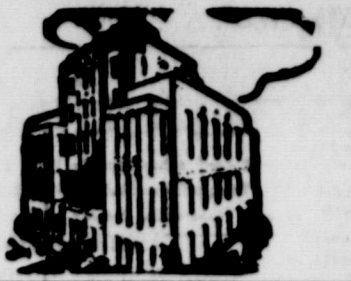




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Grid Banquet Monday to Honor Mavericks

City's Population Tops 5,000 Mark In Past Year

MOORE about... EASTLAND by Virgil E. Moore

Five-year-old Susan Guess was eating out with her father, Norman Guess the other day, and Norman was trying to correct her manners somewhere between a bite of steak and a spoonful of mashed potatoes. "Susan," Norman said, "you shouldn't talk with your mouth full."

H. P. Pentecost reached the 84-year-old mark Thursday. Mr. Penny, as we like to call him, was honored Thursday night by members of the Masonic Lodge. He was asked to open the Lodge's meeting.

Mr. Pentecost is another one of our outstanding citizens. It would be mighty hard for some of you younger fellows to keep up with one of his full days.

Marshall Formby, a true friend of Eastland County, is already active in his campaign to gain the governor's seat in 1960. As State Highway Commission chairman, he has visited this county on several occasions. We feel that in Formby, this state will have its best governor in many, many years.

Credit Gene (Dusty) Rhodes with an outstanding job. Rhodes, at the last count, had sold 51 tickets to the football banquet which comes off Monday night. It takes men like Gene to put over the outstanding banquet each year, and certainly they deserve a little credit now and then.

David Fry, the banker fellow, jumped us out the other day about our editorial suggesting that the United Fund thermometer on the square be pushed up to show the goal was exceeded. David suggested that if we thought the mercury should be pushed up, we should just suggest it to someone orally, or better still, he said, "do it yourself."

We explained, as best we could, to Dave, that if we solved all of our crusades before we started them, we never would have anything to write about.

Eastland really got a lot of good publicity this week when the Associated Press carried a picture of Mrs. Don Kincaid "of Eastland," the Texas Turkey Queen. We spotted the picture in several metropolitan papers, including the Fort Worth Star Telegram, where it appeared on the front page.

Pat's husband is one of the members of the Kincaid family who own Kincaid Feed and Turkey Hatchery here. The Kincaids have put Eastland County on the map with their turkey operation. Mr. and Mrs. Kincaid were in Des Moines, Iowa to attend the national turkey meet.

Quote from The Cisco Press. "After the Stamford tourney, the favorites will open the 7-AA face in the Community Gym on Jan. 13 with Eastland. The Mavericks defeated the Mavericks 45 to 29 in the finals of the Cross Plains tournament and the Lobos will probably open the chase with a victory." (Continued on Page 3)

FREYSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY presents the **WEATHER NEWS**

High 41, Low 14, Rain 0, Total Rain for Jan. Trace, Avg. Rain in Jan. 1.37, Total Rain for Year 22, Forecast - Warming Temperatures

Records Reflect Growth

Eastland's population rose to an estimated 5,029 during the past year, a check of utility connections here reveals.

The figure was arrived at by adding active gas, electric and water connections, dividing by three, then multiplying by 3 1/2, the figure which is used nationally as the average sized family.

Lone Star Gas Co. connections were listed at 1,408 by Arthur Goldston, Eastland manager. Frank Sayre, district manager of Texas Electric Service Co., said his firm has 1,470 connections here and the City of Eastland has 1,432 active water connections, Jimmy Young, manager, reports.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. made the largest gain in connections during the year (Telephone figures are not used in the average because more than one connection per home is common). W. H. McAnally, manager, said 1942 phones are now in use here. That is an increase of 91 units in the past 12 months.

Fumarin Now Used In County Rat Control

Fumarin — new anti-coagulant material is being used in the current Farm Bureau rat control campaign over the county, according to John Love of the Cheney Community, president of the sponsoring organization.

Tests have indicated the gain in popularity of the new material over Warfarin, earliest anti-coagulant material used in rodent control campaigns, Love said. Fumarin like Warfarin, thins the blood down to the extent that the red blood cells collapse and hemorrhage starts somewhere in the body either internal or external. This bleeding does not stop until death occurs.

Fumarin—in the current campaign—is mixed with whole ground corn, powdered sugar, oatmeal and peanut oil. The last ingredient—peanut oil, has been proven through tests to be an efficient rat bait ingredient. Fumarin is not only replacing Warfarin but the other old rat-icides such as strychnine, barium carbonate, red squill and others, it was said.

