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American Armored Units In Sight Of Rome

Friends Announce Army Lt. For The State Senate



LT. TED MILES

of the United States Army, before volunteering a successful business man, was this week announced by his friends for State Senate, the 24th District. He cannot campaign while in service and must depend on the voters of the 12 counties of this district to remember him at the polls.

American Cafe Is Moved To A New Location

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones, owners and operators of the American Cafe, have moved their business from the West Side of the square to the Greyhound business station, or Johnson hotel building at the corner of North Lamar and White streets and just north of the Connellee theatre.

About a year ago Mr. and Mrs. Jones moved from their former location on West Commerce street in order to have more room to take care of their growing patronage and again found it necessary to have larger and more convenient quarters for the same purpose, which speaks well for the service they render.

Recognized as oldtimers in Eastland where they have resided for 20 years, most all of which time they have been engaged in the hotel and cafe business, Mr. and Mrs. Jones have many personal friends as well as a large list of cafe patrons who are attracted by the high class foods served and the efficient and courteous service rendered to one all alike.

Their new location is in what was formerly known as the Maverick Hotel, but which is now known as the Johnson Hotel and is next door north of the Connellee Theatre. The Greyhound bus lines and other bus lines operating in and out of Eastland have their ticket offices in the Johnson Hotel building adjoining the American Cafe.

Charles Van Geem Injured In Action In New Guinea

Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Geem of Eastland are in receipt of a letter received this week from their son, Charles C. Van Geem, who is with the United States military forces in New Guinea, in which he was injured and had been in the hospital for several weeks. He stated that he was coming home on first available passage and would go to a hospital in the State.

Young Van Geem has been in the service about three years and has been overseas about 20 months. His brother, Carl just younger than himself, went down with the U. S. Juneau in a battle with the Japs about a year ago.

BANK HOLIDAY

The Eastland National Bank will be closed Saturday, Jefferson Davis' birthday, bank officials announced first of the week. Merchants and other are reminded to secure sufficient change for Saturday's business and to otherwise prepare for the holiday.

OMAR BURKETT OFFERS FOR RE-ELECTION

Candidate for Representative 107th District Issues Statement to Voters

Omar Burkett, State Representative, District 107 composed of Eastland and Callahan counties, announces this week his candidacy for re-election and issues the following statement:

To the Citizens of Eastland and Callahan Counties: I am profoundly grateful to the people of the District for the privilege of serving you as your Representative and sincerely thank each and everyone for their part taken to elect me as one of your lawmakers.

I trust that I have not disappointed you and my accomplishment of worth-while things meets with the approval of a large majority of the citizens. First announcing for State Representative I pledged my best efforts to the passage of legislation that would be most beneficial to all the people, both local and State-wide. I pledge you that I would stand for the most rigid economy possible in appropriating money to the various Boards, Bureaus and Commissions and to lessen, if possible, the burden of the tax-payer by effecting economies wherever possible.

This I have done at every opportunity. I give as follows several of the most important things advocated by me, all of which are a reality and most of them directly beneficial to the District. (1) Liberalization of the Old Age Assistance Law with ample funds provided. (2) Funds provided to take care of the Needy Blind and Dependent and Neglected Children. (3) Money provided for Teacher's Retirement Fund. (4) School Transportation Fund and school bus drivers paid promptly with wage increase. (5) Scholastic Apportionment increased and paid promptly. (6) State Aid provided for all Municipal Junior Colleges for the past two bienniums which made it possible for Cisco and Ranger to operate their respective Junior Colleges without financial loss to their District. (7) County Board Bond Assumption by the State which has meant a saving to the two counties of the District of more than \$1,200,000 during my tenure as your Representative. (8) Law permitting Delinquent Tax Adjustments by the Commissioners' Courts. (9) Workable Soil Conservation Law. (10) Three-member State Land Board.

(11) Increase in the 7,000 pound load limit so as to conform to like tonnage allowed in other States. A great help to the stockman, farmers, wholesalers, business men, oil field operation and military movements. (12) Passage of Public Health measures. (13) Economies effected that made it possible this biennium to reduce our State Tax rate 35 cents on the \$100 valuation and still placed the General fund lower than it has been for many years and further aiding the State to go on a cash basis in January 1945. (14) Ample provision made to take care of all Insane, Orphan children, Correctional schools for both boys and girls and others entitled to Institutional care by the State. In 1939 there were 749 Insane in the jails, and on waiting list over the State. May, First 1943, there were none and at present there are more than 350 vacancies in the several State Hospitals for the Insane. Since I have been your Representative, neither county of the District has ever had one single person awaiting commitment, many being removed directly from their homes for hospital treatment. This service alone has meant several thousand dollars saving to the two counties of the District to say nothing of not confining those unfortunates in jail while waiting commitment for treatment. Since the Law Enforcement Fund levied on gross production of oil leaves a large sum at the end of each biennium unexpended. I favor the reduction of this levy, thus saving the unexpended sum for the strip-per-well owner and other engaged in the oil business. In Conclusion, I wish to thank you again for

County Poultrymen Praised As Larger Use of Eggs Urged

Eastland County poultrymen are asked by the government to produce approximately 1,208,450 dozen eggs this year as their part in the Food for Victory program, the National Defense Committee announced today.

This county goal can best be reached if housewives take full advantage of the present egg surplus and plan more menus calling for greater use of eggs, thus encouraging farmers to maintain high production, declared Committee Secretary Leon Todd.

In urging poultrymen to meet the 1944 quota, Todd pointed out the current egg abundance may be followed by a serious shortage if farmers liquidate some of their laying flocks because of inability to dispose of eggs at profitable prices now.

An aid to producers is the concerted effort of distributor to keep the supply of eggs flowing steadily into consumer channels as a nutritious wartime food, Todd said, adding that aggressive merchandising has thus proved an important factor in increasing egg consumption. "For instance," he asserted, "records of A&P Food Stores, one of the largest purchasers of Texas eggs, show this company paid producers \$916,462 for eggs purchased in the state last year."

Even greater cooperation by distributors and consumers is needed now, the poultry official said, to assure farmers a profitable market for their surplus production during the next few weeks and thus insure that a famine, "by eating more eggs during this period. Remember they are a 'whole' food, complete with proteins, essential vitamins, fats and minerals."

Hobby Of Old Phonographs Gives Him 'Kick'

ALVA, Okla. (UP)—Hobbies are all right, but they can be carried too far, and Mrs. Lester Cox of Alva is one who can vouch for it all. Her husband, Lester Cox, high school building custodian, collects old phonographs.

His collection was started when he was a small boy and today he refuses to admit just how many of the "talking machines" he has around the house, the barn, and at a few friends' houses. His wife enjoys the collection but insists that she'll demand a "sell out" when the collection reaches the 100 mark.

Cox says he gets his "kicks" out of repairing the predecessors of the juke box.

