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7—SPECIAL NOTICES

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Current Comment

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are office rents and other current expenses, such as car upkeep and operation, that puts money in circulation. Our civic and social affairs come in for consideration, also. Eastland should not let these offices be moved.

Blanton Speaks Against Repeal
Only two of the Texas Congressmen voted against the resolution to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment when it was presented for consideration on the opening day of Congress last week. T. L. Blanton of our district was one and Wright Patman of the Beaumont District was the other. Twenty minutes was allotted to the opponents of the resolution for debate and six minutes of that time was used by members who voted wet. Blanton was allowed two minutes of the fourteen. He quote one paragraph of his speech which defines clearly his position on the question:

"Mr. Speaker, it took over a hundred years for the mothers and fathers of America to banish the saloon. You are proposing here today, in only twenty minutes of debate against it, without a chance of amendment, to legalize the existence of the saloon and undo the work of a hundred years for prohibition. I am not willing to be thus stampeaded. I can yet remember the evils of the saloon."

No Hazing at Baylor
Two students, upperclassmen, were dismissed from Baylor University Monday because of participating in hazing. In speaking to the student body of the incident, President Neff said: "These young men, both of whom were outstanding in the class room as on the athletic field, were held in the highest esteem by all who knew

them and we are compelled to send them home, not in a fit of anger but in the greatest sorrow." Mr. Neff warned that henceforth any students found guilty of hazing would be turned over to authorities for prosecution in the courts, declaring that no amount of social or financial influence, high scholastic rating or any other consideration would matter.

Highway Opened For Traffic

A very much needed highway was officially opened for traffic last Friday afternoon. This was the section of 27 miles of 129 between Rising Star and Brownwood and both towns are rejoicing in its completion. This road opens up an almost direct route through Eastland for the Brownwood people to Fort Worth and Dallas. Several wholesale houses are located at Brownwood and the road will give them an opportunity to broaden their territory. Brownwood has two good colleges and several hospitals that will be more easily reached as a consequence of the completion of this road.

New Cotton Record

Taylor County bids fair to surpass any previous record in the number of bales of cotton produced this year. Already 50,827 bales have been ginned and there is much cotton in the fields yet to be harvested. The banner year for Taylor County was 1925-26, when the total number of bales ginned reached 55,969. It is believed this year's crop will exceed this figure. This bumper crop has, in a large measure, solved the unemployment situation in Taylor County and the bankers report that the farmers have more cash than they have had in years and that they are paying off their debts in a way that was undreamed of a few months ago.

Over 300 Birds at Oil Belt Poultry Show In Ranger

The following is the list of premium winners in the Oil Belt Poultry show, which closed in Ranger Saturday night:

Grand Champions.
Best 20 birds, one variety, one exhibitor—B. C. Townsend, Ranger.
Best champion Utility White Leghorns—B. C. Townsend, Ranger.

Grand champion pen of chickens—T. L. Adams, route No. 3, Ranger.
Grand champion male, Rhode Island Red—T. L. Adams, route No. 3, Ranger.

Grand champion female, Utility White Leghorn—B. C. Townsend, Ranger.
Grand champion pen of turkeys, White Hollands—Alvis Wood, route No. 3, Gorman.

Rhode Island Reds.
Cock—T. L. Adams, route No. 3, Ranger; second, W. R. Bryant, Ranger.

Cockerel—First, T. L. Adams, Ranger; second, Herman Dempsey, Ranger.

Old Pen—First, Alvis Wood, route No. 3, Gorman; second, Norman Richardson, route No. 4, Ranger.

Young Pen—First, T. L. Adams, Ranger; second, Mrs. D. J. Veal, Ranger; third, Clarence Mitchell, Ranger.

Utility Leghorns.
Cockerel—First, Covis Crawley, route 2, Eastland.
Pullet—First, B. C. Townsend, Ranger; second, B. C. Townsend; third, B. C. Townsend.

Young Pen—First, B. C. Townsend, Ranger; second, Clarence Mitchell, Ranger; third, B. C. Townsend.

Utility Leghorns.
Young Pen—First, H. W. Dunlap, route 2, Ranger; second, Henry Dunlap, route 1, Ranger.

Buff Minorca.
Young Pen—First, J. F. Mitchell, Ranger.

Silver-Laced Wyandottes.
Pullet—First, second and third, Mrs. John Tibbels, Ranger.

Light Brahms.
Old Pen—First, W. R. Curry, Olden; second, D. J. Walker, Ranger; third, Clarence Mitchell, Ranger.

Young Pen—First, McCollum, Ranger; second, D. J. Walker, Ranger.

Dark Cornish.
Hen—First and second, Carlos Turner, Eastland.
Pullet—First and second, Carlos Turner, Eastland.

White Orphingtons.
Pullet—First, second and third, Herman Dempsey, Ranger.
Young Pen—First, second and third, Herman Dempsey, Ranger.

Buff Orphingtons.
Cock—First, B. F. Dempsey, Ranger.

Cockerel—First, B. F. Dempsey, Old Pen—First, B. F. Dempsey; second, Ralph Rise, route 2, Ranger; third, B. F. Dempsey.

Young Pen—First, B. F. Dempsey, Ranger; second, Olive Moffett, Ranger; third, H. A. Perry, Eastland.

White Wyandottes.
Pullet—First and second, H. A. Perry, Eastland.
Young Pen—First, Andrew Bruce, Ranger; second, F. C. Williamson, route 3, Eastland.

Barred Rocks.
Hen—First, Joe Calder, Ranger; Hen—First, second and third, Joe Calder, Ranger.
Young Pen—First, A. F. Stevens, Ranger; second, Joe Calder, Ranger.

Fighting Games.
Cock—First, Jack Lee.
Cockerel—First, Jack Lee.
Old Pen—First, Jack Lee.

Fritz.
Cock—First, Clarence Mitchell, Ranger.
Hen—First and second, Clarence Mitchell.

Golden Seabright Bantams.
Old Pen—First, Alvis Wood, route 3, Gorman.
Young Pen—First, Alvis Wood, route 3, Gorman.

Japanese Bantams.
Cock—First, Guy Austin, Cisco.
Hen—First, Guy Austin.
Pullet—First, Guy Austin.

Black Cochon Bantams.
Cockerel—First, Guy Austin, Cisco.
Pullet—First and second, Guy Austin.

Red Game Bantams.
Cock—First, Guy Austin, Cisco.
Hen—First and second, Guy Austin, Cisco.

White Pekin Ducks.
Pair—First, J. B. Robinson, Ranger; second, Maxine Dunkle, Ranger.

Domestic Mallard Ducks.
Young Pen—First and second, J. B. Robinson, Ranger.
Wild Mallard Ducks.
Pair—First, Pete Zeigler, Ranger; second, Olive Moffett, Ranger; third, Norman Richardson, route 4, Ranger.
Toulouse Gesse.
Pair—First, Charles Hodges, Ranger.
Bronze Turkeys.
Hen—First, second and third, Ben Whitehouse, Ranger.
Young Tom—First, second and third, Ben Whitehouse.
Old Trio—First, Ben Whitehouse; second, Nettie Suderth, route 3, Ranger; third, Ralph Hise, route 2, Ranger.
Young Trio—First, Miss Nettie Suderth, Ranger; second, Covis Crawley, Eastland; third, Ben Whitehouse, Ranger.
Naragansett Turkeys.
Young Pen—First, D. Anderson, route 4, Ranger.
White Holland Turkeys.
Old Pen—First, Alvis Wood, route 3, Gorman.

Mattresses. 50 pound cotton mattress. All new materials, special fancy ticks. \$5.00 values. Special price \$3.98. Mickle's.

Saturday, Dec. 17 is second Registration Day at Mickle's. Come in and register for your favorite candidate the 17th. (Adv.)

ELECT OFFICERS

The Eastland Knights of Pythias held their annual election of officers Tuesday with initiatory work to be held postponed until next week.

A purse of \$20 was sent to the Pythian Home at Weatherford as Christmas gift and Artie Liles was elected representative to grand lodge in May, to be held in Austin.

Those elected were: T. J. Powell, chancellor commander; H. C. Davis, vice chancellor commander; Ira L. Hanna, prelate; J. A. Ross, keeper of records and seals; Herbert Reed, master of exchequer; R. L. Slaughter, master of finance; Karl K. White, master of work; B. D. Ferris, master at arms; C. H. Yeager, inner guard; M. Hennessie, outer guard.

Biggest bill of merchandise bought at Mickle's Monday, Dec. 19th and voted will give your favorite contestant a big extra vote. (Adv.)

