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EASTLAND By JOE THOMAS COOK

Eastland has a new industry. Ernest Jones, manager of the local ice plant of the Texas Public Utilities Corporation, announced this week that his company has recently installed the necessary equipment for a meat curing plant.

Mr. Jones recently attended a meat curing school conducted in Dallas by the Morton Salt Company and gained from this school information necessary for the establishment of a plant.

Within the last two weeks an Eastland County Livestock Association has been organized and this meat curing plant should prove to be an asset to this organization and to the county as a whole.

Proposals on sites for the new postoffice building which will be constructed in Eastland within the near future are scheduled to be opened next week, November 25, in Washington.

Eastland showed its willingness to co-operate with the Lone Star and Community Natural Gas companies last week when about forty Eastland citizens and officials of these companies met and discussed their problems.

The citizens praised the companies for the high caliber men they are employing in Eastland as managers and supervisors, and referred particularly to Frank V. Williams, manager of the local office of the Community Natural Gas Company, and to Sam Gamble, of the Lone Star Gas Company.

NOTICE

On account of publication day falling on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, the Weekly Record will go to press one day early next week, all forms being closed Wednesday afternoon and the paper being delivered Thursday morning.

Readers are requested to take special notice of next week's issue, as special announcements of the merchants' fall carnival will be made. This event is expected to be an important one. Don't miss it.

The merchants are asked to please furnish all copy as early as possible. Practically all advertising copy should be in Tuesday. THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Murphy of Cisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilcox during the week-end. Mrs. Murphy is a sister of Mrs. J. M. Wilcox.

Mrs. McCarty Is Made Chairman of Red Cross Drive

Mrs. Milburn McCarty has accepted the local chairmanship of the annual Red Cross roll call being held here November 17-24, Dr. H. B. Tanner, Red Cross committeeman, announced this week.

The following committee will assist Mrs. McCarty in the roll call: Meses. Virgil Seaberry, Scott Key, P. G. Russell, Joe T. Cook, C. U. Connelley, R. L. Sikes, J. H. Cheatham, Jr., E. E. Freychlag, J. M. Perkins, Will A. Martin, Neil Day, O. E. Harvey, F. M. Kenny, R. G. Porter, L. R. Gray, Bryan Brelsford, Horace Conley, and Misses Sadie Brewer, Peggie McLaughlin, Edna Day, and Margaret Hart.

Eastland's quota for this year has been set at \$500. Fifty cents of each membership fee goes to national headquarters, the remainder being retained for use in Eastland County.

Five classes of memberships in the organization are divided as follows, according to J. E. Spencer of Cisco, county Red Cross chairman.

Annual membership — \$1, of which 50 cents goes to the national

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Theater Helps In Old Clothes Drive

John Burke manager of the Lyric Theater is cooperating with the Chamber of Commerce in its annual old clothes drive by showing "Daddy Long Legs" at a matinee Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, charging an admission some sort of wearable garment.

The clothes will be turned over to the Chamber of Commerce for distribution to needy people this winter. Any kind of old garments, shoes, and hats that are clean and wearable will be accepted.

Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter will star in the picture. Other features of the entertainment will be a cartoon and the opening chapter of a new serial, "The Last Frontier." This program has been made up to have special appeal to children, but adults will be admitted, Mr. Burke said.

This drive for clothing is especially needed this year, as requests for aid are constantly being received at the Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Tanner explained. All cases cannot be taken care of without cooperation from Eastland people. They are urged to send in all old garments to help clothe people who would otherwise be cold during these winter months.

Garments will be received at the Chamber of Commerce office at any time.

Window Carnival Starts Next Week

Eastland's Christmas party and window carnival planned by local merchants for the month preceding Christmas will open Friday and Saturday, November 25 and 26, H. C. Davis, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association, announced Thursday. Window displays and an especially arranged program of entertainment will be offered during the two days.

Band concerts, amusements, and holiday festivities as well as special values in Christmas merchandise will be offered by merchants. The window carnival will continue through Christmas Eve. A visit from Santa Claus has been arranged for the children.

Announcement of the opening two-day program will be made in next week's Record. Other activities will be announced at later dates.

Joe Crockett has returned to his home in Whitesboro after visiting here in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. M. Wilcox.

Mavericks Confident as They Leave For Game with Abilene This Morning

Undaunted by defeat at the hands of the Breckenridge Buckaroos and the Ranger Bulldogs, the Eastland Mavericks will leave this morning for their third conference tilt with the Abilene Eagles in Abilene this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The game had been scheduled for Saturday, but high school officials announced the middle of this week that the game had been set up to Friday because a larger crowd could attend.

Reserved seat tickets for the game will be on sale this morning until 11 o'clock at the Corner Drug Store, W. P. Palm, principal of Eastland High School, said. A special train was planned during the week, but high school officials were unable to obtain pledges from 200 people to attend the game. Mr. Palm urges that people in Eastland who can furnish cars for transportation of high school students call

high at the high school this morning. Although definitely out of the conference championship race, the Mavericks are bent on defeating the Eagles, the state champions of last year. Their hard play against Breckenridge in spite of injuries and their last quarter rally in the Ranger game to score two touchdowns in the same number of minutes indicate that the Mavericks are capable of handing the Eagles a drubbing.

Here is the conference record of the two teams so far this season. Abilene was defeated by the Ranger Bulldogs 20 to 0, while Eastland suffered a 34 to 13 beating by the same team.

Abilene beat Breckenridge last week-end 14 to 7, while the Mavericks outplayed the Buckaroos the first half to lose the fray 20 to 0. The Eagles have also beaten Brownwood 20 to 6.

