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EASTLAND COUNTY TAXPAYERS MEET AND APPROVE RESOLUTIONS

Baptists Call Rev. O. B. Darby

Rev. O. B. Darby, of McKinney, was unanimously called as pastor of the Eastland Baptist church at the 11:00 o'clock service Sunday. The church is to receive his answer next Sunday.

Rev. Darby is expected to arrive here today or tomorrow, and will preach at both services Sunday. He has preached for the local congregation on two previous occasions, and the members of the church are anxiously awaiting his reply to their invitation.

The regular schedule of service will be held at the church Sunday.

The choir has begun rehearsals for an Easter cantata, meeting each Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Mrs. A. J. Campbell is musical director.

Convention at San Antonio Favors Garner

Congressman Sam Rayburn was selected national chairman of the Garner-for-President movement at a meeting held Monday in San Antonio.

Difficulties between the several factions in Texas which were evident at the beginning of the meeting were finally smoothed out and members of the convention pledged unanimously their united efforts toward the support of John N. Garner for president.

Dr. Axton, brother-in-law of the late Woodrow Wilson, was the first speaker at the convention. Other speakers were Jed C. Adams, Dallas, National Democratic committeeman; Mrs. Alex Adams, San Antonio Club woman; and Mrs. Cecil Smith.

A committee of 31 was chosen as a

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Rayburn to continue his work. Garner refused Wednesday to reveal his attitude on the prohibition question. Asked by the president of the W. C. T. U. to declare his views as to whether the Eighteenth Amendment should be repealed, he replied that he had no intention of making any statement that would tend to disrupt the harmony that is necessary to legislation. He further stated that he was not particularly interested as to how the question would affect his political future, but was interested solely in the discharge of his duty.

EASTLAND COUPLES ARE MARRIED SUNDAY

Two weddings of special interest to Eastland people took place Sunday afternoon when Miss Ila Mae Coleman and Mr. Jack London, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Harris and Mr. Gayland Poe, were united in marriage.

The two couples drove to Palo Pinto where Miss Coleman and Mr. London were married by Rev. Cantrell about 12:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. They returned to Eastland where Rev. Shearer performed the ceremony which united Miss Harris and Mr. Poe. The latter ceremony took place about 2:30.

They then drove to Abilene, returning here Monday morning. Mrs. London is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coleman of Eastland, and until recently has been an employee of the local United Dry Goods store. Mrs. Poe is society editor of the Eastland Telegram. Both brides attended school here, graduating from Eastland high school in 1929.

Both bridegrooms are employees of Toombs and Richardson drug store. Mr. London is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. London, of Colorado City. Mr. Poe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poe of Eastland.

All four of these popular young people are well known in Eastland. Their numerous friends are wishing for them much happiness in life.

Eunice—Has the doctor you're engaged to got money?

Jenne—Sure, did you think I was getting married for my health?

Mrs. Crankshaft—Hurry up, dear, we're late. What on earth detained you?

Mr. Crankshaft—Drat it all, why can't you putt hings back where you find them? It took me 20 minutes rummaging about the garage to find our Austin.

At a meeting of the Eastland County Taxpayers' Association in the court house here last Friday afternoon a large and enthusiastic crowd approved the following resolutions which were presented by the resolutions committee. D. J. Neill presided at the meeting and the date for the next meeting was set for Friday, March 4, at 2:00 p. m., at the Eastland County Court house.

At the meeting last Friday Judge Langford of Cisco was the principal speaker and explained in a very clear manner the necessity of changes and amendments in our present laws.

He made it clear that he was not a candidate for any office and that the organization was not a political machine.

Every taxpayer in the county should read and file away the following resolutions which are sound, and which, if put into effect, will be a step towards reclaiming our state and nation from the favored few.

All candidates will be invited to speak before the association at a future date and it is at that time that the voters are asked to pick only those that furnish evidence in the form of past records, ability and will.

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Attempt to Open Safe Interrupted

An attempt to break into the safe of the Pickering Lumber Company was interrupted early Saturday night by the arrival of officers.

The would-be robbers, disregarding the combination which was on a tag hanging on the front of the safe, had knocked the knob off. The combination is kept at this place since merely papers and records are kept in the safe.

An employee of the lumber company had seen prowlers around the yard twice before the attempt to break in was made. They had apparently entered through a window, and

Injunction Is Issued Against Gas Company

A mandatory injunction was issued Saturday by Hon. George L. Davenport, Judge of the 91st District Court, commanding the Community Natural Gas Company to reconnect gas service to George Bryant.

Bryant had filed suit against the gas company for damage for disconnecting his gas service when he failed to pay the new rate, after the 88th District Court had issued an order restraining the gas company from charging the plaintiff, George Bryant, and others, more than seventy-five cents, the only legal rate in the city of Eastland.