He first became interested in the phonograph when his grandfather presented him with one of the old-time contraptions. Cox was fascinated by the shiny cylinder records and the big tin horn. One time when Cox was working with a repair crew on a farm house near Alva he found one of the "coffee-grinder"-type talking machines in the attic. One record a cylinder type, was underneath the dust near the box and the house owner gave the whole outfit to Cox.

After the Alvan had repaired the machine to play the record produced the deep-throated voice of former President William Howard Taft. It was a recording of Taft's inaugural address.

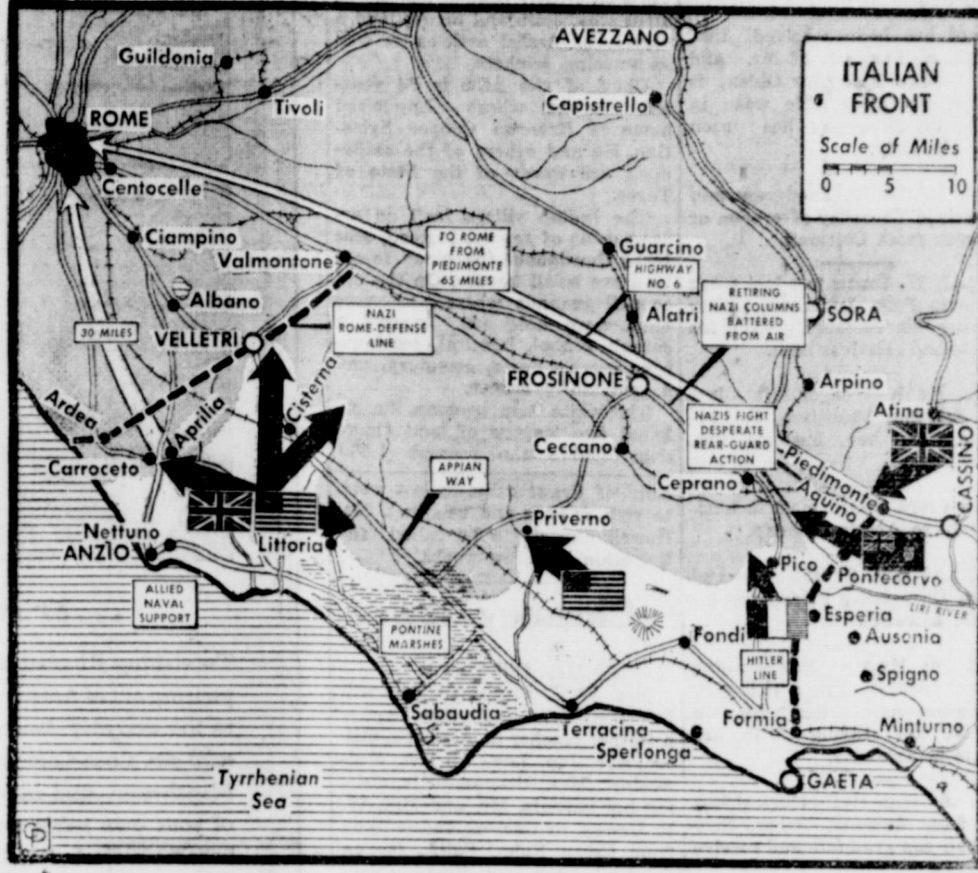
Sgt. Frank Sneed Killed In Italy

Sgt. Frank Sneed, with the United States Fifth Army in Italy, was killed in action on April 22, last, relatives here have been advised. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Sneed, of Petersburg, are former residents of the Morton Valley community.

Young Sneed was reared at Morton Valley, attended Morton Valley schools and finished his senior year at Lubbock. He had been overseas three years. His younger brother returned last week from overseas duty and did not know until he reached home that his brother had been killed.

A letter to Sneed's mother from one of his overseas buddies praised him highly as a man and as a soldier. Mrs. John W. Sledge, south Walnut street, Eastland is south Walnut street, Eastland is

ALLIES BEGIN DRIVE FOR LIBERATION OF ROME



UNITED ALONG A SINGLE 70-mile front in Italy, the Allies are hammering forward on the heels of the retreating Germans in an all-out drive for the final liberation of Rome. American units crashed into the center of vital Cisterna and approached Velletri, only 17 miles below the capital. (International)

YANKS PUSH NIP FIGHTERS BACK ON WADKE ISLAND



AMERICAN SOLDIERS are shown here as they advance on retreating Japanese fighters on Wadke Island. After overcoming initial resistance of the Nips on the island, U. S. Infantry, which took part in the invasion of Wadke Island, New Guinea, started the difficult process of pushing the retreating enemy back into the interior of the island. Signal Corps radiophoto from Australia. (International Soundphoto)

Daily Vacation Bible Schools Begins Monday

A Daily Vacation Bible School will be conducted by the First Baptist church beginning Monday, June 5. It will last for one week only. There will be character building stories, Bible studies, Handwork and many other worthwhile things. All boys and girls of ages 4 through 16 are invited to attend.

The boys and girls and workers are asked to meet at the church at 4:00 p. m. Friday of this week, June 2nd, to enroll. After enrollment a parade through town will be staged. Then we go back to the church where refreshments will be served.

REMINDER

Meats—Fats—Red stamps AS through TS, good indefinitely. US and VS and WS become valid June 4 and remain good indefinitely.

Processed Foods—Blue stamps AS through VS, good indefinitely. Most Plentiful Foods—Onions, and eggs over most of the country.

Sugar—Sugar stamps 30 and 31 each good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40, good for five pounds of caming sugar through February, next year.

Gasoline—In States outside the East Coast area, A-11 coupons good through June 21.

Fuel Oil—Periods 4 and 5 coupons, good through September 30. New periods 1 coupons for the 1944-45 heating year may be used as soon as they are received from local boards.

Shoes—Airplane stamps 1 and

Clyde L. Garrett In Car Accident; Not Badly Hurt

Clyde L. Garrett of Eastland, former congressman from the 17th Texas district and a candidate for the post in the coming democratic primaries, was injured early Sunday morning when his car was struck by another car at the overpass on Highway 80 west of Cisco. Garrett, accompanied by two of his daughters and Sam Day, a brother-in-law, were returning to Eastland from Abilene where they had attended a banquet for the ex-students of Haardin-Simmons University.

Garrett's injuries were not serious. He was brought to his home in Eastland after being given treatment at a Cisco hospital, and Monday was able to be on the streets.

None of the other occupants of the car were hurt.

Condition Of Joe Niver Is Critical

Slightly improved but still critical, was the way in which attending physicians reported this morning on the condition of J. R. (Joe) Niver, Eastland route No. 2, who underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis at the Payne hospital in Eastland Monday morning.

Niver, well known Eastland county farmer, was stricken suddenly at his home in the country and was rushed to the hospital where it was found that an immediate operation was necessary.

Seaman Peterson Back In States After Sea Service

Murry Allen Peterson, Seaman first class, USNR, has returned to his base at the New Orleans, La., Armed Guard Center after spending the past five months at sea as a member of the naval gun crew of a merchant ship, it was reported today.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Peterson, Route 2, Ranger, and before entering naval service attended Big Springs, High school.

