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Funeral Held For Mrs. Ruth Price, 71

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at the Eastland cemetery for Mrs. Ruth Price, 71, who died Wednesday evening at 8:40 at the home of a daughter, Mrs. W. E. Hallenbeck, in the Staff community.

Mrs. Price, widow of T. J. Price, Eastland county farmer who died Jan. 2, 1933, died from pneumonia following a recovery from influenza.

She was the mother of Rufus F. Price, superintendent of schools at Nacogdoches; Artie E. Price, senior examining attorney for the Public Works Administration in Texas, with his office at Fort Worth; J. G. Price, electrician, mechanic, and Mrs. Hallenbeck.

Rev. Robert E. Bowden, pastor of the Church of God at Eastland, of which Mrs. Price was a member, conducted the services at the cemetery, with the assistance of Rev. G. W. Pendleton.

Mrs. Price was born at Kosuth, Miss., July 1, 1865. Later she moved to Lee county and Williamson county. October 4,

1885, she and Mr. Price were married in Lee county. She had lived in Eastland county practically the last 15 years.

Hammer Undertaking company, Eastland, had charge of arrangements.

Passage of Rural Aid Recommended By School Official

C. S. Eldridge, Eastland county superintendent, has been in Austin this week with other members of a committee from the Oil Belt Teacher's association to confer with legislators upon passage of the \$15,000,000 equalization fund bill from rural schools of Texas.

Other members of the committee were Nat Williams, Cross Plains, president of the association and L. A. Wooldridge, superintendent of Highland Rural High school in Nolan county.

"Moscow scientists find gold mines 3000 years old," "Gold Diggers of 1937, B. C." is one we missed.

PROGRAM FOR TEACHER MEET IS ANNOUNCED

Program for the spring meeting of the Eastland County Teachers association at Eastland in the high school auditorium beginning at 9 o'clock Saturday morning was announced here Thursday.

The meeting will conclude before noon after a business session. Singing will be lead by W. G. Womack, principal of Eastland High school. Devotional will be given by Rev. M. H. Applewhite, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Cisco.

One of the principal addresses will be made from 10 o'clock until 10:50 by Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne college at Brownwood. Another address will be given from 9:25 until 9:40 by H. E. Robinson, deputy state superintendent, Brownwood.

Music is to be furnished between 9:40 and 10 o'clock by Cisco High school.

Constable Meets Constable Upon Swindling Count

A constable from a small town north of Dallas was a defendant in an alleged swindling case reported Wednesday by Constable Hugh Carleton, Eastland.

The suspect, returned by Carleton to Eastland, made \$300 bond and went back to his duties as constable in his city. Carleton has

received notification from the defendant he will send \$26 and costs to cover a check given the Guy Patterson Service Station at Eastland. The check had been returned to the business, marked "no funds."

The defendant-constable, embarrassed by his arrest, "didn't appreciate it a bit," reported Carleton.

Constable Carleton, pushing "hot check" cases, plans to make trips to Pampa and Borger next week.

Cotton Project Sponsored by CC

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a cotton demonstration for J. B. Adams, Morton Valley 4-H club boy.

The project is one of several in the county sponsored through the extension service to determine the adaptability of types of cotton to particular localities.

Adams will plant three acres with acala cotton. The Eastland Chamber of Commerce is paying for fertilizer, seed, seed treatment and insect control. As an experiment the seed will be treated with ceresan for flea hop.

Rotary Directors Chosen at Parley

J. E. Lewis, Sr., Carl Johnson and Dr. J. H. Caton were named to serve as directors of the Rotary club at its weekly meeting this week in Connellee hotel. They will serve with T. E. Richardson and Carl Springer, retiring and incoming presidents, whose position on the director board is automatic.

Retiring directors are Grady Pipkin, Earl Bender and Jim Horton, elected last year, and Hamner, former president.

As a program feature N. S. Holland, Breckenridge school superintendent, pointed out the aid of his district voting a maintenance tax several years ago, and which, he stated, enabled continuance of a high standard school.