The gas company, disregarding the order, have attempted to charge the new rate to the plaintiff. The 91st District Court further restrains the gas company from interfering and harassing the plaintiff and from interfering with gas service in violation of the restraining order of the 88th District Court, which is now in full force and effect.

This order was issued by Judge Elzo Been some time ago when Bryant and a number of other citizens filed suit in the 88th District Court asking for an injunction to prevent the gas company from charging them more than seventy-five cents per thousand feet.

The case will be heard in the April term of court.

Rotary Banquet Held at Ranger

The Oil Belt Rotary Clubs held an inter-city meet and banquet at Ranger Wednesday evening in the Green Room of the Gholson Hotel.

The following program was presented: Toastmaster, Howard Gholson, president of the Ranger Club. Sing-song, led by E. Hinrichs, of Breckenridge Club; Miss Belva Dixon, pianist. Invocation, Dr. Lee Clark, Cisco.

Mrs. and Mrs. Reynolds will give their home in Eastland at present.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Notice of Intention to Marry, Jack J. B. Coyce, Breckenridge, and Grace Belcher, Olden.

Willard Culwell, Rising Star, and Mrs. Lula Brown, Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, Mrs. Gilbreath, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis, Jos. M. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. James Horton, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Lott, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, W. C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Chaney, Sid Pitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Mrs. Leslie R. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bresford, and Curtis Hertig.

GIRLS HIT BY CAR NEAR OLDEN

Two young women hitchhikers were run over by an automobile on the Ranger highway near Olden Wednesday night, each of them suffering bruises and several wounds about the face and head.

They were brought to Eastland and given treatment at the local hospital.

Officers Have Busy Night Here

Wednesday night was a busy one for officers in Eastland and several neighboring towns, a number of robberies and attempted robberies having been reported, and several arrests having been made.

Beaty Drug store was broken into some time Wednesday night, the local warehouse of the City Service Company was robbed, four men and several boys were arrested, and two attempted robberies in Eastland and one in Olden were reported.

Entrance was gained to Beaty Drug store through a rear window. Nothing was missed except several low priced watches and some cigarettes, the intruders having overlooked several cases of valuable articles, such as fountain pens and leather goods.

The City Service warehouse was robbed of several five-gallon cans of lubricating oil some time during the night. No trace of the guilty parties has been found.

Constable Todd, of Gorman, assisted by Chief of Police Lee Reid of Eastland, arrested four men at Carbon Wednesday night, finding several stolen articles in their car. They were first reported to be going from Gorman to Cisco, but were found coming to Eastland and were caught at Carbon. Gasoline, guns, tires, shirts, and a half gallon of liquor were found in the car. They were brought to Eastland and held in the city jail pending investigation. Deputy Todd had chased them from Gorman, where two of them had had a wreck and were assisted by the other two.

Night officer Mead of Eastland caught several boys trying to break into a filling station on East Main. He captured one of them and three others escaped, two of them being caught later just across the creek on East Main by Mead and Chief Reed.

An attempt was made to break into the T&P depot, but entrance was not effected. Deputy Loss Woods made two arrests Thursday morning, but the parties were later released.

The post office at Olden was reported broken into during the night and robbed of stamps and money orders.

Oil Companies File Answers

Three defendant oil companies in Texas' oil trust suit filed answers in Austin Tuesday to the State's allegations.

With the filing of the answer of the Standard Oil Company of California, the last to reply, all defendants are now on record in the big case.

All reply's follow generally the same line, attacking constitutionality of the State's anti-trust laws and claiming that the petition of the commonwealth was not sufficient.

OFFICERS RECOVER STOLEN GOODS THURS.

Sheriff Virge Foster and Deputy Loss Woods recovered some stolen goods east of Olden Thursday morning, a typewriter and a set of silverware being among the loot.

Any aid that can be given the officers in identifying the goods will be appreciated.

Mrs. John Burke is visiting in Dallas this week end.

RESOLUTIONS FAVORING CUT-OFF SENT GOVERNOR AND COMMISSION

Lions Club Has Open House Lunch

The Lions Club held an open house luncheon Tuesday noon honoring the Washington bicentennial. Members of the club, with their wives and other guests, totaled about sixty-five in number.

The 9:49 Bible Class quartet, composed of John M. Knox, B. M. Collier, A. E. Herring and Frank Pierce, rendered a program of vocal numbers. Mrs. Joe Gibson is accompanist for the quartet.

An interesting and inspiring lecture on "George Washington the Business Man" was delivered by Judge B. W. Patterson.

The Lions President, W. H. McDonald, appointed an anti-boarding committee composed of George Harper, N. N. Rosenquest and Ernest Jones.

Closed Bank Can Not Borrow Money

The Dallas Branch of the Federal Reconstruction Corporation has been advised by John W. Goodwin, legal advisor to State Banking Commissioner James Shaw, that closed state banks are prohibited by law from borrowing from the corporation.