Jury in Bida Case Again Dismissed

The jury in the retrial of the Frank Bida arson case was dismissed at 9 o'clock Thursday morning by Judge Elzo Been of the 88th district court after it had failed to reach a verdict after being out since 11:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The jurors in the case stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

The Bida case was first set for June, but was continued to the September term of the court. The trial in September resulted in a hung jury, and the retrial this week was terminated in the same manner.

Bida was on trial in connection with the burning of his service station on West Commerce Street last March. Sam H. Baskin, who was employed by Bida, was the principal witness in the case.

Allen D. Dabney, local attorney, and Gib Calloway of Brownwood were attorneys for the defense, while Joe H. Jones, district attorney; Grady Owen, assistant district attorney; and Milton Lawrence were prosecuting attorneys in the case.

Record Increases Page Size Today

Readers of the Weekly Record this week will notice an increase in the page size of the paper. Heretofore the paper has been six columns wide, but with this issue the new 7-column width was begun. The depth of the page has been increased, also.

This typographical change will make a more attractive-looking paper and at the same time provide space for more news than has heretofore been available.

The Record wishes to thank its readers and advertisers who by their interest and support have made possible the advancement that the Record has shown since it has been established. Improvements are being made both from an editorial and mechanical standpoint almost every month in an effort to better serve the town and its citizenship.

Miss Dragoo Plays At Rotary Meeting

Members of the Eastland Rotary Club were entertained at their noon luncheon Monday with a program of violin selections by Miss Wilda Dragoo, local artist, who was accompanied at the piano by her sister, Mrs. Wanda Dragoo Beall of San Angelo.

A classification talk was given by C. A. Angstadt. Earl Bender and Mr. Angstadt were in charge of program arrangements.

MISS BROGDEN BETTER

Miss Lucille Brogden, who has been ill the past five weeks, is improving, reports from her home said Thursday. She is able to sit up this week, and is receiving visitors.

Thompson Is New Methodist Pastor

The Rev. Sam G. Thompson, newly-appointed pastor of the Eastland Methodist Church, arrived this week to assume his duties as the successor of the Rev. George W. Shearer, who has been assigned to the pastorate of the Methodist Church in Arlington. Rev. Thompson will fill the local pulpit Sunday.

The Thompson family arrived this week from Coleman, their former charge. Rev. Thompson is well known by Methodists here, having been pastor at Weatherford, Graham, and several other towns of this section and presiding elder of this and other districts. Mrs. Thompson is president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Central Texas Conference.

Rev. and Mrs. Shearer left Thursday morning for Arlington. Rev. Shearer has been pastor of the Eastland church for the past four years and during the past few months has carried the additional work of presiding elder of the Cisco district, that position being vacated by the illness and death of Dr. Cullom H. Booth.

Smith Presiding Elder

The Rev. C. Q. Smith, former superintendent of the Methodist hospital at Fort Worth, was named presiding elder of the Cisco district. Following are the appointments for this district:

- Cisco District: C. Q. Smith, presiding elder; Breckenridge, Kenneth Pope; Bunyan, R. A. Walker; Cadjo, W. J. Cloud; Carbon, W. G. Gwaltney; Cisco, First, O. O. Odum; Cisco, Twelfth Street, B. W. Kramer; Cross Cut, Alvin Mauldin; DeLeon Station, C. C. Henson; DeLeon Circuit, R. T. Wallace; Desdemona, Z. L. Howell; Dublin, P. W. Walker; Eastland, Sam G. Thompson; Eolian, Paul W. Evans; Gorman, C. O. Hightower; Ranger, Gid J. Bryan; Rising Star, C. N. Morton; Scranton, G. G. Smith.

Eastland Woman Present at TWFC

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins attended a meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held at Corpus Christi November 7-10. She reports an attendance of 292 women at the convention. Mrs. Perkins, who was the only representative from Eastland, is district director of publicity for the sixth district.

Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole of Massachusetts, honor guest for the occasion, is a personal friend of Mrs. Perkins.

DR. LOVETT VISITS

Dr. Poe Lovett, who has been doing intern work at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovett, in Eastland. Dr. Lovett graduated from Baylor University in 1927, took his doctor of medicine degree from the University of Chicago in 1931, and has been doing intern work at the Charity hospital since that time.

Men to Start Work Under Relief Fund Here Next Monday

Forty men will begin work Monday morning improving the high school grounds under the supervision of the local unemployment relief committee, members of the committee announced late this week.

A check for \$15,495.05 was given to members of the local committee when they made a trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday of this week. This is half of the \$32,000 appropriated to this county for relief work during the months of November and December. The other half will be ready for use December 1.

A meeting of the county-wide work relief committee will be held this afternoon in the county courtroom and division of the money will be made and plans formulated for the use of the money. The money will be distributed to the different towns of this county, it is thought, in the same proportion as is the Red Cross flour. Under this arrangement Eastland will receive \$6,400 for the months of November and December.

Members of the local committee which will have charge of the unemployment work during the winter follow: Milburn McCarty,

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460 Yards of Cloth Given Out in Week

Red Cross cloth will be given out at the workrooms in the Chamber of Commerce offices only on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, Mrs. W. E. Stalter, supervisor, announced this week. She and her assistants will not work today, but will be at the office tomorrow to cut and distribute the cloth and aid in making garments for those unable to sew for themselves.

Approximately 460 yards of materials was distributed from Wednesday, November 9, to Wednesday, November 16, making a total of 2264 yards given away here.

