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## Collie May Enter Senatorial Race

It was reported in Eastland today that Wilbourne B. Collie would likely become a candidate for the State Senate in this 24th senatorial district, opposing Oliver Cunningham, of Abilene, incumbent.

Mr. Collie, when approached about it said he had no announcement to make at this time. "I will state that the people desire some changes in the administration of their affairs in Austin, and I concur in these sentiments. Something has to be done to relieve the people of the burden of exorbitant taxes, and I would be willing to help them do it. The shift should be made to those best able to pay and relieve the burden of wood and cultivator of the soil. Some of these changes could be brought about by refunding to the counties the money expended on state highways and the assumption by the state of outstanding county bonds on such roads, and it could be financed by a portion of the gasoline tax; the assumption of homesteads from taxation up to a reasonable amount of valuation; the passage of an income tax law."

Regulating public utilities is another thing Collie strongly urges as a necessity; he would endeavor to abolish some of the "boards" down in Austin which he says would be a "plank" in his platform should he be a candidate; he favors consolidating all offices, bureaus and commissions

## Ex-Service Men To Hold Rally Monday, March 7

A call has been issued to ex-service men to attend a rally of the Dulin Daniels Post No. 70 of the American Legion at the Eastland Elk's Club building Monday night, March 7, at 7:30 p. m. Following is the call as issued:

To all ex-service men:

All ex-service men are invited and urged to attend the big rally of the Dulin Daniels Post No. 70 of the American Legion at the Elk's Club room in Eastland, Texas, on Monday night, March 7, 1932, at 7:30 p. m.

A very interesting program is being arranged and the payment of the other half of the bonus money will be fully discussed at this meeting. Are you in favor of this money being paid now? Come out and give your views.

Remember that this is an open house to all ex-service men and you are entitled to sit in on this meeting regardless of your ever being a member of the American Legion.

"Coffee and doughnuts will be served to the crowd in Army style."

Legion Committee.

## Wilbourne B. Collie



Eastland attorney who is being urged to run for State Senator from this, the 24th senatorial district.

## Eastland Mayor's Proclamation Issued For March

Mayor McCullough of Eastland this week issued a proclamation calling upon the people of Eastland to observe the present month as a special time to put the unemployed to work. Following is the proclamation:

Responding to the general urge that our people join in an effort to engage the unemployed and put to work the hoarded wealth of the country, I as the Mayor of the City of Eastland hereby proclaim the month of March as the time for all persons to take part in the "War of Depression"; and to that end, seek opportunities and means for giving some unemployed person or persons work to do, at a reasonable wage; further, to bring back to our citizenship the psychology of healthy business and a better outlook for the future.

M. McCullough, Sr., Mayor, City of Eastland.

## Taxpayers Meet At 2 P. M. Today

The Eastland County Taxpayers' Association will meet at the courthouse in Eastland this (Friday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, according to an announcement made at a meeting of the body here last Friday.

At last Friday's meeting resolutions setting out the aims and purposes of the organization were passed. These were published last week in this newspaper. At the meeting to be held today the resolutions will be discussed further and many other important matters brought up.

Interest in the work of the association, which is a similar organization to those recently organized in more than 50 counties in Texas and also in other states of the union, is growing rapidly, and the attendance at the meetings is increasing.

## Court of Civil Appeals Report

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals of the 11th supreme judicial district:

Affirmed—The Kansas Life Insurance company vs. First State Bank of Truscott, Knox; The Kansas Life Insurance company vs. First Bank of Truscott, Knox; Texas Electric Service company vs. Mrs. A. L. Clark, Eastland; et al vs. Reversed and Remanded—Roscoe State Bank, Roscoe, garnishee vs. J. M. Radford Grocery company, Taylor; Bob Dodgion, garnishee vs. J. M. Radford Grocery company, Taylor.

Cases Submitted—William Lloyd, executor, et al vs. Roy Day, Stonehall; City of Eastland, et al vs. Briggs Owen, Eastland; G. E. Gulden & Pearl Walden vs. R. B. Locke, et al, Palo Pinto; N. H. Jones, et ux vs. W. C. Bedford, et al, Eastland.

Motions Submitted—N. P. Lee vs. Mutual Protective association, of Texas, appellee's motion for rehearing; Gulf Refining company vs. Hugh Boren, et al, appellant's motion to advance submission; Edgar J. Reed vs. Great American indemnity Co., defendant-in-error's motion to dismiss appeal and strike the transcript from the record; Thomas B. Baldrige, et al vs. David F. Klein, et al, plaintiff-in-error's motion to file supplemental transcript; Rufus Wright vs. D. R. Couch, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing; Jela Waldrip Standard, et al vs. Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co., et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Motions Overruled—A. A. Smith vs. M. L. Watson, defendant-in-error's motion for rehearing; Texas Pacific Railway Co. vs. J. A. Bufkin, appellant's motion for rehearing; Texas Pacific Railway Co. vs. J. A. Bufkin, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Motions Granted—Thomas B. Baldrige, et al vs. David F. Klein, et al, plaintiff-in-error's motion to file supplemental transcript; Gulf Refining company vs. Hugh Boren, et al, appellant's motion to advance submission.

Cases to be Submitted March 4—Earn T. Connelley et al vs. Magnolia Petroleum company, Eastland; U. C. Harwell vs. Howard Reed, Taylor; C. R. Pope vs. S. H. Wheatley, Taylor; J. T. Richardson vs. The State of Texas, Baylor.

## Ranger Youth Is Killed By Auto

O. H. Simpson, about 15 years old, of Ranger, was run over by a car and killed about 8 o'clock Saturday night. The body was not at first identified, but his name was found in his coat and his parents notified.

L. R. Jay, who resides at 1219 Spring road, Ranger, was going to town when he found the body of Simpson lying near the curb on Young street. He immediately notified Chief of Police Jim Ingram, who called Justice of the Peace McFatter. A verdict of death by an automobile was rendered.

Later in the night Leon Stroud, who drives a car for Dr. Bob Hodges, went to the police station and told the chief of police that he had run over the boy. He said in his statement, according to police, that he was so frightened when his car struck the boy that he drove into town. As soon as he had time to think, he told police, he went to the police station and told officers that he had run over the boy.

He was locked up in the city jail on charges of negligent homicide and his bond was set by Justice of the Peace McFatter at \$500. He is to be bound over for the grand jury, which will meet sometime in March. He had not made bond Saturday night.

## W. V. Tunncliff Is New Manager For L. C. Burr Co.

W. V. Tunncliff of Breckenridge has succeeded B. D. Gates as manager of L. C. Burr & Company's Eastland store and with his family, which includes his wife and a baby boy, has moved to Eastland, and are residing at 1306 South Seaman street. Mr. Tunncliff first of this month took charge of the store.

Mr. Gates, who had been Eastland manager of the Burr store for almost a year, went to Temple, where he will be manager of the L. C. Burr & Company store. His family has not gone, but expects to leave some time soon.

Mr. Tunncliff formerly was assistant manager of L. C. Burr & Company's store at Breckenridge and his coming to Eastland means promotion to him. "I am favorably impressed with Eastland and the possibilities of my company's prospective future of the town. Especially do I like the friendliness of the people. I already knew quite a few people here and have met many more," Mr. Tunncliff said.

Mr. Tunncliff stated that there would be no other changes in the personnel of the Eastland store. Present employees other than the manager are Howard Harris, Miss Thelma Wood and Miss Dorothy McCannies.

While Eastland people regretted to see Mr. Gates leave Eastland, they realize he is getting a promotion that he could ill afford to turn down. Also they are glad to have Mr. Tunncliff.

## News of County Rural Schools

The work of inspecting the schools of Eastland county for the distribution of state aid has just been completed. Mr. J. C. Griffin of the state department of education made the inspection of the schools and will recommend to the state board of education the following amounts for the schools listed below:

Yellow Mound No. 1, \$562.00; Flatwoods No. 3, \$744; Kokomo No. 9, \$29; Curtis No. 16, \$201; Long Branch No. 17, \$573; Bluff Branch No. 19, \$416; Elm No. 25, \$455; Grandview No. 27, \$387; Okra No. 30, \$466; New Hope No. 33, \$433; Dathan No. 34, \$284; Romney No. 42, \$695; Pleasant Hill No. 43, \$363; Cook No. 47, \$374; Center Point No. 49, \$370; Mangum No. 53, \$457; Carbon independent district, \$1812; Scranton, \$1608; Pioneer, \$1648. In addition to the above, special aid will be recommended for Gorman and Desdemona. Gorman will get approximately \$500 and Desdemona will get about \$850. Industrial work in some of the rural schools will bring an additional \$150 to the county. The total aid granted when all requirements have been met will amount to nearly \$15,000. This is about \$1,400 in excess of the amount recommended for the county last year. It is not likely that the money will be available for about two months, since the awards must first be approved by the state board of education. Superintendent Marrs has said the grants will be paid in the order in which they are granted and that means that Eastland county will likely have to wait until earlier grants are paid.

The date for giving college entrance examinations for unaffiliated schools has been set for April 27, 28, 29, this year. Examinations will be given at Alameda, Scranton and at Warner Memorial University in Eastland. The opportunity to secure affiliated credits is offered to any high school student taking these examinations. Teachers should talk over the matter with their students and notify the county superintendent of the number desiring to take the examinations.