CISCO BOY ELECTED

AUSTIN, Dec. 8.—The center of the Longhorn football team for 1933 will be its captain. Bill Smith of Cisco had been selected to head the University of Texas football team by unanimous vote. He played on the Cisco high school and Randolph Junior College teams before coming to the University of Texas in 1930.

Double vote day Saturday, Dec. 17. On each purchase you vote they will be counted double for your favorite contestant. (Adv.) Bring your old catalogues and magazines on Dec. 23. They are worth 2000 votes each for your favorite at Mickle's.

Eastland Masons Confer Degree

G. R. Kilpatrick, Worshipful Master of the Cisco lodge, assisted Worshipful Master O. L. Duckett and the Eastland lodge in conferring the Master degree on R. C. Massey at the called meeting held Monday night in the Eastland Masonic Temple. The thirty members present represented Carbon, Cisco, Strawn and Eastland.

A fine report was heard from the Grand lodge, Chapter and Council meeting in Waco last week from Worshipful Master Kilpatrick.

The lodge will hold a stated meeting January 12th, at 8 p. m.

Pocket knives. Make good Christmas present and you will find a fine selection at prices that will please. 39c, 59c, 69c, 89c and 98c. Mickle's.

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SOCIETY, CLUB and CHURCH NEWS

106 East Plummer St., Phone 601

TALAH GROUP PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Talah Group of Camp Fire Girls planned a Christmas party for Friday evening, Dec. 16, at 7:30 o'clock, to be held in the home of Mrs. Hayden Frye, at meeting held in the high school and conducted by Kathleen Cottingham, president.

The girls also decided to decorate coat hangers and sell them, and will also take orders from now on for Christmas candies.

Under the direction of Mrs. Tom Harrell, their guardian, the group will take tests for the honor roll.

Those present: Catherine Uttz, Margaret Frye, Norma Frances Vickers, May Gates, Edith Meek, Helen Butler, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Lurline Brawner, Audrey Faye Taylor, Joyce Newman, Kathleen Cottingham and Mrs. Tom Harrell.

DEATH CANCELS MEETING

Mrs. J. W. Thomas, worthy matron of the Eastland chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, received the sad news of the death of her father, A. M. King of Fairmount, W. Va., who passed away at his home Monday morning, following a slight illness of three weeks.

His wife died four years ago. Of this union was born Mrs. McWilliams and Mrs. Bess Betticord of Fairmount, and Mrs. Thomas of this city.

The aged man had been the last Confederate soldier in his town and county.

The funeral services will be held from the family home in Fairmount, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas has made her home in Eastland many years and the sympathy of friends is extended.

The meeting announced for tonight of the Eastern Star has been cancelled out of respect for Mrs. Thomas, their worthy matron.

INFORMAL CHURCH GATHERINGS

The intensely cold weather interfered with the usual attend-

ance at the meeting of several church societies Monday afternoon.

The Bible class of the Church of Christ members who assembled discussed their Christmas plans, but had no formal lesson. Those present were the president of the class, Mrs. D. L. Childress, and Mmes. Herring, B. E. Roberson, James Graham, A. T. Everett, and Kellett.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Church of God was represented by three or four members who visited Mrs. Eliza Parsons, who has been ill several days. Mrs. J. T. Wilson reported the appreciation of the Warner college of the attendance at the Professor Barnard recital, in college chapel, Monday morning, and announced the date of the next auxiliary meeting for Jan. 8.

The Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church, though small in number in attendance, gained a feast of knowledge from the fine Bible lesson, the last book of Matthew, taught by Rev. O. B. Darby, their pastor.

The next meeting will be a pageant, at 2:45 p. m., in the church, under the direction of Mrs. Marvin Hood, mission leader for the W. M. S. Those present, Mmes. Cecil Nelson, Eugene Tucker, J. P. Truly, Marvin Hood, J. B. Overton, R. L. Young, Carl Springer, W. D. R. Owen, O. A. Cook, O. B. Darby, Mrs. Wawson, a guest from First Christian church, and Rev. O. B. Darby.

ENTERTAIN WITH "42" PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard entertained with four tables of "42" at their home on South Dixie street Friday evening. The house was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors and suitable flowers. Mrs. Beard was assisted by her daughter, Miss Wilma, in serving refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, olives, coffee, baked pudding with whipped cream and Christmas candies to Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Fiensy,

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Maxey, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Duckett, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Annis, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Owen, Misses Rena Page, Mable Hart, Jean Johnston, Wilma Beard, Orville Higgs of Ranger and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Beard.

CANTATA METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

The Eastland Methodist church

will present their Christmas cantata Sunday night, Dec. 18th, at 7:30 o'clock, under direction of Wilda Drago, with Mrs. Joe A. Gibson as accompanist. The cantata "Yule Tide Memories," by Ira B. Wilson, includes the following features: "Praise and Glory," choir and girls chorus. Bethlehem, choir, girls chorus, with interlude, alto

solo, Mrs. Grady Pipkin. "The Shepherd's Vision," choir and girls chorus. "The Midnight Choir," alto solo and obligato, with choir support, Mrs. Pipkin. "The Wise Men," bass solo, John Knox, men's chorus support, with soprano obligato, Mrs. Art H. Johnson, and choir. "The Guiding Star," soprano solo, Mrs. J. B. Leonard, obligato, and women's voices. "Room for Thee," choir, with duet of massed sopranos and altos. Finale. "Hallalulal. Chorus," choir and girls chorus.

The cantata is woven with familiar carols, interlinked with very beautiful numbers and is most effectively presented by the chorus of twenty-five girls in white vestments and who will be seated above the choir in the upper loft.

The ecclesiastical setting of tall candelabra will be used in decoration, and slender pointed cedars will graduate from the apex of choir to the floor.

Support will be given throughout the production by the violin octet under the direction of Wilda Drago; Violin, Margaret Hart, Olga Vaughn, Clara June Kimble, Catherine Carter, Joe Earl Uttz, Evelyn Long, Wilda Drago; piano Mrs. Joe A. Gibson.

Choir, soprano: Misses Mary Carter, Aline Walker, Lillian Thompson, and Mmes. J. B. Leonard, Agnes Harwood Doyle, Art H. Johnson, June Kimble, W. A. Hart, C. C. Robey, R. E. Sikes, L. A. Cook, D. L. Houle, May Harrison, Jep F. Little.

Alto: Mmes. H. O. Satterwhite, F. O. Hunter, Grady Pipkin, T. J. Haley, J. M. Perkins, W. E. Stallter, P. B. Bittle.

Tenor: R. F. Jones, P. B. Bittle, E. R. Trimble, B. M. Collie, June Kimble, A. E. Herring, W. E. Trimble.

Bass: A. C. Simmons, W. C. Campbell, J. M. Knox, F. O. Hunter, T. W. Harrison.

Girls Carollers: Mildred McGlamery, Lurline Brawner, Margaret Frye, Edythe Meek, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Mae Gates, Jean Kitley, Mary Frances Hunter, Myra Lee Parrack, Virginia Stewart, Louise Cook, Catherine Uttz, Clara June Kimble, Olivette Killough, Jane Ferguson, Mary Jane Harrell, Betty Perkins, Carolyn Cox, Kathleen Cottingham, Eleanor Ruth Ferguson, Carolyn Doss and Joe Earl Uttz.

The music of the Methodist church at all seasons has been recognized for its outstanding musicianly beauty and value, under the fine direction of Wilda Drago.

The annual Christmas cantatas has been given to a crowded church for the past several yule tide seasons, and the unusual features offered in connection with the cantata "Yule Tide Memories" will make this an outstanding event in the music and church history of Eastland.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Shur Shot, Ranger and Peters shot gun shells, 12 and 16 gauge are priced at Mickle's sale '32c.

410 shot gun shells can be bought at Mickle's at 53c.

TALAH GROUP PLANS PARTY

The Talah group of Camp Fire Girls plan a pretty little party for Friday night with Lurline Brawner and Margaret Frye hostesses, at the Hayden Fry residence, providing the weather moderates, if not hold, the party will come off next Wednesday night.

Names were exchanged at this meeting for their Christmas gifts, to be hung from a pretty tree on party night.

The girls decided to take orders for decorating coat hangers, and also to collect tinfoil to sell for benefit of their treasury fund.

The next regular meeting will be held in the high school Tuesday. The session of yesterday was held at the home of their guardian, Mrs. Tom Harrell, and conducted by Kathleen Cottingham, president.

Present, Edith Meek, Joyce Newman, Audrey Faye Taylor, Norma F. Vickers, Catherine Uttz, May Gates, Helen Butler, Margaret Frye, Lurline Brawner, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Kathleen Cottingham; Myra Lee Parrack, a guest, and Mrs. Tom Harrell, guardian.