Members of local organizations who have helped with the work this week are as follows:

- Music Club: Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, Mrs. Glenn Stire, Church of God: Mrs. E. F. Gandow. First Christian Church: Mrs. T. L. Cooper, Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath, Mrs. Will M. Wood. Pythian Sisters: Mrs. D. B. Rank. Thursday Afternoon Study Club: Mrs. Horace M. Conley, Mrs. W. A. Whitley.

Penney Employees Attend Meeting

Employees of the J. C. Penney stores of Breckenridge, Cisco, Eastland and Ranger were guests of the Ranger store Monday night at a store meeting and truke dinner. Forty-five people attended.

The program was in charge of Roy Gilbreath, manager of the Ranger store. Gene Shockley, of Cisco, Allen Sneed of Eastland, and Baker Glenn, manager of the Breckenridge store, spoke on various phases of store problems. G. S. Stire, manager at Eastland, directed a quiz on merchandise and attendant problems, the answers taking the form of a round table discussion.

Those attending from Eastland were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stire and children, Betty and Bob. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Noell, Allen Sneed, and Miss Winnie Snider.

HARSCHE TO LECTURE

"Christian Science: the Road of Spiritual Achievement," is the topic of a lecture to be given by Paul A. Harsch of Toledo, Ohio, at the City Hall auditorium here Tuesday night, November 22, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Harsch is a member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Definite Plan for Liquidating City Bonds Approve

Pecan Association Sponsors Show In Rising Star Today

Pecan organizations of Texas and pecan growers everywhere are invited to join the West Texas Pecan Association in its fall meeting and annual pecan show to be held at Rising Star today and tomorrow, November 18 and 19, E. M. Howard, president of the association, announced this week. Exhibits are requested and pecan growers are invited to participate in the two days' program.

Visitors will be guests of Rising Star business men at a goat barbecue today noon. A banquet tonight will demonstrate the uses of pecans in the diet.

Among those speaking and otherwise taking part on the program will be Bill Millican; Frank Moore; Dad Burkett of Texas Department of Agriculture; Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald; H. G. Lucas, president of the National Pecan Marketing Association; Jimmie Roseborough, horticulturist of the A. and M. Extension Service; Miss Sallie Hill, district home demonstration agent; Dr. Smith of the U. S. Pecan Laboratory in Austin.

Premiums Given.

Registration begins at 11 o'clock this morning in the exhibit building. Premiums of \$1 first, 50 cents second, and ribbon third are offered on each variety of pecans according to the following classification of quarts: Westerns: Burkett, Halbert, Western Schley, Texas Prolific, Alexander, other Westerns, Walnuts. Easterns: Success, Schley, Stuart, Delmas, Mahan, other Easterns. Seedlings: Largest nuts, highest shelling percentage, easiest sheller, best quality meat, best commercial nut.

The National Nut News offers a year's subscription each to the individual making the most entries, Western varieties predominating, and to the individual making the most entries, Eastern varieties predominating.

Parcel post entries should be mailed to E. M. Howard, Pecan Fair, Rising Star, Texas. Quart exhibit jars will be provided for parcel post entries. If return postage is not sent, exhibits will be held and used in the Texas Pecan exhibit at Chicago World's Fair.

Seedling pecans should be sent in two-pound samples, as arrangements have been made for delivering one pound of each worthy seedling entry to A. and M. College for testing to determine their commercial value.

Pythian Glee Club Here Sunday Night

The Girls Mandolin and Glee Club of the Pythian Home at Weatherford will give a program at the Baptist Church here Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. John Lee Smith of Throckmorton, Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Texas, will speak.

The program is an open house affair sponsored by the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters of Eastland.

Officials of the local lodge say that Mr. Smith is one of the outstanding speakers of the era, and that he will bring a message of material benefit to every citizen of Eastland, regardless of fraternal or religious connections. Girls from the home will be the guests of the Pythian Sisters at a dinner in the local lodge hall before returning to Weatherford Sunday night.

Harry Taylor is out of town this week on a hunting trip.

That Eastland now has a definite plan for the liquidation of bonded indebtedness was approved Tuesday night when the City Commission accepted the report of a sub-committee composed of Springer, Earl Conner, James Beard, J. E. Lewis, and Earl Der.

The City Commission and a committee of 25 citizens, chosen mass meeting several months ago, have been working continuously with representatives of the Crummer Bond Company in a effort to reach a satisfactory plan for the payment of the city's bonded indebtedness. The sub-committee which reported Tuesday night appointed by the general city committee to investigate and the different proposals of the company and decide which will be the most advantageous to city.

The proposal of the Crummer company which the Commission and the committee to accept is outlined as follows:

Proposal Explained

First, that the tax rate on city be maintained at the constitutional maximum of \$2.50 per valuation, and that \$1.25 be used for the operating expenses of the city government, a remaining \$1.25 be used to the bonds. The total of the bonded indebtedness is now \$700,000, and under this new plan will be reduced to \$771,000 saving of \$264,700.

Instead of an interest rate from 5 to 6 per cent as it is at the present time, the contract carries a rate of 2 per cent for the first fifteen years, which period, it will be increased 3 per cent, then to 4 per cent during the last few years. Total 30-year period it will be at 5 per cent.

The total taxable value of city as shown on the tax roll this year are \$2,143,000, or half of what they were in 1910. For convenience the commission and citizens' committee work on the basis that the property of the city would be \$2,000,000 the 30-year period, at which time the entire indebtedness will have been liquidated.

Talks by Members On Lions Program

Talks by several members of the club comprised the program of the Lions Club at their luncheon day noon on the Connelley Hotel.