The spring meeting of the Oil Belt Education association, which met last year in Eastland, meets this year in Sweetwater. The dates are Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12. The Friday evening session will feature Dr. P. W. Horn, president of Texas Technological college of Lubbock in an address at a banquet to be held at the Blue Bonnet Hotel. The general session of the meeting will be held on Saturday morning in the city auditorium Saturday afternoon will be given over to the sectional meetings. Sections are provided for all phases of teaching. The following teachers from Eastland county will appear on the two days programs: Prin. H. B. Brandon of Cisco, Miss Ella Andres of Cisco, Mrs. T. E. Ward of Ranger and County Supt. B. E. McGlamery. A large number of Eastland county teachers are expected to attend the meetings on both days.

## Urges 4 Counties Be Merged In 1

DAINGERFIELD, Texas.—Attorney John M. Henderson, former state senator who says he "made about half enough to pay the taxes" on his 120-acre Morris county farm last year, is leader of a movement to consolidate four East Texas counties in the interest of economy.

The four counties are Franklin, Morris, Titus and camp counties.

"In 1875 Morris county was whittled out of Titus," said Henderson. "About that time another slice was taken from Titus to form Franklin county. A little later, Camp county was formed out of part of Uphur county."

"At that time poor bridges or no bridges at all across Boggy creek made travel between Daingerfield and Mount Pleasant impossible during rainy seasons. The same condition applied to Cypress creek between Daingerfield and Pittsburg."

"Now with a system of roads and use of automobiles making it possible to drive from here to Mount Pleasant in 25 to 30 minutes, the need for a county seat here has been materially reduced. The same thing applies at Pittsburg."

Consolidation of the four counties, Henderson argues, would eliminate:

- Three county clerks
- Three sheriffs
- Three judges
- Three county attorneys
- Three tax collectors
- Three tax assessors
- Three treasurers
- Twelve commissioners.

These reductions, he said, would more than offset the money which would have to be paid for increased number of deputies which would be required in some offices of the consolidated county.

"I imagine the state legislature would have to give its authority to the consolidation," said Henderson. "Then citizens of each county would have to vote their approval of the consolidation, and finally an election would have to determine the location of the county seat."

Some of Henderson's admirers have urged him to run for governor on his economy program but he says he will turn a deaf ear to such proposals.

"I am through with politics, I guess," he said.

## Wool Men Plan Sell Spring Clip

Directors of the Oil Belt Sheep and Goat Raisers association met in the office of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon to discuss plans for the marketing of the wool clip this spring.

The Oil Belt association has had a good record in handling and preparing the wool and mohair for the market and an effort is to be made this year to continue the high standard that has been set, it was said by Ben Whitehouse, secretary of the association.

Notification has been received from San Angelo that a shipment of approximately 3,000 pounds of wool has been sent to Ranger from near Colorado and that other shipments will be sent as soon as clips have been made.

Upon arrival at Ranger the wool will be stored in the building formerly occupied by the Walker-Smith Grocery company, where it will be kept until the shipment is made to the eastern market.

The raisers will be given an advance against their wool and mohair equal to the market price as soon as it is stored in Ranger and the remainder of the money to be obtained from the sale will be allotted as soon as the crop is marketed.

## Fined On Guilty Swindling Plea

C. J. Durgan pleaded guilty to a charge of petty swindling before Justice of the Peace Newman in Eastland Friday and was fined \$5 and costs.

It is alleged that Durgan went to one of the school principals in one of the smaller towns of the county and asked for a list of boys who would likely be interested in subscribing for one of the mechanical magazines. The principal gave him the list and put his own name at the bottom of it. Durgan then went to the boys whose names were on the list and solicited subscriptions, telling them that the school principal had suggested that the reading of the magazine would help them in their school work, it is alleged.

When the school principal denied responsibility, parents of the boys filed charges against Durgan and he was brought before the court. The plaintiffs threatened to file separate charges in each case, but it is understood that Durgan will pay his fine on two counts and that the prosecuting attorney will ask that no further charges be pushed.

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In announcing my candidacy for Sheriff of Eastland County, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 23, I desire to state that I am a native born Texan with many years experience as a peace officer.

I was born in Johnson County 48 years ago and served that county and community as constable and later as sheriff. Since my removal to Eastland County I have continued my work as a peace officer, first as policeman under the late G. E. (Bit) Bedford, and since I have been Police Chief of the City of Cisco.

Having had a great deal of experience as a peace officer, during which time I have made a special study in order to better qualify myself, I feel that I am now in a position to render the people of my county that class of service which they desire. I wish to thank you for any consideration given my claims and promise in advance that if elected, to discharge the duties of Sheriff without fear or favor.

Very truly yours,  
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## Texas May Get 15 Million For Roads

AUSTIN, Mar. 3.—The Texas highway department has been notified that highway construction funds of \$15,000,000 will be advanced to the state under the national emergency employment program. Though the money will not be available then, the highway commission in its meeting Monday and Tuesday will be able to plan the expanded building program which will be made possible.

The scheduled plan of rebuilding the post road from Dallas to San Antonio, cutting 10 miles off the present 80 miles between Austin and San Antonio, and eliminating all railroad grade crossings outside cities, was expected to be one of the first speeded up by the increased financial means for work this year.

The loans will be repayable out of future federal road aid over a 10-year period. Texas previously shared a \$5,000,000 loan, payable by \$1,000,000 a year deductions from its aid for five years. It is now getting nearly \$7,000,000 regular federal aid.

## Murray Rally Is Planned For 19

A state-wide rally of friends of Gov. Murray of Oklahoma for the Democratic presidential nomination will be held here Saturday afternoon, March 19, it was announced today by R. N. Grisham, Eastland attorney and schoolyard friend of "Alfalfa Bill."

"Since the people pay the bills, produce the wealth, do the work and fight the battles, it is high time they were having something to say about who shall be President," Grisham declared.

## Will Open New Cafe On West Side

Nick Yotis and Mike Andrews, formerly of the Club Cafe, are opening up a cafe on the West side of the square in the building recently vacated by W. C. Vickers, jeweler.

The building is being renovated and redecorated inside. New fixtures are in transient from Dallas. Opening date for the new cafe has not been determined, but it will be very soon.

## Former Eastland Judge Is Indicted

BRECKENRIDGE, Mar. 3.—Tom B. Ridgell, former associate justice of the Eastland Court of Civil Appeals and once mayor of Breckenridge, will go to trial March 21 on an indictment charging attempted arson. He was indicted Thursday by a grand jury here.

One count in the indictment alleged Ridgell "aided" and another that he "counseled" another person in an attempt last December to burn a building owned by the Burch Investment company.

Ridgell's attorney, in a statement, asked the public to withhold judgment, pointing out that an indictment is no indication of guilt. He was released under \$1,000 bail.

Ridgell was appointed by Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson to the Eastland court when it was created in 1925. After serving one term he was defeated for re-election.

On Dec. 19, employees of a dry goods store in the building, coming to work, found a window had been removed from a skylight, that an inflammable liquid had been poured on coats hanging on a rack and that a saturated wick extended from the rack through the window and out upon the roof. The wick had not been lighted.

## Eastland Man Is Injured By Auto

W. R. Duncann, 43, was killed and J. E. Dillard of Breckenridge and L. L. Hooker of Eastland were injured in an automobile accident on the Eastland-Breckenridge highway Friday night.

Lester Hooker, who is reported near death as a result of the accident, is well known in Eastland. He was formerly in the hardware department of Wolf's and has been connected with most of the leading hardware stores in the county.

He is the son of W. B. Hooker of Gorman and was raised there.

The car driven by Hooker is reported to have struck a mule led by Duncann, causing the accident.

Hooker, according to latest reports, continued to improve. He recently had moved to Breckenridge.

## Machines Bring Big Tax Revenue

AUSTIN, Mar. 3.—The "ball in the hole" amusement machines that have mushroomed into hotel lobbies, drug stores and food shops have started a substantial flow of money toward state and county treasuries.

On each of the penny machines, a state tax of \$1 and county tax of 50 cents is collected for a year in advance.

The five-cent machines bear a \$5 state and \$2.50 county tax. If the fad for playing them ends before the year is over, the occupation taxes are paid for a full year just the same.

Apparently there were close to 100 of the devices in operation in Austin, and proportionate numbers in most other cities and towns.

The devices apparently garner a rich return of nickles and pennies. While in constant operation, the one-cent machine would collect about 60 cents an hour, and the larger five-cent machines about \$1.50 an hour.

State Comptroller George M. Sheppard's office has not yet received reports and remittances from county tax collectors since the fad of the slot machines has been in full swing. For last year, the occupation taxes collected by the state on various licensed operations such as this ranged about \$20,000 a month. This appeared certain to be augmented when reports on the new supply of play devices comes in.

Mrs. C. V. Pierce of Lubbock is expected to visit her sister, Mrs. T. J. Haley last of this week.

## W. M. S. of Olden Met Last Monday

The W. M. S. of the Olden Baptist Church met Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the church with well filled baskets, and went from there to the lake near the power plant to spend the day. Immediately upon arrival at the selected place a huge bonfire was built. All gathered around and told jokes and then played games. Memories of childhood days were brought back as we played the games.

At 12 o'clock dinner was spread. Thanks were offered by Mrs. J. A. Spulver, after which each one enjoyed the bountiful feast. After the lunch hour we gathered in a group presided over by the president for a short business session. Motion was made and seconded to buy a history of the W. M. S. of Texas for the past 100 years. This book to be studied soon. Motion was made and seconded to visit the county farm and have a program on the third Monday.

We then stood and sang our closing song, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

There were seventeen present, returning home tired but happy.

LIQUOR Poured Out  
Acting under written order of Hon. George L. Davenport of the 91st district court, the sheriff's department destroyed approximately 250 gallons of whisky.

The whisky was poured into the sewer through one of the lavatories in the courthouse instead of being taken out and publicly destroyed as has been the practice in some previous instances.

