bryan before returning to the University of Texas Law School where he will graduate in June.

Rod left Tuesday for Southern Methodist University where he will also graduate in June. Rod was accompanied by Misses Judy Jarrett and Sarah Hughes of Abilene, students at SMU.

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NEWS FROM DESDEMONA

By Anell McMasters

Mrs. Cora Sparks is in the hospital at Glen Rose.

The Desdemona school opened again Tuesday after being closed for Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Mrs. Willigh has returned home from a visit in Kansas.

Mrs. Patterson is visiting in Fort Worth with her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Moore visited his and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Hyson Echols.

Miss Margie Brown left Saturday for her home in Dallas. Visiting the R. A. Browns during the Christmas holidays were the Here Fields of Dallas, Marge Brown of Dallas, Robert and Ina Brown of Gainesville, Lowell Johnson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnson of Taylorville, Ill., and Alva and Alton Brown.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clydell Lewis were Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Cape, Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Simmons of Andrews.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ash during the Christmas and New Year's holidays

were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane of Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Lane of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foreman of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnes, Johnny Ray Ash, Minnie Lou and Patsy Stanley, all of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Ash of Ranger and her mother, Mrs. Thomas, of San Angelo.

Grover Wittie of Gatesville spent the week-end here with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillie Wittie, and niece, Mrs. Dorothy Duderstadt, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Williamson and their daughter, Mrs. Florence Burleson and son, Gerald Lynn, spent New Year's Day in Dallas with his sister, Nonnie, and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel visited Saturday night in Alexander

with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hale and Mr. Hale and another sister, Mrs. Elton Cooke, and Mr. Cook and daughter Sue of Levelland, who was visiting with the Cooks.

Visiting R. P. Lewis Sunday were the Alton Underwoods.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ash and children, Eula and Arlington, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnes, Johnny Ray Ash, Minnie Lou and Patsy Stanley, all of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foreman of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and son, Dale, of Stephenville.

Mrs. R. P. Lewis returned home with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Thieband of Gudewater, for a few days visit. She plans to visit her son, Billy Paul Lewis, who lives in Shreveport, La., before returning home.

MRS. ROBERTSON AND SON VISIT RELATIVES IN GAINESVILLE

Mrs. Floyd F. Robertson and son, Floyd, spent the New Year holidays in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Herridge and children in Gainesville. They also spent the Yule weekend in the Herridge home.

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C. CUNNINGHAM OPERATES DABI RU CY—That's what Clarissa Cunningham administrative assistant to the director of personnel, General Services Administration, Washington, D.C., seems to be saying "o herself. At least, that's how the words "I will get the hang of it" come out when a novice first operates a government typewriter equipped with a new keyboard. It is the brain child of August Dvorak, University of Washington. Keyboard is designed to place letters used most frequently closest to fingers which normally do the most work, and to distribute work load more equally for both hands. Line of keys on which fingers rest on standard typewriter reads, from left: asdfghjkl. On the new machine, line reads: acciiddntns- LemnZ. (Simple!) Government will give the device a four-month trial.

Soc. Security Servicing Busy Job Past Year

In a letter to this paper expressing appreciation for publicity to the service of Social Security, Dist. Manager Robert Tuley and his staff, of the Abilene office, have brought what a busy job it has been handling Social Security affairs in the year just closed. He says:

"The first three months of 1956 present us a problem — how to complete our job of informing farm families about the actions they should take at this time concerning their 1955 income and social security credits and taxes. Farm employers need to file their tax returns, reporting wages paid their employees, on or before Jan. 31, 1956. Farm employees

need to be sure that their employer has a correct record of their social security account numbers. Self-employed farmers and ranchers need social security cards also, to enter at the end of their Schedule F of their income tax return. Returns are to be filed, even though no income tax is due, if the farm or ranch operator had a net taxable income of as much as \$400 during the past year.

"Beginning in April, farm and ranch operators who are past the age of 65, ought to contact our office if they have filed tax returns for 1955, and have already grossed as much as \$800 in 1955. Many of them may find that in fact some social security monthly benefits are due and payable to them.