He says that a banking commissioner in liquidating a bank, is not given authority to borrow money to pay depositors or credits of a failed bank. He can, however, sell the assets of a bank, including bills receivable, if such a sale is approved by a district court in the county in which the bank is situated.

Loan Committees Appointed Tuesday

Representatives from every town in Eastland county met at the office of J. C. Patterson, County Agent, Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock for the purpose of appointing the Federal Farm Seed Loan Committees.

The county committee is composed of John W. Thurman, Ranger; W. E. Tyler, Rising Star; and W. S. Michael, Eastland.

The local committees are as follows: Ranger: Edwin George Tom Carpenter and Clarence May.

Eastland: Earl Johnson, Neal Moore and Curtis Kimbrell.

Cisco: J. E. Spencer, J. J. Collins, and F. E. Harrell.

Rising Star: Frank Robertson, F. V. Tunnell and Fred Robard.

Carbon: W. W. Speer, E. R. Yarbrough and W. W. Gilbert.

The Gorman committee is yet to be appointed.

These committees are organized and ready for action, according to Mr. Patterson, and will begin work as soon as further instructions from headquarters are received.

Merchants Meet to Plan Organization

A group of Eastland merchants met at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday evening to organize a merchants section of the Chamber of Commerce.

The needs for the organization were discussed, but a decision was made to adjourn until a larger attendance was present before electing a chairman and other officers to head the work.

Preliminary arrangements were made for a Merchant's Institute to be held here March 24 and 25 by M. H. Stanley, of Dallas.

Another meeting is called for Tuesday, March 1.

Privett Case Is Set For March 21

The case of Oscar Privett, which was set for trial in the 91st District Court here Monday morning, was passed until March 21 on account of illness of several of the state's material witnesses.

The same venire was asked to re-appear in the penitentiary when tried port back at this time.

Privett was sentenced to thirty here some time ago for the murder of Melvin Dunson, but the case was reversed by the higher courts on account of an improper charge which Judge Davenport gave the jury.

NOTICE TO EASTERN STAR MEMBERS

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold business and initiation service Tuesday night at 7:30. The Deputy Grand Matron will be present and all members are urged to attend.

Representatives from the territory through which the proposed Highway No. 89 passes were present at a meeting held at the court house here Wednesday afternoon. Great enthusiasm was shown favoring the cut-off between Ranger and Weatherford. Large delegations were present from the various towns interested in the project.

The coming hearing at Austin set for March 2 was discussed, a large number from Eastland planning to attend. They will leave for Austin Tuesday, March 1, and hold a meeting there Tuesday night at the Driskill Hotel.

Three resolutions were passed by the body, two addressed to the highway commission and one addressed to Governor Sterling.

One of the resolutions to the Commission deprecates the fact that the proposed construction of the cut-off has aroused such extreme bitterness and opposition on the part of neighboring towns. Regret is expressed that the question has been made such an issue, and the Commission is asked to disregard all efforts which have been made to improperly influence its decision, deciding the question alone on its merits.

The other resolutions lists the numerous reasons in favor of the construction of the proposed route.

The resolution addressed to the governor of Texas follows: To Governor R. S. Sterling, Austin, Texas.

We, the representatives of those favoring the construction of Highway No. 89, from a point on the Bankhead Highway about ten miles east of Ranger to Weatherford, in meeting assembled at Eastland, Texas, this 24th day of February, 1932, resolved as follows, to-wit:

We deplore that the question of the construction of Highway No. 89 has been attempted to be made a political issue, and an attempt has been made to induce you to become a partisan against the construction of this road.

It is the judgement of this meeting that you should not become a partisan to either side, and we believe you should follow the precedent heretofore established and permit the Highway Commission to exercise its sound judgement as it has heretofore done.

Respectfully submitted,
HARPER RETURNS
FROM CONVENTION

G. M. Harper, dealer in Eastland for General Electric Refrigerators, returned Thursday from Dallas where he attended the annual spring convention Wednesday, February 24th, of S. C. Griswold, Inc., distributor in this territory for G. E. Refrigerators.

One of the principal features of the convention, according to Mr. Harper, was the announcement of plans for a huge spring sales campaign on General Electric Refrigerators which is expected to set new high sales records in this vicinity.

Mr. Harper said there are about 150 General Electrics in Eastland at this time. He has been local dealer for several years.

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By J. L. Cottingham.

Saw Hoyt Davis and a Cadillac sedan going through that bottle neck on Seaman by the Palace of Sweets—it was a tight squeeze but they both got through.

Am now a stockholder in Wolf's. I have several ideas for improvements there. I think Dave Wolf's face ought to be lifted. If that is not done he is going to step on his lower lip and tear it off. Also going to insist on the store buying Monte Hays a wig—it is positively indecent for him to expose so much bare hide above his forehead. Of course there is no way to stop Mrs. Wolf hereafter as well as his present. That is the way Jim Ferguson got his start.