The liquor consisted of contraband which had been taken in various raids and the cases have been disposed of and the liquor will not be needed for evidence.

Mrs. O. C. Funderburk left Monday for a visit to her brother, J. J. Strickland in San Antonio this week.

## MAN IS HELD

Ralph Scott of Ranger was charged with possession of a whisky still in Justice Newman's court in Eastland. A small still was on display in Newman's office alleged to have been found in Scott's possession. The arrest was made by W. A. Hammett. Scott was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

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## Warner Memorial University Notes

### Oklahomites Have Party.

An enjoyable evening was spent in the home of Dean and Mrs. E. O. Bailey last Saturday night by the Oklahomites and their honored guests. The evening was spent in passing compliments on Governor Murray and in pulling taffy.

A surprise womanless wedding was a big feature of the evening, the Rev. C. H. Kardatzke officiating. The "newlyweds" were properly "iced" with beans, after which followed a charivari and refreshments. The charming bride, Mr. Lester Crose, was gorgeously arrayed in a perfectly charming lavender dress with a stunning lace hat which was draped very effectively around "her" face. "She" carried a lovely bouquet of onion tops, carrots, and turnip greens. After the ceremony the groom "eloped" by himself. (We don't wonder—he merely looked up and saw what kind of "animal" the person the preacher had tied him to.)

### Students in Debate.

The question for debate in People's meeting Sunday night was Resolved: Young People's association of the church should take up social service." The affirmative

was upheld by Misses Ellen Abernathy and Vera Ferguson; the negative by Miss Nina Mae Williams and Mr. Elmer Kardatzke. This debate was sponsored by the freshman English class of W. M. U. The debate was not judged but was very interesting, nevertheless.

**Flower Garden is Progressing.**  
The flower garden on the south side of the university building is growing nicely. Mrs. McAlister of Gorman and Mrs. Parsons of Eastland have donated plants. Another flower garden is being made on the east side of the dining hall. Sweetpeas have been planted and petunia plants set out in this garden. There will also be a row of chrysanthemums for fall blooming. These gardens are student projects for beautifying the campus. All donations of plants are certainly appreciated.

**Tennis Tournament.**  
Sunburned arms and faces has been the fate of all tennis fans. Why? Because of the tournament. Everybody wants to keep his place and that takes lots of practice. The challenge list has been posted, and everybody is trying to be head of the list.

The object of the tournament is to get the ranking of the players. The tournament includes singles, girls' doubles, boys' doubles and mixed doubles. Challenge lists for the doubles will be posted in the near future.

### Sports.

Last Tuesday night the Stags met Randolph in their third encounter of the season. The game started off with a bang and the Stags had their old fighting spirit up high. The Stags used the famous "air-tight" defense and the Randolph five were bewildered when they attempt to pass through. The final score showed 16 for Warner and 10 for Randolph. Lester Crose was high point man.

This game ended the season for the Stags. They expect to have their banquet soon. Their record for this year is much better than last year's record.

The boys expect to start baseball practice after the first track meet, which is held at Fort Worth on March 12.

### Campus.

A group of W. M. U. students went on a hike Sunday afternoon. Most of the girls reported sore arms as the sun was shining brightly and their arms were not protected from its rays.

Saturday night there seemed to be a good supply of parties in and around W. M. U.

J. W. Greathouse, Nina Mae Williams and Lela Morgan went to Professor Ward's home and enjoyed the evening very much making ice cream and talking.

Then there was a party at Professor Barnett's home for another group of students and teachers who were not included in the "Oklahoma party." This gathering took the form of a presidential party with games and contests to carry out the evening's program.

Everyone enjoyed the evening and had a good time. Popcorn balls were served to the guests. Prizes were offered to those taking first place in the various contests and—we will not disclose who won the hooby prizes. Candy "suckers" were given as favors.

Oh, yes, and we are also thankful that Texas and Ohio were so well represented at the Oklahoma party.

Miss Ruth Bruner spent Saturday night with Miss Irene Smith. Miss Sybil Smith was ill Saturday but was improved Sunday.

Miss Purdie Hagan spent Friday night in Carbon.

Last week was a visiting week for the university with the following persons as visitors:

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mercer from Tacoma, Wash., on their way from an extended trip in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Dooty and daughter from Hanford, Calif., going to Hutchinson, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frazee from Phoenix, Ariz., going to Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen and family were visitors to Miss Nora Ferguson from Porterville, Calif., going to Decatur, Tenn.

The male quartet, Professor Kardatzke, Professor Barker, Lester Crose, and J. V. McAlister, are going to Ballinger, Texas, next Saturday for the services at the Church of God on Sunday. Miss R. B. Smith, Miss Sybil Smith and Mrs. O. H. Kardatzke are going with the quartet.

**Personal Sketch.**  
Who: Arlin Ktahratzke.  
From: Elmore, Ohio.

Standing: Graduated from Elmore high school last year. He is a freshman this year and is vice president of the freshman class.

Description: Arlin "Darling" has red, wavy hair and blue eyes. He is five feet and 10 inches tall and weighs 160 pounds plus, so he says. "He is as stuck up as the freshman's pup 'Eek'."

**Chapel Notes.**  
On Wednesday morning, Feb. 24, Mrs. Mabel Hale spoke to us on "Our Lives." She emphasized the formation of good habits in youth.

Our Friday chapel service was in charge of the sophomore class. They brought to us a fine experimental program.

Miss Nina Smith illustrated dependence on God for strength by the plumb. Lester Crose compared prayer with telegraphy. J. W. Greathouse drew an object lesson of burdens, faith and prayer from the lever. Miss Minnie Brake used a salt shaker to show us how we may keep our balance in Christ.

Mr. Nobles spoke of the square life in Christ. At the beginning of the service Mrs. E. O. Bailey sang a solo.

Dr. Wilson spoke to us on Monday morning on "Then and Now," with reference to the status of the prohibition question. He spoke of the wet propaganda of newspapers which would have us believe that

conditions are worse at present than they were before prohibition.

**NEW SANDWICH SHOP**  
Mrs. Jodo Odum has taken over the Cozy Sandwich Shop in the Texland Hotel building on South Seaman street. She is conducting the business personally and invites her friends and the public in general to patronize the shop.

Judge and Mrs. B. W. Patterson were Cisco visitors Sunday.

T. L. Cooper was in Cisco Monday.

Miss Carl Vesta Smith visited in Cisco last week-end.

Mrs. C. H. Parish of Cisco was a visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Athlynn Looney and Miss Agnes Collins of Cisco were Eastland shoppers Tuesday.

Mrs. B. T. Pettit of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Judge J. E. Hickman.

Mrs. J. Q. Prickett of Cisco was an Eastland visitor Monday.

Miss Lois Vern Pulley of Cisco was a week-end guest of her cousin, Mrs. James Harkrider.

Mrs. Harry Brelsford spent last week-end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner spent last week-end in Pelton visiting Mr. Hamner's mother.

L. H. Flewellen of Ranger was a court house visitor Wednesday.

R. E. Grantham of Cisco was transacting business here Wednesday.

Mrs. L. W. Deaton and Mrs. Thelma Harris are attending a trade show in Fort Worth this week.

## Desdemona

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Henslee drove down to Hamilton on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hendrickson of Morgan Mills, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bruce last week-end.

Miss Minyon Whiteworth returned Saturday from Hamilton where she had been visiting for six weeks with her sister, Mrs. Horace Usery.

Edwin Nabers left a few days ago for McCombs where he is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Seiser, formerly Connie Nabers.

Stylo McIntire of Comanche was the guest of friends and relatives here Friday and Saturday.

A. C. Robert made a business trip to Kilgore the first of the week.

Mrs. Harry Gallaber of Cisco is spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nabers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cutting and their guests, Mr. Van Gilder, returned Wednesday from a three week trip to Corpus Christi and other coast towns.

Mrs. Eva Orney of Cisco came down Monday and stayed a few hours with her sister, Mrs. Roy Ashburn.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Walker returned Friday from Seymour where they were called to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. J. W. Griffin left Thursday for West where she was called on account of the serious illness of her mother.

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon at 2:30 and rendered an excellent missionary program. The subject of the program was "God's Financial Plans for Men and Missions." The program was opened with the song "Jesus Paid It All," after which the leader, Mr. Roy Rushing, gave a few of the current events of our work. Mrs. A. L. Greenhaw read a few scriptures setting forth the idea "Lest We Forget God's Blessings." Mrs. Rushing led the devotional reading II Cor. 8:7,9-6-12, her subject being the "Grace of Liberty." Prayer was led by Rev. Z. C. Chambless. "The Three R's of Tithing" was discussed by Mrs. Chambless. The hymn, "When Baptists All Learn how to Tithe" was sung with spirit and feeling. The playlet, "How Seven Tithers Learned How to Tithe" was rendered by Misses C. R. Henslee, Willis Mathis, P. N. Watts, W. B. Hilliard, C. E. Jones, Joe Gibson and Z. C. Chambless. Mrs. E. J. Morrow gave a reading, "Tithing or Driving a Car" Rev. Chambless spoke briefly on the subject "And Offerings." Closing hymn was "I Gave My Life for Thee." The dismissal prayer was led by Mrs. Greenhaw. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Z. C. Chambless and Misses W. G. Tate, Howard Williams, Willis Mathis, A. L. Greenhaw, R.

N. Watts, C. E. Jones, Roy Rushing, W. B. Hilliard, O. R. Henslee, Joe Gibson and E. J. Morrow. Next week being "The Week of Prayer" for Home Missions we are especially asking every woman in the church to be present. (W. M. S. Reporter)

Mrs. Roy Ashburn and Mrs. I. N. Williams were hopping at Ranger Saturday.