Rats, mice and other rodents must consume a small portion of the bait material each day for several days Love said. To eat a large amount at one time and no more will not likely harm the animal. (Continued On Page Two)

Tanner Named Brotherhood Week Chairman

H. J. Tanner, Chamber of Commerce manager, has been appointed brotherhood chairman for Eastland by Lloyd Evans, program director, of the Southwestern Division of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

This year's Brotherhood Week will be observed from Feb. 15-22. Tanner stated that arrangements were being made for a joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions Clubs and also an assembly meeting for High School and Junior High School students, to be held in the High School auditorium during Brotherhood Week. Three leading clergymen representing the Catholic, Jewish and Protestant faiths from Fort Worth, will be in Eastland during Brotherhood Week, at which time they will address the luncheon club meeting and the assembly.

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THE HONOREES—Here is the team many local football fans call the "toughest squad" from left to right, are Charles Chaney, Rodger Taylor, Jerry Chaney, John Stroud, Mickey Garner, James McElreath, Don Hazard and Larry Hollis. Second row, Perry Miller, Marvin Agnew, Philip Lewis, Gary Lusk, Billy Don Turner, Denny Dukes, Mike Manning and Clarence Mayers. Third row, Coach Jon Tate, Stanley Reed, Mike Lisenbee, Don Hull, Knicky Arther, Clint Humphreys, Charles Martin and Coach Carrol Shelton. (Photo by Capps).

AD VALOREM PAYMENTS HIGH, HOWEVER Poll Tax Sales Lag In Off Election Year

Poll tax sales in Eastland County are lagging, County Tax Assessor J. C. Allison revealed Saturday.

While poll tax sales are behind, collection of ad valorem taxes are being made at a record rate, however. Allison said that so far 84 per cent of current taxes have been collected, and tax payments will not be penalized until the end of this month.

An estimated 400 poll tax slips have been issued in the county so far this year, Allison estimated.

That is far below normal, despite the fact this is a so-called "off year."

The price tag on the "voting" tax remains the same this year, \$1.75. The tax may be paid in the Tax Collector's office in the courthouse in Eastland, at May Insurance Agency in Ranger, at the Cisco chamber of commerce office, at E. E. Todd Store in Gorman or at Jenkin's Insurance Agency in Rising Star.

Overage exemptions are not required in this county because the population of the major cities does not exceed 10,000. Twenty-one year olds must obtain exemption slips, however. Persons who became 60 years of age before Jan. 1 of this year, or became 21 years old after Jan. 1, 1958, or will be come 21 years old 30 days prior to an election, are entitled to an exemption.

New automobile license plates will go on sale in the county, at the courthouse, and sub stations listed above, Feb. 1. The plates will be white this year with black numerals. The county prefix will again be DL and DK.

When buying new license plates, the owner of the car must show their title or certificate and last year's receipt.

Registration of vehicles in Eastland County usually totals between 12,000 and 13,000.

The chart below shows what it will cost you this year to license your car. The cost, of course, depends on the weight of your vehicle.

Table with 2 columns: Vehicle weight and License cost. 1,600 - \$4.93, 1,700 - 5.25, 1,800 - 5.54, 1,900 - 5.85, 2,000 - 6.16, 2,100 - 6.47, 2,200 - 6.78, 2,300 - 7.09, 2,400 - 7.40, 2,500 - 7.71, 2,600 - 8.02, 2,700 - 8.33, 2,800 - 8.64, 2,900 - 8.95, 3,000 - 9.26, 3,100 - 9.57, 3,200 - 9.88, 3,300 - 10.19

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Scout Assembly Is Set In Cisco

Local Boy Scout leaders are planning to attend the Scouters' Assembly for roundtable program meetings, set in the First Presbyterian Church in Cisco this Monday with a dinner beginning at 7 p.m.

Five separate meetings will be held for Cubmasters, Den Mothers, Scoutmasters, Explorer Advisors, assistants, District Committee members and commissioners.

A brief assembly will be held in the church, located at 500 West 6th St., following the "dutch" dinner.

Each person attending is urged to bring the current quarterly, to wear a uniform (if possible), and to be ready to present program ideas.

The unit having the largest number of adults present will hold the flag during the coming month, and the unit holding the flag the most during the year will get to keep it.

Planning to attend the meeting are Fred Bennett and Allen Rushing of Troop 10; James Twonzen and Ronald Waters, Post 16; H. A. Shockey, commissioner.

Cisco Templar Installation Is Set Tonight

Sir Knight J. C. Garlitz of Dallas, Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas, will be the installing officer for the open installation of officers to be held tonight (Saturday) by the Cisco Commandery No. 47, Knights Templar, at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

Serving as the installing marshal will be Sir Knight Lester Mathis, Captain of the State Champion Drill Team.