"But enough of what's ahead. Let us tell you a little something about our 1955 operations. More than 3,000 claims were filed, about a 30 per cent increase over 1954. Just over 8,000 original social security account numbers

were issued as against 4,400 in 1954. We replaced 4,300 cards in 1955 because of loss or name change, 300 more than in 1954.

"We answered almost 15,000 inquiries in 1955, in person, by mail, and by telephone, better than a 10 per cent increase above the 1954 figures. Some idea as to interest in your own area may be found from the following data about the average number of persons contacting one of us at towns where we make regular monthly or bi-weekly visits.

"These figures also include those from nearby places who found it more convenient to call at one of these itinerant stations than to go to Abilene: Albany, 18 per visit; Aspermont, 21; Breckenridge, 35; Brownwood, 75;

Cisco, 21; Coleman, 45; Colorado City, 59; Comanche, 52; Eastland, 20; Haskell, 37; Ranger, 15; Rotan, 22; Snyder, 33; Stamford, 28; Sweetwater, 44. It is expected that figures for 1956 will show a substantial increase, especially during January - June."

KIN FROM SEATTLE VISIT MRS. FIENSY

The Rev. and Mrs. Cecil A. Grice of Seattle, Wash., were Yule guests of his aunt, Mrs. Dave Fiensy, and they are now in Dallas where this week and next the Rev. Mr. Grice is conducting a revival. They will go from there to Kansas City where Evangelist Grice will hold another revival.

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GROUP NO. 2

47.50	37.50
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13.95	11.40

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Were	NOW
12.95	8.85
7.95, 7.75, 7.50	5.85
6.95, 5.95	4.85
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WHOOOPS—Sergio Cervato makes an all-out defense of his goal for Florence as his soccer team meets Milan's at Milan, Italy. He's one of the principal reasons that Florence was picked to be among the select teams which met German elevens in the recent Italo-German matches at Rome.

Mrs. R. G. Perkins Will Tell Stories At Story Hour Saturday

AROUND the TOWN

By Fay

Much talent abounds in Eastland! This was especially true at the Eastland Music Study Club's meeting yesterday when two gifted and beautifully trained local women graciously entertained the club at a "spur-of-the-moment" program.

When the program listed in the yearbook fell through — these capable women, ANNA BARBARA KINNAIRD and EMILY PERKINS, came to the rescue in a big way and gave the members a program they thoroughly enjoyed. They each played Mrs. Perkins' new Hammond electric organ (her Yule gift), they played piano and organ duos and Mrs. Perkins entertained with an illustrated lecture using beautiful fabrics and colored slides.

And there are many other women in the community who busy themselves with the aesthetic, the artistic, the civic-study-cultural clubs and other organizations that add to the abundant religious life of this community. Orchids to the clubwomen who keep on their toes spiritually and mentally for the good work they do in a community.

CAPT. AND MRS. MURPHY GO TO DAYTON, OHIO

Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Murphy left Tuesday morning for Dayton, Ohio, after a holiday visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy. They will leave by plane Feb. 3 for Thailand. Mr. Murphy went with his son and daughter-in-law as far as Palestine, Texas, and visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy, returning home Wednesday.

Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 24, 1956. For Sheriff
J. B. Williams
(For Re-election)

Story Hour will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Woman's Club, announced Mrs. Dudley L. Houle, library chairman for the Thursday Afternoon Club, which organization sponsors the monthly story hour.
Mrs. Robert G. Perkins will tell stories of interest to children from the first through the fifth grades.

HOSPITAL NEWS



Patients in Eastland Memorial Hospital follow:
J. B. Langston, who underwent surgery this morning.
Mrs. Samuel Butler, dismissed this morning.

Mrs. M. M. Farmer of Cisco, surgical.
Charles Turner, medical.
Truman Maynard, medical.
Jim Hallmark, medical.
Dorina Beth Hart, medical.
Mrs. Gladys Seale, surgical.
Mrs. Edna Peyton, medical.
Otto Bentley, medical.
Mrs. W. H. White, medical.

