

## Moore... ABOUT EASTLAND

by Virgil E. Moore

One of those talking parakeets that you always hear about and seldom see has flown the coop. "Bill," Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hale's green bird with a yellow head, left their house flying west Friday night. Bill is a talking budgie that the Hales value highly. If you should see it you could make them mighty happy by phoning 1164.

Judge Virgil Seagberry Sr. for years and years told Virgil Jr. how he had walked three miles to school each day. The Judge had noticed that Virgil Jr. had a doubtful look in his eye when he told him about trotting over snow and ice the three long miles. But he didn't realize that his son would someday call his hand. Not so long ago the two were back in Pottsboro, where the Judge grew up, and Virgil Jr. stepped off the distance between the old homestead and the old school. Three-fourths of a mile, was the verdict. Seemed a lot longer, the good Judge exclaimed.

And Bernard Hanna, an old East Texan, replied that things sure do change when you go back to your old home town. Bernard was raised back in Nacogdoches and he claims that the last time he went home even Mother Nature had changed. "When I was a boy there were mountains all over the place around here, now there's nothing but a bunch of hills," he asserted.

Comes a letter to the Chamber of Commerce from Mobile Alabama. Mrs. Leslie R. Frost writes: "I lived in and around Eastland from the time I was two until I was 12 years of age. My father worked in the oil fields around that area.

"I remember rather vividly a place he showed me, but do not remember the direction from Eastland. At any rate it was a small stream that ran uphill. I have repeated that fact to friends, who frankly do not believe such a thing exists. But at the same time they do not believe about the horned toad living for 25 years in the cornerstone of the old courthouse. I also remember when that old courthouse was torn down.

"I am wondering if you perhaps can give me any information to authenticate these facts. I would appreciate any information you can send me."

Now Herb Tanner doesn't have a problem getting information on Old Rip, but that stream is another thing. Herb has called for some expert advice, saying he will appreciate any information concerning the stream. So if you know anything about it how about passing it along?

Grady Hoyle, who used to be recruiting sergeant here for the Air Force, was through town the other day. Hoyle was on his way to Tennessee where he has been stationed. A lot of the younger boys around town will remember Grady. He worked a lot with boys on the junior baseball program.

Losing a family of the calibre of the Hubert Westfalls is almost too hard to take. Hubert, who has served as Lone Star Gas Co. district manager here for the past 10 years, has been transferred to the Indian Territory, as you know. He, Glenna and Betty have all played a big part in this city during the past years, and they will leave more friends behind than you could list in one newspaper. It's regrettable that they have to leave, but to look on the good side of the ledger, it is a good promotion for Hubert. We haven't given up the Westfalls, however. We hope someday to see them back home.

And of course we want to take (Continued on Page Two)

### FREYSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY

### WEATHER NEWS

High	60
Low	35
Rainfall	20
Total Rain for Dec.	20
Total Rain for Year	42.42
12 Months Avg. Rain	25.83
Forecast	Fair & Warmer

## Quarterback Club Meeting Monday To Plan Banquet

Eastland Quarterback Club members will meet Monday night in the High School cafeteria to make plans for the annual athletic banquet to honor the Mavericks of 1957.

Among things to be decided upon are a speaker, date, place and time. Quarterback Club President

Wells Dalton urged a big turnout, saying "We are too good a club to have to worry about getting out a good attendance at a meeting as important as this one."

Dalton said he would name working committees at the banquet. Plans are to hold the affair as soon as possible.

A number of top name coaches have been kicked around among Quarterbackers, but Dalton said no definite choice has been made yet. "Anyone who has a choice should be at this meeting to let us know about him," he stated.

## Good Record Can Go Up In Smoke, Says Fire Chief

Local citizens buying Christmas trees are getting something extra this year. It's a 10-inch old and red cardboard ruler which lists seven ways to protect against Christmas tree fires.

The tags are being placed on the trees by junior Fire Marshals. The program is being sponsored here by the Chamber of Commerce Fire Prevention Committee headed by E. E. Freyschlag. Cooperating in the program are Supt. Wendell Siebert and Fire Chief Billy Jack Johnson.

Chief Johnson pointed out Saturday that Eastland has had extremely small fire loss this year. "We are knocking on wood every chance we get," he said, "hoping that a bad holiday season doesn't ruin our good record."

The fire chief reminded area citizens that this is always the worst month for fires. He pointed with alarm to the number of serious fires around the state and nation saying, "It can happen here and it very likely will happen here if we do not stay on the alert."

Johnson stressed that citizens can help in case of fire by giving a reliable report to the fire department. "Just pick up your phone, ask for the Fire Department, give the address clearly and distinctly and do not lose your head," the chief suggested.

## Winners of 'Y' Talent Show Are Named Saturday

Winners in the YMCA amateur show held Thursday night were Elston Williams of Eastland, first; Roger Flowers of Ranger, second; and Raydell Fowler of Ranger, third.

The show was held in the Eastland High School auditorium before a near full house. A total of \$155.54 was raised. The money will be spent to buy food and gifts for needy families in Eastland.

Special thanks were given by sponsors of the show to all who helped.