Commandery officers to be installed include Frank Hicklin of Ranger, Commander; John W. Moore of Breckenridge, Generalissimo; Aubrey C. Van Hoy of Eastland, Captain General; Barney B. Hoyt of Eastland, Senior Warden; John C. Swinney of Ranger, Junior Warden; George Boyd of Cisco, Perlate; Haywood Cabaness of Cisco, Treasurer; R. E. Grantham of Cisco, Recorder; W. Joe Britton of Cisco, Sword Bearer; W. O. Parr of Gorman, Standard Bearer; E. A. Hatten of Eastland, Warden; Ted Hamilton of Cisco, Sentinel.

GAME PRESERVE MEETING The Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at the Center Point community house.

Carbon Juniors To Present Three Act Play Tuesday

"The Monkey's Uncle," a comedy in three acts, will be presented by the Carbon High School Junior Class Tuesday night in the Carbon auditorium.

The play will begin at 7:45. Tickets are 50c for adults and 25c for students.

Members of the cast are Colleen Campbell, Kenneth Taylor, Annie Mae Stephenson, Lorene Lewis, Linda Johnson, Charles Bryant, Delores Johnson, Linda Eaves, Jerry May, Benny Frasier and Charles Caraway.

Superintendents Attend Austin School Meeting

A group of Eastland County educators returned Friday night from Austin where they attended a three-day conference of the Administrators Advisory Board on Education.

H. R. (Pop) Garrett, county school superintendent, and superintendents from Eastland, Olden, Ranger, Gorman, Rising Star and Desdemona attended.

Wendell Siebert represented Eastland; Travis Hilliard, Olden; G. B. Rush, Ranger; Graydon Raze, Gorman; Sam Jones, Rising Star; and James Williams, Desdemona.

EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK "On The Square" Member F. D. I. C.

Mavs Nip Lions; Test Cisco Next

With seconds left on the scoreboard, Larry Hollis coolly sank two free throws Friday night to give the Eastland Mavericks a revenge 40-39 victory over Dublin's Lions in the last non-district game before the Mavs swing into District 7-AA play next week.

Only 26 seconds were left on the clock when Hollis got his gratis throws to overcome a 38-37 deficit. The contest was close all the way, with the lead changing hands on several occasions.

Tuesday night the Mavs journey to Cisco where they will take on Cisco, the district favorites. Cisco downed strong Avoca 69-53 Friday night to advance to the finals of

E. Brown Will be Speaker

Eastland football fans will take their hats off to the 1958 Maverick gridiron team Monday night at the annual Quarterback Club football banquet.

The banquet, always an outstanding event, promises to be something extra this year. A local boy who made good will return to Eastland as the main speaker. He is Elmer Brown, one of the famous Brown twins who set record upon record while performing for Eastland High School and North Texas State College track teams.

Brown is now Texas Christian University trainer and was head trainer for the United States Olympic track squad in the 1956 games at Melbourne. He is also past president of the National Trainers Association and toured with the Air Force in Europe this summer.

Brown is acclaimed for "knowing training methods of all kinds" and is highly sought after for lectures. He is married and has three daughters.

Films of the Cotton Bowl game, which ended in a 0-0 deadlock between TCU and the Air Force Academy, will be shown by Brown, and other entertainment is also planned.

Wendell Siebert, superintendent of Eastland schools, will serve as master of ceremonies.

Members of the surprisingly strong 1958 Maverick team and Junior High School gridriders will be honored, along with members of the coaching staff, including head coach Carrol Shelton, assistants Jon Tate and Bennett Ragsdale, and Junior High coach Joe Ingram.

New officers will also be installed at the meeting. Dr. Fehrman Lund will be incoming president. Other new officers are Gordon Smith, vice president; Charles Freyschlag, secretary-treasurer; and Buddy Haun and Gene Rhodes, directors.

Outgoing officers are James Smith, president; J. E. (Tip) Arther, vice president; and Virgil Moore, secretary-treasurer.

For the second consecutive year, the banquet will be open to both women and men. Previous banquets have been stag affairs.

The banquet will be held in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church beginning at 7:30. Members of the WSCS, under the direction of Mrs. Jim Horton, will prepare the dinner.

Wells Dalton served as ticket committee chairman; James Reid headed the entertainment and decorating committee; Coach Shelton was chairman of the speakers committee chairman; James Reid headed the food committee.

Tickets to the banquet can be purchased at the Corner Drug, Eastland Telegram, High School business office, or from Tip Arner, Henry Fullman, Gene Rhodes, Dr. Lund, J. D. Earley, Milton Underwood, George Ford, Jim Smith, Gordon Smith, Willie Speaker or Wells Dalton.