Ed Parks and family and A. B. Henslee and family drove down to Cow Creek cemetery near Dublin and attended the funeral of Johnnie Teague who passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Leon Tarpley at Kilgore Saturday after only a few hours illness of acute indigestion. The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Teague who were residents of Desdemona several years before they moved to west Texas. Johnnie was about 18 years old and had been a pupil in our high school when the family lived here. He was quite a favorite with his classmates all of whom join with hosts of friends in extending sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Barron as corresponding secretary of the Cisco District Methodist Missionary societies made an official visit to the DeLeon Missionary society Monday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. A. Walker.

Mrs. Clifford Acree had as a weekend guest her brother, Mr. Fritchard of Stephenville.

The Methodist Missionary society met at the church Monday afternoon and had a program on Stewardship. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Roy Ashburn who led the devotional. Roll call responses were verses of Scripture. During a short business session the members voted to pay \$5.00 on the insurance which was due on the church and parsonage. There was also a report from the committee in charge of changing the gas stove connections from rubber hose to pipe in order to comply with state fire insurance laws. Mrs. Clifford Acree led the program and gave a modern version of the parable of the talents. She then gave a sketch of John J. Eagen of Atlanta who inherited a fortune and became known as one of the world's most benevolent men living all of the profits of his factories, except a small per cent for charity.

Mrs. Ernie Todd, of Gorman, visited friends here Sunday. She is the demonstrator of the Bass Lark H. D. club.

## WEEKLY CHRONICLE CLASSIFIED Advertisements

Rates—2 cents per word, first insertion, and 1 cent per word for each subsequent and consecutive insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 30 cents. No classified advertisement taken on charge account. Copy for classified advertisements must be in the office not later than Wednesday to insure insertion in current issue

### 13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

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### 9—HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5 room house at 502 South Seaman Street. Call at 105 East Valley.

William Koonce and William Tyler of Rising Star were Eastland visitors Wednesday.  
Rufus Cox of Okra was an Eastland visitor Wednesday.  
Miss Illeen Casbeer of Stephenville was a guest of Misses Rose and Flora Nell Sunday.  
The Civic League will meet Wednesday, March 9, at 3:30, at the club house.  
Mrs. W. A. Loyd of Rising Star was an Eastland visitor Tuesday.  
Mrs. Clifford Henderson of Ranger is a guest of Mrs. Rita Jones this week.

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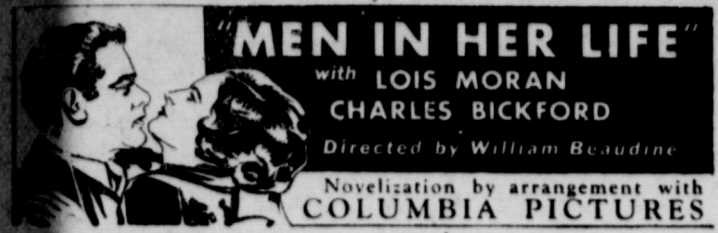
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**WHAT HAS HAPPENED.**  
Julia Casanova, pretty and aristocratic but youthful society girl, after being disappointed in a promise of marriage to Count Ivan Karloff, accepts a post of teaching Flash Madden, retired New York racketeer, the scener of a gentleman. Flash proposes to her only to learn that she has accepted Dick Webster, son of a senator. He does not see her again until she has returned to New York. The interview is interrupted by the arrival of Count Ivan Karloff, who wants to see Julia in private. Flash listens at the door. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"You see, one of your tabloid newspapers wants to print a history of my love life," Count Karloff coolly stated. "Flattering, isn't it? The title is very interesting. 'The Love Life of the Celebrated Count Ivan Karloff.'"

Julia was suddenly pale-stricken. She realized what he was going to say next.

"I'm certain they'll consider your letters to me—rather interesting material. Now on the eve of your

"I should really be more careful with these, just in case something should go wrong." Then he shrewdly threw the letters on the table. "But then, I really don't need them. I can always go to the newspapers with my story."  
"That's right. You could at that—and do just as much damage too. That kinda makes it a one-sided deal doesn't it? Listen, rat! One peep outa you to the newspapers, and you'll go where you won't have to keep kissable."

Ivan pointed a pistol at Flash. "You'll be good enough to put either the letters or the money on the table, please, before you go."

Flash made a move as if to obey. Instead, he turned off the electric switch and the room was in darkness. A struggle ensued. A shot was fired. A minute later Flash was seen to walk calmly out of the room as though nothing had occurred. Count Karloff was dead. Flash



Karloff got the letters and was about to hand them to Flash in exchange for the money.  
(Posed by Charles Bickford and Victor Varcoq.)

marriage, you wouldn't want them published, would you? No. Of course not. So I thought I'd bring them to you as a wedding present."  
"What's the rest of your story? Come on, I'm no fool."  
"I thought if you make me a small loan of, say—twenty-five thousand dollars—"  
"I have no money—" Julia was firm.  
"Oh, I don't need it at once. Tomorrow will do. You can bring it to my hotel."  
"And if I don't—?"

Ivan shrugged his shoulders. "That's entirely up to you. The newspaper will probably insist that I include your letters among the others. They may even force me to write a very spicy chapter about a certain episode on the coast of Normandy—"  
"Now get out," Julia ordered. And Count Karloff bowed himself out, smiling.

The girl returned to Flash as white as chalk, but refused to concede her plight to him. The man knew just what to do, and he did it. He went to Karloff and demanded the letters.  
"Did you bring the required amount?" Karloff asked.  
"Oh, yes." He reached in his pocket. "If I didn't, the trip would have been wasted, wouldn't it?"  
"Naturally," Karloff got the letters and was about to hand them to Flash in exchange for the money.

was arrested, charged with the crime. He refused to talk. Even his lawyer could not make out a case in his favor. No one could understand why Flash Madden had killed the Count. There was no motive as far as the world could learn. Julia, alone, understood. Dick rushed to her apartment as soon as he heard the news and warned her, on account of his father's position and their coming marriage not to let any one know that they were acquainted with Flash Madden.

So the day of the trial arrived with a strong case against Flash and no defense. Everyone thought he was protecting somebody; but who? As far as the world knew there had never been a woman in the man's life.  
The state had rested its case and Blake, lawyer for the defense, arose to put on the defense. There was a tense silence in the court as he addressed the jury.

"My friends, I never came into a court less prepared than I am at this minute. My client has refused to reveal to me, his attorney, the reason for his visit to Karloff. Why has he remained silent all this time? Because Flash Madden is a gentleman, my friends. He is protecting the good name of some woman. Who is that woman and what were her relations with Count Karloff?"  
(To be continued)

### 'The Viking,' Love Drama, Filmed On Arctic Ice Field

Surprisingly few picturegoers are aware of the fact that each year, during the early days in March, a fleet manned by thousands of hard fishermen, embarks from St. John's, Newfoundland, headed for the vast ice-fields off the coast of Labrador, where for weeks they engage in the extremely hazardous business of seal hunting.

No work of fiction has more to offer in the way of romance and adventure than is contained in the chronicle of any one of these annual seal hunts, and it was because of this fact that Varick Frissell, youthful motion picture producer, conceived the idea of bringing to the screens of the world a graphic presentation in both picture and sound of the thrilling and absorbing features of this perilous enterprise.

Only a peculiar miracle of nature makes these hunts commercially possible, and that is that in their yearly northward migration all seals pause off the coast of Labrador to whelp their young. The little known fact is that all of these baby seals, millions of them are born either on March 1, or within two or three days of that date. Thus, for a few weeks, millions of seals are herded close together, and the hunters can well afford to man and equip many sturdy ships to journey "to the ice," usually returning with from twenty to seventy thousand seal skins per vessel, according to the size of the ship and the varying fortunes of the hunt.

It was nothing short of inspiration to provide such an unusual setting for a motion picture, and it should be particularly noted that every scene and sound incorporated in this immensely interesting and unusual production is announced as absolutely authentic. Nothing has been faked or done in miniature. An excellent cast of players recruited from the Broadway stage, including Chas. Starrett, Louise Huntington and Arthur Vinton, portray the principal roles, while Capt. Bob Bartlett, famous Newfoundland sealing skipper, plays himself. The picture was directed by George Melford.

"The Viking," has been scheduled to open at the Connelley Theatre on Sunday, where it will continue for two days.

### 'Arsene Lupin' Clever Mystery Film Here Soon

An auspicious event of the 1932 screen season is the opening Sunday at the Lyric Theatre of "Arsene Lupin," presenting John Barrymore and Lionel Barrymore in the first joint appearance of the celebrated stars in a motion picture. Karen Morley, John Miljan and Tully Marshall have important supporting roles in the production, which was directed by Jack Conway, who last scored with "Paid."