## Many Churches Organized In Late 1880's In This Area

(Editor's Note: This is the 51st in a series of articles taken from the book, "History of Eastland County, Texas," written by Mrs. George Langston in 1904.)

### Other Churches

The Rising Star Cumberland Presbyterian Church was organized by Rev. D. A. Knox in July, 1855, with fourteen members.

Compulsions in the early history of the church appear the names of L. M. Marshall, J. T. Winfield, H. W. Younce, Maxwell brothers and Uncle George and Mila Wood.

Services were held in the public school building and in the Methodist Church until 1893, when a house which is well situated in the northern part of town, was built. A comfortable manse is situated on the adjoining lots.

The church is well officered by a board of six elders and one deacon, and has a Sabbath school under the efficient management of Prof. G. C. Barnes. The contributions for the different enterprises for the year 1903 exceeded all amounts for previous years taken. No public collections are taken.

The present pastor is Rev. Z. T. Elenton. Perfect harmony prevails and it is hoped that this body may occupy its place as a persistent factor in the spiritual up lifting of

Rising Star and the surrounding country.

The Sabanno Cumberland Presbyterian Church was organized about 1886 by the Rev. D. A. Kneez. For several years the congregation worshipped in the school house, holding its revival meetings under a brush arbor in the summer of 1896 a house was built, and since then a tent has been provided for revivals, which are held annually.

C. C. Bullock is the present pastor, with Messrs. W. A. Erwin, B. F. Shell, and J. S. Erwin elders and W. P. Porter and J. Robert Kincaid deacons.

### Liberty Cumberland Presbyterian Church

This congregation was organized in 1889 with ten members as the result of a revival meeting conducted by the Rev. W. E. Green.

As a church organization would not be allowed to occupy the school house, Messrs. S. A. Fleming (Cumberland), Sam Webb (Baptist) and W. T. Boyd (Methodist) met and decided to build a union house for these denominations. This was done. Several revivals have been held, these denominations always co-operating.

The Cumberland Presbyterian Church now has about forty members. Messrs. B. L. Marshall, Louis Marshall, G. R. Kelley, S. A. Flemings and John D. Walker are the present elders, with Rev. C. C.

## DON'T FORGET! Santa Visits Eastland Saturday



### Ground Observers To Hold Alert

Billy Jack Johnson, head of the Eastland Ground Observer Corps, has announced that an alert will be held here Sunday from 1:30 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Observers will work from their new vantage point, the Legion Hall at City Park, Johnson explained. He urged all members of the GOC to be present.

## Santa Letters Prove Times Not Changed

Things haven't changed as much as you think! That's the belief of Telegram staffers at least, after reading over some of the latest Santa letters to arrive.

Boys still want cowboy guns and girls still rank dolls as their number one choice. Of course an occasional bid for a space ship gets in the list, but all in all the letters read just like they did when you were a kid.

Here's a few to prove it:

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I would like to have a new cowboy gun set with cylinders that roll, a Colt 46, a remote control rocket and most of all a desk for my school work.

Michael Ray Peel  
Abilene

**Dear Santa,**

I would like you to bring me a big doll, a nurse kit, stroller and gun. Bring my little sister a new born baby doll and pillow, doctor kit and a gun.

Thank You  
Lebra Garrett  
Carbon

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I would like to have a toy helicopter, a cap pistol, filling station with cars and some shirts. Please remember all the other little boys and girls.

With Love,  
Elton Lee Falk  
303 S. Madera

**Dear Santa Claus,**

Please bring me a Patrolcycle. I would also like to have some fern animals and a rifle. If Mike and I aren't in Abilene Christmas please leave our toys at one of our grandmothers in Eastland.

Thank you  
Wayne Peel  
Abilene

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I am nine years old and in the fourth grade. I want a doll with high heels and clothes to go with her and I want a pair of shoes and baby socks. I have a baby sister. Her name is Shirley Jo Hall. She wants some dishes and a telephone for Christmas. Don't forget my brothers.

With Love,  
Sharon and Jan Hall

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I am eight years old and in the second grade. Please bring me a doll that wears high heels and clothes for it. I would like some new shoes and baby socks. Shirley Jo would like some toys and candy and fruit. Thank you.

Love,  
Mary Beth Hall

**Dear Santa, I want a BB gun for Christmas.**

From your friend  
Larry Stevenson

## Local Penney Employees Share Christmas Bonus

J. C. Penney Company announced today that its directors have authorized a special Christmas payment for more than 50,000 associates in the Company's 1,700 stores, offices and warehouses throughout the United States.

The payment included all full-time associates as well as extra and part-time associates and those employed on or before October 1, 1957.

All eligible Penney associates shared in the payment except management staff members whose earnings are determined largely by the Company's long-standing profit-sharing plan. The payment was made in all stores, offices and warehouses on December 3.

The payment was in addition to regular Company provisions for associates' benefits including sick benefit, hospital and surgical insurance plan, gratuitous death and dismemberment benefits, Thrift and Profit-Sharing Retirement Fund Plan, discounts on purchases and others.

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## Mavs Defeat Gorman In First Cage Game

Eastland got the best of Gorman two games to one Friday night as the locals got their 1957-58 season underway. Both the Mav A and B team hung up victories, but the girls lost their initial start.