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Gas Taxes Total Over Three Million

DALLAS — Somewhere in Texas this Monday, a gasoline pump meter will spin to the figure that will bring to \$3,777,000 the amount collected in gasoline taxes so far in 1959. This is as much in five days as Texas motorists used to pay in gasoline tax in a whole year.

This was noted today by Charles W. Alcorn, president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, in commenting on present estimates that car owners of this state will pay a total of \$280 million in taxes on gasoline in 1959, including \$105 million under the three cent federal tax.

Alcorn pointed out, however, that if Congress this year enacts the \$900 million a year increase in the federal gasoline tax, as proposed recently in Washington, Texas car owners will be paying an additional \$53 million a year.

Already, with Texas' state tax of five cents a gallon and the three cent federal tax, motorists here are paying eight cents in tax on each gallon, the equivalent of a 38 per cent sales tax on gasoline.

In terms of revenue, Alcorn noted, Texas car owners are now paying this tax to the tune of \$1,000,000 every 31 hours, or as much within five days as Texas' original one cent gasoline tax yielded in a whole year following its enactment in 1923.

Mrs. Dabbs—

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Hospital. She was 53.
The Rev. Jack Barker, pastor of the First Christian Church, will officiate.
Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery.

A former resident of Ranger, Mrs. Dabbs had lived at Cisco for the last one and one-half years. She had been hospitalized for about two weeks.

Mrs. Dabbs was born Thelma Mae Bingham Aug. 13, 1905 at Ottawa, Kan. She was married to O. D. Dabbs Nov. 27, 1925 at Ottawa.

She was a member of the First Christian Church here.
Survivors are her husband; two sons, James W. of Cisco and Richard E. of Midland; one daughter, Mrs. B. O. Edwards of Cisco; and six grandchildren.

John M. Kindie Named Lone Star Vice President

John M. Kindie, 33 years to the day after joining Lone Star Gas Company, has been named vice president in charge of Transmission for Lone Star Gas Company, and vice president and director of Lone Star Producing Company.

Kindie's new duties, effective Jan. 1, followed election by the Company's executive board. He succeeds Julian L. Foster who retired Dec. 31 under the Company's retirement program.

The new officer has served as superintendent of operations in the Transmission Division and Gas Supply Division of Lone Star Gas Company and Lone Star Producing Company since 1954. Prior to that he was superintendent of the Gasoline Department of Lone Star Gas Company and Lone Star Producing Company.

Joining Lone Star in January, 1926, following graduation from Texas A. & M. College, he worked for two years as a chemist at the Company's Petroliia plant before he was named superintendent of that plant.

He moved to Ranger in 1931 as assistant superintendent of the Ranger plant district and took charge of the Company's gasoline plant at Trinidad in 1935.

In 1939 Kindie returned to Ranger as district superintendent and was transferred to Dallas headquarters in December, 1943, as assistant superintendent of gasoline plants. He became super-

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mal.
Bait stations are set up at various places over the county for those wishing to participate in the program. Farm Bureau officials and others interested in the campaign are encouraging the general public to take the trouble to put the bait material out now. It is not known what the winter build-up of rats will do to feed and crops next spring.

intendent of plants for the system in 1950, and four years later became superintendent of operations. Kindie is a native of McKinney, and was married to the former Helen Callaway of Ranger, who died in 1958. Their two children are John M. Kindie Jr., 22, a student at the University of Texas, and Mary, 15.

Mrs. N. J. Terry Dies Saturday; Services Set

Mrs. N. J. Terry, 84, a former Ranger resident, died at 2 p.m. Saturday in Eldorado, Ark., following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. in Killingsworth Chapel with the Rev. Livedy Brown, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Pioneer Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

A member of the Methodist Church, Mrs. Terry was making her home with her daughter, Mrs. O. B. Denney and husband, in Eldorado.

A resident of Ranger for about 57 years, she came to Ranger in 1900 with her husband, the late Dr. N. J. Terry, a pioneer doctor. She moved to Eldorado to stay with her daughter about two years ago.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. O. B. Denney of Eldorado; and two sons, Jack Terry of Houston and Joe Terry of Paris.

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EASTLAND TELEGRAM

Church of Christ Otta Johnson, minister

Greater work is being planned for the work of the church during this year. Several committees will be formed to expedite the work. A committee composed of the elders, deacons and several business men worked out a new budget for the year and presented it to the church for approval. The church is now supporting a full-time evangelist in Old Mexico in addition to its local work.