He stated vote of the tax increase eliminated the possibility of a short term for the system. The Breckenridge increase was voted three years ago. His city's schools finance situation was paralleled by Holland with Eastland, where voters in the district May 14 will decide whether to authorize board members to increase the school tax from \$1 to \$1.50.

Holland was introduced by Mr. Lewis.

L. P. Stambaugh, also a member of the program committee, played several piano numbers.

M. P. Moore of Senatobia, Miss., was a visiting Rotarian.

Man With \$5,000 Deposit Slip Is Charged Swindler

Eastland officers Wednesday had in their custody, A. J. Leach, a transient who cashed a \$5 check at the Eastland A. & P. grocery store after showing a \$5,000 deposit slip with the Commercial State Bank of Ranger.

The management of the store became suspicious after cashing the check and notified Constable Hugh Carleton, who found the supposedly well-to-do stranger preparing to hitch-hike from Eastland. Officials of the bank had advised Carleton in a request for information that Leach had deposited no money with them. He was charged with swindling, said Constable Carleton in Eastland justice of peace court.

Officials Transferring Persons to Hospitals

Deputy Sheriff A. D. Carroll Thursday was at Wichita Falls to confine a mentally ill person in the state institution for the insane. A similar mission Friday will take Sheriff Loss Woods to Austin.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to our friends our deep appreciation for the unusual kindness and sympathy tendered during our recent bereavement.

J. C. East, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coffman.

CARD OF THANKS

We feel how weak and fruitless it may be for us to attempt to express in words our sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many attentions, kindnesses and sympathies extended to us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. G. P. Lyon. We realize the sacrifices that were made to render aid and comfort to us during our hour of suspense and sorrow.

We especially thank the doctors and nurses for their constant vigil and ministrations to do all possible to keep our mother with us in life.

We are humbly grateful for the kind words spoken by the Rev. Chas. W. Estes and ever indebted to all for the beautiful floral offerings at the grave.

Please accept this in the sincere spirit in which it is extended. We shall always cherish the memory of those who came to us in time of need and mental comfort.

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THE MEN'S SHOP

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Eastland

Yeomen Drilled For Coronation

By United Press
LONDON.—Behind the ancient gray walls of the Tower of London the warders are drilling daily for two important coronation duties—guarding the crown jewels during the time they will be away from the Tower for the crowning, and forming the guard of honor at the west entrance to Westminster Abbey, where the king and queen will enter.

The men to guard the priceless jewels will be 11 in number, the "gaoler" (jailer) and 10 yeomen warders, whose picturesque velvet hats and short capes are familiar to tourist sightseers.

All the warders are being drilled in the handling of ancient weapons, which they will carry at the ceremony. This majestic pageantry will, of course, be supplemented by keen-eyed Scotland Yard operatives capable of coping with any emergency threatening the crown jewels or the persons of their majesties.

The gunners at the Tower are looking forward to a big day on May 12 when they will fire no less than 248 salutes. At dawn there will be a salvo of 62 guns, another 62 will announce the departure of King George and Queen Elizabeth from Buckingham palace, a further 62 will boom when they arrive at the abbey and a final 62 will be fired to announce the actual crowning.

The group of 62 is divided: 21 for the royal salute; 21 for the Tower, which technically is a royal palace and fortress, and 20 for

Held for Writing Ginger Rogers



Making it convenient for Film Actress Ginger Rogers to pay \$500 extortion money, John Buzas, auto mechanic, above, 18, sent her his picture and gave his correct address in Chicago, authorities said. "I've been expecting you," Buzas was quoted as saying when federal agents arrived to make the arrest. He was held under bond as officials planned a mental examination.

The City of London. The salutes will be fired by a detachment of the Honorable Artillery Company, Tower gunners, an organization

Greatest Sun Spot Since 1917 Forecast

By United Press
PASADENA, Calif.—Old Sol, during 1937, will give the greatest indications of ill health which he has enjoyed since 1917, according to the latest scientific calculations at Mount Wilson Observatory.