I was trying to eat a piece of chocolate pie and a cup of coffee the other day but Grady Owen came along and made disgusting remarks about what the pie reminded him of—I had to quit the pie but it is going to cost Grady one vote—two, in fact, if my wife obeys orders. Grady used to be a mighty nice boy but he has been associating with Wilborne Collic—maybe that is the cause of his downfall.

George Bryant gave me the low down on how the county is being mis-run. After listening to him for an hour I was getting to where I felt

that I ought to rush forth in the rain and organize a lynch mob and string up my old friends Glyde Garrett and Cooper. About tomorrow Clyde will come along and convince me that George ought to be wearing tar trimmed with feathers—I wish these politicians would not talk so convincingly, it is so wearing to get full of indignation at one man and then have to change over and cuss the other one.

Rumor advises there was a wedding Saturday night. Miss Elizabeth Harris, reporter for the Daily Outrage, was the victim. Miss Harris is now Mrs. Poe.

I am not going to Jim Horton's place anymore until dry weather. His driveway is full of deep mud—that makes it mean to visit a place where you are supposed to air your own tires.

Ed Craft came to town the other day to get his watch. Ed went to the expense of having it repaired. We cannot understand why a man would need a watch during the depression. It used to be necessary to know when meals would be served but meals are too expensive to serve now.

The rain has kept everybody at home except Albert Le Claire and Charlie Lafoon. That makes it tough for a columnist for if I told any more on them people would think I had a grudge against them. So I will do the next best thing—quit.

Further deponent sayeth not. I thank you.

Mrs. Virginia Keen has been very ill at her home, 305 N. Daugherty, but is reported improving now.



DEAD ANIMALS FOUND NEAR LAKE

Several animals have been found dead recently near the Eastland lake, according to City Manager W. C. Marlow.

A cow was found dead in a creek emptying into the lake, and three more were found near the lake but not near the water. The first animal had not been dead long. All of them were burned.

Eastland people need not become excited, said Mr. Marlow, as the city has not been using water from that lake for four months, and will not be for possibly three months longer.

Mr. Marlow requests that any one hearing of dead animals on the watershed to please notify his office at once.

Mrs. Dan Childress returned Tuesday night from a visit to Ft. Worth.



This year it is fashionable to look top heavy. And the rever is part of this fashion.

A further emphasis is given to revers by embroidery. Fortunately, they are not frilled and furbellowed.

Sometimes the embroidery occurs on the collar section, sometimes on the wide points of the rever, sometimes on the tie part of the scarf



that goes with them. The embroidery may be of self color or of contrasting color—all the colors of the fashion rainbow, and they are many, may be used. For bright color is one of the smart details of this year's fashion.

Revers are usually double. In that case the embroidery is done before the two thicknesses of material are put together. The embroidery can then be pressed down from the wrong side. And the lining or facing of the rever covers the ugly underside of the work and makes a smooth, attractive finish.

HIT AND MISS SCANDAL SHEET OF E. H. S.

We are unable to obtain the names of those who attended the banquet held in the ball park at the expense of the cafeteria.

Jane Connellee is always complaining of being ill but she has such a good color that we wonder if either is true.

Imogene Robason loves to hear Tommy Ward laugh. We suppose that is why she is always trying to stir up his mirth.

Wonder why Coach Gibson didn't tell us what position Buzz Daniel's plays?

Ed Pritchard: (discussing playing hooky) Between you and I it's bad business.

Conrad Reeves: (more polished) Between you and I: It's bad English.

Elmer Brown: "Is my face clean enough to eat with?"

Delmar Ditto: "Yes, but you had better use your hands."

Who is this "Passion" we hear so much about?

Doesn't Mary McCarty look like Jean Harlow in every respect?

Wonder why Ellen Francis wears that white satin blouse? Well, a hint to the wise is sufficient.

Don't you wish you could obtain Ruth Rosenquest's "swagger"?

Some girl still thinks the 'slouch' is in style.

Doesn't Ralph Mackall get in the awfulest positions to write?

Who would ever have thought that Ellen Pearson would turn out to be a vamp? Well, it's true. She vamped two boys away from well known high school girls.

Who said Wanza Thomas looks like Ann Harding? And why were everyone calling her during chapel Friday?

Speaking of chapel, didn't we have fun before Gorman arrived? Give us more like 'em, Mr. Palm.

The camp-fire program in chapel Monday was fine, and did we get a laugh out of that little girl on the right of the stage. Mrs. Beard took the best part of the fun by saying the senior's didn't know how to act. Poor, ignorant seniors!

Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

District Clerk: W. H. (Bill) McDONALD (Re-election.)

P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY.

Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER, (Re-election)

Judge, 88th District Court: FRANK SPARKS.