The following sermon subjects will be used Sunday: "In the Lord's Vineyard" at 10:20 a. m. and "The Vine and the Branches" at 7 p. m.

A small bulletin board, giving the times of church services, will be installed on the Church lawn within the next few days.

Every member of the church is urged to be in Bible school and Church services Sunday. Visitors will be welcomed.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Music Study Club Hears Program On 'Protestant Church Music'

"The Flowering of the Musical Geniuses of English Hymnody" was the theme of the program presented for the members of the Eastland Music Study Club in the Woman's Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. N. Sayre, president, welcomed the members and presided over the meeting with Mrs. Grady Pipkin opening the meeting by reading the "Club Collect."

Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird was leader for the program on "The Flowering of the Musical Geniuses of English Hymnody" from the book, "Patterns of Protestant Church Music" by Stevenson.

Opening the program, Mrs. Kinnaird presented a most interesting paper on Watts, father of English hymns. She also introduced Mr. and Mrs. David Fry who presented the following vocal musical selections, "Jesus Lov-

er of My Soul" by Wesley, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" by Watts, and "I Am Praying for You" by Sankey.

Mrs. E. C. Ragland gave an impressive talk on "The Musical Empire of Lowell Mason," the American hymn writer.

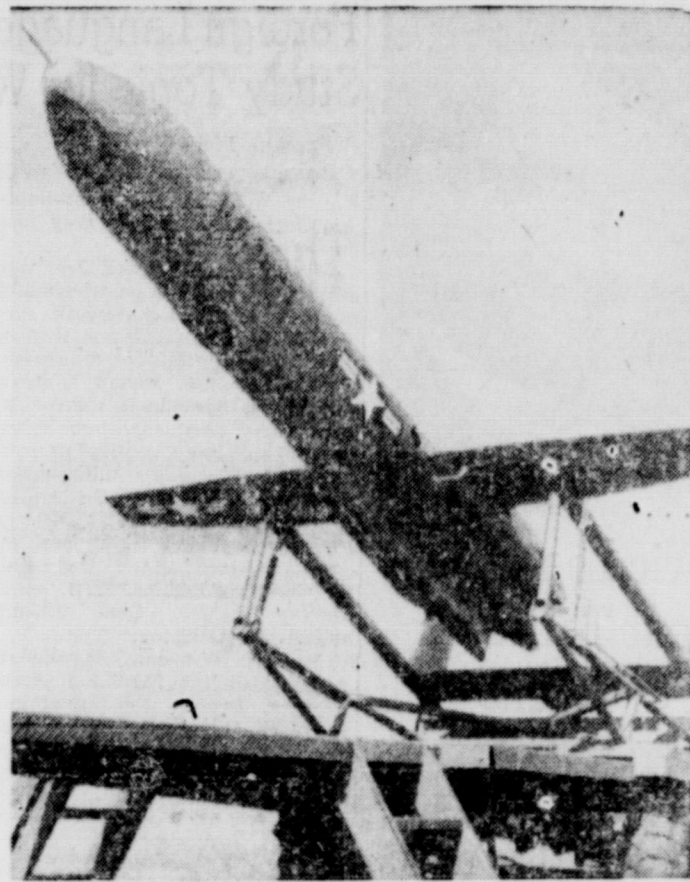
"The Life and the Gospel Hymns of Sankey" was the subject chosen by Mrs. N. N. Rosenquest. She told of Sankey's rich contribution to church music.

The club expressed appreciation for the work of the committee for the annual Christmas dinner honoring husbands and guests. Hostesses for the dinner were Meses. A. D. Dabney, Grady Pipkin, J. H. Lee, David Fry, Griffin Hart and Joseph M. Parkins.

Mrs. Sayre, while presiding over the short business meeting, named Meses. A. D. Dabney, R. L. Carpenter and A. H. Johnson as nominating committee.

Mrs. Kinnaird expressed her appreciation to those on the program and announced that the next meeting would be a Federation Day Tea, honoring the district president, Mrs. R. E. Coleman of San Saba.

Members present were Meses. A. B. Dabney, David Fry, H. M. Eiert, D. L. Kinnaird, J. H. Lee, B. W. Patterson, Grady Pipkin, E. C. Ragland, N. N. Rosenquest, F. N. Sayre, A. F. Taylor, Marguerite Welch, D. H. Russell and a guest, David Fry.



ITS NOSE KNOWS—This SD-3 combat surveillance drone, shown at the Army's electronic proving grounds, Fort Huachuca, Ariz., has a nose for military news. The remotely controlled electronic snoop, by means of nose units that are interchangeable, can spy by TV, radar, reception of infrared waves or take photos of territory over which it passes.