Light globes, size 15, 25, 40, 50 and 60 watt. Frosted globes, excellent quality, 15c values, now 10c at Mickle's.

CLOVER LEAF CLUB CHARMING PARTY

The Clover Leaf club enjoyed a delightful Christmas party Tuesday afternoon at the home of the hostess, Mrs. W. E. Brashier, when four tables were appointed in tally and scorebook poinsetta designs in keeping with the Christmas decorations and the pretty Christmas tree, a central ornament.

At close of bridge, guests and club high score favors, handsome runners for radio and piano, were awarded Mrs. W. J. Peters and Mrs. J. O. Earnest.

A delicious two-course 5 o'clock tea was served of chicken a la king in patties, green bread sandwiches, potato flakes, olives, fruit salad, coffee, and nut bread sandwiches, as last course and red nut cups, candy filled, for plate favors.

Members attending, Mmes. M. C. Hayes, W. J. Peters, J. C. Coffman, Carl Johnson, Carl Garner, V. A. Thomas, Eddy Johnston, and guests, Mmes. D. S. Eubanks, J. D. Blankenship, Ben Hamner, J. O. Earnest, Guy Patterson, Roy L. Allen, Hickman Hankins, Owen Earnest, and Miss Mary Carter.

Flash lights make nice Christmas gifts. They are handy about the house and car. 2 cell flash-lights priced 33c, 42c, 60c, 80c at Mickle's.

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\$1650

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\$395

Top Coats

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D Dresses. High colors are newest. We have just received new shades in gray, blue, gold and lipstick reds **\$4.98**

E Excellent values in warm Blankets. Just the thing to crawl between the icy nights **49c up**

F Fancy Sox for him A gift that is most practical and appreciated **15c up**

G Gloves fit in nicely with your correct attire. These are useful gifts at only **\$1.00 up**

H Hat and Scarf Sets in all colors to match every coat. Also draped turbans in high shades **\$1.00 and \$1.98**

I In our infants department we have just the dress, gown, sweater set or boots for a nice Christmas gift.

J Suede Jackets are the style. Make him happy by surprising him with one of these wonderful coats **\$4.95**

K Knit Sweaters are just the thing to wear under your coat. We have the newest in shades and styles **69c up**

L Lots of bargains for the late Christmas shopper. Be sure to visit the United and see the many wonderful values.

M Men's Shirts This is the gift. What is more pleasing than to find the shirt that just suits you **55c up**

N Neck Ties are essential, so why not select him one of our new Foulards. New in styles and colors **25c up**

O Outings in stripes, plaids and plain colors. Just the thing for a nice pair of warm pajamas or gown **10c**

P Pumps. A nice pump will just fit nicely with your holiday ensemble **\$1.98**

Q QUALITY—We know that we give our customers the best in quality at the right price.

R Rayon Spreads. A gift that will always be useful and appreciated. Shades of blue, rose, lavender and green **98c**

S Shirts and Shorts. New in style and comfortable. Both to match. Per Suit **59c**

T Towel Sets. They are pleasing in design and pleasing to use. Per set **59c**

U Unusual values in Ladies Underwear. We have just the garment to make her happy Christmas morn.

V Very Smart Shoes. They are trimmed and patterned for any costume you might select **\$1.98**

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News Notes From Other Towns and Communities of Eastland County

Gorman

GORMAN—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Layton of Eastland were here Saturday visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Bell of Stamford and John T. Hodges of Seymour were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hodges.

Miss Alva Taylor of Sidney is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wallace are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Parr.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Collie and little son Bobbie of Eastland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrow last Thursday evening.

Mrs. F. S. Perry and children, Vaughn Lowe, Misses Louise and Frances visited friends in Dallas, Saturday.

Bennett McCroan, Misses Mildred McDonald, Ozella Pulley, Ted Lay and Ward were in Ft. Worth Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Blackwell were in Ranger Sunday.

Misses Mary Cockrill and Ted Lay have been the victims of flu this week.

Mrs. Frank Kirk returned Saturday from Austin where she has been visiting her son Webb Ruff and family.

R. B. Love and son Cody have returned from Stamford.

Mrs. H. H. Pullig is recovering from the flu.

Doyle Lee, 15 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jobe, is seriously ill with double pneumonia.

Miss Mary D. Williford, a returned missionary from China, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Y. Dabney, left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Seguin.

Justice of Peace J. H. McDonald of Cisco was here on business Tuesday morning.

Autha Dale Eaker, Frankie and Junie Leazer were in Dallas Monday on business.

Calvin Bender of Fort Worth is here visiting Mrs. W. O. Browning.

Lynn Brewer of Abilene was here last Friday visiting friends.

Check Smith and Homer Abernathy were in Dallas on business last Thursday.

The High School debate teams were organized last week. The following will represent Gorman High School: J. A. Boaz, J. W. Verden, C. B. Hopkins, Harvey Morris, Ruby Lee Creager and Mildred McDonald. Several practice debates have been scheduled.

About four blocks in the business section will be paved. A concrete curb will be run, and after the curbs have been put down a hot top will be put on. This will be part of the work done by the R. F. C.

Staff

STAFF—Allen Crosby and Mrs. Penri Bourland were business visitors in Olden, Tuesday.

Walter Duncan was attending to some business in Olden and Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville and little son Jimmie of Desdemona, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Fonville's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard several days last week.

Union school is progressing nicely under the management of Prof. Carl Elliott of Carbon. We are having one of the best schools this term that has been in the history of the school.

Mrs. Allen Crosby is suffering from an attack of tonsillitis this week. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Hog killing has been the order of the day for the past two weeks.

It seems that winter has come to stay, from the way the weather has been for the past week.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Baptist church, also a program on Christmas eve night. Every one is invited to attend.

There is prayer meeting every Wednesday night at the Baptist church and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

There is preaching every first and third Sunday of each month at the Baptist church. Rev. K. C. Edmonds of Ranger, who is pastor of the church does the preaching.

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anced, smooths, steams, polishes. An excellent Christmas present, and Wednesday, Dec. 21, we will give 25000 extra votes. Regular \$4.50 values now \$3.25. \$2.50 value \$1.69 at Mickle's.

Oak Grove

OAK GROVE—There is not much news to write but the weather and that is enough, for we have not seen the sun in five and a half days, and the wind has blown from the north all but one of these days.

Fine hog killing weather, too. W. M. McMillan of New Hope and his son Edward, were here Tuesday and killed a large one for his mother, Mrs. R. A. McMillan.

Mrs. J. E. Cannaday is confined to her room this week with flu.

Mrs. B. B. Poe and daughter, Cora Lee, have been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Anne Reed of Frederick, Okla., who has been visiting her mother and brothers here, returned home last Monday.

Extra quality single bit chopping axes. Will give good service and they are priced at a real low figure. \$2.25 value now \$1.83; \$1.98 value now \$1.69; \$1.39 value now 98c. Mickle's.

The big sale and voting contest at Mickle's will close Dec. 24th. You still have time to enter and win one of the 12 prizes given free. No lottery. Just highest votes get the prizes. Enter now or help your friend that has already entered. (Adv.)

Draperies, fine silk draperies, 45 inches wide and worth \$2.00 yard. Now 79c yard at Mickle's.

Desdemona

The "21" Study club met Tuesday at the club house which was warm and comfortable, heated by the new wood stove recently purchased. Account of sickness in the families of some of the members and the extreme weather the attendance was not as large as usual. Mrs. W. H. Davis and her daughter, Mrs. Aaron Henslee, were hostesses and had everything arranged attractively, a basket of Christmas berries and vines forming the centerpiece on the table. The president Mrs. C. W. Maltby presided. Roll-call responses were each one's birthday verse from 31st chapter of Proverbs. Plans were made for the Christmas meeting to be Dec. 20th at which time the members will give gifts for the club house. Also plans were made for the planting of cedars in front of club house for living Christmas trees. The Bible Day program was led by Mrs. Maltby as substitute for Mrs. Welder who was ill. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Aaron Henslee, Mrs. A. B. Henslee and Mrs. A. C. Robert. The hostesses served delicious turkey sandwiches, sliced nuts and hot chocolate to the following: Mmes. A. C. Robert, A. B. Henslee, Aaron Henslee, W. H. Davis, Plummer, Ashburn, Roy Ashburn, C. E. Ragland, C. W. Maltby, W. C. Bedford, Ralph Ludwig.

Miss Mozetta Reynolds of Gorman was the weekend guest of Miss Mabelle Spencer.