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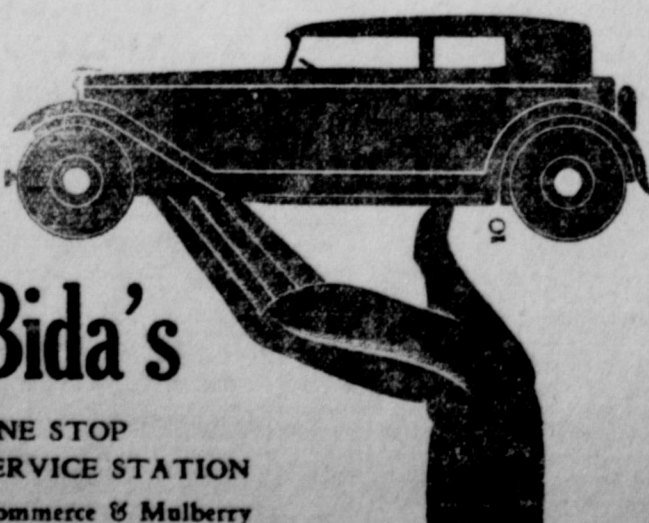
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LARGE ATTENDANCE AT CLUB FEDERATION

The Eastland County Federation of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs met in regular session Saturday afternoon, February 20, in Rising Star, with convention opening at three o'clock in the Methodist church auditorium before a gathering of fifty or more club women representing Cisco, Desdemona, Okra and the hostess city, Rising Star. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, of Eastland, president of the Association, and Mrs. Plummer Ashburn, of Desdemona, secretary pro-tem, with Mrs. Reagan of Cisco, parliamentarian, were officers presiding.

The auditorium was a splendid setting in its dress of flags, spring flowers, japonica in the vases, and a large Gilbert Stuart picture of Washington, for the patriotic feature of the program, which opened with the chorus ensemble, "America," followed by a well timed salute to the flag. The usual Federation routine was entered upon with minutes presented by the secretary pro-tem. A motion that carried at that time was amended on this occasion, the body voted to allow serving of simple refreshments when the hostess clubs for Federation meeting desired to serve.

Ceremonial Tree Planting
The Federation voted to purchase a tree and plant same in the county site (Eastland). This to be a gift from the County Federation, as a memorial to the George Washington bicentennial. The committee in charge, Mrs. R. O. Lee, of Cisco, Miss Ruth Ramey of Eastland, will announce later the date, place and hour for the ceremony, which will take place before the 15th of March.

Mrs. George Pee of Cisco reported on Bankhead highway beautification, and requested reports from other Bankhead towns at future meeting of the Federation. Mrs. Perkins reported on the Better Homes work as Eastland County chairman, and presented greeting from Mrs. W. K. Jackson, Eastland Chairman of the 18th District of Better Homes in America, who requested cooperation in work of district. The 20th Century Club of Cisco reported the sale of their club grounds to U. S. Department for Post office site for \$3500.00 cash.

Miss Ruth Ramey gave an interesting portrayal of the yard planning and the County work now in vogue in Rural clubs.

The president, Mrs. Joseph M. Per-



kins, appointed the following as program committees for dates specified:
March, Mrs. W. E. Stallter, chairman, Eastland; Mrs. Plummer Ashburn, Desdemona; Mrs. E. C. Sutton, Gorman; Subject for program, "The American Home."
April: Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Ranger, chairman; committee to be selected. Subject program, "Citizenship and Americanization."
May, Field Day: Program and all arrangements in charge of Miss Ruth Ramey, Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent.

A special feature of the Federation brought the introduction of three honor guests from the Mitchell County Federation. Greetings were given by Mrs. H. H. Braoddu of Colorado, the parliamentarian of the sixth district and past president of that district; Mrs. Sam Majors of Colorado and Mrs. W. W. McCreary of Colorado, the "Poet Laureate" of the sixth district, Texas Federation Women's Clubs and also present chairman of poetry.

Mrs. Wm. Reagan of Cisco, made a gracious gift of printed booklets on parliamentary law to those attending Federation, and expressed her desire to assist every way possible as Parliamentarian of Eastland County Federation.

A delightful program brought an instrumental solo by Miss Gibson of Rising Star and Jean Johnston in reading, "Betsy Ross and the Flag." Mrs. Shepherd of Cisco, gave a pleasing talk on "Washington the Citizen," and Lexie Dean Robertson of Rising Star read a group of patriotic poems, original. Star Spangled Banner in ensemble closed the program. Miss Gibson of Rising Star was piano accompanist for program.

A most hospitable invitation from Mrs. Lexie Dean Robertson to adjourn to her residence for an informal cup of tea, was accepted with pleasure, and the rooms of "Two Oaks" were thronged with the guests responding to the cordial invitation. Flowers, music and soft lights of the attractive interior prepared them to face with greater courage the long and rainy road to their respective towns.