The Mavericks tabbed a 41-20

loss on the Gorman boys, using a tight defense and the sharp shooting of Clinton (Button) Humphrey to turn the trick. The Mav B-team won 16-12 and the Gorman girls placed a 45-26 loss on the Eastland girls' record book.

The Mavericks looked very sharp for their first start of the season and Coach Jon Tate got to empty his bench before the game ended. Humphrey had a magic eye for the opener, getting 21 points on seven field goals and seven free throws. Maverick gymnasium was crammed full for the game, and the Mavs showed them the advantage of smooth teamwork.

Sophomore Otis Green, playing his first game at the pivot spot, showed up very well. Green got himself 11 points to be second high scorer in the game. Johnny Rodgers was high for the losers with nine points.

Green and Phillip Lewis teamed together to control both backboards. Lewis was one of the pleasant surprises in the game, coming through like a veteran despite the fact that it was his first varsity game.

Johnny McMahan paced the Mavs on defense. McMahan time and time again fouled up Gorman's offensive game, stealing the ball. He and Larry Hollis had three points each for the night, but neither could quite find the range. Hollis rimmed the basket all night, but despite oops and aahs from the crowd, couldn't get them to fall. Lewis had three points too.

David Carothers, Stanley Reed, Joe Martin and Freddy Miller all turned in creditable performances in the last half as reserves. One of the amazing things about the game was that Eastland didn't foul out a single man despite the fact it was the first game. Gorman lost two via the five-foul route.

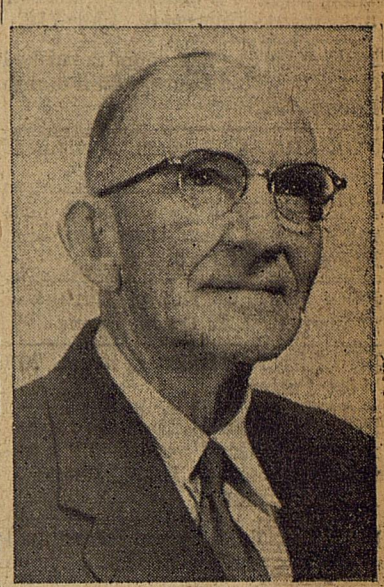
### Girls Lose

Eastland's girls lacked the teamwork that the boys displayed, but looked sharp in spots. One thing that hurt the locals was the fact that they were playing an outstanding girls team. Gorman's girls copped regional honors last year, and have practically the same team back again this year.

Sue Day scored 20 of the Mavericks 26 points, but Ann Blair of

Gorman had 22 to edge her for scoring honors. Julia Skass had 14 points for Gorman, Mary Robertson got six and Patsy Rawls, three.

Brenda Evans had four points for Eastland and Peggy Humphrey got two. The Eastland girls, typical slow finishers last season, put on a last quarter burst that got them eight points, while limiting Gorman to two. The strong finish wasn't enough to get them back in the game, but it did show they were still trying.



## Final Rites for Judge Jim Boggus Held Saturday

Funeral services for Justice of the Peace James R. Boggus, 69, were held Saturday afternoon at the Church of Christ in Eastland with Otta Johnson, local minister, and R. L. Craig of Ranger, officiating.

Mr. Boggus died in a Dallas hospital Friday after an illness of several weeks. He was an active member of the Eastland Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; one son, James H. Boggus of Ranger; one daughter, Mrs. Malabeth Copeland of Eastland; two brothers, John L. of Stephenville and R. T. of Mingus; and four grandchildren.

Born Nov. 29, 1888 in Alabama, Judge Boggus married Arda Hale April 24, 1910 in Gordon. They moved to Eastland some 30 years ago.

Burial was in Eastland Cemetery with Hamner Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were John Hart, Vernon Little, Roy Lane, Amos Anderson, Earl O'Brien, Johnson Smith, V. T. Moser and Otto Thompson.

## Gray Matter

By JOE GRAY

The current issue of True Magazine in answer to a reader in its Man to Man section says that mothebals won't increase the octane rating of gasoline.

That may be technically true. But I don't know so much about that.

If I were to tell editors of True Magazine about drip gasoline they wouldn't know any more about what I would be talking about than a hog knows about holy water. But for a moment let's consider drip gasoline and mothebals and Model T Fords.

Back in the days when the Model T was the current product of the Ford Motor Company there were a lot of people around here who never went by a filling station for gas, that is if they knew where a drip was. They filled the old Ford up at the drip then drop in a handful of mothebals to give the extra pep needed to operate the Ford on and went about their business.

I don't have the slightest idea of what it was in a 'mothebal' that made drip gasoline operate better in a Ford engine than it did without the mothebal, but it's a fact that no magazine can deny. They're talking to an expert at the matter when talk to me of drip gasoline.

There was a drip on my grandfather's farm and I didn't know what it was to go to a filling station in our old Model T. We made two trips then to get the old buggy to running. One to the drip and

one to the variety store for a nickel's worth of mothebals.

The mothebal wasn't absolutely necessary, I'll admit, but they made a drip-burning auto start easier. You didn't have to prime the carburetor as often with mothebals in the gas as you had to without it.