His latest trip at sea took him to the Fiji and Solomon Islands, South America, Central American and Caribbean ports.

Horace E. Horton Promoted To Rank Of Army Captain

LA JUNTA ARMY AIR FIELD, COLO. May 29—Promotion of Horace E. Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Horton of Eastland to the rank of Captain was announced recently.

Capt. Horton is now serving as a pilot and instructor in the advanced Two Engine Pilot School at La Junta and is a graduate of Eastland High School.

NEW ARRIVAL

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence E. Elrod of Alathens, Louisiana are the parents of a boy, born May 21, in Highland Sanitarium, Shreveport, La. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 9 oz. and was named Charles John Rev. and Mrs. Elrod were former residents of Eastland, he being a minister of Eastland, Ranger, and Strawn Presbyterian Churches.

COUNTY RED CROSS DOING GOOD WORK

"The Eastland County Red Cross Chapter is one of the outstanding chapters in my district," T. W. Wagner, Red Cross field representative, stated this week. He spent three days this week in the County.

During the last month the accomplishments of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross included the 208 hours in the Administration Corps, 414 hours in the Canteen Corps, 423 hours in the Home Service Corps, 72 hours in the Camp and Hospital Corps, 2,307 hours in the Production Corps. In the Blood Donor work 1402 volunteer hours of service were contributed, 1,660 miles were traveled and refreshments were served to 975, 282 individual meals were served to staff workers, 408 git bags including 43 housewives were shipped from the chapter and 510 garments were knitted, 42 garments were sewed for the hospitalized U. S. Armed Services. Over a thousand miles were traveled in investigations made by the Home Service Corps. Over 250 individuals contributed services of one kind or another to Eastland County Chapter during the past month.

In the county office there were 597 interviews and more than 500 letters.

In spite of this splendid report there are some branches of the service that need additional workers. This is particularly true in the surgical dressings rooms where the workers are having to meet a larger quota than before Surgical Dressings from the chapter will be sent directly overseas packed in water proof boxes. It is the most concrete way one can serve and it is hoped additional workers will present themselves to the staff to assist with the present quota. They will also be in the need for the continued making of kit bags in the sewing rooms.

Petroleum Industry Seeks to Stamp Out Black Market

DALLAS, Tex. June 1.—An appeal for the public's help in stamping out the black market in gasoline will be made by the petroleum industry in a series of four advertisements in 178 newspapers in Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama over the signature of fifty-three oil companies which operate in these six states. Announcement of the plan to put the black market situation up to the people was made by George C. Gibbons, Dallas, chairman of the Petroleum Industry War Council's sub committee on products conservation in these states. Similar appeals will be made in other states.

A statement by the committee said that "the ads were designed for the purpose of clearing up some of the confusion and erroneous impressions that exist in the minds of the public about gasoline rationing."

"After the people know the facts, after they are acquainted with the tremendous needs of the armed forces in this global war, the petroleum industry hopes they will eliminate the black market and all abuses of the gas rationing program and that the public will see a definite need for stricter conservation of the gasoline that is left to domestic users."

"The ads point out that, although miracles of production for war have been accomplished by the oil industry, military needs for gasoline have stepped up almost four-fold since 1942. Eating deeply into the civilian supply the ratio of military demands to gasoline available for civilian use increased eight-fold during that time."

"There is enough gas to go around if we curb black market practices and abuses which siphon off 2,500,000 gallons a day. The ads put it up to the American people's sense of fair play to make gasoline rationing work."

SURPRISE MOVE SUPPORTED BY GREATEST AIR ARMADA OF WAR

American armored units of the Fifth army drove three and one half miles north of Velletri to the northernmost slopes of the Alban Hills today. In their new gain they reached the last major defense line below Rome, and were plainly within sight of the eternal city.

The surprise action was supported by the greatest aerial umbrella of the current Italian campaign. Velletri and Lanuvio were outflanked by the action. To the west, fifth army armored troops pushed a spearhead to within 13 miles of the Italian Capital.

Some 20 miles southeast of Velletri, the Germans are falling back along the Via Casalina, with the British eighth army pounding at their heels.

Strong formations of heavy bombers late today took up the offensive against Nazi Europe after a weather-enforced lull of several hours. Medium bombers and fighters swept over the Channel toward the Boulogne-Dieppe stretch.

The delayed daylight offensive followed heavy blows by British bombers which struck at three French rail centers and the invasion coast.

Russian troops repulsed German tank and infantry attacks in the Bitesk sector of which Russia and above Isa in Romanis knocking out 122 German tanks and 164 planes.

Chinese and American infantrymen have captured an isolated Jap stronghold 17 miles north of Kamaing in northern Burma. The entire enemy garrison was wiped out.

Revival Begins Sunday At Local Church of Christ

P. E. Wilmoth, evangelist of San Antonio, will conduct a series of meetings at the Eastland Church of Christ beginning Sunday and continuing through Wednesday, June 13th. Services will be held daily at 10:00 a. m. and be the song leader and A. F. Thurman is the local evangelist.

Former Eastland Girl Is Contest Winner At Orange

Miss Patricia Horn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Horn, former Eastland resident, was one of the winners in the Miriam Litcher Stark reading and declamation contest at Orange, recently. She was adjudged the best declaimer. Winners of the reading and declamation contests were each awarded a valuable wrist watch in keeping with the custom established by the late Mrs. Miriam Litcher Stark 39 years ago.

The awards were presented by H. J. Litcher Stark, son of the late Mrs. Stark, who founded the movement.

Miss Emma Dee Barker On Lion Club Program

T. W. Wagner, field representative of the American Red Cross and Parker Brown, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown of Eastland and who has been for sometime stationed with U. S. Government forces in Alaska, were introduced as visitors at the Eastland Lion's club Tuesday.

Miss Emma Dee Barker, valedictorian for the senior class of the Eastland High school, was presented on the program arranged by Lion Sam Poe, and gave the address she delivered as the school commencement exercises.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Table with subscription rates for One Year, Six Months, and Three Months, both outside and inside the county.

Inside WASHINGTON

FRIDAY—WASHINGTON REPORT—

Clare Luce May Have Her Say Congress Faces Much Work At Chicago Republican Meet Before Summer Adjournment

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—It is rumored—and you know how Washington is—it is rumored, I say, that the Republicans are counting on Representative Clare Luce of Connecticut to supply the charms, the fire, the impudence, etc., for their Chicago "Whom-Should-We-Have-for-President-Why-Not-Dewey?" meeting.

It is rumored—Washington talking again—that Mrs. Luce would have been the key-note of the aforementioned Chicago meeting had not Herbert Hoover said "No!" and "No!" again. "I prefer Governor Warren of California."

"Do you really mean that-er-sir?" said Mrs. Luce prettily over the long distance phone to Hoover. "I do indeed," said Hoover without apology. "I prefer Warren, madam."