The Federation will meet March 19, place to be announced later. Mrs. W. K. Jackson, Reporter.

PYTHIANS FEATURE PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

The Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters held open house at the Pythian Hall Tuesday evening, featuring a patriotic program centered around the life of Washington.

Flags, pictures of George Washington, and various decorations of red, white and blue crepe paper lent a festive and patriotic air to the hall.

The program was opened with the singing of "America." The biography of Washington was given by eleven girls. A number of entertaining readings were given throughout the program. "Yellow Butterflies," read by Mrs. Gideon of Wichita Falls, was an especially interesting number. Piano solos by Miss Harrell of Ranger and Miss Betty Jo Newman were greatly enjoyed.

A feature of the program was the presentation of George and Martha Washington, who were ushered in by little Edgar Newman playing a drum.

The main speaker of the evening was Mr. J. W. Cockrill of Gorman. Mr. White and Mr. McWilliams also

made talks.

Mrs. Anna Rogers was adopted as mother of the Eastland temple, papers being legally drawn up and signed by a committee. She was presented with a gift from each member.

A quilt made by the Pythian Sisters was auctioned off, bringing about \$15.00. Mr. Frye received the quilt. The Sisters expressed their appreciation to all those who made the auction possible.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, fig bars and bottled pop were served informally.

MRS ROBEY HOSTESS AT FORTY-TWO PARTY

Mrs. Chas. Robey entertained Tuesday evening with a seven table forty-two party at her home on Seaman street.

The hostess was dressed as Martha Washington, and the George Washington color scheme was carried throughout the party.

After a very enjoyable session of forty-two, Mrs. J. C. Creamer delivered a reading, "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," by James Whitcomb Riley.

Delicious refreshments of boiled custard and old fashioned pound cake and Mmes. J. C. Creamer, Will Van Geem, W. B. Harris, C. L. Fields, F. L. Michael, W. A. Martin, M. B. Griffin, Britan, W. E. Coleman, F. D. Robinson, L. A. Cook and J. L. Winkelman.

MRS. NEAL HOSTESS TO BAPTIST LADIES

Circle Number Three of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Neal, 107 E. Hill street.

After a short business session and report of the different committees, the circle studied the first and second chapters of Ephesians. Mrs. Ghent Sanderford, the regular Bible teacher of the circle, was unable to be present on account of the illness of her baby. Mrs. W. J. Herrington brought the lesson.

Mrs. Neal served a delicious refreshment plate consisting of pumpkin pie, angel food cake, and tea to the following members: Mmes. J. B. Overton, W. L. Gann, R. R. Gann, W. J. Herrington, Claud Maynard, and Miss Gretchen Overton.

COPELAN-REYNOLDS MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Copelan of this city have announced the marriage of their daughter, Wayne, to Mr. D. K. Reynolds of Gorman, Texas.

The couple were married last October 19, at Grandfield, Okla.

The bride is a student of Eastland high school and has many friends among the younger set. She is also a talented young artist, some of her paintings having taken prizes in the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

Mr. Reynolds is a graduate of Gorman high school, having played football several seasons. He is a son of Mrs. Martha Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds will make their home in Eastland at present.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Notice of Intention to Marry.
J. B. Coyce, Brockridge, and Miss Grace Belcher, Olden.

Willard Culwell, Rising Star, and Mrs. Lula Brown, Rising Star.

R. S. Horne, Desdemona, and Mrs. Leila Hammond, McCamey.

Marriage Licenses Issued.
Elmer Lisenbee and Miss Stella Ortha Pippen.

J. B. Coyce and Miss Grace Belcher. Willard Culwell and Mrs. Lula Brown.

Suits Filed in 88th District Court.
Guy Dabney vs. J. L. Kennedy, suit on note.

R. C. Fain vs. City of Cisco, clear title.

Suits Filed in 91st District Court.
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George Bryant vs. Community Natural Gas Company, injunction.

Jack Sikes, by next friend, et al, vs. Lone Star Gas Company, damages.

Eastland Firms Serve as Well

All over the city you hear weather talk and all are unanimous that sunshine has turned the bright side of things to the upper side.

Stores are advertising Spring and Easter wear and the garages are talking about reconditioning the old boat for spring.

Bida's top and body works announced an easy payment plan for rebuilding cars and outlines the many services rendered at their shop. Eastland hardly realizes the magnitude of the Bida institution and that the

very latest equipment has been installed, which makes it no longer necessary to go to the larger cities for work of the highest class.

Look about your city. There are places in Eastland that render a service equal to that of most of the larger cities.

Miss Highhat (introduced to man she loved 20 years ago)— I beg pardon, sir, but I did not catch your name. Old Bach— I know you didn't but that is not your fault— you tried hard enough.

Summer Boarder— Have you seen anything around here worth shooting? Farmer Brown — Not until you came.