LOOK WHO'S NEW



Lt. and Mrs. R. E. Chamberlain of Gary Air Base, San Marcos, have announced the arrival of a daughter, Rebecca Deanne, born Dec. 30, at a San Marcos Hospital. Mrs. Chamberlain is the former Miss Virginia Bowman of Amarillo. The Chamberlains have another child, Richard Jr., who is 8-years-old. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chamberlain of Eastland are paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen G. Thomas announce the arrival of a son, Gary Allen Thomas, at 1:25 a.m. Jan. 1 at Ranger General Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 12 1/2 ounces. Gary Allen's mother is the former Miss Wanda Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Thompson of Eastland. His father is the son of Mrs. J. R. Thomas of Eastland and the late Mr. Thomas.

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Mrs. Wynne Is Hostess To M And E Reunion

Mrs. Winnie Wynne was hostess at a reunion of the M and E Club at a luncheon Saturday at her home, 111 N. Connellee.
Blue tinted daisies centered the dining table and placed cards were in the blue daisy motif also.
After lunch visiting and handwork were diversions.
Present were Meses. Aubrey Van Hoy, Gerald Wingate, Cyrus Miller, J. F. McWilliams, Russell Hill, Kenneth Wingate, all of Eastland and Mrs. George E. Cross of Fort Worth. Mrs. Jesse Richardson of Teague was unable to be present because of the illness of her father.

HERE FROM ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Street had as New Year's guests their two granddaughters, Kay and Brenda Burkett of Odessa. A few days before, their mother, Mrs. Cecil Cope and her husband, Mr. Cope of Odessa, visited Mrs. Cope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Street.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES HOME FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. James of Rt. 2, Eastland, have returned from a holiday visit of 11 days with relatives in Belton, San Antonio and San Marcos.

HOGANS HAVE NUMBER OF HOLIDAY GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hogan, 307 N. Oak, during the New Year holidays were her sister, Mrs. Browning, and Mr. Browning and son, Bobbie, of Austin, and Mrs. King of Ranger; their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hogan of Wichita.
Their guests during the Christmas holidays included their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Harris, and Mr. Harris and children, Joy, Elaine, Patricia Ann and Allen Wayne, Odessa; their sons, Lt. Elton Glenn of Wichita Falls and Robert Gale of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin DeGraw of Dicken, Mrs. DeGraw being a sister of Mrs. Hogan; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitely of Palo Pinto and Mrs. Johnnie King and daughter, Sherry, of Ranger, Mrs. Whitley being Mrs. Hogan's sister.
Also Mr. Hogan's brother, Gerald Carter, and Mrs. Carter and sons, Gerald and Don, Eunice, N.M. Mr. and Mrs. Harris remained here until Wednesday after Christmas. Lt. Elton Glenn Hogan left Wednesday for the AF base in Florida where he is now stationed.

HERE FROM ATHENS, WACO, BRECKENRIDGE DALLAS AND LOUISIANA

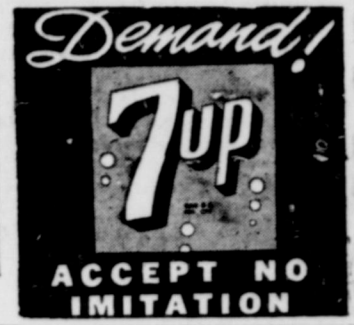
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boles had as their holiday guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Boles and sons, Bill and Randy, of Athens; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hardeman of Houston, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Boles, and the Hardeman's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hargus Hardeman and sons, Bill and Bob of Waco.
Also Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dixon of Franklinton, La., brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Boles; Mr. Boles' brothers and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Boles and Paul Boles, Breckenridge, and Mrs. Boles' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hargus and daughter, Gene, of Dallas.

HERE FROM TEXAS CITY; RETURNS TO MINNEAPOLIS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Snyder of Texas City visited his mother and brother, Mrs. Mary J. Snyder and Lowell Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley L. Houle Monday and Tuesday, en route home from Cheyenne, Wyo., where they had been on business since June.
Dr. Pen Houle, who is engaged in research at the University of Minnesota Hospital, returned there by plane Monday night after he and his parents, the Dudley L. Houles, had attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas. He had spent the Yule season with his parents here.