The Methodist Missionary societies of the south zone of Cisco district met at the Desdemona church on Wednesday. The meeting was called to order by the secretary, Mrs. W. E. Barron who turned the meeting over to the zone leader, Mrs. B. E. McGlamery who had arranged a splendid program. One of the main speakers was Mr. McGlamery who spoke on the present status of prohibition. About 60 delegates were present from the following towns: Dublin, DeLeon, Gorman, Carbon, Bunyan and Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashburn and Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Williams drove up to Eastland Sunday.

Mrs. John Cate and her brother, Pills Rouse, drove up to Ranger Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ludwig drove up to Eastland Sunday.

Mrs. John Mendenhall and her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Henry, were shopping in DeLeon Friday.

A. C. Robert drove down to Dublin Monday to market a truck load of turkeys.

Odd Texas

GIANTS AND PYGMIES IN TEXAS!

TEXAS TOWN SOLD FOR FIFTY DOLLARS!

For the consideration of \$50.00 given to the State of Texas, the town of Se Guin, Texas, was sold to the State of Texas, and the town of Se Guin, Texas, was sold to the State of Texas, and the town of Se Guin, Texas, was sold to the State of Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and their daughter, Mrs. Aaron Henslee, were shopping in DeLeon Friday.

O. A. Kountze drove up to Eastland Thursday on business for the Desdemona school board of which he is secretary.

Carroll and Fred Stover drove down to Dallas and Fort Worth Friday on business and pleasure. They attended the ball game at Fort Worth on Saturday.

T. L. Mitchell drove down to DeLeon on business Friday.

Aaron Henslee left early Sunday morning for Longview having been wired to come to see his mother. He was joined at Huckabee by his aunt, Mrs. Clara Henslee.

Mrs. J. E. Derrick and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Style McIntire were shopping in Ranger Saturday.

D. J. Gorman and daughter, Betty Jean of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimbrough Sunday.

ROBBED 15 TIMES

PLEASANT LAKE, Mass., Dec. 15.—Fifteen times during the last 10 years, burglars have broken into the Pleasant Lake post office and general store. The most recent break netted \$100 in postal funds and \$25 in groceries.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Gregory and children of Cisco spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vanderford.

Rufus Abbott of Dan Horn visited his brother Chester Abbott Wednesday.

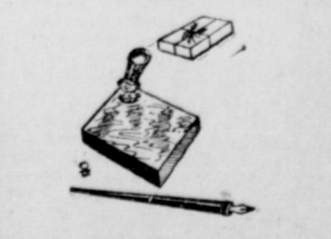
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillion spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Alvey.

Bert McReath was a Cisco visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Jones and children of Eastland visited her mother, Mrs. W. T. Leveridge Sunday.

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Weekly Sunday School Lesson

Christian Standards of Life Reviewed

Golden Text: If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. Luke 9:23.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 18.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of The Congregationalist

The lesson of the quarter, dealing with the general theme "Christian Standards of Life," have brought the Gospel into the realm of life's daily, practical, and most important relationships.

It is a sad fact that for masses of people today the homes in which they live are makeshifts and habitations of expediency rather than ideal dwelling places. The world with enormously increased resources ought to have the Christian vision and the Christian conscience to arrange these things more equitably and with sounder ideals of home and family life.

Very appropriately the lessons have begun with emphasis upon the Christian's devotional life—that is, the spirit and attitude in which he meets all relationships to God and to this fellow men.

If a man has in his life no spiritual devotion, no sense of holiness, he will not have either high standards or any urge of conscience in living up to them.

Men may differ in their definitions and in their practices of devotions and worship, but the man in whose life there is no element of sacredness must inevitably be upon a low plane.

In putting religion into life what can be more important than the Christian's duty in relation to his own family? As child or parent, it is primary and which in some form confronts us all. Even an orphan, bereaved of all relatives, and growing up among strangers or in an institution, would depend upon influences properly molding character and life's relationships for a life worth while.

Life in the family means in a society like ours, life in the home. The mass of people are no longer nomads, living in tents or temporary habitations, but family life implies what in some sense may be called a home.

The fact that homes are too often associated with slum conditions, with tenements or even with apartments of higher grade, only emphasizes the modern problem of home and family life. If under these modern conditions the home and family cannot be maintained with higher integrity and according to Christian ideals, both individuals and society are bound to suffer.

Our lessons have brought us into the larger relationships of the world with the problems of promoting peace among nations that up to now have lived too much in the spirit of rivalry and war.

After contemplating these larger problems we have come back to lessons that emphasize the true ideals of living—the proper relationship to money, the problems of overcoming prejudice in a world of varied races and types, and the use of leisure in a world in which through unemployment or through the extension of the use of machinery leisure is an increasingly large factor.

In these lessons surely we have had set before us a large and noble program of life; yet a program of life that the lowliest of God's children may achieve if he will seek Divine guidance and help.

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In order to help Eastland unemployed we have purchased many "What-Nots" suitable for Christmas gifts and very useful and ornamental, which we are offering at what we paid cash—

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Social News

GOOD MUSIC BY VISITING CHOIR

There was a good attendance at the last Sunday evening service of the Methodist Church...

The cantata, "King All Glorious," was thrilling in intensity...

A social hour followed the service, and church friends and members met the honor guests in the senior classroom...

PYTHIAN SISTERS INITIATE

Initiation for Mrs. Richard Jones was conducted by the Pythian Sisters temple, Monday night...

Each member attending the session next Monday night is requested to bring two pounds of candy...

There will be a tree in the temple next Monday evening, and everyone is asked to bring a gift

to be hung, in the branches. There were 15 members present...

LUNCHEON PARTY ENJOYED BY W. M. S.

The Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church met for an assembled luncheon at 1 o'clock Monday in the church classroom...

Each table end and the president's table was centered with a rustic basket heaped with glowing fruits...

Everything delicious to eat was served in the luncheon with second course of paradise pudding...

The program as published was presented between first and second courses of luncheon...

These included reports from Mrs. W. W. Kelly, corresponding secretary; Mrs. F. M. Kenny, "Voice" agent...

There will be no other meetings of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church through this month...

good financial outlook was the summary by president in her statement, which included, that missionary society had been placed on the Cisco district honor roll for excellence in all points...

Mrs. W. P. Leslie and Mrs. Ed Graham, who have not missed a W. M. S. session during year were presented a souvenir award by the president...

The playlets were presented by the cast previously published, "The Reference Book," had as inspiration, the motivating of mission interests. The A. F. K. circle playlet, original with Mrs. Ed Graham...

Announcement was made of an officers' training school, to be held Jan. 6 in Eastland Methodist church, an all-day session...

Those present: Hostesses, Mmes. J. E. Hickman, Ed Graham, Lola Mitchell, Will Keith, D. J. Jobe...

Mrs. Will A. Martin assisted by co-hostesses Mmes. G. Porter, Shelton, W. H. Mullings, B. Harris, L. O. Lynch, W. Butler, and Houle...

SUNDAY SCHOOL PLANS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The teachers of the Sunday

school of the Presbyterian church planned a delightful Christmas social at their meeting held recently in the home of Mrs. James Horton...

The date of party was announced for Friday, Dec. 23, at 7 p. m., in church parlors...

A reception to the entire Sunday school will feature the evening, which will present many unusual features and will have the decorations in charge of Mrs. M. C. Hayes, J. Le Roy Arnold, and Ray Lerner...

The program will be arranged by Mmes. C. W. Geue, and Hubert Jones. The candy committee includes Mmes. J. J. Tableman, M. Q. Taylor and Miss Mabel Hart...

A handsome Christmas box was packed for the class protege, Jennie B. Archer, who has been their "daughter" the past 10 years, and sent her care of Waco Methodist home...

A big basket of Christmas gifts was the class offering to Rev. Sam G. Thompson, their pastor.

MARTHA DORCAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Refreshments of plum pudding with hard sauce, cheese balls, wafers, pecans, divinity and coffee were served, each plate bearing a souvenir pine and holly bouquet.

Chandeliers and mantels were wreathed in Christmas green and the tea table, decorated in star points centered in a bowl of glowing fruits. Red-shaded lights

gleamed throughout and a brilliant little Christmas tree hung with souvenir snowballs, and Christmas baubles decorated surve of grand piano.

The program, opened by president of class, Mrs. W. E. Coleman, presented music, and reading beginning with singing of Christmas carols, ensemble, followed by poem, "Old Town of Bethlehem" (Dickinson), read by Mrs. W. A. Martin...

Reading, "The Christmas Story" (Grace Noll Crowell), Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite.

The "snowballs," concealing numbers, were chosen from tree, and corresponding numbered gift claimed in the Christmas gift exchange courtesy.

Those present, Mmes. James Horton, M. C. Hayes, J. Le Roy Arnold, Hickman Hankins, Ray Lerner, J. H. Pangburn, J. J. Tableman, M. Q. Taylor, C. W. Geue, and Hubert Jones.