Earl Woody, vice president of the club, presided in the absence of President George Harper. Lion Bittle, who with John Conner constituted the entertainment committee, talked on the occasion of Book Week, which had been observed throughout the city this week. He urged that citizens present good books to the public library and the school libraries and pointed out the impetus is needed in the way of worthwhile literature. Lion Conner announced the benefit sponsored by the West Wa. A. Tuesday night at the school.

Lions Ernest Jones and Patterson explained to the club the new meat curing plant has been installed here by the Public Utilities Corporation. Lion Jones is local manager and will supervise the meat plant.

Expression of the hope that a bank would be established in Eastland before the first of the year was made by Lion Stire, who has been active with a group of interested citizens in investigating and into bankers who were interested in Eastland. A banker who had investigated thoroughly group has accepted an offer to come to Eastland and meet interested citizens.

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Friday, November 18, 1932.

EASTLAND'S CREDIT RATING

In everyday business life the individual is judged to a large degree by his credit rating. In business transactions one person asks about another. "Does he pay his debts?" And credit rating test is perhaps the best there is in the business world. It is a measuring stick of a man's financial ability.

As it is with individuals, so it is with the group—the corporation or the city.

This week the City Commission took a step that will establish the credit rating of the city of Eastland in the state. It will restore confidence in the city and inspire optimism here at home. It will restore confidence in Eastland, and her institutions. The City Commission indicated by accepting a definite plan for the retirement of the city bonds that it would make a concerted effort to pay the city's debts.

The commission, realizing that it needed the assistance and aid of the town in this problem of choosing a plan for the liquidation of the city's bonded indebtedness, called a mass meeting several months ago and

a committee of 25 citizens was chosen to help the commission in this work.

Many months of work has been required for the commission and this committee to study the plans and proposals of the bond company, and some of the influential citizens have given a generous portion of their time in evolving what they believe to be the best plan for the city. It will not be known for several years, perhaps, whether or not this plan will be entirely successful, but the City Commission and this committee are due the plaudits and commendation of the entire town.

This plan, when it is definitely put into operation, will unquestionably be an asset to Eastland—it will establish the credit rating of the city, inspire more optimism in town, attract more people to our town and encourage larger companies to locate here.

"STATIC"



By J. L. COTTINGHAM

Ye editor has been trading cars. I traded two cars, a cow and a calf, a half-grown donkey, three cases of beer bottles with two bottles broken, and a pair of slightly used sock supporters for a new car. I am going to miss the Whippet but I am hoping it will eventually find a good home.

The Power Plant Lake is going to be sold at the courthouse door. I am going down and bid a dollar six bits on it. If I buy it, I am going to call Jack Lewis every month and tell him that if he does not pay the water bill, I will shut

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



DICK DALTON OF LAMAR, MO. WHISTLES WITH HIS MOUTH OPEN...

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him off. The Liars Club is almost abandoned. Most of them have gone deer hunting. Curtis Kimbrell, one of the Welch brothers and Jude Funk went out together. Jim Horton went along with Dr. Johnson, Frank Day and Bill Martin—this is good business because one of those fellows will shoot a deer for Jim. Harvey Huffman and Horace Oldham went but not together. Doc Chaney, Doc Caton, Doc Poe, Doc Carter, C. J. Rhodes and Fred Maxey have gone together to New Mexico—we hope the farmers down there will have sense enough to keep their milk cows in the barn until they get back. And Rhodes and Toad Earnest have also rented cow pastures to sleep in. We will never know the truth about what happens on these hunts but we will have to listen to a lot of long-winded stories later.

Jude Funk went to the Ranger Rodeo. There was a clown trying to lead a donkey by the tail and telling the crowd that that was the way Hoover had us for the past five years. Jude thought he would help out and said that we led better than the donkey did. The clown retorted, "Shut up young man, one jackass at a time is all I can handle." After that Jude went home. Jim Horton found himself the embarrassed possessor of a stolen gun. The sheriff had never traded with Jim and thought him honest, so his story of how he got the gun was accepted. Jim involved Red Peters and Red involved several others, all of whom claimed that they came by the gun honestly. Jim bought the owner a new gun which we consider very praiseworthy because we know how deeply it hurt him to part with the money.

Bagley is working again and claiming to enjoy it. Jim Pratley says he always gives his friends good measure—I do not seem to be one of his friends. George Karantonis has laid his fly-swatter away for the winter. Carl Johnson and Sid Pitzer eat breakfast together every morning—about nine o'clock. Miss Ruth Ramey does not seem to be wearing the red sweater this year—we regret this very much and hope she will take it up again. Ed Sparr said he found a nice lady's pair of gloves or a nice pair of ladies gloves at the election booth. We do not know which he said and we have not seen the gloves. This was supposed to run last week. Bell Smith is back in town. Jim Harrell says it was freezing yesterday—this may be true but we are sure Jim did not think it was true or he would not have told it. We suggest that Joe Cole get him a sign painted to read, "SEMI-ANNUAL GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE." That is not original—I read it somewhere.

In answer to R. S.'s letter. Miss Genevieve Lyon is not red headed—at least not this season—we believe you are confusing her with her sister, Mrs. Keene. Grady Pipkin and Jim Harrell went to Ranger together. They are not kin—Grady just invited him to go along. Otis Knox seems to have lost some of his flying enthusiasm. We have too—it is too cold upstairs. Mrs. Achley says she always serves soup without getting her finger in it—we hope this is true. Mabel is now boss of the Court. Mrs. Agnes Harwood Doyle (I) is going to Fort Worth to take her pilot's examination. We all wish her the best of luck. I saw a girl getting a per-

manent the other day. She had a tin hat, with wires coming out of it. Once I saw a man in the electric chair—he also had a tin hat with wires leading out of it. Further deponent sayeth not. I thank you.