At this point in the dialogue, the congresswoman from Connecticut said "Good-bye," still prettily. And hung up the phone.

However—I repeat the word—however—the other Republicans are still keen on Mrs. Luce. And why not? "It is rumored" that the speech which she since has requested her to make in Chicago is now being written. Leading lights in the party are engaged in putting in words and phrases and leaving them out. "Let Clare say this," some urge. "No! Wrong! Clare should say this," others declare.

Poor dears! Clare will say what she wants to say. Why won't the boys ever grow up!

THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES is about to spring ahead to that important Adjournment Day, which has got to come before the hours of the national Republican and Democratic conventions strike upon the ears of the innocent populace.

When will that adjournment day be? Well, it depends on how much spring there is in the lawmakers on Capitol Hill. Some big hot roxs must be got over first.

One of the rox-or debates, if you like two syllable words—is bound to be stirred up over those appropriation bills. Said bills are far from streamlined yet. And it is going to be an oratorical as well as a financial job to streamline any bill that directs how much more money should, may, can and shall be spent by the government of the United States during the next few violent years.

Another bright bit that must be done up by Congress is tax simplification. Think that over in terms of how you, a possible constituent of the members of Congress who must do the tramping out, feel about taxes; plus the national demand for the money that must be raised if we are to win the war and keep the peace for ourselves, our Allies and supernumeraries.

Other important bills, too numerous to mention, are still in conference in both Houses. This means that when the bills come out of conference and pass separately, of course, in each House, they may emerge very different from the original bill on which the particular branch of Congress went to work.

For example, the veterans' bill called the "G. I. Bill of Rights" just passed the House with a score of amendments tacked on to the original Senate bill. The Senate now has to consider and talk about these amendments. Such guilts on take time. Every member of Congress knows, nevertheless, that he has to clean the legislative slate before he runs off to nominate a presidential candidate this summer.

I CAME UPON A GROUP of busy ladies NOT in uniform the other day at a meeting of the Garden Club of America. I do believe in garden clubs. I think they're good for the garden. They manage to clean up vacant lots and improve the culture of the garden.

Garden clubs are likewise extremely good for the ladies who belong to the clubs. But I honestly couldn't share the excitement some of the members felt in a discussion of the future of "Our wild flowers." It doesn't seem the moment to worry too much about wild flowers. So many wild people, mad people are on the loose with guns and bayonets. I just don't have the strength left to brood too intently over the violet on the river's bank.

Violets on the rivers' banks are sweet and fragrant when you have time to go picnicking nearby and sniff around poetically. But right now the powerful if genteel energy of the garden club needs to be spent on the task of winning the war.

OLDEN NEWS

OLDEN—May 30—Misses Helen and Glydden Keith returned last weekend from Carbon, after visiting their grandmother and attending the high school senior activities.

Mrs. Noble Squiers is in Stephenville this week, visiting her parents.

Students home from colleges for the summer are Misses Wanda Choate, Joyce Hendrick, and Marcelle Khun of John Tarleton; Doris Roberts, A.C.C.; and Ardij Belle Howell, Hardin-Simmons, Abilene.

Word has been received that Pfc. G. A. Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fox of Olden, is back in the States. He was in Co. I, 36 Div., and has seen service in Italy.

Mrs. James P. Snodgrass and son arrived Thursday afternoon of last week from Coleman.

Sgt. J. W. Burns left last week for Camp Polk, Louisiana, after spending his furlough with his parents and relatives here.

Mrs. Keith Weagel left last week for San Francisco, California, to visit her husband, Pvt. Keith Weagel.

Miss Clara Simer made a business trip to Austin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lee and Sandra Dean leave Friday for Lipan for a week's visit.

Pvt. Lee Murray left Monday for San Antonio, after a visit with his mother here. His wife and daughter are staying with her parents in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull returned last week from Arizona, where they saw their son graduate and receive his wings.

Mrs. Wanda Hood and Mrs. Sara Williams are visiting friends and relatives in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. L. Kuhn has entered nurses training in a Ranger hospital.

Mrs. Bud Murray and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. Murray here.

Mrs. Jack Martin of Borger is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. W. McMin.

Mrs. Jeannette Hale of Eastland is working in the Magnolia Office building, filling the vacancy left by Mrs. Keith Weagel.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Squiers are the parents of an 8 1/2 pound boy, named Dwight Young, born at the West Texas Clinic, Ranger, Tuesday, May 23. Mrs. Squiers is now home in her apartment in the Mary A. Wright home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howell and

Texas Planning Trading Post For Indian Citizens

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Yes, Indians still live in Texas, but they don't roam the plains shooting arrows at people.

Instead, the 40 members of the Alabama and Coshatt tribes inhabit a 4,000-acre reservation within 90 miles of metropolitan Houston, the state's largest city.

Plans are in the making now for construction of a paved highway fronting the reservation and building of a trading post where the redmen may offer for sale to the public their beaded moccasins, and a variety of useful articles as well as amusing trinkets.

Chief of the tribe is 64-year-old Ticalche, whose Anglicized name is Bronson Cooper Syles-tine. He and others of the settlement are wards of the State of Texas.

The Indian village isn't an arrangement of teepees. Instead, scattered throughout the piney forest land are small houses. On the old council grounds where pow-wows once were held are located a church, school, hospital, teachers' home, cemetery, and a community center.

The white men overran the original two leagues of land (more than double the present 4,000 acres) given the tribes back in 1840 by the Republic of Texas.

It was through the efforts of Gen. Sam Houston, twice president of the Republic, who had lived with Indians before coming to Texas, that the tribes in 1854 received another grant of land.

The tribes began to accumulate stock, food was easily grown, and barter with the white men gave them a measure of security, which was wrecked in the Civil War era.

Homes of the Indians were burned, their possessions destroyed and their stock stolen by resentful white men.

Since that time life in the tribe has been one of reconstruction. The missionary department of the Presbyterian church has aided their progress, and the State of Texas looks after their welfare.

... or making foreign flyers friends To visiting Russian and British allies it's good news to see fighting planes pouring out of American plants. And it's good to see our flying friends respond to the everyday American invitation Have a "Coke"—a way of saying We're with you. Coca-Cola wins a welcome from those who come from Moscow or Manchester. And in your home, there's always a welcome for "Coke" out of your own refrigerator. Coca-Cola stands for the pause that refreshes,—has become a symbol of friendliness in many lands.



Advertisement for Coca-Cola with a bottle illustration and the text "Have a 'Coke' = Eto Zdorovo (HOW GRAND!)"

Cheaney News

By Mrs. Bill Tucker Mrs. W. J. Broussard, who will be remembered as La Rue Usery, a former teacher at Alameda, visited Mrs. Jno. Love on last Wednesday. Mrs. Broussard is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Usery, of Carbon, and is home from Camp Hahn, Calif., for an indefinite stay, while her husband has been transferred to Camp Carson, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Calvert visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred Lamb, at Breckenridge, on Wednesday. They also visited Mrs. Addie Mosley, at Gorman, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. P. Strickler and Virginia his small granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blackwell and Beryl June, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and Billy Alvin, attended the singing at the First Christian Church at Ranger Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Jean Ferrell is home again, following recent surgery at City-County hospital, Ranger.