VISITING IN MIDLAND

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. (Mac) Titworth spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Dell Taylor. They also visited another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bennett. While visiting, Mr. Titworth underwent an appendectomy in the Midland Memorial Hospital Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends for the kindness shown us during the death of our wife and mother. Especially the ones who sent food, flowers, telephone calls and cards. May God bless each one of you.

J. R. Niver and Family

IN FORT WORTH HOSPITAL
Leonard T. Florence underwent surgery Thursday in the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. He is in room 874.

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by W. H. McAnally, Manager

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Jehovah's Witnesses

Mrs. Zettye Parrack, minister

Harlin C. Mathis of Brooklyn, N. Y., Watchtower Society representative and Circuit Supervisor of Jehovah's Witnesses, Texas Circuit No. 6, will arrive in Eastland Monday, it was announced today by Mrs. Zettye Parrack, presiding minister for the local congregation.

After a week's ministerial training program, Mr. Mathis will address the congregation Saturday night at 8 at the Kingdom Hall, 204 North Dixie Street in Eastland. Sunday at 3:00 p. m. he will speak on the subject, "Is Love Practical Among the Nations in our Time?" The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings, Mrs. Parrack said.

Jehovah's Witnesses announce their regular week's meetings to be held in Eastland at the Kingdom Hall, 204 North Dixie St.

Sunday: 2 p. m. Bible Study using the Watchtower as a textbook. Subject, "Men of Loving-Kindness and the Kingdom".

Tuesday: 7:30 p. m. Theocratic Ministry School; 8:30 p. m. Service Meeting.

Thursday: 8 p. m. Bible Study. Subject, "Foregleams of God's Kingdom".

Also Bible Study at the Service Center in Cisco, 308 West Third Street, Wednesday at 8 p. m. Subject, Foregleams of God's Kingdom.

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First Christian Church

Rev. Ray Heckendorn, pastor

Sunday at 9:45 a. m. when Bible School Classes take up, the Search for the Bible School Sweetheart Contest will begin. There will be classes for all ages and you are invited to share in the search.

At the morning worship service, pastor Ray Heckendorn will speak on the subject, "Is Sincerity Enough for God?" At the Evening Vesper Hour the sermon topic will be, "The Glorious Church." Youth Services will be held in the High School room Sunday evening at 6 with Gracie Tankersley leading the lesson on "The Use and Understanding of the Bible."

Monday the Frisella Group will meet at 9:30 a. m., the Esther Group at 2:30 p. m., and the Lydia Group at 3 p. m. The Rachel Group will meet Wednesday at 9:30 a. m. and the Church Choir will practice Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

You are invited to attend any of the services of the Church. You will receive a warm friendly welcome.

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Eugene H. Surface, Minister

Morning worship at the First Presbyterian Church begins at 11 o'clock. The subject of the Sermon by the Minister is "Fill the Cup Gently". The Scripture Lesson is John 16:1-18, and the Text is John 16:12.

The Sunday Church School meets at 9:45 o'clock.

The Church Session meets at five o'clock, in the Minister's study.

The Women's Association will meet Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, for two hours of special study, followed by a luncheon, at the Church.

The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, Jan. 18, immediately following the morning worship service. Church officers, elders, deacons and trustees will be elected, and mimeographed reports from every department of the work of the church will be distributed.

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Episcopal Church

Rev. W. B. Washington Jr., curate of the First Sunday After Epiphany, 10 Holy Communion and Church School; 9 Holy Communion, Wednesday.

The annual parish meeting and dinner will be held Thursday night, January 15 at the White Elephant, beginning at 7:00 o'clock. This is a very important meeting, and all members of Holy Trinity and their families are urged to attend this meeting.

Plans are being made for the Shrove Tuesday pancake supper, February 10. Consult the parish bulletin for further details.

Y.E.F. will meet Sunday afternoon at 5:30 in the home of Ann Tombs. The meeting will be over by 6:30. All young people of junior high and senior high ages are eligible for membership.

All friends and visitors are cordially invited to attend our services and worship with us at Holy Trinity.

Sgt. Cockrell, Charles Marshall Speak at Alpha Delphin Club

Sgt. C. A. Cockrell Jr. and Charles Marshall were featured as guests speakers when the members of the Alpha Delphin Club met in the Woman's Club Thursday afternoon.

Sgt. Cockrell, a highway patrolman, presented an impressive talk on "Traffic Safety" and the needs of the traffic problem. He stressed the need for state wide program of awareness of public observation of traffic laws and the more rigid enforcement for the punishment of persons disobeying laws. He also stated the need of alertness, courtesy and common sense in driving.