Eastland Hi News

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

As soon as the senior class was organized, the students elected their officers. A nomination committee of five was selected by the sponsors, Miss Doris Powell and Mr. J. O. Brothers, to select the most capable students for the offices of president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer. Estes Burgamy was elected president. As we all know, Estes is one of our football and basketball players. He is also a good track man. We think Estes will give us his best cooperation.

For the vice president the class elected Lee Taylor. Lee is capable to take the place of the president at any time. He was one of our best football, basketball, and track men last year. Lee does not have much to do but we know that he is capable to do anything that he is called upon to do.

Florence Perkins was elected secretary-treasurer. She has held this office every year since she has been in high school. Last year she wrote for the newspaper and represented Eastland High School in the essay contest, and won first place at the county meet. We hope that she does the same this year. The seniors are proud to have such capable officers and hope that the following graduating classes can do as well.

Teachers Over the Week End.

Most of the teachers attended the Eastland-Ranger game. Mr. Palm attended the Ranger-Eastland game and enjoyed the rest of the week here. Coach and Mrs. Gibson attended the game and later motored to Abilene. Mr. Brothers attended the game on Friday with Ranger and on Saturday he was official at the football game between Sweetwater and Colorado. Miss Doris Powell spent the week end in Dallas. We wonder who he is? Miss Leslie Word went to Fort Worth, attended the T. C. U. and Texas game. The remaining part of the week she spent with her mother. Mr. Layton attended the T. C. U. and Texas game. Miss Lois Nelson left Thursday for Clyde where she visited her parents until Sunday. Miss Viola Dover spent the week end with her parents, at her home in Stephenville. Mrs. Kinnard remained in Eastland over the week end. June Hargus went to Lubbock

See Men's Shop ad on page 4.

Hamner Undertaking Company Day Ph. 17--Night Ph. 564 AMBULANCE SERVICE Day or Night

The General Property Tax

Prepared by the State Educational Committee

A common defect in the operation of the general property tax is the tendency for the ratio of assessed to true value to decrease as the value of the property increases. The less valuable properties pay more taxes to the state per \$100 of true value than do the more valuable. This may be due to the inability of local officials to assess valuable properties correctly, or it may be due to other reasons, but the fact remains that the tax is a relatively greater burden on the poor property owner than on the rich. The Texas Tax Commission of 1899 stated that the wealthy property owner pays least in proportion to what he possesses and the small holder of property pays the most. In some instances properties of little value are assessed at more than their sales price.

A study in Caldwell county revealed the fact that in 1923 the average ratio of assessed to true value for acreage property worth \$2500 or less was 39.1 per cent, whereas the average rate of assessment of acreage property worth \$2501 and more was 28.7 per cent. The corresponding figures for 1926 were 40.1 per cent and 30 per cent, indicating that the burden of state property taxes was one-third greater on the owners of farms worth less than \$2501 than it was on the owners of farms more val-

uable than that. Another recent comparison of assessments and sales values indicates that the group of farms and town lots having the highest average sales price has the lowest ratio of assessment to sales. It was found that farms selling for an average of \$9,000 to \$10,000 were assessed at 20 per cent or less of their sales price, while farms selling for an average of \$2,000 to \$3,000 were assessed at 50-70 per cent of their sales price. The following is a concrete example of how the general property tax works: Of two properties in a certain county, in which the assessment for state and county purposes was claimed to be 50 per cent, one sold for \$11,000 and the other for \$40,000. The first property was assessed at \$3,375, or 30.7 per cent of its sales value, and the second was assessed at \$4425 which was 11.1 per cent of its sales value. Therefore the property worth \$11,000 paid nearly three times as much per \$100 of sales value in state taxes as did the property which sold for \$40,000.

From report by Richard Gonzalez, working under direction of Doctors B. F. Pittenger and E. T. Miller, University of Texas, and Mr. L. P. Gabbard, A. and M. College of Texas. Investigation financed by T. S. T. A.

Demonstration Council Meets

The Eastland County Home Demonstration Council met Saturday, November 12, in the 38th district court room in the courthouse here. Mrs. Lee Burkhead of Rising Star, chairman, presided at the meeting. Roll call was answered by 25 representatives from nine clubs.

Announcements were made concerning the recreation institute to be held in Eastland in December, the County Federation meeting in Cisco November 19, and the Christmas party to be given by the Coun-

ty Federation of Women's Clubs in December.

where he attended the Texas Tech and Baylor game. Miss Bell Wilson went to Abilene where she is taking a course in English.

See Men's Shop ad on page 4.

A NEW FAD Today they are driving by and taking ice cream home with them.

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Mrs. Ira Maley of Decatur is visiting in Eastland this week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Luther Belew.