PROCEEDINGS OF COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

Eastland, Texas, May 26.—The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District: Affirmed:

Traders & General Ins. Co. vs. Jack Yarbough, et al.—Angelina. Frank Cullinan and American Republics Corporation vs. George W. Hare.—Hardin.

Motions Submitted: Troy Old vs. Bobbie Olds Burton, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Mary Harbin Scott, et al. vs. T. S. Currie, et al., appellants' motion for extension of time to file briefs.

Motion Granted: Mary Harbin Scott, et al. vs. T. S. Currie, et al., appellants' motion for extension of time to file briefs.

Motions Overruled: A. M. Callahan vs. Addison Heister, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Case Submitted May 26.—Blue Bonnet Life Ins. Co. vs. Jesse Conaway.—Brown.

NURSE LOSES FAT SAFELY AYDS WAY

Get slimmer without exercise Eat starches, potatoes, gravy, just cut down. AYDS plan is safe, sensible, easy. No exercise. No drugs. No laxatives.

Nurse was one of more than 100 persons losing 14 to 15 lbs. average in a few weeks in clinical tests with Ayds Plan conducted by medical doctors.

Advertisement for Earl Bender & Company, listing services like Abstracts, Insurance, Real Estate, and Rentals.

Advertisement for J. W. Cooper Notary Public, Eastland, Texas.

Advertisement for HAMNER UNDERTAKING COMPANY with phone numbers for day and night.

Advertisement for Dr. W. D. McGraw, OPTOMETRIST, with address at 211 West Main Street.

Auto Use Stamp On Sale June 10

The auto use tax stamp, which sells for \$5.00 and which must be displayed on all automobiles in use on July 1, will go on sale at all postoffices and internal revenue offices on June 10. It has been announced by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Joseph D. Nunn, Jr., in Washington, D. C.

JITTER BUG WARNS MOSQUITOES NOT TO BITE YOU

Just rub a few drops of stainless, pleasant-smelling JITTER BUG on ankles, legs, wrists, face, neck and forehead and you can sit out on your porch, go camping, fishing or picnicking without worrying about mosquito bites, chigger bites, red bugs, sand fleas or sand flies. The minute these pests come near a person who is protected with Jitter Bug, they are warned not to bite. Only 35¢ a drop, grocery, department & variety stores.

JITTER BUG logo and text: ASK FOR AND GET GENUINE

Large advertisement for AMERICAN CAFE, featuring a woman holding a sign that says "WE HAVE MOVED TO GREYHOUND BUS STATION" and listing the proprietors MR. AND MRS. RICHARD JONES.

Large advertisement for Jefferson Davis's Birthday at Eastland National Bank, listing bank officials and services.

THE TIME SHOP

Sterling Silver and Gold anklets.
No charge for engraving

Baptist Church

H. J. Starnes, Pastor

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:55 a. m.—Morning worship.
7:30 p. m.—Training Union.
8:30 p. m.—Evening worship.
MONDAY—
3:30 p. m.—W. M. S. and Sunbeam.
WEDNESDAY—
8:30 p. m.—Mid-week service. Welcome to every service.

Church of Christ

A. F. Thurman, Preacher
Corner Daugherty and West Plummer Streets
LORD'S DAY
Bible Classes 10 a. m.
Devotional, Preaching 11 a. m.
Devotional, Preaching 8 p. m.
MONDAY:
Ladies' Bible Study 3 p. m.
WEDNESDAY:
Bible Study and Pray Meeting 8 p. m.
EACH SECOND LORD'S DAY
Business Meeting 3:30 p. m.
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First Christian Church

J. P. BLUNK, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Men's Bible class 10:00 a. m.
Judge Clyde Grisson and J. F. Collins, teachers.
Morning worship and communion service 11:00 a. m.
Evening service 8:00 p. m.
Missionary Society meets on the first Monday in each month.
Church Board meets on the first Sunday night in each month.

The Church of God

At Lamar and West Valley Streets
W. E. Hallenbeck, Pastor
Program for the week:
Sunday
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
Preaching—11:00 A. M.
Young People Meeting at 7:15 P. M.
Evening Services at 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday
Midweek prayer services at 7:45 P. M.

Church of The Nazarene

P. L. Pierce, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
Young People and Junior Societies meet at 7:45 p. m.
Mid-Week service, Wednesday 8:30 p. m.
The Vacation Bible School now in progress will continue another week, beginning at 9:00 a. m.
Rev. Henry Thomas of Ranger will be guest speaker in the Sunday morning service, with a special message for both the Sunday School and the church hour. A cordial invitation is extended to our friends for these special services.

St. Frances Catholic Church

South Halbryan Street
Services at 8:00 a. m. Sunday by Father Duesman.
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 9:50 a. m.
Preaching Services each fourth Sunday.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8 p. m.
Rev. M. P. Elder, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, on Sunday, June 4.
The Golden Text is: "He is the former of all things, and Israel is the rod of his inheritance: The Lord of hosts is his name" (Jeremiah 10:16).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O Lord, how manifold are thy works in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches" (Psalms 104:24).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine Mind is the only cause or Principle of existence. Cause does not exist in matter, in mortal mind, or in physical forms" (page 262).

The Methodist Broadcaster

Weekly News Of
First Methodist Church
L. Durwood Fleming, Pastor

MR. FLEMING I NABILENE THIS WEEK

The Northwest Texas young people are at McMurray College, Abilene, this week in their annual assembly. Three hundred of the choice youth of Methodism in the Panhandle area of Texas will be there. They will live, study, worship and play together for a week and that does plenty for the morale and morals of anybody's country.

Mr. Fleming was chosen some months ago for the responsible job of Platform Speaker. He will hold personal conference each afternoon and will speak to the Assembly each evening. His general subject is "Visions and Strength for Christian Living."

He will return Saturday and will be in the pulpit Sunday. SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER NEXT SUNDAY
Not since Holy Week has the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper been offered to our congregation, and not since the first Sunday in March has it been offered at the 11:00 service.

So, it will be a high moment of worship next Sunday morning at which time the elements will be administered. A shortened order of worship, the minister's sermon, and the Communion will be included in the hour's service. NEXT SUNDAY'S EVENING SERVICE

"The Prison Epistles" will be the subject for the minister's sermon-lecture for the 8:00 service Sunday evening. Interest is good for these evening meetings and if you have not been coming, you are cordially invited to do so.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—MONDAY
The Board of Christian Education will meet in a business session Monday evening, June 5 at 8:00. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins is the chairman and she is interested that all members be present for there is important business to attend to.

KEEP THE 14th CLEAR
An All-Church Picnic is scheduled for the evening of June 14 and you are asked to keep the date open. We do want an unusual response and this soiree of gathering will be helpful. Details of the affair will be given through this paper next week. Watch for it!