MUSIC CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Music Club of Eastland will have their annual Christmas party at the residence of Mrs. Grady Pipkin on Friday afternoon.

Assistant hostesses include Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, Mrs. J. M. Perkins, Mrs. M. J. Pickett.

Assembly singing of Christmas carols will be followed by a Christmas poem, read by the leader.

"The White Peacock," poem. Mrs. A. J. Campbell, with musical version of poem played by Mrs. Wanda Drago Beall of San Angelo.

ENTERTAINS MASSACHUSETTS GUEST

Mrs. Emma Estabrook, Miss Addie Yenton and Mrs. Bertha Davis, sisters, and all of Worcester, Mass., were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. J. M. Perkins, from Monday to this Wednesday morning...

The travelers are regular globe-trotters, and make their annual pilgrimage to California, or some other faraway place each winter.

Mrs. Perkins kept open house in their honor, Tuesday night, when some 30 guests called. Refreshments of hot chocolate with cakes and candies were served.

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Jimmy, after Mae entered the hotel, settled down in the cab to await her return. Letting his gaze

wander over the hotel windows, he saw, abruptly, the silhouette on the shade of Gert's bedroom. It was obviously the shadows of a man and woman in amorous embrace. Toots' face was white, and he flung against the blind. Jimmy, unable to stand the torture any longer, drove off.

Toots, holding the body of Gert erect all the time Mae was in the other room, sighed, relievedly when she finally left. Then, after covering up any trace of his presence, descended to Lil's room.

Lil was pouring herself a drink when Toots slid into the room.

Toots made an effort to appear light-hearted. "Hello, Babe. When'd you get in?"

"Just a couple minutes ago." She kissed him passionately. "Where you been?"

"Down to Baldwin's—playin' some two-bit stud."

"You ain't been up here, have you?" she inquired.

"Here?—no."

"Charlie must be screwy," she said non-committally. "He says you been in the hotel for hours."

She poured him a drink. "Musta seen your ghost or somethin'."

He puffed nervously at his cigarette. "Yeah—I guess he musta."

Lil was startled. "You musta, too."

She whirled around to find him glaring at her. "Jimmy?" "Keep away from me, you cheap, little—"

"Jimmy!" she cried.

His mouth curled in contempt. "So you were gonna go right to bed. You wouldn't go to a movie on account of the rain, huh? Sure not—"

His voice rose angrily. "What would you be doin' at a movie, when



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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

Mae Keesee is ordered to leave town by the magistrate before whom she is brought on a vagrancy charge. Leave...

Jimmy didn't have to wait long for results. In a few minutes, Mae ran out of the house, buttoning her coat. She looked up and down the street, searchingly.

"Taxi!" she called. "Taxi!" Jimmy got an idea. Pulling his cap far down over his face, he answered her call.

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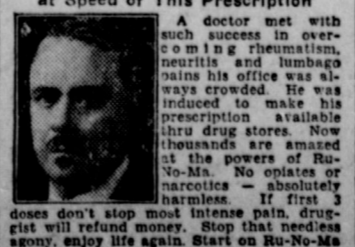
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E. Barnes to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, cow and calf, \$17.
A. P. Howell to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, stock, \$51.50.
E. G. Rone, Gorman, to First National Bank, Gorman, 1933 crops, stock, \$208.00.
C. S. Wheeler to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., cultivator, cow, \$57.26.
Mitchell Campbell to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., 1933 crops, tools, etc. \$110.00.
Otto Cabeness, Cisco, to First National Bank, Cisco, 38 head cattle, \$469.00.
Floyd Gowan to First National Bank, Gorman, 1933 crops, stock, \$106.50.
J. T. Bell to Higginbotham Bros. & Co. C. P. stock, crops, \$33.00.
L. M. Browning to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., farming tools, crops, etc. \$165.67.
S. S. Hollis to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., C. P., incubator, cow, \$21.12.
M. M. Wilkins to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., cows, \$50.00.
Earl J. Hefflin to Leveille-Maher Motor Co., radio, \$25.50.
C. F. Morgan to S. W. Finance Co., 1931 Willys 6 Sedan, \$123.40.
D. E. Wisdom to First National Bank, Gorman, stock, 1933 crops, \$76.00.
J. L. Swindell to J. M. Sherrill, 1930 Ford coupe, \$97.50.
F. D. Moore to First National Bank, Gorman, stock, 1933 crops, \$42.80.
Allyn Parsons to Higginbotham

Bros. & Co., R. S. stock, 1933 crops \$38.50.
Allyn Parsons to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., 1 mare mule, \$15.70.
Harry A. Logsdon to C. J. Moore Auto Mart, 1933 Willys Overland pleasure coupe, \$222.00.
N. D. Gallagher to Bridgeport Machine Co., tools, etc. \$4,975.00.
Howard L. Hicks to Blease Motor Co. 1929 Ford sport roadster, \$128.00.
S. C. Horton, Nimrod, to International Harvester Co. cultivator, etc. \$93.85.
N. C. Miller to International Harvester Co., \$126.00.
J. A. Woodard to International Harvester Co., binder, etc. \$147.50.
E. F. Virden to Northwestern National Life Ins. Co., the NW 1-4 of section 6, block 1, H&TC Ry Co. survey, \$166.00.
R. R. Barton to Melton Motor Co. 1929 Ford tudor, \$82.00.
W. B. Patterson to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, cattle, \$32.50.
E. O. Johnson to Street Motor Co., 1929 Oakland coupe, \$243.00.
E. O. Johnson to Street Motor Co., gas range, \$80.00.
M. H. & Leslie Hagaman to J. I. Case Co., 250 acre wheat crop, \$841.85.
D. B. Perdue to Butler-Harvey Chevrolet Co., 1928 Chevrolet sedan, \$250.00.
J. L. McGaha to First National Bank, Gorman, stock, \$33.50.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

Trustees Deed: F. M. Davenport et ux by Earl Bender, trustee, to the Eastland Building & Loan Assn. The E 1-2 of the SE 1-4 of Block E-2, Eastland, \$10.00.
Sheriff's Deed: Birdie Reid by Sheriff, to Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Patterson, Lot 2, block B-1, East-