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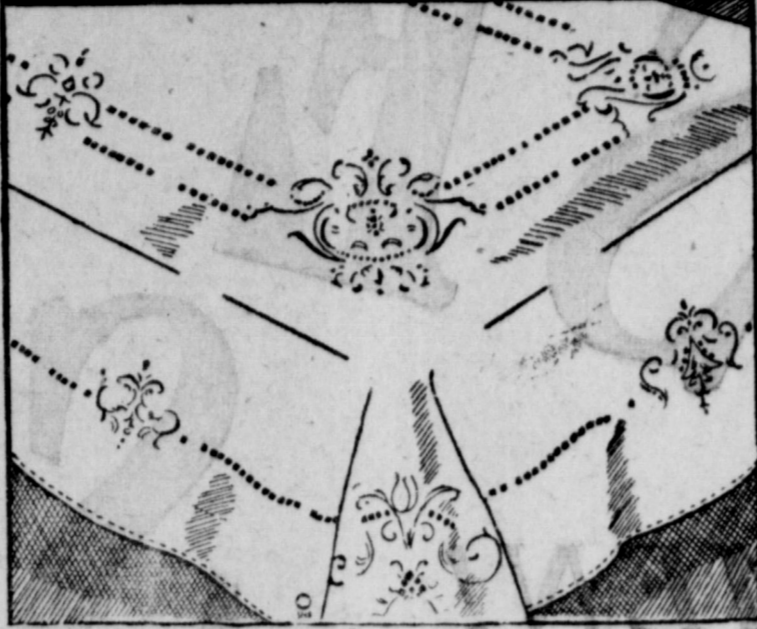
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Dainty Chemises and Dance Sets, lavishly trimmed with imported lace; also tailored styles. All sizes in Tea Rose or Flesh. An excellent Christmas Gift!

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A complete closeout. All must go. Shoes selling up to \$6.00 are included at only—
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**EASTLAND SOCIAL EVENTS
and CHURCH NEWS**

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**Armistice Program
Attended by 300**

The Armistice Day program sponsored by the 9:49 Bible class last Sunday morning was attended by about 300 people from Eastland and Breckenridge. Thirty-four members of the Morning Tower Bible Class of Breckenridge were registered, while members of the local class with their families and friends and several other visiting classes of the Sunday school made

up the rest of the congregation. Judge J. E. Hickman lectured on the Sunday school lesson, and the Hon. James G. Harrell of Breckenridge gave an Armistice address. Dr. H. B. Tanner extended the welcome address, which was responded to by C. W. Newby of Breckenridge. Musical selections were furnished by Mrs. John C. Ward and John Z. Martin, soloists, both of Breckenridge, and Miss Wilda Drago, violinist, of Eastland. Preceding the program a sing song of war-time favorites was led by

Frank Pierce, John W. Turner acted as master of ceremonies. At the close of the program taps was sounded by Raymond Lovett and Clyde Chaney, Boy Scout buglers. The church auditorium was decorated for the occasion by Boy Scouts, who erected a realistic army camp scene as the central figure in the decorations.

**Baptist WMS Has
Bible Lesson**

A business session and monthly Bible lesson were held by members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. W. D. R. Owen presided at the meeting in the absence of Mrs. S. C. Walker, president, who was attending the Baptist Convention in Abilene. A song opened the program, after which the devotional was led by Mrs. R. L. Young. During the business session, four delegates were elected to represent the local society at the convention in session this week in Abilene. The ear of supplies to be sent to the orphan's home was discussed, and further arrangements made to secure donations. An interesting Bible lesson was taught by Rev. O. B. Darby, pastor. Prayer closed the meeting.

**Mrs. Mason Speaks
to Methodist WMS**

Mrs. J. P. Mason of Scarrett College, a training school for missionaries located at Memphis, Tennessee, spoke on life at the college at Monday's meeting of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society. The meeting was opened at the church at 2:30 o'clock, with the president, Mrs. J. E. Hickman, in charge of the business period. Announcement was made that the superintendent of supplies, Mrs. J. E. Coleman, is preparing a box to be sent to the Virginia K. Johnson home in Dallas by Thanksgiving. Next Monday will be the day of prayer, the meeting opening at the church promptly at ten o'clock. Committees on arrangements and program were read by the president. Mrs. Mason's instructive talk followed. Under the direction of Mrs. W. P. Leslie, the concluding lesson in the mission study, "Living Issues in China," was given. Mrs. Leslie took her devotional lesson from St. Mark, the fourth chapter, after which the song, "The Kingdom Is Coming," was sung, followed by a prayer by Mrs. T. M. Johnson. A review of the book, "The Good Earth," was given by Mrs. Joe Stephens, bringing out mainly the hardships and sufferings of the Chinese women. Song, "God Be With You," was sung, and the meeting dismissed with a prayer

by Mrs. McGlamery. The following members and visitors were present: Mmes. J. E. Hickman, M. H. Kelly, W. P. Leslie, Joe Stephens, Frank Sparks, M. B. Griffin, Ed Graham, Milton Newman, Iola Mitchell, T. M. Johnson, Gates, T. J. Haley, T. M. Collier, D. J. Jobe, Guy Dunnam, Frank Jones, Hawley, Marlow, Bert McGlamery, Claude Stablefield, P. L. Crossley, F. D. Hale, and visitors, Mmes. Q. A. Mouser, T. L. Gates and J. P. Mason.

**Bible Class Has
Lesson Review**

A review of past lessons was studied at the meeting of the Ladies' Bible Class of the Church of Christ Monday afternoon, when members met for the weekly session at the church. The opening song, "Face to Face," was led by Mrs. J. R. Boggs. Mrs. B. E. Roberson led in prayer, and Mrs. Lorette Herring had charge of the lesson period. Those attending were: Mmes. J. T. Boggs, R. B. Reagan, Harry Wood, Hoyt Davis, B. E. Roberson, R. L. Rowe, J. T. Sue, Kellett, J. R. Crossley, James Graham, H. E. Everett, H. E. Lawrence, N. K. Pratlley, H. C. Duke, Guy Sherrill, Gerald Wingate, Percy Harris, Downtain, Lorette Herring, J. D. Reed, and D. L. Childress.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE**

Sunday school attendance as reported at Eastland churches Sunday, November 13, is as follows:

Methodist	401
Baptist	239
Church of Christ	115
Church of God	58
Presbyterian	56
Christian	55

Mrs. L. E. Beaty was confined to her home the early part of this week on account of illness. Dr. L. A. Neil of El Paso spent the week end here in the home of his sister, Mrs. Jep F. Little.