The particular symptoms of solar disturbance will be manifested in the number of sun spots.

In 1936 a total of 495 sun spot groups were observed, compared with 450 in 1917 and 424 in 1927, which were the two previous cycles. During 1936 four groups of sun spots with areas of at least 1,174 million square miles were observed.

However, the Mount Wilson observers calculate that the maximum sun spot activity will be attained this year when Old Sol will look as though he had acquired a bad case of freckles.

which will celebrate its 400th anniversary this summer.

Excavations at the entrance of the Tower are being rushed to completion before the flood of coronation visitors arrives, and will change the appearance of the old landmark for those who have seen it before. The plan is to expose, as one of the sights of the Tower, the remains of the Lion Tower, the Lion Gate and the causeway with the drawbridge that was in ancient times the connecting link with the Middle Tower.

These outer defenses, built during the reign of Henry 111 600 years ago, were partially demolished and have been buried since 1853.

KING GETS GIRL



Fernand Gravet takes Joan Blondell in his arms and shows why Europe takes lessons in love making from him in Mervyn LeRoy's production for Warner Bros., "The King and the Chorus Girl," now playing at the Candelice Theatre.

Research Unit Gets a New Home

PITTSBURGH.—The stately new building of the Mellon Institute, under construction six years, will be dedicated next month in the presence of some of the world's foremost scientists and industrialists.

Ceremonies marking the formal opening will be held May 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

Situated near the campus of the University of Pittsburgh, the new building occupies almost a city block. It appears to be only five stories high but in reality it is nine, because the lower floors are underground.

"Ionic Style Used.

The structure is a combination of classical Grecian and modern architecture. Ionic style with monolithic columns along all four sides, it is built in the form of a trapezoid with a graceful succession of steps reaching from Pittsburgh's Fifth Avenue to the main entrance.

Inside are scores of research laboratories. Interior courts provide ample daylight even though the lower floors are below the ground level.

The new building replaces the one on the Pitt campus which has been the home of the Institute for 22 years.

Idea Conceived in 1907.

The Mellon Institute's system of industrial fellowship as a partnership between science and industry is an outgrowth of an idea voiced by Robert Kennedy Duncan, scientific writer, in 1907. In Duncan's system, Andrew W. and Richard B. Mellon saw a practicable method of benefiting industry. In 1913, they founded Mellon Institute at the University of Pittsburgh. Later they placed the industrial fellowship system and pure research activities on a permanent basis.

The research thus started resulted in the creation of 10 new industries and 500 new processes. Sixty-four fellowships exist now and additional ones will be offered when the building is opened.

ported that the improvements planned for the clubhouse would be made during the week. Two arbor vites were to be set out the next day. The next meeting to be held April 27, will be the time for the Excelsior club of Gorman to come over and be the guests of the "21" club. The program on the Philippines was very interesting and instructive. Those present were Mmes. S. E. Snodgrass, J. E. Heeter, Charles Lee, W. H. Davis, David Parks and W. C. Bedford.

Dr. J. M. Wright of DeLeon was here on business Sunday.

Work on the Methodist church is progressing nicely and it will likely be completed in two weeks.

Mrs. Wiley Powers began work Monday as city tax assessor and collector, taking the place from which Mrs. Ella Nabers Miles resigned about six weeks ago. O. A. Kountze had served as collector temporarily.

The rain of Monday night was quite a help to gardens and farms in this section.

G. S. Bruce drove over to Gorman on business Tuesday.

Art Shumaker returned several days ago from Hamilton county, where he had been employed by Gallagher and Lawson.

We are glad to report that Floyd Moore is able to be back

W-H-Y

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DESDEMONA

The Port Arthur College sends the reporter the following item: "Port Arthur, Texas, April 14.—Virginia Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bruce of Desdemona, has enrolled at Port Arthur College for a course in bookkeeping and shorthand."

R. A. Bearman of Cisco was here on business Tuesday of last week. He was accompanied by Leonard Eppler, who visited his old friend, W. C. Bedford, for a short time.