Then later Ford made the great change to the Model A. I never did try to run a Model A on drip gasoline but I've talked to a lot of people that have. It'd/work. But I do know that a Model A would run much better with mothebals in the cheapest grade gasoline available on the market than it would without it. By that time the Depression had come on and most of us young fellows didn't have any money to spend foolishly on gasoline. We had to make every cent count if we intended to get any living in. We used the very cheapest gasoline we could get and put a handful of good old mothebals in the tank of our Model A's.

I don't know what a mothebal would do to one of these high-compressed engines Detroit is outfitting in its cars now. I recall reading in Walter Winchell's column that some New York vandals had ruined several Cadillacs on (Continued on Page Two)

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**Letters To Editor Eastland Telegram**

During my recent sojourn in our Eastland Memorial Hospital I became aware of a treasure of yours and mine. I resolved that, upon my recovery, I would express in some way my appreciation for such a blessing . . . a first class institution of healing! Most folks are like me, I suppose, and take so much for granted. It was not until I was flat on my back, helpless and sore, that I really began to appreciate our treasure. First of all, there is an air of personal interest. The patient is made to feel that he is in a friendly, competent, sympathetic atmosphere. This is so important to one who is ill. It bolsters one's spirit and will to recovery.

Our hospital building is attractive and as homelike as possible. Our Hospital Board and Auxiliary constantly strive to keep it that way and to improve the physical plant. The food is the best that I ever found in a hospital. Never have I seen such an effort to please the individual.

Of course none of this could be without a capable and sympathetic staff and most of the credit I give to our superintendent, Mrs. Grace Reed. Nothing seems to be too trivial for her attention, if she thinks that it will contribute to the welfare and comfort of her patients. A great deal of high quality leadership is required to run a hospital so successfully. She has selected a fine group of competent nurses and other helpers, for her standards are high and she never loses sight of the main idea that the patient comes first. This results in the trust and happiness of those who are in her care. It can't be emphasized too much in my opinion. In my experience that quality is somewhat rare in hospitals. It is so easy for the patient to feel that he is on the assembly line. Too, I am a firm believer in the private nurse, and I was lucky enough to have three wonderful ones to care for me for a few days. The private nurse has time to give personal, unhurried, gentle attention and acts as a buffer between the one who is ill and the bustle of a busy hospital routine. She is a fine investment in tranquility. While recuperating I lay on my bed and thought of the kind, thoughtful people in this world, and of my dear family and friends. How fortunate I was to have the attention of such dedicated people! The fact that our hospital is available to anyone, patients or doctors, regardless of color or creed, should be a matter of pride and gratitude to us.

Mrs. Reed and her staff would be the last to claim that our hospital is perfect. One improvement I would like to see is some softer beds, rubber foam, if you please. How hard is the hospital bed, just at the time when you would like to settle down and enjoy some good rest! It is impossible on such an unyielding bed! Of course there are some hardy souls who prefer the compressed mattress. I belong to the rubber-foam school. Always we have accepted the idea of a hard bed in hospital. Personally I challenge that conception!

I would like to see one rubber-foam (or soft cotton) mattress, installed as an experiment and I would like to be on hand to see some weary, sore patient gratefully relax on its comforting support. We might become known as the most comfortable hospital in the state.

Cleo Seaberry

**Music Study Club Plans Christmas Dinner for Wed.**

Final plans were made for the Christmas dinner at the meeting of the Music Study Club, Wednesday afternoon in the Woman's Club.

Mrs. F. N. Sayre, president, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Charles Harris read the Club Collect. Mrs. D. L. Houle gave an interesting report from the Club House Board. The club gave a donation to the State Hospital.

Finance committee reported that \$118 was received from the Rummage Sale. Mrs. T. C. Richardson gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. D. L. Kinnaid, secretary, read the minutes for the two previous meetings.

Plans were completed for the Christmas dinner to be held at the White Elephant Restaurant Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins is program chairman. Mrs. R. L. Carpenter and Mrs. Marvin Hood will serve as co-hostess.

Al Lotspeich directed the Music Club chorus in a 30 minute rehearsal. Mrs. Al Lotspeich was his accompanist. The chorus will meet for the next rehearsal in January.

Those present were Mmes. F. N. Sayre, T. C. Richardson, B. W. Patterson, D. L. Kinnaid, Charles Harris, Grady Pipkin, D. L. Houle, Allen D. Dabney, Griffin Hart, A. F. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Al Lotspeich.

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**Gray Matter-**  
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Broadway by putting mothballs in the gas tanks. He talked about it as if they had put sand in the tanks. I'll bet Winchell never heard putting mothballs in any gas tank before. I don't think I'd recommend putting them in a nice new car of today, but I'll bet they don't ruin one of them like he said they would.

But the way the automobile manufacturers continue to enlarge their cars it makes one wonder if they really know what they're doing. After the last war was over and the big boys were getting back into production I remember someone asking Henry Ford II about his company's making a smaller car, or what was he going to do about a small car on the American market.

The young man who inherited his job had an answer for his questioner. Whether his was the right answer or not may yet remain to be seen. Mr. Ford told the interviewer that he didn't think a small car would sell in America today. The American people, he said, wanted the luxury of a large car and wouldn't buy a small car such as some of the European manufacturers produced for their home markets.