The well-known mystery stories of Maurice Le Blanc which idealize the debonair French thief, Arsene Lupin, supplied the motivation for the first appearance together of the two Barrymore brothers, although the picture is more directly based on the Paris stage success on which Le Blanc collaborated with Francis de Croisset.  
The screen version, which is said to be concerned as much with sophisticated humor as with the unwinding of the clever myster-

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<p><b>BOY'S DRESS SHIRTS</b></p> <p><b>39c</b></p>	<p><b>BOY'S KHAKI PANTS</b></p> <p><b>25c</b></p>	<p><b>50c PRINTS</b> Snappiest Colors, Yard</p> <p><b>15c</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS</b></p> <p><b>\$1.79</b></p>
<p><b>BOY'S DRESS OXFORDS</b></p> <p><b>\$1.45</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S SHORTS</b></p> <p><b>15c</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S RAYON Shorts and Shirts</b></p> <p><b>23c</b></p>	<p><b>Children's Shoes</b> On Table</p> <p><b>45c</b></p>
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<p><b>LADIES RAYON GOWNS</b></p> <p><b>39c</b></p>	<p><b>CHILDREN'S COVERALLS</b></p> <p><b>39c</b></p>	<p><b>LADIES HOUSE DRESSES</b></p> <p><b>39c</b></p>	<p><b>MENS' PANTS</b> Khaki and Powder Blue</p> <p><b>59c</b></p>

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ies perpetuated by the master thief of Paris, also emphasizes the romantic love affair between John Barrymore as the thief and Miss Morley as the police spy who poses as a countess in order to track down the elusive drawing room criminal, but subsequently endangers her reputation in order to protect the charming robber.

What are said to be some of the most expensive settings built at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios were acquired for "Arsene Lupin," whose action takes place largely in those homes, clubs and restaurants of Paris which are representative of the fashionable gatherings of the French metropolis. Of additional interest is a reproduction of the interior of the French police laboratory in which detection of criminals is aided by means of masks which emphasize every feature of a suspect's face and of plaster casts which provide measurements of every part of the body.

The climax of the story takes place in a replica of the famous Louvre Art Gallery of Paris, a reproduction which entailed collection of hundreds of paintings. It is here that John Barrymore effects his master disguise as a flower seller and from which ultimately he makes a sensational escape.

Those in charge of arranging the county agricultural exhibit for the Dallas Fair, announced today that no county exhibit would be placed in the Fat Stock Show at

Fort Worth but that a general exhibit would be sent out.

The reason no exhibit is being sent to represent Eastland county is because of the decision on the part of the Fat Stock Show to have cotton play an important part in the judging. As Eastland county is not a cotton growing county it was decided not to enter a county exhibit.

Baled hay, feed, corn, maize and other grain crops will be featured in the exhibit.

**BUTLER RECOVERS**

Ike Butler, who operates the Gulf Filling Station at the corner of South Seaman and East Olive streets and who has been ill with pneumonia for three or four weeks, is again up and about. Beginning this week-end he will be in charge at his station.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Johnson have returned from a motor trip to El Paso. They were accompanied on the trip by Miss Hallie Simmons of Ranger, who was their guest. Mr. Johnson reports a very pleasant week's trip.

**Hammett Joins Highway Patrol**

Bob Hammett, who, for the past several months, has been county motorcycle officer, has gone to Austin where he will enter the school conducted by the state for training of motorcycle men for positions on the state highway patrol. He expects to be in Austin seven weeks and then be stationed at Mineral Wells.

John A. Caton of Cross Plains was here Wednesday on business. L. R. Pearson of Ranger was transacting business here Wednesday.

**OPENS ELECTRIC SHOP**

V. A. (Pat) Thomas is opening an electric shop on South Seaman street in the Charlotte Hotel building where he will stock a line of electrical supplies and have a well equipped electric work shop.

Mr. Thomas until recently has been with the Prairie Oil & Gas Company and has resided in Eastland for a number of years.

Mrs. Sallie Bishop of Gorman was shopping in Eastland Tuesday.

Mrs. Dave Wolf is in Dallas this week.

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Miss Lillian Williams, Mrs. C. N. Nichols and Miss Rita Trout returned Wednesday night from Dallas, where they attended the Spring Style Show.

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# News From Other Towns and Communities

## Gorman

GORMAN, March 3.—Mrs. Pat Armstrong of Pecos has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Dabney.

Muri E. Pittman returned to San Antonio where he is stationed in the 9th Infantry. He has been home a this furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxey of Eastland and Miss Minnie Dell Rose of Mings spent the week-end with Mrs. Maxey's and Miss Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rose. Mrs. Rose is suffering with a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Allen spent a few days last week in Coleman visiting her sister, Mrs. Cain.

Miss Annie Mae English spent last week in Brownwood with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Ford, Misses Addie Belle Seroggins and La Dona Bradford spent the week-end in Fort Worth and Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Underwood of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Underwood of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Palmer of Indian Mountain were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Underwood and family Sunday.

Miss Wayne McChaven and Mrs. Floy Crenshaw were Ranger visitors last Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Harris spent last Friday in De Leon visiting her aunt, Mrs. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery and children spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Kimble. Mrs. T. L. Gates is visiting Mrs. Shappard in Wichita Falls.

Miss Louisa Belle Morgan spent last week in Dublin with her parents.

Misses Kopp and Harris were Ranger visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Chili" Jones of Gladewater have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. David celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary last Friday, Feb. 26, at their home. Many of their friends called between 2 and 5 o'clock. All of their children were present except one son, W. H., in Independence, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber and Lewis Crossley of Eastland attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. David.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hooker are in Breckenridge with their son Lester, who was seriously injured in an accident last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton F. Moorman and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer of Goree spent the week-end in Gorman with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin, Mrs. Roebor and Mr. and Mrs. M. Martin of Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Hornbuckle of Comanche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Seales.

## Carbon

CARBON, March 3.—Mr. and Mrs. G. Adams of Okra were visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, Friday.

Mrs. Devoe Dover and brother Truman Robinson, were Eastland visitors Saturday.

Miss Esta Lee Morris is visiting her uncle, Dr. W. L. Guy and wife of Dublin.

J. E. Graham, who has recently moved near Eastland, was in Carbon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bray were Eastland visitors last week.

N. C. Morris and wife and Scott Noble and wife and Mrs. Eddie E. Kirk were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Courtney.

Guy Dunnam and family of Eastland were last week-end guests of Mrs. W. T. Stubblefield. Mrs. S. A. Garrett is visiting her son, Judge Garrett and wife of Eastland.

W. J. Greer and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morris of Sidney.

Paul Paulles of Waco was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Devoe Dover.

Carbon Eastern Star Chapter was officially visited last Thursday evening by Mrs. Gertrude Joiner, Deputy Grand Matron of this district. Mrs. Ola Golightly, Miss Inall and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rogers of De Leon Chapter came with Mrs. Joiner. The members present enjoyed a delightful and instructive session. The surprise of the evening came after the chapter closed by presenting Mrs. Sarah C. Reed with a beautiful birthday cake with 82 candles on it. Mrs. Reed is one of the charter members of Carbon O. E. S. which was organized more than twenty years ago, and is still an active member. All present enjoyed the pleasure in which Mrs. Reed displayed in accepting the cake and also in helping her dispose of it.

Clarence Skages and wife have moved to Eastland where he will be in business.

W. F. Gilbert and family of Jayton were week-end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. V. C. Stafford was visiting friends in Stephenville Sunday.

Mrs. P. M. Rhymes was the Friday guest of Mrs. Devoe Dover.

Dan Boatwright and little daughter Snookie and Mrs. T. J. Morris were visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Boatwright in Ranger Thursday.

## Okra

OKRA, March 3.—Rev. Blair held services at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Claborn are here from East Texas for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Claborn.

Seth Flint Maxwell is ill at this time.

Mrs. Herman Haynes and children, Bobbie Lewis and Billie Henry of Hamlin, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. H. D. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford and family visited Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Dingler Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Camp and children of Rising Star visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Milford and family and Mr. and Mrs. Will Medford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Culwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletch Fell of Rising Star Sunday.

Several young people of this community attended a ball game at Pioneer Friday night.

Mrs. Jane Maxwell is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Hollyman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burns.

Mrs. Horace Wado and little daughter, Rhildabeth, and Misses Gladys and Dorothy Dee Maxwell of Lamesa are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Culwell of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. Neely Sunday.

## Mangum

MANGUM, Feb. 3.—Sunday School was not very well attended here Sunday.

There has been quite a lot of sickness in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murnby of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Tucker Friday night.

Mrs. Brady Davis and children are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Abe May has been real sick with appendicitis but is better at this writing.

Clarence Dunn of Hosse visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunn Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McBee and little son George Gilbert of Eastland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Putman Sunday afternoon.

On account of bad weather the 2nd Sunday, we didn't have singing, so they had singing Sunday. There was a large crowd present. We invite this all back next Sunday for preaching and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Tucker, visited Mrs. S. C. Rains Sunday.

Mr. Fuller of Abilene is visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Tucker this week.

R. I. Smith visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Author Brown started to crank a car Saturday and his hand slipped and hit the license plate and cut an artery. The doctor took two stitches. We hope it will be well soon.

Rev. B. P. Clements and wife and Mrs. S. C. Rains made a business trip to Cisco one day last week.

Dewey Tucker was a business visitor in Eastland Monday.

## Grape Vine

GRAPE VINE, Mar. 3.—March greeted us with a shower. We surely are having some nice gardening weather.

The school children are proud of the new croquet set they got this week.

Mrs. Jim Thompson visited Mrs. John Clements Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Calloway of near Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Calloway Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stinebaugh visited relatives near Morton Valley Sunday.

Mrs. N. O. Thompson visited Mrs. Bill Bean Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hensley, were among those who enjoyed the dance at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Besty's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Calloway, Mr. Oscar and Neil Seaborn, Codie Robinson were among those from this community who enjoyed the party at Mr. and Mrs. Ted Calloway's of near Eastland Saturday night.

Mrs. J. M. Mitchell and girls, Billie Faye and Jimmie Mae, visited her parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Seaborn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Norton of Olden visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Tucker was surprised with a birthday supper Monday night, Feb. 29, by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Seaborn, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Calloway.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seaborn and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hensley of Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Calloway and Oscar and Neil Seaborn were among those who enjoyed the party at Mr. and Mrs. Ted Calloway's of near Eastland Saturday night.