Mrs. Sam Ritchie of Gorman visited friends here Friday.

Born, on Thursday, April 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Jones, a baby daughter, who was given the name of Linda Sue. Mrs. Jones had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover, for several weeks and the baby was born at the Blackwell sanitarium at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Stark visited Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright at DeLeon Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Long of Plainview arrived several days ago and are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Howard Williams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Krapf drove to Olden and Ranger on business Friday. While at Ranger they went to the hospital to see Mrs. Olive Ayres, who is improving though still quite ill.

Mrs. J. E. Derrick and her daughter, Mrs. Style McEntire, were shopping in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

O. G. Lawson of Cisco was here Saturday on business. In a short time he and his partner, N. D. Gallagher, expect to begin the drilling of the deep test oil well.

The "21" Study club met at the clubhouse on Tuesday afternoon of last week. The roll call responses were "A Product of the Philippines." During the business session the house committee re-

home after a few days in the Blackwell sanitarium, being treated for severe burns caused when his clothing caught fire as he was working at the Rudeco gasoline plant.

The Methodist Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the old Masonic hall and had the regular monthly business meeting and the program from the world outlook. Reports were given by the different officers and Mrs. C. O. Bragg presented news items from the bulletin. Miss Mollie O'Rear led the program from the outlook, and Mrs. Whitworth and Mrs. Bedford gave the leaflet on "Achievements of Missionary Efforts." The society missed Mrs. S. E. Snod-

grass, who is never absent except when out of town. She is now visiting at Fort Worth. Those present were Miss Mollie O'Rear, Mmes. Charles Lee, C. O. Bragg, O. D. McDonald, W. H. Whitworth, W. C. Bedford and Valla Whitworth, and little Charles Bragg.

Mrs. M. Seales and her sister, Miss Judie Martin, of Gorman, were here Friday visiting friends and looking after business. Miss Martin is the circulation manager of the Gorman Progress.

A large crowd of friends of John Arnold and family went to Gorman Wednesday afternoon and attended the funeral of Mr. Arnold's father. Those who went included business associates, em-

ployees of the Magnolia company, members of the school board, teachers and pupils of our school and many others.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Browning of the Alameda community spent Sunday with their cousin, Wiley Powers and family.

The box supper and amateur hour given at the high school by the Juniors Thursday night was quite a success and netted almost \$20 for the fund to be used for the junior-senior banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heeter and her mother, Mrs. S. E. Snodgrass, drove down to Fort Worth Wednesday. Mrs. Snodgrass will spend two weeks there with her sister, Mrs. Zack Ratliff.