Charles Marshall, superintendent of Eastland schools, spoke on the advantage of driver's education." He stated his opinion that driver's education should be a required subject in the schools.

Both speakers agreed that if the education the drivers have they less the per cent of casualties there will be.

Mrs. Ina Bean, vice-president, presided over the short business meeting after the program was opened with prayer.

First Methodist Church

Rev. James Campbell, pastor

Church School for all ages begins at 9:45. Due to the extremely cold weather last Sunday the building was not warm enough. We shall try to correct that from now on.

The morning worship starts at 10:50. Dr. Allen A. Peacock, Cisco District Superintendent, will deliver the sermon. The choir will represent the anthem "Prayer" by Scholin. The organ music will include "Saint-Saens" "Melodie Religieuse"; "Pastoral" by Delibes and the postlude "Cathedral Echoes" by Asper.

The hour for the evening services through January has been changed to 5:45 starting in the sanctuary with a devotional period by Rev. Campbell which will last till 6:30 when there will be a "sandwich supper" (each one brings his own) in the fellowship hall. Coffee and cocoa will be furnished. The Mission Study on Alaska will follow at 7:45. This promise to be most informative and interesting as the young man who is to bring this part of the program spent three years there and has slides to show along with the talk. He is Morey J. Williams who has recently moved to Eastland with his wife and little daughter and their address is 511 S. Mulberry. There are classes for other groups, Youth, Juniors and Primaries, but for this evening all these with the adult group will meet together, if desired, to hear the talk on Alaska. On Monday evening the Woman's Society of Christian Service will serve the annual Quarter-back Club Banquet in Fellowship Hall.

Tuesday morning at 9:30 the Purton and the Martin Circles will meet in the home of Mrs. Lottie Castleberry. Co-hostesses, Burton Circle, Mrs. C. C. Collins, Mrs. M. L. Kessler, Mrs. R. E. Sikes, Co-hostesses, Martin Circle, Mrs. R. M. Sneed, Mrs. Taylor Smith, Mrs. Russell Hill.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 7:30.



A. C. GREENE "news and nonsense"

Civic League to Hear Talk By A. C. Greene

"News and Nonsense" will be the subject of A. C. Greene, feature editor and amusements editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, when he speaks to Civic League and Garden Club members Wednesday.

The meeting will begin at 3 p.m. in the Woman's Club.

Greene, who edited several service papers during World War II, worked at one time on the Philadelphia Inquirer and Daily News.

A graduate of Abilene Christian College, he also attended Phillips University, Kansas State, and Hardin Simmons University.

He will be introduced by Mrs. Iral Inzer.

Election of officers is scheduled as business of the club. Mrs. A. T. Johnson will preside.

Hostesses will be Mmes. H. T. Weaver, C. G. Stubblefield, Frank Levett, L. E. McGraw, and C. L. Igby.

Foreign Language Missions Is Study Topic for WMS Tuesday

Foreign language mission in California was the topic of study for the W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church Tuesday as they met in the church.

Mrs. M. A. Treadwell Jr. was leader of the program which told of the denominational work carried on through the Home Mission Board among Chinese, Japanese, Spanish, Indian, Italian, Korean and Russian people in California.

To carry on this project there are 35 appointed missionary couples and five single missionaries sent out by the Southern Baptist Convention.

Other members taking part on program were Mmes. Doug Kelly, Clarence Jenkins, J. O. Jolly, Harvey Kimbler, Gene Rhodes and A. G. Goldston.

Mrs. H. W. Sims, president, presided at the regular business meeting. Reports were read and approved. Plans were announced for W. M. U. Focus Week, January 11-16, during which time enlistment and visitation through the circles will be stressed.

Circle meetings for January 13 were announced as follows: Carolyn Bell with Mrs. Howard Upchurch; Kathleen Jones, with Mrs. Frank Lovett; Betty Tennyson with Mrs. Iral Inzer and Eva Nell Kimler with Mrs. Charles Layton.

Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dale Hendricks have announced the arrival of their baby daughter, Kathi Lou. She was born Wednesday morning at 12:39 o'clock in the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman. Kathi Lou weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces.

Mrs. Willie Mae Hendricks of Eastland is the paternal grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patterson of Breckenridge are the maternal grandparents.

Mrs. Ella Garrett of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maness of Carbon are the great-grandparents.

Mildred Diane Moore is the new baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbie Moore of 1103 South Maderia. Mildred Diane was born Thursday morning at 10:34 o'clock in the Ranger General Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and five ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lester Trout of Breckenridge and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore, of Marlin.