YOUTH FORUM POSTPONED
A Youth Forum has been planned in the church in which every prospective college student of Methodist preference would be a member. The idea behind this proposed forum is to better prepare the young people for their entrance into college.

Due to the fact that the Harmony Girls will be out of town next Sunday evening and a number of Seniors will in the group, we are postponing the beginning of the Forum until Sunday, June 11. We will begin promptly at 7:00 and it will last for 45 minutes.

The Baptist Herald

Rev. Homer J. Starnes Pastor
First Baptist Church

The month of June is to be an extremely busy and important month in the work of our church. With the Vacation Bible School and the revival and Luaders Encampment every week will be filled with activity. Let us all join in making these undertakings what they should be. Then we will enjoy the satisfaction that comes from a job well done.

We are asking the boys and girls and workers to come to the church at 4:00 p. m. Friday, June 2 in order to enroll in the Vacation Bible School and to have the parade. The boys are asked to bring their bicycles and any noise making gadgets they may have. The school will run one week only. There will be character stories, Bible lessons, hand work, Mr. Wood is to help the boys with their handwork. All children from the beginner through the intermediate departments in Sunday school are invited to attend.

The revival meeting begins on June 11th. Rev. L. D. Ball, pastor of Immanuel Baptist church, San Angelo will do the preaching. Mr. Roy Camp of Fort Worth will lead the singing. We will appreciate these fine workers, however, we will keep in mind that they will not bring a revival ready made with them. It will require the very active cooperation of those here and already in the work. The public is cordially invited to every service. All who sing are urged to find a place in the choir.
The Luaders General Encampment will be held the week of June 26th. The Pastor will have a part daily on the program there. Why not plan to attend this camp

COURT NEWS

INSTRUMENTS FILED
The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office:

J. T. Anderson to J. W. Gerhardt, warranty deed.

Foy Atkins to W. A. Harmon, warranty deed.

J. C. Allen to E. W. Curtis, release.

Noll K. Brown to Victor Cornelius, release.

Emojane Berry to G. P. Mitchell, warranty deed.

Emma Butler to E. P. Myrick, warranty deed.

Estes Burgamy to The Public, affidavit.

Estes Burgamy to W. R. Cole, warranty deed.

J. Leon Ball to H. L. King, warranty deed.

A. T. Boland to Martha L. Myrick, quit claim deed.

George Beggs to T. P. Coal & Oil Company, assignment.

City of Eastland to W. P. Weatherall, deed.

City of Eastland to Edward E. Harbin, quit claim deed.

City of Cisco to Wm. D. Johnson, deed.

J. B. Cates to The Public, affidavit.

W. E. Cole to First Federal S & L Association, deed of trust.

Mary Coffman to Calvin Brown M-L.

this year? Take the family and enjoy a week of devotion, fellowship and recreation.

Monday night, June 5th, the Brotherhood is inviting the boys of the Junior and Intermediate departments to be the guests of the men in their monthly meeting. A program has been arranged that will appeal to both men and boys. Refreshments that will "hit the spot" will be provided. Every man of the church is invited to this meeting. Bring a boy and come.

In order to enlist more of our people in the Training Union of the church some plans are being made which we feel will make for more effective work. We believe the new set up will please everybody and will result in a larger attendance at the Training Union hour. Come next Sunday night at 7:30 and hear the new plans and help to put this phase of our work over the top.

Were you in church services somewhere last Sunday? Would you like for the churches in your community to "close up?" What are you doing to keep their doors open? We hear much about the "Four Freedoms." Someone said, "we have freedom of worship, and use it as freedom from worship, never going to God's house to give gratitude to Him for His many and great blessings." The church needs you, but—how you need the church!

Ace's Wife in N. Y.



MRS. BARBARA JOHNSON, center, is welcomed by two friends on arrival in New York City from Lawton, Okla., to meet her husband, Capt. Robert S. Johnson, ranking American ace in the European theater of operations, who is expected home after knocking down his 27th German plane. At left is Miss Betty Healy of Bridgeport, Conn., whose fiancé, Maj. Gerald Johnson (no relation to Capt. Bob Johnson) has been missing since March 27; at right, Mrs. Ruth Allison of Edwards, N. Y., widow of Lieut. Richard Allison, who was killed on a routine flight. All were close friends of Captain Johnson. (International)

Paul J. Cato to Sol Hoffmann, assignment.
Victor Cornelius to W. P. Leslie, warranty deed.
E. W. Curtis vs. Albany National Bank, cc judgement.
E. W. Curtis to The Public, affidavit.

Grace Crawford to City of Ranger, warranty deed.
W. M. Doby to The Public, deed of trust.
W. M. Doby to F & M National Bank, deed of trust.
T. E. Downtain Estate to W. H. Mullings, release.
Federal Land Bank to Bob Key, release.

First Federal S & L to Fred Ervin, release.
Marie Fields to J. T. Fields, quit claim deed.
Allie Goodman to Malcolm A. Patton, warranty deed.
Paul Godfrey to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.
Joe Hogan to Land Bank Commissioner, deed of trust.
Holbrook to Victor Cornelius, release.

Alma Hibbert to Lone Star Gas Company, release of warranty deed.
Joe Holleman to L. W. Foreman oil and gas lease.
King-Ball Motors to H. L. King, warranty deed.

King-Ball Motors to The Public, resolutions.

Harold Mehauffey to Z. O. Mehauffey, power of attorney.

Mrs. Brock Maxwell to E. P. Myrick, warranty deed.

Moseley & Phillips to Walter Murray, quit claim deed.

O. A. Nance to Carrie Ella Tipton, quit claim deed.

C. M. Nichols to W. L. Pippen, warranty deed.

J. W. Ray to Wooley Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.

J. W. and Virgie Raines, to Lee Goswick, warranty deed.

J. Elmer Thomas to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.

J. Elmer Thomas to Lone Star Producing Company, lease.

Mrs. N. T. Walker to Kerlyn Oil Company, lease.

Charles M. Warren to Leona Warren, power of attorney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Vinton L. Jones to Patsy Ketchersid, Ranger.

Willie Harlin Harbin to Callie Virginia Miller, Eastland.

Lamar G. Parker to Warda Mae Mathley, Gorman.

L. C. Warren to Alice Slicker Cisco.

Dewey F. Rush to Geneva Thomas, Cisco.

PROBATE
Murry C. Laster, Jr., deceased, application for administration.

Mozelle Pullman, minor, application for guardianship.

SUITS FILED
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court:

Mrs. Ada Beatrice Aston, et al v. Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Company, damages.

R. R. Tally v. Darline Tally, divorce.

Roy C. Jones v. Unknown Heirs of Walter A. Huffman, et al to try title, damages.

Mrs. Ora Fehl v. John W. Fehl, divorce.