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LIFEBUOY SOAP 3 CAKES 19c	DRIED APRICOTS LB. 17c		DRIED PEACHES LB. 14c	
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QUAKER MAID Ketchup, 2 Lge. Bot. 25c	IONA Salad Dressing, Qt. Jr. 27c	IONA PINTO BEANS LB. 8c	DEL MONTE PEARS NO. 2 15c NO. 2 1/2 23c	FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES Firm Heads LETTUCE . 4c Green Beans lb. 10c New Potatoes lb 5c White Onions lb 5c Celery, 2 Stalks 15c White or Yellow SQUASH lb. 5c
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Salt Jowls Lb. 15c	PURE Pork Sausage Lb. 23c	ROUND OR SQUARE Bologna Lb. 12c	FANCY FED Oysters (select) . . Pt. 35c	PURE Baby Beef Roast . . Lb. 18c
VEAL CHOPS OR Seven Steak Lb. 20c	CHOICE CUT Veal Steak Lb. 25c	SEASONED Rolled Roast Lb. 18c	NO. 1—HALF OR WHOLE Hams Lb. 27c	ASSORTED LUNCH MEATS AND CHEESE
Sliced Bacon Lb. 25c	Dressed Hens Lb. 16c	Fresh Cat Fish Lb. 30c		
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RED CREST 12 lbs. . . 49c 24 lbs. . . 92c 48 lbs. . \$1.75	LIBBY'S PEARS Large Cans 19c
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MAXWELL HOUSE TEA 1/4 Lb. Pkg.-22c 1/2 Lb. Pkg.-42c	FREE. 1 TEA GLASS WITH 1/4 LB. 2 FREE With 1/2 LB.
FRESH DRESSED HENS Per Pound 16c	ROAST VEAL CHUCK LB. 15c
DRY SALT JOWLS Per Pound 15c	FANCY FED BEEF LB. 19c
BOLOGNA PER POUND 12c	STEAK FANCY VEAL LB. 25c
FRESH FISH OYSTERS -- FRYERS	FANCY BEEF LB. 29c
VEGETABLES and FRUITS	VANILLA 4 Oz. 15c-8 Oz. 23c
SQUASH Fresh Tender Yellow. LB. 5c	ONIONS New Crop Bermuda LB. 5c
NEW SPUDS South 2 Lbs. For 9c Texas 2 For 9c	GR. BEANS Fresh 2 Lbs. Tender 2 for 15c
LEMONS California Sunkist. DOZ. 21c	BANANAS Golden Ripe LB. 5c
CABBAGE New Crop 2 Lbs. 5c Texas 2 for 5c	CARROTS Large Bunches 2 for 5c
ST'B'RIES Texas Pints 2 for 25c	SPUDS Colorado 10 Lbs. 35c
Hammer Undertaking Co. Phones 17 and 564 DAY OR NIGHT AMBULANCE SERVICE	PIPKIN'S Piggly Wiggly

MORE MONEY NEEDED FOR SCHOOLS, STATES TANNER AFTER REPORT

Following receipt of the report of State Deputy School Superintendent H. E. Robinson, who recently inspected the Eastland schools, Board Chairman K. B. Tanner Thursday stated the system is "doing good work, but we must have more money to operate."

In a statement Tanner stated: "In short this means that our schools are doing good work but we must have more money to operate. In round numbers we will have to have about \$4,000 additional for sinking fund requirements and \$6,000 for teachers' salaries."

"We have been using all the money that should have gone into the sinking fund for operation and this must be stopped. For the past two years we have fallen short of funds necessary to pay the teachers so this must be made up and give us funds for current operation."

"It is the opinion of the board that the full 50 cents additional from taxes will be necessary the first year. The year following a reduction can probably be made. During the next two years we can quite likely come to some agreement with the bond holders regarding a considerable lowering of the value of our bonds. When this is done we can then get back

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ROOM AND GARAGE for rent. Close in. Gentleman only. Telephone 36.

Characters Named In Annual Play Given by Seniors

Characters in the Eastland High school annual senior play, "Bashful Bobby," to be presented at 8 o'clock Friday night were announced Saturday.

Written by James C. Parker, the play is a three-act comedy and is directed by Leroy Stone.

The characters will be played by John Kley, Jim Connellee, Don Russell, James Hill, Jane Ferguson, Doris Lawrence, Ima Ruth Hale, Mary Lou Harbin, June Hyer, Norma Frances Vickers, Gene Dulin and Olivette Killough.

The play will be given in the high school's auditorium.

FURTHER PLANS MADE FOR MONDAY SALE EVENT

Further plans for the first Monday, May 3, trades, auction and swap day, were formed and discussed Tuesday night at a meeting of the merchants' division of the Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was at the Chamber of Commerce offices.

It was decided the auction will start at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Farmers are being asked to bring anything of sellable nature to Eastland for sale at the auction on the special day.

Many of the territory are expected to bring livestock and other items for the swap feature of the first Monday program.

Plans were made at the meeting to assist and attend the Alameda pie supper to be sponsored Thursday night by the school's parent-teacher association.

Also discussed at the conference was Eastland participation in the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention May 10-12 at Brownwood. Plans were considered to secure a motorcade, take the band to the convention.

START WORK THURSDAY ON PARK PROJECT

Six men began work Thursday on a new Works Progress Administration project to improve the Eastland city park.