land, \$25.00.
Lis Pendens Notice: Martha C. Brooks vs. B. F. Brooks, Lot 16, block A-2, Eastland.
Abstract of Judgment: James Shaw, Banking Commissioner vs. General Loan Co. et al. \$818.14, with \$11.80 cost and 10 per cent interest.
Abstract of Judgment: Stockyard National Bank, Ft. Worth, vs. Henry E. Wilson. \$599.77, with \$9.20 cost and 10 per cent interest.
Deed: James Shaw, Banking Commissioner to E. H. Boyett, The N 1-2 of the lot 3, block 4, Carbon, \$350.00.
Release of Lien: Metropolitan Building & Loan Assn. to W. M. Robbins et ux. A subdivision of lot 4, block 92, Cisco.
Vendors Lien Transfer: E. J. Neal to E. M. Carter. Section 26, block 2, E. T. Ry. Co. survey, Eastland county, \$800.00.
Labors Affidavit and Account Fixing Lien: W. A. Branton to W. M. Shook.
Release: Humble Oil & Refining Co. to R. W. Potter. Release of a lease dated June 1, 1932, and recorded in Vol. 3, page 95, Deed records of Eastland County.
Right of Way: Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Co. to Texas & Pacific. A part of the tract of land conveyed by R. D. Hunter et al to T. & P. C. & O. Co. on Oct. 25, 1893, recorded in Vol. 39, page 605, Records of Eastland County. \$750.
Substitution of Stock and Extension Agreement: Ann Roy Townsend et vir to Standard Savings & Loan Assn. Lot 3, block 34, Daugherty Addition to Eastland, \$900.00.
Assignment of Oil & Gas Lease: J. A. Bearman to Bearman Oil Co. 24-96 interest in 3 tracts of Eastland County. \$1.00 and other land in the H&TC Ry Co. survey, consideration.
Assignment of Oil & Gas Lease: J. A. Bearman to Bearman Oil Co. The E 1-2 of the NW 1-4 of Section 80, block 4, H&TC Ry Co. survey. (23-96 interest). \$1.00 and other consideration.
Warranty Deed: Cecil G. Shults Jr. to Ora Cooper. Part of the NE 1-4 of Section 28, BBB&C Ry. Co. survey, Eastland County, \$100.00.
Mineral Deed: Joe Burkett to J. W. Ray. The SW 1-4 of Section 56, block 4, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Eastland County. (5-160 interest) \$60.00.
Lis Pendens Notice: Texas Bitulithic Co. vs. Tom Harrell et al. Lot 2, block B, Harrell Sikes addition to Eastland.
Deed of Trust: K. E. House et ux to M. F. Mills, trustee for the Colonial B&L Assn., a lot 65 by 180 feet out of the Southeast corner of Section 11, block 2, E. T. Ry. Co. survey, \$10.00.
Assignment of Oil & Gas Lease: R. Kamon to Butcher & Sweeney. 1-16 interest in 100 acres out of the East half of the Andrew Kent survey. \$1.00 and other consideration.
Abstract of Judgment: United States Fidelity Co. vs. E. W. Smith. \$758.82, with \$8.85 cost and 8 per cent interest.
Deed of Trust: C. F. Coats et al to Gus L. Berry, trustee for the Metropolitan B&L Assn. Part of lot 3, block 111, Cisco, \$802.39.
Sheriff's Deed: J. M. Williamson et al by Sheriff, to J. M. Sherrill. 334 acres of land in the E 1-2 of section 497, S. P. Ry. Co. survey; also 1-10 interest in the mineral rights of the E 1-2 of section 498, S. P. Ry. Co. survey. 1-12 interest in the SW 1-4 of section 94, block 3, H&TC Ry. Co. survey; also interest in various lots in Cisco, \$11.00.
Lease: Vernon Deffebach to the Texas Company. Lots 10 and 11, block 30, original townsite of Ranger. One year lease.
Lease: H. E. Smith to The Texas Company. A lot 75 by 100 feet out of the SE corner of block 64, Daugherty Addition to Eastland, together with service station thereon. One year lease.
Lease: J. F. Bassett to The Texas Company. Lot 140 by 140 feet out of the SE corner of the SE 1-4 of block E, Cisco. One year lease.
Deed of Trust: N. A. Brown et ux to D. L. Harralson, trustee for the Colonial B&L Assn. 100 feet of the East end of the S 1-2 of lot 4, block 90, Cisco, \$10.00.
Oil & Gas Lease: B. D. Carter et ux to W. F. McDermott. 57 acres in the SW part of the R. A. Barnhill survey No. 35. \$57.00.
Contract: Clyde Davis to The Baldwin Piano Co.
Trustee's Deed: F. C. Upton et ux, by trustee, to Nora Janet Gunn. Part of the E 1-2 of section 26, block 2, E. T. Ry. Co. survey. \$500.00.
Release of Vendor's Lien: G. T. Parroek to C. N. Smoot et ux. Part of lot 3, block D, Cisco, \$1.00.
Certificate of Reinstated Land: J. H. Walker, Commissioner of General Land Office to County Clerk, Eastland County. Certificate No. S4-2233. Grantee, R. C. Roberdeau.
Quit Claim Deed: Continental National Bank, Fort Worth, to George Brogdon. Part of the S. J. Robinson survey, Eastland County. \$1450.00.
General Warranty Deed: Ed H. Haber to Genevieve Maher. Lot 4, block 1, and the N 1-2 of lot 5, block 1, Cooper addition to Ranger.
Change of Rental Depository: L. H. McCrea to Humble Oil & Refining Co.
Warranty Deed: E. L. Milstead to J. B. Hart et ux. Lot 6, block 128, Park Addition to Cisco, \$1.00.
Warranty Deed: J. B. Hart et ux to Alice M. Stead. Lot 6 of the subdivision of lot 1, block 128, Cisco, \$3,000.50.
Certificate of Liquidation: Farmers Bank & Trust Co., Gorman.

CARS REGISTERED

S. T. Hand, Carbon, 1924 Ford stripdown (1932 license).
S. T. Hand, Carbon, 1924 Ford stripdown (1933 license).
J. E. Milford, Okra, 1928 Chevrolet Coach, (1933 license).

LYRIC—FRIDAY ONLY



Walter Connolly, Carole Lombard and Louise Closser Hale in "No More Orchids"—A Columbia Picture

E. T. Parsonett, Cisco, 1931 Huppobile sedan (1933 license).
Dr. F. T. Isbell, Eastland, 1928 Whippet coupe.
Guy S. Quinn, Eastland, 1930 Ford sedan.
S. L. Brice, Ranger, 1929 Chevrolet coach.
C. A. Hertig, Eastland, 1931 Ford coupe.
Mack O'Neal, Eastland, 1931 Chevrolet coach.
Lloyd Mann, Eastland, 1927 Ford coupe.
Dr. W. E. Chaney, Eastland, 1932 coupe, 1932 and 1933 license.
Frank C. Embick, Eastland, 1931 Pontiac sedan.

PROCEEDINGS IN 11th COURT CIVIL APPEALS DEC. 9th

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the 11th supreme judicial district, for the week ending Friday, Dec. 9th:
Reserved and Rendered and Injunction Dissolved—J. D. Clements, et ux vs. C. M. Murphy, Eastland.
Cases Submitted—Aviation Credit Corporation of N. Y. vs. University Aerial Corporation, Taylor; R. B. Darnell vs. E. N. Waldrop, Throckmorton; George Fischer vs. Mrs. H. T. Fischer, Throckmorton.
Motions Submitted—Roy Young vs. Orient Railway company, appellant's second motion to certify; Maryland Casualty Company vs. Mrs. Ania B. Stevens, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.
Motions Granted—G. A. Bresnan vs. Republic Supply Co., appellee's motion for certiorari to

FILED IN COUNTY COURT

Willie Crenshaw vs. National Life Accident Ins. Co. Appealed from J. P. Court No. 1.
MARRIAGE LICENSE
J. N. Price and Mrs. Minnie Glover, Nimrod.
Coda McDaniel and Miss Lillian

perfect record.
Motions Overruled — Stephens County vs. J. N. McCammon, Inc., appellee's motion for rehearing; Stephens County vs. J. N. McCammon, Inc., appelle's supplemental motion for rehearing; W. M. Choate vs. Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co., appellee's motion for rehearing; Roy Young vs. Orient Railway Company, appellant's second motion to certify.
Cases to be Submitted Dec. 16, 1932—H. G. Adams & T. O. Bray vs. Frank Bida, Eastland; J. R. Cribbs vs. Polk County, Throckmorton; Maud A. McEwan, et al vs. T. H. Jackson, Comanche.
Mrs. W. A. Beavers, South Seaman street, underwent a minor operation at 4 p. m. at the Payne Hospital Thursday. Mr. Beavers is an operator at the Connellee Theatre.

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Mr. Merchant:

Is Your Christmas Business Going ACROSS the Street ?

Christmas crowds go where there is light and action. If your Christmas business goes across the street, investigate your lighting—your store windows and displays are evidently not as bright and attractive as the other fellow's across the way.

In one town, a row of stores on the dead side of the street were transformed with light. Their attractively lighted windows invited—commanded—closer inspection. By actual count, it was proved that light diverted people to that side—the wrong side—of the street.

Your show windows should make business for you. The higher the lighting intensity, the better people can see objects in your windows. That is why big, successful stores keep their windows well lighted electrically all day long.

Skimping on light is penny wise but light foolish. Electric light is so cheap that abundant use of it is true economy. Current for a 50 watt lamp costs only one cent for three hours' use.

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Paramount Studios
Hollywood, Calif.*

ALTHOUGH RUDOLPH VALENTINO HAS BEEN DEAD FOR SIX YEARS PARAMOUNT STUDIOS STILL RECEIVE APPROXIMATELY THREE FAN LETTERS A DAY ADDRESSED TO HIM AND ABOUT THREE A WEEK TO WALLACE REID WHO HAS BEEN DEAD FOR TEN YEARS.

**No. 47,867
SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Eastland. By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of the Fifty-sixth Judicial District in and for Galveston County, State of Texas, on the first day of November, A. D. 1932, by J. C. Gengler, Clerk of said Court, upon a judgment in favor of M. Riley Wyatt, against L. C. G. Buchanan and wife, Sue Gran Buchanan, for the sum of Eleven Thousand Nineteen and

38-100 (\$11,019.38) Dollars and cost of suit, in cause No. 47,867 in said Court, styled M. Riley Wyatt vs. L. C. G. Buchanan et al, and Whereas, the sum of Nine Thousand (\$9,000.00) Dollars of said judgment, together with the interest thereon, is a lien upon the following described real estate in the town of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, viz: The West 3 feet of Lot 36, all of Lots 37 and 38, and all of Lot 39 except a strip of land 10 feet 3 inches Northwest to Southeast, by 42 1-2 feet Northeast to South-

west, out of the Northwest corner of said Lot 39, said lots being located in the Hodges-Young & Rawls Addition to the town of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point on the North line of said Lot 39, and the South line of Pine Street, which point is located 10 feet 3 inches from the N. W. corner of said Lot 39; Thence in a S. E. direction with said line of said Lots 39, 38, 37 and 36, which is also the South-

line of Pine Street, 142 feet 9 inches to a point on the North line of said Lot 36, which point is located 3 feet S. E. from the N. W. Corner of said Lot 36;

Thence in a S. W. direction, parallel with the West line of said Lot 36, 140 feet to the South line of same, which is also the North line of an alley;

Thence in a N. W. direction with line of alley and South line of said Lots 36, 37, 38 and 39, in all 153 feet to the S. W. corner said Lot 39;

Thence in a N. E. direction with the W. line of said Lot 39, 97 1-2 feet to a point on said W. line of said Lot 39.