The following suits were filed for record in the 88th District Court:

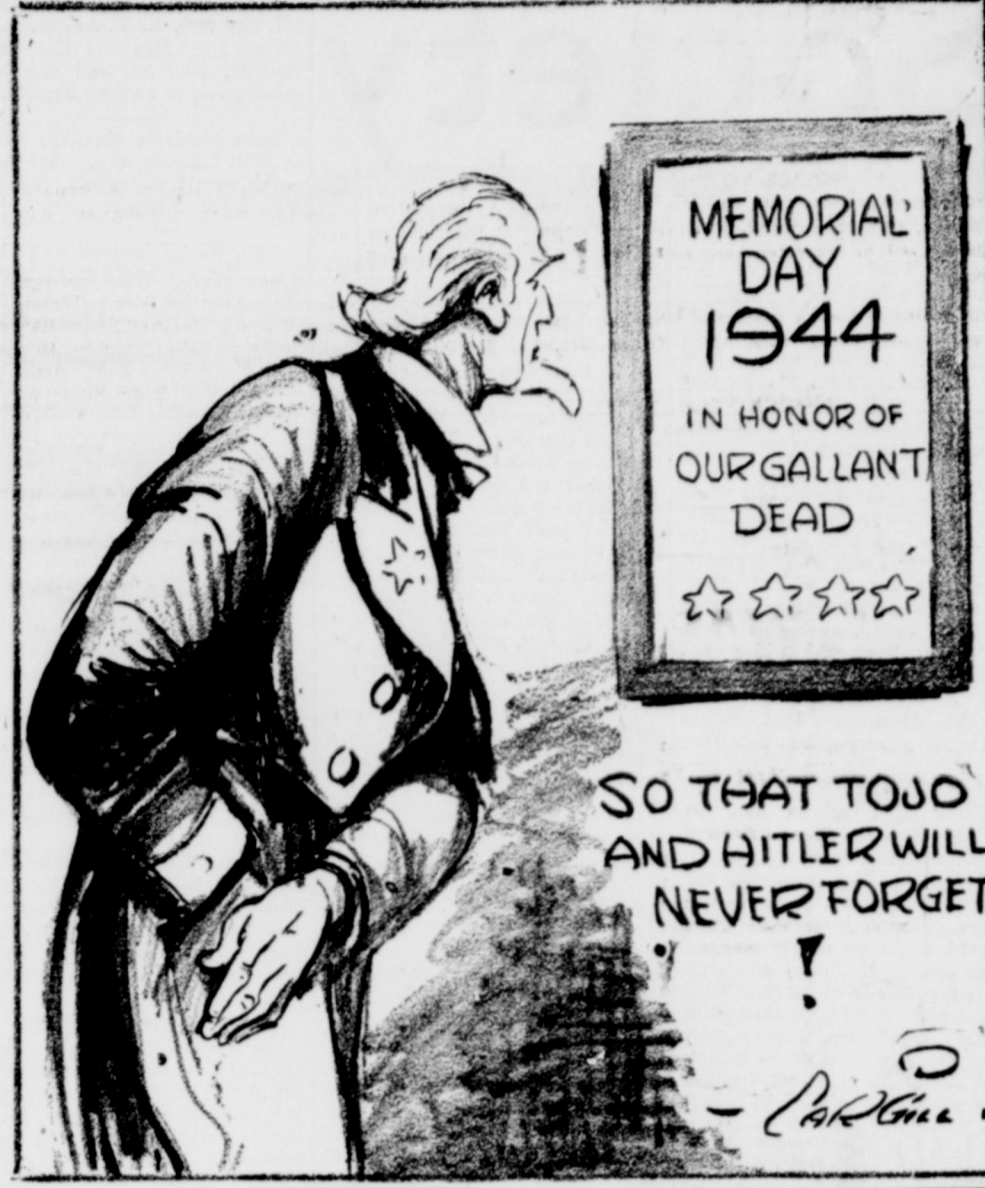
Ex Parte: First State Bank, Carbon. In liquidation, final report. Dorothy Dean Powers v. Cate Terrell Powers, order. Wandalee Dossey v. Doak Dossey, judgement.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS
The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court:

Mildred Fay Collins v. Jack Foster Collins, judgement. Mrs. Ada Beatrice Aston, et al v. Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Company, judgement.

The following orders and judgements were rendered from the

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Denison Dam To Be Dedicated On Saturday July 1

DENISON, Texas, May 31 — Coincidentally with the announcement of July 1 as the dedication date of the \$54,000,000 Denison

Dam, water in the lake which it impounds rose four feet this week as a result of recent heavy rains, bringing the water level to approximately 584 feet.

Tentative program plans for the dedication, under supervision of the United States Army Corps Engineers, Denison District, include Honorable Sam Rayburn and Senator Elmer Thomas as principal speakers and the presence of high government and military personnel. The business interests of Denison have formed a committee to assist in the entertainment of the guests.

rolled-filled structure of its kind in the nation, forms the fifth largest man-made lake, with a surface area of 110 square miles and a 1,250 miles shoreline.

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Society

REV. CHIEF WARDEN AND BETTY JANE BRANTON ARE MARRIED

Miss Betty Jane Branton, daughter of Eastland County Treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Branton, became the bride of Rev. Chief Warden Sunday afternoon, May 28, at 4:00 o'clock at the First Methodist parsonage in Abilene. The Rev. J. H. Hamblen officiating. The single ring ceremony was used.

The bride was attired in a white tulle and crepe two-piece dress with lace top and three-quarter length sleeves with white accessories were a corsage of red carnations. The bride's attendant, Miss Winifred Saffley, wore a pale blue and white dress with white accessories. The groom's attendant was James Harkrider and Harold Gene Harkrider. Mrs. James Harkrider accompanied the bride.

Miss Warden is a graduate of Eastland High school class of '43 and was high school queen of that year. She formerly resided in Rising Star and came with her parents to Eastland.

Rev. Warden is pastor of the Methodist church at Olden and other nearby Methodist churches. He is a graduate of Abilene High school and attended McMurry College at Abilene, was Physical Education director of Eastland High school the past term and has been re-elected to that position.

Others witnessing the marriage ceremony included Mrs. J. H. Hamblen, Mrs. J. B. Warden, sister-in-law of the groom.

The bride and groom remained in Abilene for a visit with friends and relatives. They will make their home in Olden where the groom has been residing with his mother.

MRS. FLEMING LEADS WSCS LESSON MONDAY AFTERNOON 3 P. M.

Mrs. Ed Willman, president of WSCS of the Methodist church, opened the meeting Monday afternoon at the church, following the business session Mrs. Iola Mitchell opened the Mission study and Mrs. L. D. Fleming gave the Fourth Chapter of the study, "For All of Living." Mrs. Fleming's mother, Mrs. John Hugh January of Dallas, was a visitor.

MARTHA DORCAS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS TO OBSERVE SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Charles C. Robey of Austin, chapter member and a former teacher of the Martha Dorcas Sunday School class of the Eastland Methodist church, will be the principal speaker at a tea to be given at 8:00 Wednesday, June 7, in the basement of the church, and which is being sponsored by the class of which Mrs. A. J. Treadwell is president.