There may be something you need advertised for sale at a very low price in the Record Want Ads.

Easter Comes Early This Year March 27th - and it's time

you were beginning to think about your new Spring wardrobe! Only one more month to shop, but you will find every stunning ne wstyle and every breath-taking value that your heart desires. here at Burr's!



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**W. M. S. MEETS AT
METHODIST CHURCH**

The WMS of the Methodist church met in joint session at the church Monday afternoon at 2:30. The meeting was opened with song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic." A short business session was held. Announcement that the Elizabeth Pettit circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Bender, Pershing Ave., with Mmes. Mackall, Wilman, on Moss St. On March 9th, Wilman's circle will meet with Mrs. W. B. Collie, Pershing Ave. The circle will meet with Mrs. J. E. Hickman, on Moss Ave. On March 9th, our zone meeting will be held at Gorman in an all day meeting. It is hoped that a large number will be able to attend.

The meeting was turned over to the Leader, Mrs. Leslie. Song, "America Beautiful" was sung by Mrs. A. H. Johnson. Devotional was given by Mrs. T. M. Johnson on "peace."

Message from President Hoover, Mrs. M. H. Kelly.
Washington and American Leaders on War, Women and Peace, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite.
Organization for Peace, Mrs. Leslie.

Song, America.
Prayer, Mrs. Mickle.

The following members were present: Mmes. Frank Jones, J. E. Harbinger, Van Geem, M. H. Kelly, W. B. Collie, Hickman, Gramham, Leslie, A. H. Johnson, Little, Vaught, Kinney, Ernest Jones, Mitchell, Gates, Harris, T. M. Johnson, Mickle, Crowell, Satterwhite, Wilman, Bender, Mackall, Griffin, Coleman, Harrison, T. J. Haley, Sparks.

**LARGE CROWD HEARS
PATRIOTIC PROGRAM**

Practically a capacity crowd filled the auditorium of the Methodist church Sunday morning when the 9:49 Bible Class observed the Washington Bi-centennial with a patriotic program.

Members of the class brought their families and friends, and numbers of visitors from neighboring towns were present.

The special song service was led by

Mr. A. E. Herring, musical director of the class. Two numbers by the Dragoo violin octette won favor with the audience. Mr. John Z. Martin, of Breckenridge, sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Hightower, also of Breckenridge. Judge N. H. Rosenquest pronounced the invocation.

Judge Hickman was at his best, and delivered one of his most inspirational lectures. His subject, in keeping with the occasion, was on the life of Washington, particularly emphasizing the drafting of the United States constitution.

**AT METHODIST
CHURCH SUNDAY**

Following is the program for Sunday services at the Methodist church:

Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Prelude, Mrs. Gibson.
Call to Worship, Choir.
Hymn, No. 208, "I Love Thy Kingdom."

Pastoral prayer.
Responsive Reading, Psalm No. 19, Gloria Patri.
Offertory.
Special, choir.
Sermon, Pastor.
Hymn, No. 312, "O Happy Day."
Benediction.

Postlude, Mrs. Gibson.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Prelude, Mrs. Gibson.
Song, No. 5.
Song, No. 10.
Prayer.
Offertory.
Special.
Sermon.
Song, No. 193.
Benediction.
Postlude, Mrs. Gibson.

**GEORGE WASHINGTON
BICENTENNIAL SERVICE**

A special service was held on February 22 by First Church of Christ, Scientist, as a part of the nation wide celebration of the George Washington bicentennial.

The service included an address on George Washington by the First Reader, in part, as follows:

"Among all men who have attained to an equal degree of prominence, George Washington is one of comparatively few whose public and private lives are conspicuous for the presence of right and the absence of wrong. When his environment is considered, Washington can be seen as conspicuously unselfish.

"Unquestionably, Washington was a man of good character and of good intelligence. When, at the age of forty-two, he was in the Continental Congress of 1774, Patrick Henry said, 'If you speak of solid information and sound judgement, Colonel Washington is unquestionably the greatest man on that floor.'

"Among Washington's most firmly formed traits were his faith in God and his respect for religion, even for other people's religions. When once extremely ill he calmly said, 'I know that I am in the hands of a good Providence.' And he recovered. When the prospect for agreement on a plan of national government seemed remote, when the Constitutional Con-

Succeeds Mellon



Ogden L. Mills, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury under Andrew Mellon and who has discharged many of the duties of his chief in recent months, has been named to succeed him.

vention met in 1787, Washington remarked to his fellow-delegates from Virginia, 'Let us raise a standard to which the wise and honest can repair. The event is in the hands of God.'

"On the whole, therefore, it can be said of George Washington that he served God and men consistently and faithfully, according to what he regarded as his opportunities; that he did this unselfishly, and that no lapse of time is likely to dim either the value or the virtue of his service."