Thence in a S. E. direction parallel with the North line of said Lot 39, 10 feet 3 inches to a point;

Thence in a N. E. direction parallel with the W. line of said Lot 39, 42 1-2 feet to the North line of said lot, and the place of beginning, and

Whereas, Two Thousand Eighteen and 58-100 (\$2,018.58) Dollars of said judgment, together with all interest thereon, is a lien upon the following described real estate in the City of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, viz: Lot 10, in Block 10 of the original town of Ranger, Texas, being the identical land conveyed by C. L. Williams to L. C. G. Buchanan in warranty deed dated June 22nd, 1925, of record in Vol. 255, p. 246, Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, being also the identical land described in warranty deed dated February 4, 1928, executed by C. L. Williams et ux to L. C. G. Buchanan, of record in Vol. 258, p. 486, Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas.

And said order of sale having been placed in my hands for service I, Virge Foster, as Sheriff of Eastland County, Texas, did on the 8th day of December, 1932, levy on said above described real estate situated in Eastland County, Texas, and levied upon said property as the property of L. C. G. Buchanan and wife, Sue Gran Buchanan, and on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1933, at the Court House door of Eastland County, in the State of Texas, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M., I will sell said real estate at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. C. G. Buchanan and wife, Sue Gran Buchanan, by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Weekly Chronicle, a newspaper published in Eastland County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of December, 1932.
VIRGE FOSTER, Sheriff,
Eastland County, Texas.
By D. J. JOBE, Deputy.
Dec. 9 16 23 30.

Wants Reduction



Moore Lynn, Texas state auditor, has announced that it will be necessary to reduce state expenses sharply during the next three years, or increase revenues, or do both to make up a prospective deficit in the state's general fund of nearly \$3,000,000. He has just filed a report on the general fund with Governor Sterling.

High School GOSSIP

By THE GOSSIPS
May we introduce to you the Railway Twins—Randolph and Theo Lee. Where you see one you see the other.

First: Can you feature Gwendolyn Jones not being able to talk?

Second: No. First: Yes, she lost her voice last week and the rest of us got a chance to say a few words. (She has it back now though).

We would like to give a little advice to Jerry Francis. Please forget to put on that artificial grin once in a while. You would look much better without it.

Keith McGlaughlin was good in that play given in chapel the other day, but we think Barbara Ann could have done better. You should see her out on these lonely roads.

Ben Davenport has the bridge fever. Look out girls or you may be stuck with a parlor date. (Playing bridge).

Who is Shirley Ferrell going with since Carl Garrett is at Simmons?

Claude Faye Perdue seems to be giving Juanita Harper competition. Watch your step Juanita.

From all indications Agnes Odum is becoming as silly as Barbara Ann Arnold since she has been running with her.

We've been wondering why Chris Jones flew the coop. Is Billie C. still at St. Edwards?

Why don't some of you girls play up to Eugene Haynes and make him forget about those Colton girls?

What could the B. B. stand for on Joe Earle's notebook? Probably Boy Blue.

We've been told why all the boys hold Nellie's hand. She uses Lux so her hands will be soft and fluffy. Do the same girls—maybe you will get a Brake.

Seems as though Eastland High School boys like out-of-town talent. Especially Tom B. and Keith.

Florence should play the part of a little Freshman all the time, but Florence don't have to start wear-

ing larger hats just because you have received compliments on it.

We are glad Pen season is over so Corene Harris and Ed Pritchard can give all their attention to each other without having to share it with the Pep Squad.

We heard that Conard Reeves is co-editor of this column. We wonder.

Warner Dramatic Club Presenting A Play Tonight

"Yimmie Yonson's Yob," a three act farce, will be presented by the Dramatic Club of Warner Memorial College this evening at 8:00 o'clock. It will be given in the college auditorium which will be well heated and comfortable, although the weather may be cold. No admission will be charged and the public generally is invited.

A GUIDE TO GIFTS SUGGESTIVE GIFTS

Imported Perfumes
Ladies' Week-End Sets in the popular lines of Dorothy Gray and Elizabeth Arden.
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Lay away your Christmas toys and gifts now from the most complete stock of Christmas gifts in Eastland's history. Remember 25c down and 25c weekly holds any item or group of items until called for Christmas eve. Do your shopping now while our stock is complete. Avoid the late shoppers.

TRAINS

A train to fit your purse, with and without track.
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LADIES Hose

4 thread, 45 gauge, all silk full fashioned hose. All wanted colors and sizes.
59c GUARANTEED

Men's Sox

For Dad and Brother. They never have too many. Select them from a new assortment.
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Wrecker

With wench, 3 extra changeable Goodrich tires, steel construction.
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With 8 extra barrels. Steel, with Goodrich tires.
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War Tanks

Power tanks with rubber tread.
25c to \$1.00

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Cast iron, well made.
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Hammer, square, saw, in fact a complete chest.
\$1.19

Men's Ties

Newest assortment of fall patterns.
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TRICYCLES

All tricycles made for hard usage. Sizes for the 2-year-old and up. All have rubber tires, and some ball bearings.
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DOLLS

You will think that I am a real baby. I am rubber and can be talk-cum and bathed like a real baby.
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Ladies Kid Gloves

Black, brown. Yes, we have your size. While they last—
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House Shoes

Sheep skin lined, all sizes for children and grownups. A good value.
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Mahogany finish, 2 sizes
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Eight Semester Rule Not Popular

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas.—Growing disfavor of the "eight-semester" ruling of the Texas interscholastic league may lead to a referendum among high schools of the state to determine if the rule shall become effective in September, 1933, as scheduled.

The new ruling, which would cut the ranks of eligible schoolboy athletes, reads: "No pupil who has been in attendance in high school for eight semesters or more shall be eligible for participation in any interscholastic contest." The present rule reads "10 semesters."

N. S. Holland, Breckenridge, member of the Oil Belt athletic committee, reported a growing sentiment against the "eight-semester" plan was apparent at the league breakfast held in Fort Worth during the Texas State Teachers convention.

Warning! You had better keep your catalogues, magazines, old tires and tubes in the house. For these will bring high votes in the contest at Mickle's on December 22nd and 23rd. (Adv.)

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sam G. Thompson, Pastor. This will be the last day that you can get the Texas Christian Advocate, the name of which has been changed to the Southwestern Christian Advocate, for half price—\$1. No Methodist home can afford to be without this fine church paper.

Sunday School will meet promptly at 9:45 A. M. Two rude visitors disturbed us greatly last Sunday—flu and bad weather. Our attendance was 248. It would be fine if every member of our church could be present at all the services.

At eleven o'clock the pastor will have for his subject, "The First Christmas Service Ever Held and the First Christmas Sermon Ever Preached."

It was necessary to change the orphanage offering from last Sunday to next Sunday. Let every one who can bring a free-will offering for the Methodist orphanage and turn it in through your Sunday School class or at the regular morning service. Let us do our best for the children in the Home.

The evening service will begin at 7:30. This will be an evening of delightful Christmas music. The choir will render the cantata entitled "Yuletide Memories." There will be about fifty voices in the choir accompanied by the Drago Violin Octette. Miss Wilda Drago is director with Mrs. Joe Gibson at the piano.

The church will be beautifully decorated for the occasion under direction of Mrs. J. M. Perkins. It is understood that quite a number of visitors will come from surrounding towns to hear the musical program. A merry Christmas to everybody.

Christmas tree lights as well as outside lights are at Mickle's. 69c to \$1.50.

COUNTY DEATHS

Brad Henry, for a number of years a resident of Ranger, died at his home Tuesday morning after a long illness.

Laura Craig, negro, died at her home, 215 South Oak street, Ranger, Monday morning.

Mrs. Eva McDowell of Ranger died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alice Davenport Tuesday afternoon after an illness of four days. Death was caused by partial paralysis and pneumonia, with which she had suffered.

Dry Goods, of voiles, ginghams, outing, canton flannel and cretonnes in pretty patterns. To close out quickly, 11c a yard. Mickle's.

Horse collars. A complete stock of leather collars, fine quality, good heavy quality. Values up to \$6.95, now \$3.98 at Mickle's.