All members and former members of the class are invited. The committee in charge is composed of Mrs. George Cross, Mrs. Bill Jessop and Mrs. Dr. S. Roy Townsend.

MRS. E. M. PRITCHARD HAS DINNER FOR YWA

Mrs. E. M. Pritchard was hostess to the members of the YWA Monday night at her home, 1208 South Green street. A dinner was served and a program on China was heard.

Present were Misses Mary Ruth Gillam, Linda Hassell, Peggy and Jerry McFarland, Helen Lucas, Beulah Faye White, El Marie Gustafson and Mrs. Joe Reihl. Mrs. Pat Crawford and the hostess.

ATTENDS FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Helen Begley returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where she attended a family reunion at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. W. Johnson. The occasion was in honor of her brother, H. I. Johnson, who was home from service with the United States military forces over seas.

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PERSONALS

Cpl. James Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anderson, received his wings at Las Vegas Nevada, May 20, and has been transferred to Pampa, Florida.

Miss Marjorie Murphy, Junior at NTSTC, Denton, is now at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Murphy.

Mrs. H. L. Cockrell and Mrs. M. C. Spivers and little son, Norman, of Dallas, are guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Murphy. Mrs. Cockrell and Mrs. Murphy are sisters while Mrs. Spivers is a niece of Mrs. Murphy's.

Little Miss Nancy Karen Castleberry, is visiting in the home of her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castleberry. She was accompanied to Fort Worth from New Orleans by her mother, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Gray Butler, in Shreveport. Her father, Lt. Frank Castleberry, is located at New Orleans.

Cpl. Robert Furse, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Furse, has been transferred from Yuma, Arizona, to Fresno, California. He is a bombardier.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Beyette and little daughters, Emily Jean and Susan, spent the past week-end here with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Emily Jean remained over for a longer visit.

Mrs. Marjorie Spain, a teacher the past year in schools at Rochester, Texas, is now at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spain, Stubblefield ranch near Eastland.

Lt. Nina Smith with the WAVES in Washington, D. C., recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith of north of town, and brother, County School Superintendent Homer Smith and family, in Eastland.

S. Sgt. Johnson Smith returned Sunday to his post at Fort Knox, Kentucky. He was recently married here to Miss Polly Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Martin, at the home of his brother Homer Smith. His bride, who

Hearn, Ray Mildred Hearn, Ruby Lee Oglisby, Rama Barber, Myrtle Hanson, Virginia Cummings, Goldie Brashler, Florence Barber, and Marguerite Lanier.

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is employed at Ranger, will remain here for the present.

Misses Nancy and Paula Muller of Richmond, Texas, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Helen Begley at the Johnson hotel.

F. B. Collie of San Antonio spent the past week-end here with his family. Mrs. Collie returned with him for a visit. She returned Thursday.

W. H. (Bill) McDonald of Austin was a business visitor in Eastland last week.

Mrs. C. H. Yeager is in receipt of a telegram from Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Murray, Salem, Oregon, announcing the birth of a son weighing 8 pounds and 8 ounces on May 29. Mrs. Murray is the former Miss Marjorie Yeager. Mr. Murray is a United States Coast Guard officer.

Mrs. Lucy Brogdon and Mrs. Pat Crawford leave today (Friday) to accompany their sons, Dick and Wid, to College Station where they will enter A&M College.

Mrs. R. L. Rust visited her daughters, Mrs. Sue Sargent in Fort Worth, and Mrs. Burt Kellett in Dallas the past week-end. Her grandson, Burt Jean Kellett, returned with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Read and daughter Miss Jane, of Oshoma were guests Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Campbell. They were enroute home from Denton where Miss Read had been attending school. Mrs. Read is a sister of Mrs. Campbell.

Ensign and Mrs. W. H. Perry are the parents of a 7 pound son, Michael Taylor, born May 29 at Brownwood. Mrs. Perry is the former Miss Ann Taylor of Eastland.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor has returned from a visit with relatives at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spunk of Wichita, Kansas, were guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cross. They were enroute to California. Mrs. Spunk is a niece of Mrs. Cross.

MISS HART IS TWC SMILE GIRL

The title of Smile Girl of Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, was won by Miss Johnnie Lou Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hart, Eastland. Each year the student body of TWC votes for the girl with the most attractive smile. Miss Hart, the winning girl will be awarded a \$100 scholarship and receive a full page

picture in the college year book, the Texwee.

Miss Johnnie Lou and Emalee Hart, sophomore and freshman at TWC this year were elected officers in Autiss, a social club on the campus. Mrs. Howard Hughes, is faculty sponsor of the club.

Both Miss Johnnie Lou and Emalee are past sweethearts of the Eastland Lion's club.

EASTERN STAR INSTALLS OFFICERS

The Eastern Star held a public installation of officers Wednesday evening. Clyde Karkalis gave the invocation and led the audience in pledging allegiance to the flag. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Victor Ginn and Mrs. Jack Hale gave an original reading.

Mrs. Bernice Treadwell, outgoing Worthy Matron, gave a farewell to her officers, presenting them with gifts. As the officers marched out Mrs. Victor Ginn sang, "Farewell To Thee." Mrs. Geo. Cross was the installing officer and installed the following officers:

Mary Barton, Worthy Matron; Alphas Roberts, Worthy Patron; Velma Van Hoy, Associate Matron; Adolphus Copelen, Associate Patron; Daisy Page, Secretary; Elsie Finesy, Treasurer; Lula Crone, Conductress; Venita Miller, Associate Conductress; Clara Wingate, Chaplain; Delta

Fox, Marshall; Tillie Pullman, Ada; Florence Jessop, Ruth; Mary Joe Shultz, Esther; Annie Wingate, Warden; Jess Richardson, Sentinel. Officers of the lodge presented Mrs. Treadwell with an Eastern Star ring and the chapter presented her with two Roseville Pottery vases.

OMAR BURKETT

your support in the past and if you think I have honestly and conscientiously worked for your interest as you know a Representative should, I solicit your vote and support in re-electing me. Seniority counts much in a Legislative body and as I now have enough Legislative service to my credit to place me among that group of members serving longest, I would like to serve you again for the following reasons. (1) To do my best to provide additional funds for our Junior Colleges to aid them in offering courses in the trades and industries for post-war work.

(2) Finish putting the State on a cash basis which is now in the making. (3) Legislation that will permit our armed forces to vote without poll tax payment. (4) To make post-war plans NOW to take care of the unemployed after the war is over.

During my service as your Representative I have never cast one vote for wasteful spending. I



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Sunday-Monday

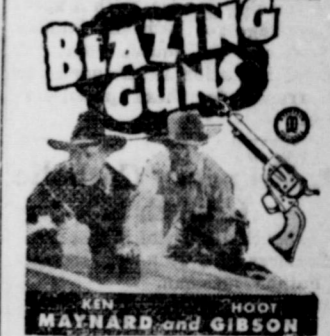
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