## Cook

COOK, March 3.—There is still some sickness in this community this week. Mr. Caleb Hill is seriously ill. Three of his sons and one daughter have come in to be at his bedside. Mrs. Hill also is on the sick list.

B. F. Sandel of Kermit, Texas, is here for a few days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. O. Montgomery. Mrs. Lucille Sandel and son Harold Dan also of Kermit, are visiting her mother and brother, Mrs. Mary White and Howard White this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Townsend Sunday.

Misses Beulah Alma and Lois Walker visited Mrs. Lonella Carmichael Thursday night.

The ladies of the community helped Mrs. Will Moore can a beef Saturday.

G. W. Hunt and Miss Grace Hunt were in Cisco Saturday.

O. D. Carver was in Rising Star on business Saturday.

## Dan Horn

DAN HORN, March 3.—Every one is enjoying the sunshine. Quite a few are gardening.

Mrs. W. M. Weed and Mrs. R. C. Speegle spent Tuesday with Mrs. T. B. Harris.

The musical given by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown Monday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Annie Mae Speegle spent Wednesday night with Miss Bar-

bara Harlow at Scranton.

Mrs. Carl Bailey spent the week-end in the Boland home at Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnhill had as their guest Sunday Mr. Barnhill's mother of Cisco.

Mrs. Carrie Hull is on the sick list.

Mr. Snellgrove of Pleasant Hill will move to our community soon.

Mrs. S. G. Baird is ill at this writing.

## Oak Grove

OAK GROVE, Mar. 3.—Health is good in this community. Many fruit trees are in bloom. The average temperature for February is higher than it has been in more than thirty years. Ice has formed only two or three times during the month.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilson, a boy, Friday, Feb. 26, at the home of the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

The Wilsons live near Eastland. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Rev. H. H. Summers of Abilene, who is pastor of the Baptist church at Long Branch, filled his appointment at that place last Sunday and visited in the home of B. B. Poe and family Sunday afternoon.

Grover L. Putty and Derral Moore of Carbon were Sunday afternoon visitors with Troy Cantelero.

Mrs. J. E. Cannaday and son, Troy B., spent the day Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hastings of Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Almer Lockhart of Pleasant Hill visited in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hastings Monday and little Miss Bettie Gene went home with them for a few days visit.

Miss Ola Lowe of Carbon spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Greer.

## Snakes Inhabit A Man's Grave

That as many as 20 snakes crawled out of the grave of an 82 year old atheist, who died and was buried near Allieane, Ohio,

in 1908, is claimed to be true by the Free Tract Society, which claims to have investigated the curious stories spread throughout the country about "snakes in an atheist's grave."

While living the atheist buried at Alliance declared there was no God and never believed in one. He is quoted as saying before he died: "If there be a God or any truth in the Bible, let my body be inhabited by snakes."

Mrs. J. T. Golden visited her mother in Cisco Monday.

First Church of Christ, St. Lamar and Plummer streets Sunday Service 11 a. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meetings Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Reading room open Tuesday and Fridays 2 to 5 p. m.

Mrs. S. E. Stewart of Abilene, Alabama, is visiting daughter, Mrs. O. H. Dow. Stewart has been in Arizona visiting another daughter and soon return to her home in Alabama.

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<b>POTATOES</b>	SELECTED WHITES	10 lbs.	17c
<b>ORANGES</b>	California Navels Size 200	Dozen	22c
<b>GRAPE FRUIT</b>	Texas Marsh Seedless	6 for	15c
<b>LETTUCE</b>	Hard Crisp Heads	4 1/2c	
<b>TEXAS GREEN BEANS</b>	STRINGLESS	pound	12 1/2c
<b>COMPOUND</b>	8-pound pail	65c	
<b>SUGAR</b>	10-pound Cloth Bag	49c	
<b>FLOUR</b>	"Our Seal" 48 lbs.	89c	
	"White Fawn" 48 lbs.	75c	
<b>CHERRIES</b>	No. 10 Can	58c	
	Redsoor Pitted 2 No. 2 cans	29c	
<b>PINEAPPLE</b>	Libby's Sliced or Crushed	2 No. 2 cans	29c
<b>APRICOTS</b>	Libby's or Delmonte	2 No. 2 cans	35c
<b>CAKE FLOUR</b>	GOLD MEDAL	package	24c
<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b>	HELMET	quart jar	25c
<b>PICKLES</b>	Sweet Mixed	quart jar	21c
<b>Maxwell House COFFEE</b>	1-lb. can	35c	
	3-lb. can	98c	
<b>RICE</b>	Full Head—Bulk	3 pounds	21c
<b>OATS</b>	BUCK-EYE	10 Bars	22c
<b>SOAP</b>	LUNA	5 pound pkg.	16c
<b>Creamery Fancy BUTTER</b>	OR JERSEY GOLD	lb.	25c
<b>SLICED BACON</b>	SWIFT'S	1-pound pkg.	18c
<b>SAUSAGE</b>	PURE PORK	pound	9c
<b>PORK ROAST</b>	CHOICE CUTS	pound	12c
<b>PORK CHOPS</b>	Small Lean Cuts	pound	15c
<b>SEVEN ROAST</b>	Fed Baby Beef	pound	12 1/2c
<b>GROUND MEAT</b>	Hamburger or Veal Loaf Meat	pound	10c
<b>POT ROAST</b>	or STEW MEAT	pound	9c
<b>JOWLS</b>	DRY SALT	pound	7c

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# SOCIETY, CLUB and CHURCH NEWS

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**Boys and Girls World Club Meets**  
The Boys and Girls World Club and Children's World Club met together in the Booster room of the M. E. Church Wednesday afternoon. A number of songs were sung including "America, the Beautiful," "Bring Them In," "When Jesus Was a Baby" and a prayer song. After the songs the groups met in separate sessions.

The primary children, with Mrs. Parker, who told them two stories entitled, "Our Favorite Friend" and "Messenger Boy." Mrs. Stubblefield told the Juniors a story of the sugar beet industry. The Juniors discussed a membership drive and a contest which will begin next Wednesday. All boys and girls between the ages of 9 and 12 are eligible and boys are especially urged to attend the club.

Those attending were Donice Parker, Rose June Stubblefield, Elizabeth Ann Sikes, Oletta King, Julia Parker, Nan Mickle, Ernest Jones, Lewis Barlow, Norma Jean Tucker, Mava Lou Crossley, Elaine Crossley, Barney Bluffner, Thomas Marlow, Wilda Crossley, Billie Kenney, Lou

ise Jones, Bettye Jones and one little visitor, little Billye Beall of San Angelo, and Mmes. Drago, Parker and Stubblefield.

**Surprise Birthday Party Saturday**  
Mrs. Frank V. Williams and Mrs. Jack Campbell entertained honoring their husbands with a surprise birthday party Saturday evening, Feb. 28, at the Williams home on South Seaman street.

The home was beautifully decorated with Japonica and bridal wreath. The honorees were asked to sit in small chairs and the guests formed a circle around them, singing "Happy Birthday to You." The "little boys" received several cunning toys. The entertainment for the evening was a Gypsy murder trial story, written by Mrs. Williams. Those having parts in the trial were Mr. B. W. Patterson, lawyer, and Mr. Carl Springer, the judge; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. R. Owens, Mrs. and Mrs. Don Brewer, Mrs. Brewer playing the old negro mammy to perfection; Mrs. Carl Springer, Bill Herrington, Grady Owens, Mr. Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Layton and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Phillips. Mrs. Phillips was the Gypsy fortune teller. After the trial a salad course consisting of tuna fish salad, cheese wafers, olives, potato chips and coffee was served.

The table was laid with a lace cloth over jade green. A mirror lake outlined in green leaves and holding a pink swan with bridal wreath centered the table. At each end of the table a large white birthday cake with 21 candles in pink was cut by the honorees and passed with pink and white brick cream. During the last course the fortune teller, Mrs. Phillips, told each guest's fortunes, which caused much merriment. The guests departed

wishing each honoree many more happy birthdays.

**Eastern Star Met Tuesday**  
The Order of the Eastern Star met in regular business meeting Tuesday evening with about sixty members and visitors present. Worthy Patron J. A. Kahrs presided during conferring of degrees, after which Mrs. Gertrude Joiner of De Leon, Deputy Grand Matron of this district gave an interesting address regarding changes that had been made in the work and for the good of the order.

Special announcement was made of the study classes which are being held each Friday at 2 p. m. at the Masonic Hall.

Refreshments of ice cream, angel food cake and coffee were served by refreshment committee, Mrs. Jaunita Mackall, Mrs. Ed Graham and Mrs. Ora B. Jones.

**Woodmen Circle Has Meeting**  
Woodmen Circle Grove No. 338 met in regular session Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Each member present showed much enthusiasm. Plans were made for two grove meetings a month and two parties a month. After the business session delightful refreshments were served.

**To Hold Bake Sale**  
The Elizabeth Pettit circle of the Methodist church will hold an Easter bake sale, Saturday, March 26, at the Piggy Wiggy. Dressed hens, pies, cakes, cookies, flowers and candy will be on sale.

**South Ward P. T. A. To Meet**  
The South Ward P. T. A. will meet Tuesday, March 8, at 3:30. A report on the membership drive will be given. The room having the largest attendance of mothers will be awarded \$2.00. This includes new members and those that have paid their dues.

**Hold Open House Wednesday, March 2.**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson, 610 South Seaman street, held open house, Wednesday, March 2, from

three to five-thirty and from seven to eleven-thirty.