YIELD FOUR MILLION

WASHINGTON—Total receipts from sales, leases and other disposition of public lands during the fiscal year 1932 were \$4,065,210.76, C. C. Moore, commissioner of the general land office, said in his report for that year to Secretary of the Interior Wilbur.

Original public land entries for the year embraced 4,551,774 acres, or 50,000 in excess of the annual average for the past 10 years,

Moore said. Homestead laws accounted for almost 90 per cent of the areas in new segregations and more than 75 per cent of those patented.

A total of 6,049,905 acres of public lands were placed in a state of reservation, and 3,619,457 restored to entry or other disposition. The remaining public domain was reported as 173,318,246 acres, of which 123,984,529 were surveyed.

Folding ironing boards, regular sizes, sturdy built and stand rigid when put up. \$2.00 regular, now \$1.69 at Mickle's.

S. S. ATTENDANCE

Eastland Sunday schools report the following attendance for the past week:

Methodist 248; Baptist 163; Church of Christ 99; Presbyterian 33; Christian 44. No reports were obtainable on other churches of the city.

Folding tables. Sturdy construction, leatherette covered and will not rub off on wet cloth. \$2.00 value, \$1.69; \$1.75 value, \$1.48; \$1.50 value, 98c. Mickle's.

TO VISIT OLDEN

FORT WORTH, Dec. 12.—Miss Carolyn Slay, freshman in Texas Christian University, will leave Dec. 21 to spend the Christmas

holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Slay of Olden, Texas.

Miss Slay was graduated from Thurber High School in 1932. She is a member of the Woman's Athletic Association and the Outcast Club, an organization of out-of-town girls who do not reside in the dormitory.

Aluminum. Whether you wish a cake pan, roaster or steamer, we have a large selection for you and at low prices for the next few days. Mickle's.

CHARTER GRANTED.

AUSTIN, Dec. 14.—The secretary of state today granted a charter to the Breckenridge Salvage & Supply company. The new concern listed capital stock at \$20,000 and its purpose as merchandising. Incorporators included S. Caprito and I. Cohen.

Child's high chairs, solid oak, finished in light oak or red enamel. \$3.98 value, now \$2.98. Mickle's.

Henry Purser of Ranger was hijacked last week, but said nothing about it until today when it came out in a conversation with friends.

According to Purser's story, he was riding between Lubbock and Lorenza when he noticed a car ahead of him that had stopped. He slowed up to pass the car and a man jumped on the running board

and ordered him to "Stick 'em up," which he did.

The highwayman relieved him of \$168 in cash and ordered his victim on his way.

Siamese Twins

Coming to Local Theatre Fri.-Sat.

The Godino Siamese twins and their brides in person headline the attractions at the Connellee Theatre Friday and Saturday nights, appearing twice each night and in a matinee performance Friday.

The Godino boys, native Filipinos, despite their natural handicap, can roller skate, dance with their respective brides, wise-crack, and generally entertain the audience whether the spectators are seeking amusement or the satisfaction of their curiosity. They are supported by a girl dancer and singer and their wives entertain with a native dance.

Scissors. Sharp and blunt styles small, medium and large sizes too. These are the best qualities to be found and you will note our low prices. 29c, 69c, 79c, 98c. Mickle's.

Wins Art Award



One of the three national awards by the College Art association has come to Texas. The recipient is Miss Alma Olson of El Paso, former student of Texas State college for Women, Denton. Her azzotint, "Lilies," drawn while a student at C. I. A., won the honor for her.

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The gang from the gas house and the gals from the night clubs all go collegiate... turning the campus into a hot spot of sexology, sockology, ginology, jazzology in an All-American football scream!

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With Lee Tracy
Mary Brian
Dick Powell
and 1000 others!

HOP OUT OF BED "RARIN' TO GO"

If you have lost your pep, feel tired all the time, and hate to get up in the morning, don't take a dose of salts, mineral oil or laxative and expect it to pep you up and make you young again, because it won't do it.

Your glands regulate your health, and the vital organs must be supplied with the all-important glandular hormones. The liver, the largest gland in the body, should pour two pounds of bile into the bowels daily to make your food digest and to keep you regular.

Glandular deficiency causes too much fat, or too little of it, gray hair or baldness, lack of pep, premature old age and death. Yerba-vida, Nature's "Plant of Life," has been found to be a powerful gland normalizer. Glands that have ceased to function are stimulated into renewed activity, constructive metabolism is again brought about, renewing both body and mind.

Yerba-vida is produced from plants growing wild on the American desert. It contains no drugs of any kind. In fact, no ingredients of any nature have been added to it. When brewed into a tea according to instructions, it becomes a delicious, satisfying beverage which has been found to accomplish wonders in cases of glandular troubles and also poisonous acidity.

G. M. B., of Los Angeles, California, writes: "From the very first day of using Yerba-vida I felt an increase in vitality, and in a few days all signs of indigestion with which I had been suffering for years had disappeared. But the greatest benefit of all is that I am no longer constipated, for which I am more grateful than I can tell, as I have had to resort to every kind and sort of pill and cathartic for years and have never received permanent relief from anything."

Yerba-vida is not a laxative, but greatly assists nature in overcoming constipation.

A large package, enough for 240 cups, can be obtained for only \$1.00. If your local druggist cannot supply you, accept no substitute but send \$1.00 direct to Yerba-vida Sales Co., 612 Southwest Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.

Beauty and Health Depend on Minerals

Science Discovers that Health, Beauty and Life Itself Depend on Proper Mineral Balance of the Body

Beautiful Skin Sparkling Eyes Health and Beauty All Depend on Mineral Balance

Lack of Sufficient Minerals and Vitamins Destroys Health and Brings on Untold Pain and Suffering.

No man, woman or child can look their best, feel well and strong and enjoy life, as God intended, unless the Mineral content of the body is kept in proper balance. This fact has been proven conclusively.

FOODS DEVITALIZED
Modern methods of refining foods rob them of much of the Mineral content so necessary to health. Poor cooking and unbalanced diets are another source of trouble. The body is starved for the essential Minerals and Vitamins. Soon we suffer with indigestion, constipation, headaches, nervousness, pimply skin. We lose weight, feel tired and listless, fail to get enough sleep. Health deserts us and we wonder why.

NATURAL WAY TO HEALTH
After years of research, a new and remarkable formula has been perfected that supplies the body with the essential Minerals. This preparation is not a "patent" medicine but a scientific blending of Minerals and Vitamins that aids Nature in quickly balancing the mineral content of the body, clearing away intestinal poisons and building new strength and vitality.

ARE YOU REDUCING?
If so, you need Minerals to keep you strong and well.

LEE'S MINERAL COMPOUND
With Vitamins
The Foundation of Health

NOW YOU, TOO, CAN ENJOY
Health, Strength and Vigor of Youth, Eat with a Keen, Hearty Appetite, Enjoy Sound Refreshing Sleep, and Feel Like Yourself Again.

MAKE THIS 10 DAY TEST
Convince Yourself!

Stop dosing yourself with "patent medicines," harsh purgatives, oils and cathartics for just 10 days. Go to your nearest Druggist and secure a bottle of LEE'S MINERAL COMPOUND. Take it regularly, and watch the results. You'll be amazed at the feeling of renewed strength and vigor that soon appears. No narcotics or alcohol to "boost you up" but a natural method of restoring health and energy.

—FOR SALE BY—
EASTLAND DRUG COMPANY, EASTLAND
and other good dealers everywhere, or send \$1.25 to LEE'S LABORATORIES, INC., 364 Peachtree Arcade Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for large bottle postage paid.

Super-Farmer

The title of Super-Farmer of Galveston county for 1932 has been bestowed upon Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Perry of Alta Loma, Texas. They were selected in the contest sponsored by the Galveston News because they did a notable job of balanced farming this year, living at home on food they grew themselves. Perry is shown perusing his farm records.

Free Show for the Children

The Connellee Theatre, The Weekly Chronicle and a number of Eastland merchants are presenting a show to the children of Eastland and this trade territory at the Connellee Theatre, SATURDAY MORNING AT 9:00 O'CLOCK. Also there will be a Christmas tree on the stage loaded with presents for children who otherwise will not have a Christmas tree. There will be candy and fruit for all children.

ALL CHILDREN ADMITTED FREE!

BUSTER KEATON

JIMMY DURANTE

POLLY MORAN

They're NO BOWL OF CHERRIES for looks—but they're the funniest trio of lunatics in talkies! Watch Buster put on that sex-appeal And get ready for "Schnozzle" Durante making love to Polly Moran! Try and maintain your attitude! It's a riot—Nothing less!

THE PASSIONATE PLUMBER

directed by Edward Sedgwick
A Buster Keaton Production

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