A lesson-sermon prepared especially for this occasion was ready by the First and Second Readers. One of the Scriptural passages contained in this lesson-sermon was Deuteronomy 10:12, 13:

"What doth the Lord God require of thee, but to fear the Lord thy God, to walk in all his ways, and to love him, and to serve the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul, To keep the commandments of the Lord, and his statutes, which I command thee this day for thy good?"

Correlative citations from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, were as follows (pp 4, 192):

"Simply asking that we may love God will never make us love Him; but the longing to be better and holier, expressed in daily watchfulness and in striving to assimilate more of the divine character, will mould and fashion us anew, until we awake in His likeness. . . . Whatever holds human thought in line with unselfed love, receives directly the divine power."

The solo was "The Lord is My Shepherd; and the reading of the "scientific statement of being" from the Christian Science textbook, its correlative Scripture, and the benediction from Ephesians 3:20, 21, concluded the service.

**TRAINING SCHOOL
STARTS HERE MAR. 6**

The Annual Standard Training School for the Cisco district will begin a six day session at the First Methodist Church here March 6, at 2:00 p. m.

The following courses will be offered: Teaching children, Mrs. E. W. Wilson, Muskogee, Okla.; The program and organization of young people's division, Mrs. A. W. Hall, Fort Worth; The program of the Christian religion, Mrs. C. H. Booth, Cisco; Christian Stewardship, Rev. F. E. Singleton, Taylor; Old Testament Prophecy, Rev. Geo. W. Shearer.

This is an annual affair and is always well attended. This school draws students from all the charges in the district.

Plan to take one of these courses. Get books from B. E. McGlamery. Read the text through at least once before the school opens if possible.

**BAPTIST CIRCLE ONE
HAS MEETING MONDAY**

Circle number one of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lovett. The devotional, taken from the 22nd chapter of Luke, was led by Mrs. Seed. Mrs. Don Brewer sang "Neath the Old Olive Tree." "The Christian Life of George Washington" was presented by Mrs. John Mayes. "America" was sung, and the minutes read. The stewardship report revealed thirteen systematic givers. The personal service report was heard, and Mrs. Parker consented to be periodical chairman. The Bible lesson, from Ephesians 1 and 2, was given by Rev. Muston.

The circle adjourned to meet with Mrs. T. L. Parker the first Monday in March.



Stuffed Potatoes
Stuffed potatoes are a delicious main stay for luncheon. Of course, you need rather large potatoes for stuffing.

One well known restaurant makes a specialty of mealy baked potatoes which are a meal in themselves, though they are not stuffed. They are served split open both ways, with a tablespoon of butter in each, a tablespoon of chili sauce, and a tablespoon of grated cheese. The result is really a stuffed potato. And delicious.

Round Sandwich

Here is a delicious sandwich: Slice skinned tomatoes that have been thoroughly chilled, quite thin. Butter rounds of bread the same size as the tomato slices. Spread one slice with mayonnaise and the other with very finely minced celery, onion or parsley. Put one slice of tomato between these two slices of bread. Press neatly together. These were very successfully served at a tea the other day.

Easy Apple Sauce

An easy way to make apple sauce is to wash the apples, pull out the stems, and cut the apples in quarters or eighths. Then put them over the fire with enough water to cover, stew until tender, press them through a sieve, sweeten to taste, return to the fire for a couple of minutes until the sugar is dissolved and if necessary add a little more water to make the apple sauce of the right consistency.

Stuffed Lamb Cutlets

Prepare six lamb chops by trimming and removing fat and skin. Have ready a generous four ounces of chopped veal mixed with the yolk of an egg, tablespoon of top milk, pepper and salt. Broil the chops for

two or three minutes on one side only. Place generous spoonfuls of veal mixture on the cooked side of each chop. Place the chop with the uncooked side down in a baking dish which has been well oiled. Do not add water as there will be sufficient moisture for the dish to cook in its own juices. Cover the baking dish or casserole tightly and bake for about fifteen minutes. Serve on toast with any desired sauce, tomato, mushroom or some other savory vegetable.

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Wedlong— My dear, it's no use for you to look at those hats; I haven't more than a dollar in my pocket.
Mrs. Wedlong— You might have known when we came out that I'd want to buy a few things.
Wedlong— I did.

First Stude— Wasn't that a juicy lecture by Professor McCullom on "The Culture of Prunes."
Second Stude— It surely was. He was so full of his subject.

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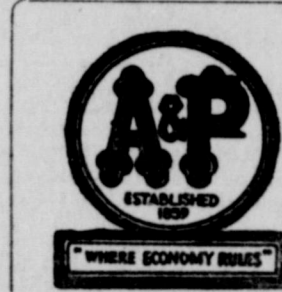
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Mary Pickford

in

"KIKI"



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BULK PEANUT BUTTER Pound 10c

PURE PORK SAUSAGE 3 Pounds 25c

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