I wonder where he thinks the quarter million German Volkswagens sold in this country came from. They weren't given away you know.

And if the Detroit boys don't start considering us little people who are getting a little tired of these cars that only get 14 miles or thereabouts to a gallon of gasoline, we might go back to looking for a good drip and find out what drip gasoline and mothballs will do in today's engine.

It might be interesting to know. Anybody know where a good drip is?

**Hospital News**

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital are

Neeva Patton, medical  
Charlie Brown, medical, Cisco  
Mrs. R. I. Malone, medical  
Mrs. Bobby Miller, medical, Cisco  
Patti Grizzle, medical  
Mrs. Darvin West, medical  
Billy Jordan, medical  
Dismissed were:  
Mrs. Glen Lile and Mrs. Fred Burfield.

Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland and Olden are:

Linda Medford, medical  
Mrs. L. A. East, medical  
I. B. Walker, medical, Olden.

**Moore About-**  
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This opportunity to welcome to Eastland Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goldston and family, He is new district manager.

—ven—  
We are about convinced someone in the backshop is trying to get us laughed out of Eastland. Our main headline, for the second time in for editions, came out a little different than we had planned. Instead of "amateur show" we came out with "amateur show." Before convincing yourself we do not know how to spell, please note correct spelling of word in the story.

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That's it for this time

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**Ten G.A. Members Pass Forward Steps Before Reviewing Council**

Ten members of the Girls' Auxiliaries of First Baptist Church passed Forward Steps Wednesday evening before their Reviewing Council, Mmes. Roy Rushing, A. E. Hallford and F. N. Sayre.

Mrs. Harvey Kimbler, G. A. director, opened the meeting and Mrs. Sayre led in prayer. Each candidate was introduced as she came before the council to say her work from memory.

Sally Perkins and Linda Dickey passed the first step, Maiden, saying the G.A. Watchword Allegiance, Star Ideals and scriptures.

Jan Taylor, Brenda Jenkins and Lois Sims passed the second step, Lady-in-Waiting saying scriptures and telling demonstrational information.

Mary Ann Manning and Sharon Sayre passed the third step, Princess, which includes scriptures and missionary information.

Patricia Liles, Gretchen Hailey and Janet Kimbler passed the fourth step, Queen, giving scriptures and telling about the life of Christ and the missionary journeys of Paul.

A coronation service will be held in the spring honoring these girls and others who pass the Reviewing Council in March.

Others present were the counselors of Sarah Henley G.A., Mrs. Ola Eldredge and Mrs. R. D. Kelley, Jana Eldredge, Donna Ford, Mrs. John Dickey, and Mrs. Gene Rhodes Morgan G. A. counselor.

**Christian Science**

The source of true wisdom and intelligence will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday in the Lesson - Sermon entitled "God the Only Cause and Creator."

Scriptural passages will include the following from Psalms (104:24): "O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all; the earth is full of thy riches."

Selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include the following (275:14): "All substance, intelligence, wisdom, being, immortality, cause, and effect belong to God. These are His attributes, the eternal manifestations of the infinite divine Principle, Love. No wisdom is wise but His wisdom; no truth is true, no love is lovely, no life is Life but the divine; no good is, but the good God bestows."

The Golden Text is from Hebrews (3:4): "Every house is builded by some man; but he that built all things is God."

**Bridal Shower Fetes Mrs. High In Scott's Home**

Mrs. Charlie High was honored with a bridal shower Friday evening Nov. 30, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott. Mrs. High is the former Earline Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Turner.

Hostesses were Mmes. Scott, O. L. Hooper, David Massengale, Dickie Evtatt, Dale Chick, R. L. Latham, Guy Robinson, James Sherrill, and David Mitchell.

Mrs. Scott met the guests and presented them to the honor guest, Mrs. Charlie High, Mrs. Turner, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Tom High, mother of the groom. Mrs. Latham registered the guests in a white bride's book. The Christmas tree was noted throughout the house. The bride's colors, green and white, were also carried out in the shower.

The bride's table, laid with a Christmas cloth, was centered with an imitation Christmas tree. The tree was white with various colored Christmas decorations. On each side of the tree a candelabrum with white tapers was placed.

Mrs. Sherrill poured hot spiced tea from a silver tea service. Mrs. Chick served white cake squares decorated with green from a silver platter. Mrs. Massengale and Mrs. Evtatt alternated with Mrs. Sherrill and Mrs. Chick. White napkins bore the inscription of "Earline and Charlie" in silver.

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## Christmas Party of CWF Is Held in the Home of Mrs. Bond

Christian Woman's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Kerman Bond for their monthly business meeting and Christmas party, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Collings, president, opened the meeting with a prayer. A short business meeting followed. The program was begun by a devotional given by Mrs. N. L. Smitham and Mrs. Dave Fiensy. "We Give Ourselves" was the title of the program. Mrs. Neil Day was leader of the program, assisted by Mmes. Ray Pool, Jack Chamberlain, Sr. and Joe Tow.

The main thought of the program was to put Christ back into Christmas. Think more of giving than of the money spent for Christmas. As an example of the thought a story of an elderly lady giving gifts to needy families. In her Christmas cards she wrote a note saying she would clean their house one day of each week during the year.