See Men's Shop ad on page 4.

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Under Management of
B. P. BRADFORD
"Highest Class Work"
OUR MOTTO
A Visit by You Will Be
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**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
CHURCHES**

"Mortals and Immortals" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, November 13. Among the passages read from the Bible was the following from I Corinthians 15: "Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit cor-

ruption . . . For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality." The following citation together with others from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy was also read: "Mortals will disappear, and immortals, or the Children of God, will appear as the only and eternal verities of man . . . Mor-

tality is finally swallowed up in immortality. Sin, sickness, and death must disappear to give place to the facts which belong to immortal man. Learn this, O mortal, and earnestly seek the spiritual status of man, which is outside of all material selfhood" (p. 479).

See Men's Shop ad on page 4.

WEEK END VALUES!

Iona PEACHES Sliced or Halves Large can 10c		SAUERKRAUT Large can 10c 2 med. cans 13c
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Van Camp's Hominy	2 med. cans 9c Large can 7c
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Goldust Washing Powder Sm. box 2c Large 15c	Oranges Large Size Doz. 25c	Potatoes No. 1 10 lb. 15c	Ann Page Preserves Assorted Flavors 16 oz. Jar 17c
Cherries Red Pitted No. 2 c'n 9c	MEAT SPECIALS		Rajah Shredded Cocoanut 1/4 lb. 6c 1/2 lb. 10c
Bread Sliced or Reg. 5c	BACON sliced b'fast 14c	VEAL CHOPS 15c	Cranberries Lb. 13c
Cabbage 3 lb. 5c	SEVEN ROAST 12c	BULK KRAUT 2 lbs. 15c	WINE SAPP Apples Dozen 12c
	Veal, Round, Lion Steak 19c	BACON dry salt 2 lb. 13c	
	SHANKLESS Picnic Shoulders, 4-6 av. 9c	SAUSAGE pure pork 10c	

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BACON fancy sliced 17c

ROAST lean shoulder 10c

Sausage PURE PORK Limit 4 lbs. lb. 7c

BACON dry salt lb. 9c

SALT JOWLS lb. 6c

BUTTER fresh country lb. 19c

FRESH VEGETABLES in bunch or pound 2c

PEANUT BUTTER pint 13c

SIFTED PEAS can 9c

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friends from the NORTH, EAST, SOUTH, and WEST, for THEY ARE COMING. They will come from far and near. All sales will be final—no refunds—no exchanges. We are actually closing out the entire stock. So come early and stay late. This is the Most Daring Wonder-Inspiring Selling Event ever witnessed by mortal man in this man's country. Tell your friends. Tell everybody. They will appreciate it. Again we invite you to come.

R. V. McDAVID, Manager
First Door East of Postoffice
Eastland, Texas

ACHIEVEMENT DAY TOUR

By Miss Ruth Ramey, County Home Demonstration Agent

A 116-mile drive from Eastland, 12 demonstrations visited, eight different communities, with a total of one hundred and seven persons seeing the demonstrations. The party left Eastland at 9 a. m. Wednesday, November 9, visiting demonstrations at the Ranger County Workers Club, Bass Lake, Okra, North Star, Friendship-Dothan, Grapevine, Pumpkin Center, Carbon and Flatwood. The first demonstration, 4-H Pantry, Mrs. Lillian Neal, Eastland, Ranger, the cellar arranged with the canned products on the shelves, the starchy, leafy, other vegetables, fruits, tomatoes, relish, jellies and jams, meats and the time-saving foods in separate groups, arranged in order so that any one could select a complete meal in a very short time. Arranged on the back porch, a group of menus, using the home canned products. Other exhibits of interest, the gift basket and packages using the home canned and home made products; candied fruits and fruit peels; quilts and other hand work, all articles made by club members. One comfort, filled with home grown, home washed and carded wool. The club, has a membership of 25, and the club members have canned a total of more than 17,000 containers of food.

Next to Gorman, visiting three Bass Lake Demonstrations, Mrs. Floyd McCormick's 4-H pantry. There was no place in the house for the pantry and Mr. and Mrs. McCormick built a cellar just under the kitchen floor, seven feet square and six feet high, walled with scrap lumber and shelves built. In addition to the canning for the family, Mrs. McCormick has canned more than one thousand containers of food for others. By canning for the others she got the containers for her food and was out no expense.

Mrs. J. H. Cooper, garden and pantry demonstrator, tried several new vegetables, one of special interest, a celery bed. This celery bed has about fifty stalks of celery. Mrs. McCormick is not bleaching the celery. This can be done easily, if bleached celery is preferred. Bleaching is done by covering the celery with sand, building paper or corn stalks. Celery requires much water and will grow in Eastland County if the right methods are used.

Model Yard Seen. Mrs. E. E. Todd, yard demonstrator, has planted and has a good sodded lawn as a result of the work this year. In addition to this she has planted 25 shrubs, two red buds, four lilacs and two yellow jasmynes. The yard improvement is to continue this year, with a driveway, roses moved from beds around the house to rose garden, evergreen shrubs around the house, outdoor living room, screen planting, to hide the garden, field dand out-buildings. One walk of native rock has been built.

Third community, Okra, to Miss Hallie Hills, walks made of native rock, native shrubs, red buds and sumac as screen plantings. In the interior of the home, refinished furniture, reupholstered furniture, using heavy cotton sacks, dyed and put on a duofold; desk made out of an old organ.