From 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock Mrs. J. M. Perkins received guests with the hostess and host, Mrs. W. P. Leslie presided over a lovely hand painted register, gift of Miss Alice Johnson of Cisco. Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite escorted the guests from the register to the care of Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite who favored each with a mammoth jonquil and fern. Mrs. Thomas Haley and Mrs. J. E. Hickman served from a punch bowl of frozen sweet peas and fern. The dining table laid in white lace over pink trimmings for centerpiece held trays of cookies on plates of Dresden and hand painted china. Flowers in profusion throughout the house included peach bloom, syzlamen, begonia and snap dragons in various colors.

Those on the charming program were charming and gracious with response:

Piano (a) Grand Valse Brillante (Chopin); (b) Valse L'Arpeggio (Herman Hahn); Mrs. F. O. Hunter.

Vocal (a) Oh for the Wings of a Swallow (Lahr); (b) Trees (Kilmer); Mrs. Grady Pipkin, accompanied by Mrs. W. T. Root.

Piano (a) Nacik (Morlek); (b) The Warrior Song (Heller); Clara Jane Kimble.

Violin (a) Mazurka (Mlynarski); (b) Elvies Dance (Jenkins); Billy Satterwhite, accompanied by Clara Jane Kimble.

Violin (a) Swallows (Coven); (b) Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring (Mary Dargatz Lake); Mrs. Grady Pipkin accompanied by Mrs. W. T. Root.

Piano (a) Nocturne (Greig); (b) Litz's Transcription of Schumann (Weidmang); (c) Etude (Shynte); Miss Margaret McLaughlin.

Vocal: The Sunshine of Your Smile, Mr. Albie E. Herring, accompanied by Mrs. Albie E. Herring.

Mrs. Ted Ferguson received guests with Mr. and Mrs. Johnson from 7:45 to 11:30 o'clock. Mr. J. M. Perkins presided over the register. Mmes. H. O. Satterwhite and E. C. Satterwhite again assisted with guests and favors. Misses Betty Perkins and Eleanor Ruth Ferguson, were very picturesque in evening frocks at the punch bowl.

Artists for the evening were Miss Wilda Drago of Eastland, violin and her sister, Mrs. Wanda Drago Beall of San Angelo, piano. Miss Drago in peach crepe evening gown with black trim and Mrs. Beall in white satin with sequin scarf were indeed charming.

Guests were enchanted by their interpretation of the following numbers:

Ave Marie (Schubert). Trees (Rasbach). Tambourine (Chinois). Bacarole (Hoffman). Jota (DeSalla). Dew Is Sparkling (Rubenstein). Mrs. Wilda Drago, accompanist. Mrs. Wanda Drago Beall.

Mrs. Beall was also exceedingly gracious in several piano numbers.

The artists were presented with corsages of snap dragons, jonquils and fern.

Registration included the following friends from out-of-town: Mrs. C. H. Poe, Mrs. Alex Spears, Miss Alice Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Kelly, all of Cisco.

About 120 guests enjoyed the delightful affair.

**Entertained With Bridge Party.**

Mrs. Don Parker entertained Friday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock with a bridge party at her home, 809 West Plummer street.

Low score prize, an apron, was awarded Mrs. Roy Allen. High score prize, a wall bracket, went to Mrs. L. A. Cook. Mrs. R. L. Perkins won a box of wash cloths as cut prize.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cherry pie and coffee were served to Mmes. Floyd Nicholson, Guy Patterson, Roy Allen, Veon Howard, V. A. Thomas, Coy Thompson, J. A. Stover, J. L. Winkleman, P. R. Cook, L. Y. Morris, L. J. Summers, Claud Maynard, Joyce of Rising Star, L. A. Cook, R. L.

# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Weekly Chronicle is authorized to make the following announcements subject to action of the Democratic primaries: All announcement fees are payable in advance, and do not include subscription to the paper.

**RATES**

City	\$ 5.00
Precinct	\$10.00
County	\$15.00
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**For COUNTY CLERK:**  
TURNER COLLIE  
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W. C. BEDFORD.  
(Miss) OPAL HUNT.

**For SHERIFF:**  
VIRGE FOSTER  
W. M. (Walter) MILLER.

**For JUDGE 88th DIST. COURT:**  
J. D. BARKER  
B. W. PATTERSON.  
FRANK SPARKS

**For TAX ASSESSOR:**  
T. J. (Tom) HALEY

**For DISTRICT CLERK:**  
P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY.

Perkins, Nicklos, and Misses Lilly Williams, Gretchen Overton, Virginia Stone and hostess, Mrs. Parker.

**Book Club Met With Mrs. Hudson.**

Mrs. Oscar M. Hudson was hostess to the Book club at her home Tuesday afternoon. The book, "Ma Laurie," was reviewed by Mrs. Harry Porter. Mrs. Scott W. Key told the life of the author, Henry Fauconier.

Those present were Mmes. J. M. Armstrong, W. E. Chaney, L. E. Edwards, E. E. Freyschlag, Scott W. Key, Milburn McCarty, Harry Porter, W. T. Root, John Turner, Loftin Witchee, Theodore Ferguson, Miss Jane Angstadt, and Mrs. Hudson.

The club will meet on Wednesdays instead of Tuesday in the future.

Mrs. Scott Key will be hostess to the club on Wednesday afternoon, March 16.

**Recent Bride Complimented With Dinner and Shower.**

Mmes. J. B. Leonard, E. R. Townsend and Milton Lawrence entertained at the Leonard residence in Hillcrest on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock with a dinner and miscellaneous shower, complimenting Mrs. Galand S. Poe. Dinner was served at small tables, arranged in the living room and dining room amid a beautiful spring setting of plum and pear blossoms. A green and white color note was featured in the delicious menu of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, olives, tea, jellied mint salad, brick ice cream and angel food cake. Following dinner, bridge was played at three tables, whose attractive appointments further emphasized the chosen color motif. Chocolate marshmallow and nut candies were served during the games. High score prize, a bright kitchen apron, was awarded Mrs. W. S. Poe and cut prize, a clever set of not holders, went to Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, both of which were later presented the honoree. Consolation, a unique kitchen set, fell to Mrs. Galand S. Poe.

Mrs. J. F. Little then recited an original poem in which she instructed Mrs. Poe to answer a knock at the door. Upon answering the knock the honoree was presented a large tray of beautiful gifts.

The invitation list included Mmes. Jack London, Donald Kinnaird, Joe Bludworth, Joe H. Jones, Allan D. Dabney, Tom Harris, Tom Wynn, W. S. Poe, J. F. Little, Misses Valera Hargus, Elizabeth Day, Martha Frances Thomas, Mmes. G. M. Harris, Charles Harris, honoree, Mrs. Galand S. Poe, and hostesses, Mmes. Leonard, Townsend and Lawrence.

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2 for **5c**

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10 lbs. **49c**

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8-lb. pail **65c**

POTATOES No. 1 Grade  
10 lbs. **17c**

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Lb. **19c**

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Lb. **3c**

Shred'd Wheat  
pkg. **10c**

ORANGES California—Large Size  
Doz. **33c**

Economy Oats  
3 1/2-lb. pkg **12c**

## MEAT SPECIALS

- Sliced Breakfast BACON ..... 15c
- Fancy Beef Round STEAK ..... 17c
- Dry Salt JOWLS ..... 5c
- Seven STEAK or ROAST ..... 12c
- Fancy Cream CHEESE ..... 15c
- Pure Pork SAUSAGE, 100% Pure Pork, 2 lbs. ... 15c
- PORK STEAK ..... 10c

# City Market

- Eggs, fresh country, 2 dozen ... 19c
- Eastland Bread, per loaf ..... 4c
- Pure Pork Sausage, 3 lbs. .... 24c
- Eastland Creamery Butter, lb. ... 23c
- Hens, dressed, per lb. .... 17c
- Fryers, dressed, per lb. .... 23c

## CITY MARKET

PHONE 11



# NEW HAIR DRESSES FOR SPRING

We have obtained from Eastern demonstrators the latest in hair dressing and permanent waving. Also the new method for lengthening eye lashes in 30 minutes

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PHONE 340

### Agricultural Extension News Of Interest to the Farmers

Compiled in the Offices of the County Agent and County Home Demonstration Agent

#### How Can We Be Sure of Our Living On a Farm?

First—Grow a garden. A good garden will furnish most of our food all summer and about half of our food all winter. If we don't grow a real garden we will do without a lot of the best tasting, most healthful food anybody ever ate. You never see a farmer who has a good garden and orchard in the soup line.

Second—Raise some poultry. Who should eat more fresh eggs and fried chicken than our farm families? Where will we get them if we don't raise them? And what can we buy that will take the place of them? It is quite true that poultry products sell very low now but 8 cent eggs are just as good to eat as those that sell for 40 cents per dozen.

Third—Have some pigs. Folks who are doing hard work need good meat to eat. How are we going to have fresh pork, cured pork, canned pork, ham or sausage when we want it and ought to have it, if we don't raise pigs? Fourth—Keep some cows. No woman can cook good meals without milk and butter. No farmer will ever buy all the milk and butter his family should have. The way to have milk and butter is to have cows of our own to supply us the year around.

Nine times out of ten, the farmer who doesn't raise these things hasn't the money to buy them and wouldn't buy them if he had the money. The farmer who raises these things will usually have money to buy anything else he needs. One of the best insurance policies any farmer can have is the garden, the cow, the sow and the chickens.

There is something sadly wrong with the kind of farming that doesn't provide garden, chickens, pigs, cows and fruit to feed the family and furnish something to sell. Our successful farmers—the ones who stay in business—are the ones who first look after the home-grown food supply.