Love offering was received by Mrs. Smitham who gave a prayer of thanks. The program was then closed by the missionary benediction.

The program was followed by a most enjoyable social hour. The Rachel group, Mmes. Bond, Pool, A. L. Gallagher, J. W. Eidson, S.

G. McCullough, Charles Freyschlag, and Hugh Neeld, were hostesses for the occasion.

Pink and gold Christmas theme was noted throughout the decoration of Mrs. Bond's home. Mrs. Bill Collings poured tea from an antique silver tea service, on a table laid with a pink and gold net cloth.

The centerpiece was also pink. Another noted feature of her decoration was her Christmas tree. The snow covered tree was sprayed with pink.

Hot spiced tea and gaily decorated cookies were served to the following: Mmes. R. S. Malone, Ray Pool, Jr., Roy Turner, H. E. Williams, Joe Tow, S. G. McCullough, Charles Freyschlag, Hugh Neeld, A. L. Gallagher, Kerman Bond, J. W. Eidson, Neil Day, Jack Chamberlain, Sr.

N. L. Smitham, Millie Brittain, Dave Fiensy, Homer Meek, J. R. Gilbreath, Eugene Day, N. T. Johnson, B. H. Clifton, W. E. Tankersley, L. C. McNatt, Mattie V. Miller, Cyrus Miller, E. K. Henderson, J. W. Watson, L. E. Huckabay and Billy Perkins.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday, Dec. 9

3 p.m. — Lydia group of the Christian Woman's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will meet for their group Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Bill Collings, 200 South Oaklawn.

3 p.m. — Priscilla group of the First Christian Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Jack Chamberlain, 2002 West Commerce, for their group's Christmas party.

7 p.m. — Rachel group of the Christian Woman's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will meet for their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. A. L. Gallagher, 1310 South Seaman.

7:30 p.m. — Ruth group of the CWF of the First Christian Church will meet with Miss Verna Johnson as hostess and Miss Marjorie Van Hoose as co-hostess for their Christmas party.

Tuesday, Dec. 10

2:30 p.m. — Martha Dorcas Sunday School Class will meet in the Methodist Church parlor for a Christmas party. Each member is asked to bring a gift for exchange and one for a needy family.

3 p.m. — Esther group of the CWF of the First Christian

Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Bill Collings, 200 South Oak Lawn, for their Christmas party.

7:30 p.m. — Xi Alpha Zeta Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the home of Mrs. Red Graham, Mrs. Graham will also give the program.

7 p.m. — Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will meet in church parlor for a covered dish dinner and Christmas party. This party is for the members of W.S.C.S. and Guild and their husbands or guests.

Hostess for the dinner will be Mmes. Richard Smith, Russell Hill, Garlan Hargus, H. L. Bulgerin, Ronald Burton, Joe Stephens, and Miss Loretta Morris.

7:30 p.m. — Zeta Pi Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the home of Mrs. Don Kincaid. Mrs. Robert Versetsel will be co-hostess.

Wednesday Dec. 11

3 p.m. — The Civic League and Garden Club will meet at the

Woman's Club for a Texas Christmas. Drama will be given of "The Cowboys Christmas Ball." Mrs. Paul Wood of Cisco will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Don Russell will be leader. Hostesses will be Mmes. W. E. Chaney, Arthur Murrel, Billy C. Frost, and Steve Potts.

Thursday, Dec. 12

7 p.m. — Homemakers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will meet for a Christmas party at the White Elephant.

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7:30 p.m. — Alpha Delphinian Club will meet at the Woman's Club for their Christmas party. Mrs. W. E. Lawson will be leader. "Holiday Decorations" will be the theme of the program given by Mmes. LeRoy Arnold and Floyd Robertson.

Monday, Dec. 16

7 p.m. — Music Study Club will

meet at the White Elephant for their Christmas dinner. Mrs. Joseph Mr. Perkins will be program chairman with Mmes. R. L. Carpenter and Marvin serving as co-hostess.

Mrs. Lola Gentry of Wichita Falls is here staying with her mother, Mrs. Grace Bray, who is ill.