The laborers will be increased to 40 by Monday on the \$2,596 federal government one-month project, Mayor C. W. Hoffmann was informed.

The project provides construction of side walls, building of picnic tables and laying of a swimming pool drain.

Previously a \$9,000 WPA financed project was completed at the city park. Another project for the Eastland park proposes building of a bath house. It is expected to receive approval soon.

Two Students of Eastland Are In Regional Meeting

Eastland High school will have two representatives Saturday at the Interscholastic League Region 2 contest in Abilene. Both of the Eastland representatives were winners in last week's district 6 eliminations at Breckenridge.

Mary Lou Harbin will compete in senior girls' declamation. Travis Cook, won first in javelin throwing, will enter that event, high jump and broad jump contests. Winning of one of the track and field events at Breckenridge entitled students to compete in any number of athletic events at the regional meeting. Eastland officials were advised.

Region 2 is composed of districts 5, 6, 7 and 8. Regional winners will compete in the state finals May 6-8 at Austin.

Name Jackson As Election Official

W. K. Jackson has been appointed manager of the election Friday, May 14, when resident qualified property tax payers of the Eastland Independent School district will decide if the board members shall be given authority to increase the tax rate from any amount necessary up to \$1.50 from the prevailing \$1 figure.

The election was set for May 11, which is during the Annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood, but was reset for May 14 because some citizens will attend the meeting.

Jackson will appoint two assistants to aid him.

Public notices of the election were posted Friday by an official of the school board.

Dodd Well After Duffer Pay Sand

Hoffmann & Page's No. 1 J. S. Dodd, which unsuccessfully sought the upper Ranger pay as found in the Garvin Chastain No. 1 Brushar from which it is 2,000 feet southeast, Thursday was drilling at 3,345 in search of the Duffer sand.

The Dodd, about 6 miles southeast of Eastland and southwest of Ranger, is located approximately two miles from the Duffer pool, where 16 oil and gas wells were drilled about 15 years ago during the boom. About 12 of the wells were producers.

Top of the Duffer sand is reached approximately at 3,350 feet. Thickness varies from three to 30 feet, it was said.

About 6,000,000 feet of gas was struck by the Dodd at 3,108-3,132 feet.

McBee Defendant Obtains Freedom By Posting Bond

Raymond Henry, charged with murder in connection with the May, 1935, death of H. L. McBee, was released from county jail following posting of \$2,500 bond, the sheriff's office reported Thursday.

Henry, confined in the jail since his conviction over a year ago in 88th district court, was permitted to make bond after the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin reversed and remanded the case in which he was given 50 years. The trial has not been reset.

Burial Arranged For Victims of Double Shooting

Separate funeral services were to be held Wednesday afternoon at Simpson cemetery at Kokomo for Cleo and Opal Everton, who died Monday night.

They were victims of a shooting in which blame was returned upon the husband in a justice of peace inquest verdict.

Their bodies were found five miles south of Eastland near their farm home rented from Former County Clerk and Mrs. R. L. Jones.

Cleo Everton was 26 and his wife 19. They had been married two years, said relatives.

The husband is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Everton of Kokomo; three brothers, Louis of Kokomo, Cyrus of Eastland, Elven of Kokomo; and five sisters, Mrs. C. E. Goodwin of Gorman, Mrs. Finis Johnson of Flatwood, Mrs. Louis Fagan of Carbon, Miss Edna Everton of Kokomo, Miss Luna Lee Everton of Kokomo.

Mrs. Everton is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hopper of Kokomo; four brothers, Aubrey Hopper of Gorman; Elton Hopper of Wilcox, Ariz.; Jiggs Hopper of Breckenridge and Jack Hopper of Kokomo; and three sisters, Miss Billie Hopper, Bobbie Hopper and Betty Sue Hopper, all of Kokomo.

Hanner Undertaking company, Eastland, was in charge of arrangements.