Let's make a factory of our farm, running the year around, turning out something to sell every week. This means making our farming a good business institution.

Wheeler to Terrace Farm  
O. P. Wheeler of Cook community had the county agent on Monday to assist in running terrace lines on the west forty. Where peanuts have been planted on this farm they were strip-

rowed with grain sorghums to prevent the sand from blowing. The old log cabin which Mr. Wheeler built when he first came to this country and in which he raised his family still stands on the farm at the back of a home which he later built. Mrs. Wheeler is a good cook and the things we had for dinner were raised on the farm.

While in Cook community I stopped by and helped Wilburn Curtis run another terrace line, so that his entire farm would be protected by terraces. Cotton planted on his terraces last year made him half a bale per acre. A small orchard has a terrace run through it on the level with a dam at both ends to hold the water in. Fruit trees made a fine vigorous growth last year showing the advantage of the extra water thus provided. Mrs. Curtis had been making cheese, with the help of some of the neighbors. The young son belongs to the Cook 4-H club and is planning a club demonstration of maize grown on subsoiled land.

Noticed lots of small grain sown on peanut land in that section of the county. These people are determined to stop the sand from blowing and build it up again to where it will produce profitable crops.

Federal Crop Production Loan  
A county committee and local committees to handle applications for Government loans for crop production have been selected and are ready to function, just as soon as blanks and final instructions are received from the Dallas loan office. There is a loan committee in each town so that farmer borrowers may make their applications at their customary trading point.

Members of the Mickey Mouse Club who were not present last Saturday missed a good program and a good time. But there will be as good or better program next Saturday, so be on hand and be on time. Membership in the club has now reached the 500 mark and is still growing.

The new serial, "Adventuring With Buffalo Bill," which was to have started this Saturday will not start until next Saturday, due to the fact that the films failed

to arrive. This is a splendid entertaining picture that children especially will like. See the first installment and follow it through.

The state convention of Mickey Mouse Club will meet in San Antonio on August 1. Gov. Ross Sterling will act as master of ceremonies for that convention and thousands of Mickey and Minnie Mice from over the state will be present. The Eastland lodge is entitled to two delegates, a boy and a girl, who may attend with all expenses paid. Also some adult, capable of taking care of the two children, will be sent along to look after them. Who is going to attend that convention from Eastland? The answer depends upon who has the best attendance record and is the greatest worker and booster for the club. Let's get busy children and win this wonderful trip. Ballots will appear in this column next week.

Miss Sarah Williamson, conductress of the club, formally opened the lodge last Saturday. The Mousers stood facing the American flag and pledged their allegiance to it. This was followed by the Mousers singing America in unison. The conducting asked who knew the Club Creed. Many knew it but others did not. The Creed was then read from the membership cards.

Last Saturday's Program  
Reading, "Practicing Times," Dorothy Praty.  
Dancing Number, by Carroll Swearingen.  
Reading, "Gilted," Billy Sue Bender.  
Reading, "Angels," Jackie Ballou.  
Cracker Eating Contest by 3 Girls, won by Gerry Russell.

Nelma Robinson won the girls prize, a Mickey Mouse pillow, and Wood Butler Jr., won the boy's prize, a Mickey Mouse tie and shirt, offered by the theatre management for the boy and girl bringing in the greatest number of new members during the past two weeks.

#### PROFITS DOUBLED

FORT WORTH, March 1.—The Texas Electric Service company more than doubled its 1930 net profits during 1931, a report filed today in the Tarrant county clerk's office revealed.

#### TWO ARE FINED

George Moore and M. R. Fry were charged with violations of the highway regulations in Justice Newman's court in Eastland. They were each fined \$1 and costs.

Miss Leslie Word has as her guest her mother from Ft. Worth this week.

### EASTLAND HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Bob McGlamery, Editor.

#### LOUISE GIBSON

By Hazel Tilley

Mrs. Gibson was born at Anson, Texas. She entered and graduated from grammar and high school at Paducah.

Mrs. Gibson attended the University of Waco and graduated in 1925 and 1926 with A. B. and B. M. Degrees. The following year she taught in the School of Elementary Music at Waco.

In the years 1927 and 1928 Mrs. Gibson taught at Paducah and married Joe A. Gibson in 1928.

She then went to Abilene with her husband and did substitution work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson came to Eastland in the fall of 1928 and we have had them in our school system since.

Mrs. Gibson teaches English in Junior high, also she is sponsoring Music Memory and Choral Singing.

Mrs. Gibson, with her sunny disposition and lovely way has won many many friends and admirers in the school.

#### Some Miscellaneous Data

By S. McDaniel Doss

Particularly applicable to students is this quotation which we found, "Don't seek counsel in cases where the remedy lies in getting down to work."

We're skeptical about this, but anyway one boy, so we're told, was named Santa Claus because he was born on Christmas day.

While reading persons inevitably come across novel facts, for instance, one learns that Garfield had the unique honor of being at the same time a member of the House, a Senator elect, and the Republican nominee for the presidency of the United States.

Note to a certain person: We believe that "the second word in our name answers your question."

Some one gives the suggestion that flowers be purchased for Carl La Claire because of inclement health which has caused a rather lengthy absence. To say that would be an erroneous statement because Carl's newly formed club has kept him busy.

It has been reported that a certain person whose name was mentioned in the "HP and MS Column" was left holding the sack last Saturday night by one of Eastland's most timid souls.

Here's a poem on "Awkwardness," which is too good to pass up:

Awkward, embarrassed, stiff, without the skill,  
Of moving gracefully or standing still.  
One leg, as if suspicious of his brother,  
Desires seems to run away 'tother.

#### CHAPEL NOTES

The Thursday afternoon assembly hour opened with the student body singing in unison "America the Beautiful" and "Reuben and Rachel." Mrs. Beard, our librarian, made a short talk on the rules and regulations of the library. Mr. Palm announced that his two desires were: (1) A perfect attendance for at least one day, and (2) A wish that the students would not forget the li-

brary rules. We should try to help him. He then read the announcements and dismissed the students.

Monday afternoon the students assembled for some brief announcements. Mr. Palm announced the winners of the Lions Club contest. The winners were: first place, Jane Connelley; second place, Martha Agnes Weaver; third place, Hazel Tilley; fourth place, Melrose Henderson. After announcements by some of our faculty members, Mr. Palm told a story in which he stressed obedience, a forgiving spirit, and a firm belief in the greatness of God.

#### OBSERVATIONS

My! There has been lots of discussion as to the authorship of that column "Hits and Misses." I wonder who does write that? I Wanza Thomas says that she will give a dollar to find out who called her Ann Harding. Tsk! Tsk! Wanza, they probably meant it as a compliment.

Hurrah for our debating team. They beat Albany last Tuesday night by a 3-0 decision in both boys and girls debates.

Next week the winning essay of the Lions contest will be published in the High School News.

It is marble time again. All the junior high kids and a lot of the freshmen are playing. One hears continually "Vinks, Innis, Last Lag" and other such expressions.

I wonder why Miss Johnson's room is always so well filled after school about this time every six weeks. Someone has suggested notebooks.

Well, to pull a Ripley, I must stop and study my Public Speaking, Abyssinia (Yes, I have heard that one about "Not if I see you first").

#### SOUTH WARD NEWS

The P. T. A. membership drive is progressing nicely. The pupils are displaying much interest and zeal in competition for the prize of two dollars offered by Mrs. Bender, chairman of the Membership Committee. No room has yet reached 100 per cent.

The county playground ball tournament will be held on the playground at South Ward on Friday, March 11. The grounds will be arranged so that four games may be played at once. Final eliminations for county championship will be made at the time. All teams are busy with strenuous daily practice.

Various programs were arranged for Wednesday, March 2, which was Texas Independence Day. The primary grades observed it with appropriate numbers. The English and History departments also stressed that date.

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### Social News

#### Mrs. Hickman Hostesses

The Circle of the Methodist Woman's Missionary society met at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Hickman. The meeting was opened by the members singing "Faith of Our Fathers" and "Stand Up for Jesus," followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. Talks on the subject of the lesson were given by Mrs. Jack Vaught and Mrs. John Miller. During the business session officers were elected. Refreshments were served to Mrs. J. A. Burke, W. E. Brasher, N. M. Chastain, J. E. Harkrider, Ernest Daniel, Morgan Myers, Robert Ferrell, D. H. High, J. O. Brothers, John Miller, Jack Vaught, Miss Mauvorne Coleman, and hostess, Mrs. Hickman, and co-hostess, Mrs. M. B. Griffin.

#### Members of Little Theatre Met Monday.

Members of the Eastland Little theatre met Monday evening at the home of the president, Judge O. C. Funderburk. It was voted unanimously to continue production of the organization. It was determined that production of the play, "Intimate Strangers," be postponed and a new play be selected for the next offering. One important change in policy was adopted. All membership dues were remitted. It is the plan temporarily to depend entirely on the ticket sales to finance the organization. Anyone desiring to become a member of the Little theatre is requested to notify the secretary, Miss Merle Ticer, giving name, address, experience, if any, in dramatics and also suggest character of work preferred. Mrs. Charles Fagg was elected a member of the board of directors to fill a vacancy. Mrs. Joseph C. Stephen was elected assistant director of publicity.

#### A. F. K. Circle Met Monday Afternoon.

The A. F. K. circle of the Methodist Woman's Missionary society held their monthly social meeting at the home of Mrs. W. B. Collie Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Stephen and Mrs. B. M. Collie acting as co-hostesses. The house was decorated with different hues of fruit blossoms and violets. The meeting opened with a song, "Blest

Mrs. E. H. Varnell of Cisco here Tuesday.

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