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Cotton Tweed	1.19	.88
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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmie Fonville and their young daughter, Deborah, have lately visited, during the holidays, with the sergeant's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville of Desdemona. Sgt. Fonville is stationed at Greenville AF Base, Greenville, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley were guests for Christmas dinner of Mr. Crawley's sister, Mrs. Letitia Rodgers, at Kokomo.

Harry White, Phoenix, Ariz., spent a day in the home of his brother, Wayne White, and Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were visitors to Mrs. Hazard's sister, Mrs. Pearl Bourland, in Eastland recently.

Ray Neil, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, has been quite ill in the Gorman Hospital, but was able to be moved to the home of his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett, in the Kokomo community on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Abel were guests Christmas Day of Mrs. Abel's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crossen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard had as guests in the holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville, and son, Earl, of Desdemona, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard, and son, Don, of Brownwood; their grandson, Sgt. Jimmie Fonville, and wife and daughter, Debora, Greenville, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pope, Tommy Lee and Patsy, Eunice, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pope, Johnny, Edward and Davis, Winters, were guests over the holidays of their parent, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hazard of Eastland visited with the M. O. Hazards.

Mrs. I. A. Cox of May has been a recent visitor in the home of her son, R. C. Reeves, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and son, Don, Brownwood, were recent guests of Mrs. Hazard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Henderson and young son, Kelly Glenn, of Midland were visiting over the holidays with Mr. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard went to Desdemona recently where they had supper with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville, and son Earl, Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmie Fonville and daughter, Deborah, Greenville, Miss., also were visitors in the sergeant's parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mounce had as guests over the holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Partney, and daughter, Jackie, of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley were visitors to Mrs. Crawley's sister, Mrs. Jesse Parker, and Mr. Parker in Gorman recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman and sons, Kenneth and Allen, of Olden; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby and daughter, Judy Beth,

Burkburnett, and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Crosby and daughter, Brendy, of Fort Worth were visitors to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby, over the holidays.

Mrs. Zona Griffin spent Christmas Day with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams, Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope visited in Eastland recently with her aunt, Mrs. Mollie Webb, and with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Dennis and daughter, Pamela, of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. James Butler of Austin were recent guests of Mrs. Dennis' and Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White.

ECONOMY COOKING

After the holiday, then what? asks the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association. Don't rely solely on hamburger meals to catch up, but try chuck, plate or rump steak, which are tasty and cost much less than round steak. Short ribs of beef are delicious when braised and make an elegant stew. Don't forget beef and kidney pie or stuffed beef heart, but if the family insist on steak try London broil made from flank steak. It's always budget time in January.

MOVE HERE FROM LOVINGTON, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Nute Hart have moved to 1400 W. Commerce, Eastland, from Lovington, N.M. Mr. Hart is ranching and farming in Stephens County, near here. They used to live at Cisco before moving to Lovington.

J. D. Crawford Funeral Rites Are Conducted

Jim D. Crawford, 76, who died at his Eastland home Tuesday afternoon, was buried in Eastland Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Funeral services were held at Hamner Funeral Chapel at 2 p.m. with Rev. Homer Williams, assisted by Rev. Ray Smith, conducting. Mr. Crawford is survived by his wife, two sons, H. O. Crawford, Winert, Lee Crawford, of Littlefield and three grandchildren.

He was a native of Missouri and a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Pastor and Wife And WSCS Host Open House Fri

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard R. Smith III and members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist Church will be hosts to the church membership at open house from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday at the Methodist parsonage, 805 S. Seaman. All members and their families are invited to call.

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Banking House	13,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	15,000.00
U. S. Government Bonds	1,186,200.00
Other Bonds and Warrants	165,800.00
Cash and Exchange	1,321,745.86
Total	\$4,004,488.75

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Reserves	50,000.00
Reserve For Taxes	8,000.00
Undivided Profits	66,421.19
Deposits	3,780,067.56
Total	\$4,004,488.75

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