Mrs. S. C. Trout of Eastland is Mildred Diane's great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Haun, 204 South Hillcrest, are the parents of a baby boy, Bryan Preston. He was born December 23 in the Ranger General Hospital and weighed six pounds and 11 ounces.

Bryan Preston has one sister, Elizabeth Ann, who is 2 1/2 years old.

Mrs. R. P. Haun Sr. of Coleman is the paternal grandmother. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton of Crosscut.

Mrs. E. K. Thomson of Coleman and W. H. G. Chambers of Mullin are the great grandparents.

Mrs. H. C. Berry Is Hostess to MV Community Club

Mrs. H. C. Berry was hostess to the Morton Valley Community Club in the Morton Valley Club lounge Thursday afternoon.

Plans were made for the "all day affair" and luncheon to be held January 22. They plan to assemble a quilt. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Berry served cookies, coffee and cakes to Mmes. W. Cox, W. J. Graham, H. C. Pounds, E. E. Stoval, C. E. Walton, H. G. White and J. F. Connellee.

Wesleyan Guild To Host District Meeting March 1

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will host the district meeting March 1. The announcement was made at the Guild members met Wednesday evening in the church for their regular session.

Mrs. Charles Marshall presided over the business meeting. Miss Loretta Morris gave the devotional after which Mrs. Harold Durbin introduced the new study, "Middle East Pilgrimage."

Mrs. Joe Stephen discussed the people of these countries, "Along the Line of March," and Mrs. Hubert Jones gave the "Journey Through the Ages," describing the religions of these thirteen countries.

The next meeting will be January 21 when Mrs. Thura Taylor and Miss Morris will bring the program.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday, January 12

3 p.m. — Mrs. Dave Fiensy to host Lydia Group of CWF in her home, 208 Frost.

7:30 p.m. — Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will meet in the Legion Hall for their regular meeting.

7:30 p.m. — Oddfellow Lodge No. 120 will meet in the IOOF Hall for their regular meeting.

7:30 p.m. — Mrs. R. M. Sneed will host the members of the Xi Alpha Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in her home, 503 South Oaklawn. The program will feature a guest speaker.

Tuesday, January 13

7 p.m. — Homemakers Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church to meet with Mrs. Charles Lucas for a covered dish dinner.

7:30 p.m. — Mrs. Virgil Moore will host the members of Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. The program will be presented by Mrs. Moore on "Sculpture and Painting."

7:30 p.m. — IOOF Hall will be the scene of the meeting of the Rebekah Lodge No. 177.

Wednesday, January 14

3 p.m. — Members of the Civic League and Garden Club will meet in the Woman's Club to hear C. A. Greene, reporter of the Abilene-Reporter News, speak on "News and Nonsense."

Thursday, January 15

3:30 p.m. — Members of the Thursday Afternoon Club will meet in the Woman's Club for a program on "Atomic Energy" with Mrs. Tom Wilson as leader. Mrs. Frank Sayre, Mrs. Robert Perkins and Mrs. Larry Kinard will participate on program. The club will also elect officers.

7:30 p.m. — The PTA organization of Olden will meet in the Olden school house for their regular meeting. Gilbert Copeland and the FFA boys will present the program on "You Can't Buy Safety with Money."

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James Meroney, medical
Mrs. Mary Mitchell, medical
Miss Verna Johnson, surgical
Charles Harlow, medical
Mrs. E. J. Capers, surgical
Rudy Torrez, medical
Mrs. J. F. Trott, medical
Buford Webb, medical
Mrs. Charlie Wendt, medical, Cisco

Mrs. Elvis Nelms, surgical
Jim Hallmark, surgical
Doris Perdue, medical
Mrs. Cecelia Haas, medical
Dismissed were Charles Lindey, Mrs. Riley Jones, Mrs. Elsie Shepard, James Jordan and Mrs. Anna Martin.

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

Mrs. C. L. Mitchell, surgical, Olden
Mrs. John Ratliff, medical
Mrs. Elbie Moore, medical
Dismissed were Mrs. Lela Day and Mrs. Ola Justice

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to Dr. Alexander, to minister of the Church of Christ, minister of the First Christian Church, to the women of both churches, Eastland Art Club, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, and all who were so kind and thoughtful to us during the illness and passing of our mother.

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Margaret Town
Ruth Fowlkes
Jean West

Christian Science

How prayer and watchfulness bring freshness and newness into human experience will be a topic presented at Christian Science service Sunday.

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon. Passages to be read from the Bible include the following from Psalms (51:10): "Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me."

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will be read the following (4:17-22): "Simply by asking that we may love God will never make us love Him; but the longing to be better and holier, expressed in daily watchfulness and in striving to assimilate more of the divine character, will mould and fashion us anew, until we awake in His likeness."

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