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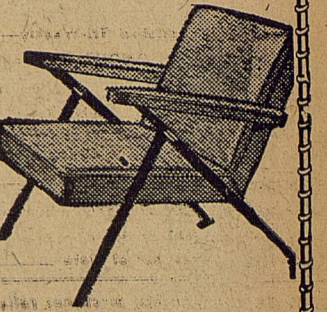
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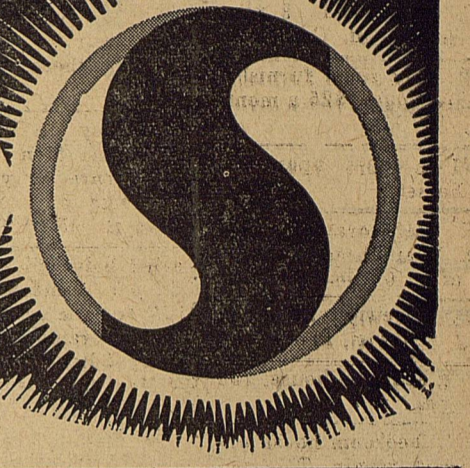
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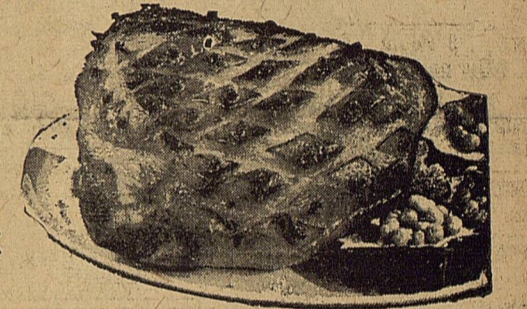
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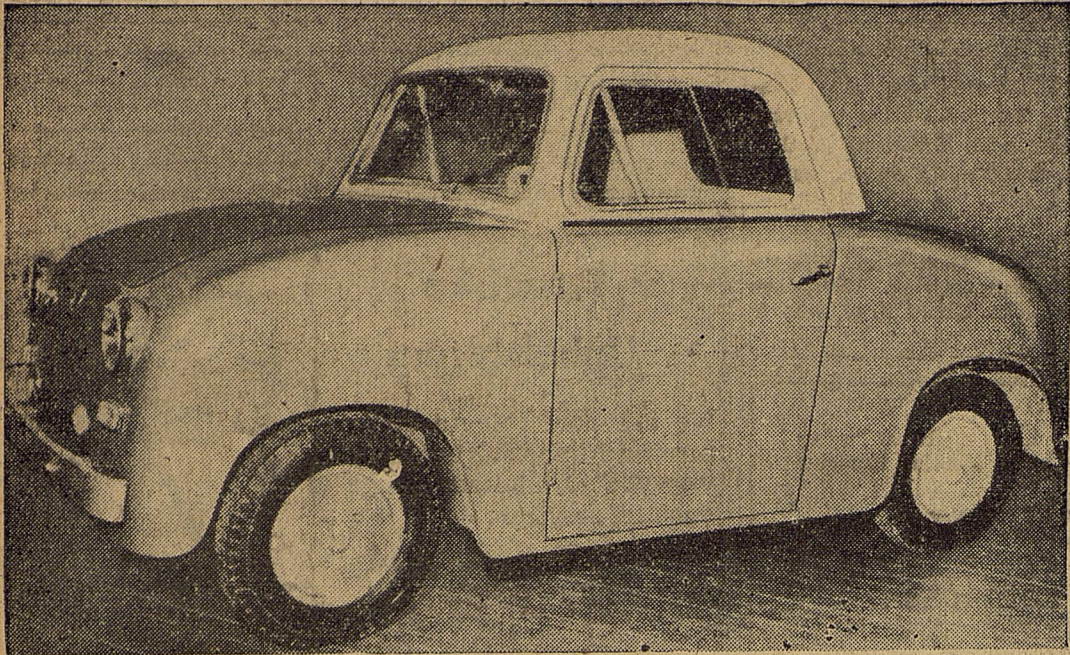
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Morning worship at 10:50 with Rev. Richard R. Smith bringing the message on "Our Heritage Forever." This day is known as Bible Day throughout the world and millions of people started reading the Bible Thanksgiving to continue through Christmas. It is now printed in 1100 tongues.

The Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:15. The evening worship service begins at 7 o'clock and the pastor again will be in the pulpit. The Youth Choir will lead the song service under the direction of Wendell Siebert.

The Official Board will have its meeting at the church Monday night at 7:30. The annual Christmas Party and dinner for the Susanna Wesley Class will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowell Monday evening December 9, at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Crowell is the teacher. The class was organized in 1945.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild will have their husbands as special guests at the Christmas Dinner Party Tuesday evening in Fellowship Hall, beginning at 7 o'clock. Each family is asked to bring an ample dish of food, table service, and a gift of food or a toy for a needy family. There will not be a meeting of the WSCS Tuesday morning.

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Wednesday evening choir rehearsal is at 7:30. The choir will present the Cantata—"The Story of Christmas" on the evening of Dec. 22.

Third Chapter of Philippians Will Be Studied Sunday at Bethel Church

The Bethel Baptist Church Sunday School begins Sunday morning at 9:45. The lesson will be taken from Philippians the third chapter, and is entitled, "That I May Know Christ."

The evening worship service begins at 7 o'clock and the pastor again will be in the pulpit. The Youth Choir will lead the song service under the direction of Wendell Siebert.

Evening worship services begin with Training Union at 6:30. The Bethel Baptist Church kept their reputation for having the finest training union in this area by having the third highest attendance at M night, First Church Ranger last Monday night. Those who are interested in training for Christian service are urged to take advantage of this opportunity.

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Annual WMU Tea at First Baptist Church to be Held This Wednesday

The Annual W.M.U. Tea held at First Baptist Church will take place this year on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock and everyone is invited. Mrs. Anthony of Abilene, author of the book, "Here Am I," will tell of some of her experiences in foreign mission work in parts of South America, Africa and the Middle East. Following her message, tea will be served in Fellowship Hall.

Sunday School will meet at 9:45 Sunday morning under the leadership of Superintendent John Dickey; morning worship begins at 11 with the pastor, Harvey Kimbler, bringing the message. The

Chapel choir for Intermediates will meet at 4:30; elementary choirs at 5:30, Training Union at 6:30 and evening service at 7:30.