Woods and Crossley Graham Witnesses

Sheriff Loss Woods and District Clerk P. L. Crossley returned on Wednesday from Graham, where in district court they were witnesses at the trial of Tony Johnson on a charge of automobile theft. Johnson recently was given two years in a similar case in 91st district court at Eastland.

Caravan of Autos To Confab Is Due To Stop May 15th

A motorcade sponsored by the Broadway of America association for attendance at the annual convention of the organization at Memphis, Tenn., will stop for a 15-minute stay May 15 in Eastland at 5 p. m., and in Ranger at 5:30.

The motorcade will leave May 12 from San Diego, Calif., and arrive in Memphis for the convention May 18-19. The Broadway of America is known as the "all paved transcontinental route."

Eastland Girl On A.C.C. High List

ABILENE, April 21.—Five Abilene Christian College students earned honor grades in six subjects, according to the mid-term reports from the registrar's office at Abilene Christian College.

Dora B. Williams of Eastland earned honor grades in Bible, biology, chemistry and English.

Conners Purchase Home at Eastland

Criminal District Attorney and Mrs. Earl Conner, Jr., have purchased the Walter Clark residence at 1109 South Seaman street in Eastland. They have already moved into their new residence.

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Interest Held In Local Revival at Eastland Church

The Church of God revival services continue this week with good interest and attendance is good, notwithstanding the rain hindered a number that might have attended last night, which was family night.

The evangelist, Rev. Pendleton, spoke on the subject, "The Reunited Family," using the well known story of the prodigal son given in the gospel by St. Luke. The evangelist said in part, referring to home conditions in a general sense, "Some of the causes why prodigals leave home should be considered by parents of our modern day. The lack of spiritual influence and religious training in the home results in a serious step taken by many youths, who unlike the Biblical prodigal, fail to return. Youth, however, should reconsider before making the drastic step. The "far country" may not be too far away, after all, where the substance of early training can be quickly absorbed, without special effort, since sin, crime, debauchery and evil rules supreme in that "far country of sin." But even that as serious as it is, there is hope, when the youth is made conscious of his prodigality, coming to himself, can arise from his debauchery and come back to his father, where he is waiting with open arms for his return. This is like our Heavenly Father, to accept the sinner, after his life is spotted with sin, if he returns to Him."

Services at the local church each evening at 8 o'clock, with special music and singing each service.

Friday night is young people's night.

Final Date April 25th In Contest For Local Beauty

Prospective candidates in the Eastland contest to select a representative to compete at Ft. Worth for the Frontier Fiesta Sweetheart No. 1 contest were reminded on Monday by the Chamber of Commerce that April 25 is final date for submission of entry.

An elimination contest will be conducted during the first of May and the winner sent to Fort Worth, where May 22 the "Sweetheart" will be chosen. A role in an entertainment will be the prize to the Texas winner.

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Lions Club Here In Weekly Meet

The Lions club at its weekly meeting Tuesday at the Connellee hotel voted to pay an Eastland girl's expenses to Fort Worth, where she will receive a major operation from a specialist.

Plans for delivery of Nannette, the booby prize goat, won by Breckenridge at the recent inter-city meeting, were discussed. The goat will be delivered Friday at Breckenridge by President Donald Kinnaird, R. V. Galloway, W. B. Pickett and others.

Ernest Jones and R. S. Sealros were named to a committee to assist in the annual Boy Scout drive. They were named to the committee upon request of Grady Pipkin, Eastland scouting leader and the chairman for Eastland county.

In charge of the program, L. R. Burnside conducted an intelligence contest.

Golfer Bob Sikes Wins T.C.U. Meet

FORT WORTH, April 21.—Bob Sikes of Eastland won the boys' intramural golf tournament at Texas Christian University last week by defeating Bob Decker of Fort Worth, 5 to 4 in the finals.

Decker advanced to the final round by earning a 1-up victory over Frank Bailey in the semi-finals, while Sikes reached the finals through a forfeit by Gilbert Jackson in his semi-final match.

Sikes received a gold-plated golf ball for winning the tournament.

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