Lunch time, at the North Star Club house, just north of Rising Star the North Star club members in charge of the basket lunch furnished by all making the tour. In addition to the lunch, hot coffee, donated by the Pleezing Company through John H. Harrison Grocery Company, Eastland, was one of the most important dishes served at the lunch. Following the lunch all visited the 4-H pantry of Mrs. Burkhead. This pantry contained more than one thousand containers of food; the dried vegetables and fruits, sweet and Irish potatoes, hard and 14 different fresh vegetables, just out of the garden on November 9. This shows that fall as well as spring gardens will grow in this county. Another demonstration of interest here was a floor covering on the living room. Mrs. Burkhead used building paper, pasted or glued it to gunny sacks and then varnished the paper. This is used around the edge of the rug and makes a good and serviceable covering. This has been in use for the last three years and shows little wear. Another coat of varnish will make it as good as new.

The Friendship community to see the 4-H pantry and homemade cheese exhibit of Mrs. E. M. Oney. Mrs. Oney has made more than 500 pounds of American cheese this year and has found ready sale for all she could sell at 20 cents a pound. This gives another use for the milk and other milk products

for the family. Cheese making on the farm is little trouble, the biggest job getting the members of the family to let it ripen long enough. In addition to the home work, Mrs. Oney has been manager of the Cisco cannery where she has helped with the canning of more than 200 different families. Mrs. Frank Harrell, yard improvement, outdoor living room, fish pond and shrubs. Also the poultry and irrigated farm showing the growing of alfalfa.

Visit Bedrooms. From the pantries, gardens, and yards to two bedroom demonstrations, first that of Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh, Grapevine. Mrs. Stinebaugh made a very attractive bedroom out of an attic room at a cost of \$8.75. She used old furniture that had been thrown away, and built in a desk and wash stand. Two old chairs were made over, as was a bed and all painted. Yellow paint was used on the walls and ceiling to make the room lighter. The bed and furniture painted ivory.

Second bedroom, that of Johnnie Foster, 4-H Club girl, Flatwood club. Johnnie won her bedroom suite on a ticket at the picture show and improved the room to go with the furniture. The wood work was painted ivory, the walls papered with light paper, the closet remodeled, an old wash stand washed and painted, one chair upholstered and another painted; two rugs made, new curtains and shades added.

The 4-H pantry of Mrs. J. S. Turner, Flatwood club with more than eight hundred containers for her family. Mrs. Turner helped ten different families with canning and has sold canned and fresh products all the year. She has a hot bed in the garden and gets an early start with vegetables.

These were just a few of the good demonstrations in the county. It is impossible to visit very many of them in a month's time, and with only a day, there were still fewer. These tours are helpful to all, club members, and the people who cooperate with us in all the work. At a meeting following the tour, this remark was heard, "I could talk to you a week and then not tell you half of the interesting things I saw today." Another, "We just must get busy this next year and do much more than we have done this year." With these reports from the day's trip, there should be many more and much better demonstrations to visit in 1933.

Mrs. McCarty--

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chapter and 50 cents remains with the local chapter.

Contributing Membership—\$5, of which 50 cents goes to the national chapter and \$4.50 remains with the local chapter.

Sustaining membership—\$10, of which 50 cents goes to the national chapter and \$9.50 remains with the local chapter.

Supporting Membership—\$25, of which 50 cents goes to the national chapter and \$24.50 remains with the local chapter.

Life Membership—\$50, of which 50 cents goes to the national chapter and \$49.50 remains with the local chapter.

This drive for memberships is made throughout the United States each year between Armistice Day and Thanksgiving. The drive was scheduled to begin here last Monday, but the work did not get under way until Thursday.

See Men's Shop ad on page 4.

\$525 Raised Last Year.

Mrs. J. E. Hickman was local chairman last year, when \$525 was contributed in Eastland. Officials have expressed hope that that mark will be surpassed this year.

People in this community are familiar with the work that has been carried on by the Red Cross, especially during the past two years. The national chapter has provided grain, garden seed, groceries, medicine, and clothing for needy families, in addition to the funds expended for aid by the local chapter. Mr. Spencer estimates that by the time the present relief program of flour and cloth distribution is completed, the national chapter will have spent \$40,000 in this county during the past two years.

Mr. Spencer and his co-workers have issued an appeal for a generous response from every person in Eastland County in order that this relief work may be continued. The work of the Red Cross is carried on largely through funds received from memberships.

Men to Start--

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chariman, W. C. Marlow, Alex Clark, Dr. H. B. Tanner, and C. J. Rhodes. All of the committee with the exception of Mr. Rhodes made the trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday to receive the check and instructions for the use of the money.

In the words of the Wagner-Garner bill, which made the appropriation for the work relief fund, the money is "to be used in furnishing relief and work relief to needy and distressed people and in relieving the hardship resulting from unemployment."

Alex Clark, chairman of the City Commission and member of the local committee will have supervision of the workmen in the different projects which will be undertaken this winter. At the present time the wage scale for labor has not been determined. Approximately 300 unemployed men in Eastland and this immediate vicinity have registered for work under this fund.

ON HUNTING TRIP

James Horton, Dr. W. S. Poe, Will A. Martin, Frank Day, and Dr. J. L. Johnson left the middle of this week for a deer hunting trip in Mason County.

J. C. Day, Jr., who is in the United States Navy, is in Eastland visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Day, Sr. Day has been stationed on the S. S. Altair at San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams of Wink visited in Eastland Armistice Day at guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Williams.

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- 2 Tubes Dr. West Tooth Paste, 50c Value
Both for... **25c**
- 1 50c Baby Doll— 1 50c Nyal Tooth Paste, \$1.03 Value. Both for... **59c**
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