Monday evening at 7 the Friendship Class will have their Christmas Party in Fellowship Hall. Tuesday morning at 9:30 the W.M.U. circles will meet at the church for visitation. Those interested will attend the Worker's Conference at Bethany Baptist Church, Breckenridge, Tuesday evening beginning at 5. The emphasis of the program will be on church music. Brother Dickey, minister of music at First Baptist, Eastland, will be in charge.

Youth organization will have regular meetings Wednesday evening at 7:00 during the meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday School.

Other Christmas parties being held this week are as follows: Thursday—Dorcas Class at the home of Mrs. Victor at 7, Homemakers Class dinner at White Elephant Cafe with Mrs. O. L. Hooper as master of ceremonies; Friday—Winsome Class dinner in Fellowship Hall, Ruth Class party scheduled for Friday evening may be changed.

The church choir will have rehearsal Monday, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday after the W.M.U. Tea and Thursday at 7:45 p.m.

Presbyterians to Observe Universal Bible Sunday Here

The Second Sunday in the Season of Advent is Universal Bible Sunday across most of the Christian world. It has been so for over 1600 hundred years. The First Presbyterian Church will observe this as a part of morning worship, which begins at 11 o'clock. The Sermon Subject, by Rev. Eugene H. Surface, minister, will be "The Bible—Now in 1,100 Tongues," which is this year's American Bible Society Theme.

Sunday Church School begins at 10 o'clock. Regular meeting of the Church Session is Monday afternoon, at five o'clock, in the Minister's Study, at the Church.

The Women's Association meets Tuesday morning at nine-thirty o'clock, in the Tom Wilson home, 405 Pershing. This Meeting is the Annual Dedication Service and the Installation of Officers. There will be a Nursery at the Church.

First Christian Church Services For Week Listed

The following activities are planned for this week at the First Christian Church:

The Church School will meet at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all ages in "The Art of Christian Living." The majority of the classes will be discussing the subject: "What Christ Means To The Christian," based on Philippians 3. W. Q. Verner is the superintendent and Jack Chamberlain, Sr. is the assistant superintendent.

The 11 a.m. morning worship service will find the pastor, Roy M. Turner, in the pulpit speaking on the subject: "To Him Be Glory," based on Luke 2:14b. It is the second in a series of Advent Sermons based on the gospel according to Luke Mrs. W. E. Lewis will play the service music and Kerman Bond will direct the singing.

The Youth Fellowship will meet at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland as their social guests.

The Vesper Service will be held 7:00 p.m. The Song Service will be led by Choir Director, Kerman Bond. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland, managers of Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat will bring the message of the evening.

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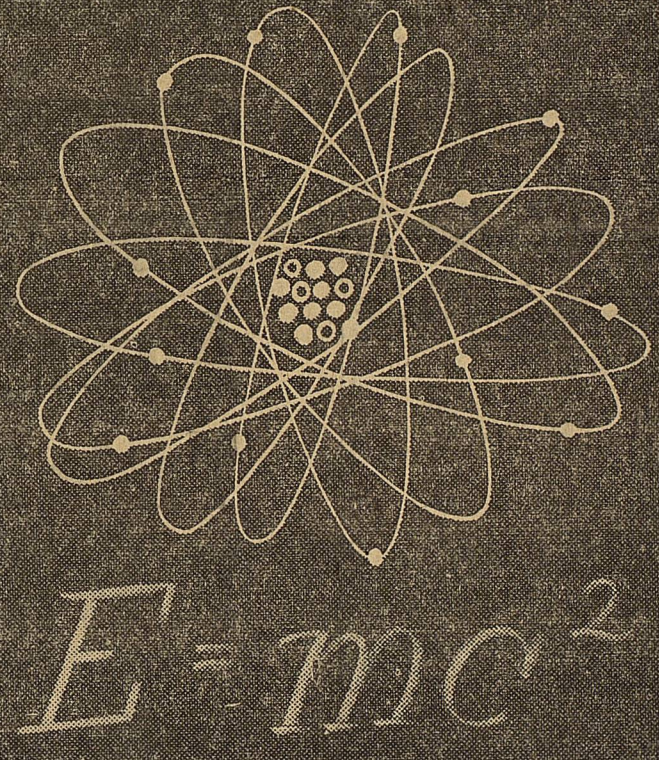
The following CWF groups will meet this week: Monday, 2:30 p.m.—the Priscilla Group with Mrs. Jack Chamberlain, Sr.; 3:00 p.m.—the Lydia Group with Mrs. Bill Collins; 7:00 p.m.—the Rachel Group with Mrs. Arthur Gallagher; 7:30 p.m.—the Ruth Group at Mrs. W. Q. Verner with Miss Marjorie Van Hoose and Miss Verna Johnson as co-hostesses. The Easter Group will meet Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. with Mrs. Bill Collins.

The Willing Workers Class will hold their Christmas party, Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jack Chamberlain Sr.

The Chancel Choir will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday for their regular choir practice session.

The All-Church Christmas party will be held Thursday, December 19th at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This party is sponsored by the Christian Men's Fellowship Bible Class and is planned by the Department of Membership Cultivation. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pool are co-chairmen.

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