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Side Issues

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Over 150 4-H Club Members Expected Here Saturday

More than 150 Eastland County 4-H Club boys and girls are expected in Eastland Saturday for their annual 4-H Club Rally Day.

The Rally Day will begin in the District Courtroom at 10:00 a. m., when Judge P. L. Crossley will present the winners their awards won last year in various 4-H Club contests.

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In the poultry contest, the winners are Bobby Cooper of Eastland, Guy Warden of Eastland, Carol Sandlin of Carbon, James Reese of Scranton and Jimmy Dell Rodgers of Ranger.

Clean-up Truck To Begin Runs Saturday

In a ten-day program, a city trash truck will cover the city beginning Saturday as part of Eastland's clean-up campaign, City Manager I. C. Heck said Wednesday.

The truck will begin operations in Hillcrest and will work east. Heck said the town will be covered only once, and asked everyone to cooperate by having trash in alleys near garbage cans, or at the street curbing.

The clean-up campaign is sponsored annually by the Civic League and Garden Club. Mrs. T. E. Richardson is chairman in charge.

56 Eastland Scouts, Scouters Attend Camporal At Lake

Fifty-six Scouts and Scouters of Eastland joined with more than one hundred other Scouts last week end at Ringling Lake in one of the largest Camporals ever held in the North District of the Comanche Trail Council.

The annual Spring Camporal, a camping experience to prepare Scouts for Summer camping, was attended by nine Scout units from Eastland and Stephens Counties. The units were: Eastland, Troop 6, Troop 66, Troop 103, Explorer Post 48; Ranger, Troop 15; Cisco, Troop 101; Breckenridge, Troop 17, Troop 18, Troop 20.

The Camporal, which started Saturday evening, included a Council Fire program, Sunday School services, Scoutcraft contests, a swapping ring, cooking demonstrations, and concluded Sunday afternoon with the presentation of the awards.

Award winners were: Knot Tying: 1st Place, Wolf Patrol of Troop 18, Breckenridge; 2nd Place, Raven Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland; 3rd Place, Wolf Patrol of Troop 15, Cisco.

Flint and Steel: 1st Place, Fox Patrol of Troop 17, Breckenridge; 2nd Place, Raven Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland; 3rd Place, Raven Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland.

First Aid: 1st Place, Fox Patrol of Troop 17, Breckenridge; 2nd Place, Hawk Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland; 3rd Place, Lion Patrol of Troop 103, Eastland.

String Burning: 1st Place, Hawk Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland; 2nd Place, Eagle Patrol of Troop 18, Breckenridge; 3rd Place, Fox Patrol of Troop 17, Breckenridge.

Signaling: 1st Place, Fox Patrol of Troop 17, Breckenridge; 2nd Place, Raven Patrol of Troop 6, Eastland; 3rd Place, Buffalo Patrol of Troop 17, Breckenridge.

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Report On Progress In Eastland Given By City Commission

A progress report on its two years in office was given this week by the Eastland City Commission as the end of its term expires.

Two members of the commission, W. W. Linkenhogger and Herman Rushing, are seeking reelection in the city election to be held at the City Hall next Tuesday. J. B. Narry also is on the ballot seeking one of the two places to be filled.

The report said: "We, the City Commissioners of Eastland, elected by the citizens to manage the affairs of the City for a two year period, would like to give you an accounting of the accomplishments during the year which ends April 4, at which time you will elect two Commissioners."

"At the beginning of the fiscal year starting Oct. 1, 1948, the City owed the bank \$6,042.50 for moneys borrowed in July, August and September of that year, to finish out the 1947-1948 fiscal year. This money was paid back to the bank during the 1948-1949 fiscal year, which reduced that year's available funds that much. We finished the 1948-1949 fiscal year without borrowing any money from the bank, and therefore, this year's available funds will not be reduced by bank borrowings in the previous fiscal year. We are working under a budget and financial control system now, the budget and expenditures being checked monthly, and we will definitely operate within our budget and not borrow money from the bank, unless some unforeseen catastrophe befalls us.

"With reference to City of Eastland Bonds, these were reduced \$28,798 during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1949, and we now have on hand \$20,000 to retire tax bonds, tenders for which are being called.

"Ninety percent of 1949 City taxes have now been collected. Part of this unpaid ten percent is not due yet, as those availing themselves of the split payment on taxes have until June 30 to make payment, before becoming

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Meyer To Talk At Athletes' Banquet

Veteran Coach L. R. "Dutch" Meyer of Texas Christian University will be the principal speaker at the Eastland Quarterback Club's annual banquet for Eastland High School athletes Friday night, April 7, it was announced Thursday by H. L. King, president of the club.

Meyer also will show a film of one of last season's T.C.U. games, probably the 28-37 thriller won by T.C.U. over Ole Miss.

All boys who are members of any of the athletic squads of the high school will be guests of the club at the event, which will be held in the Roof Garden of the Connellie Hotel.

Grand Jury Asks Extra Deputy Sheriff As Crime On Increase

Census Taking To Begin Saturday In County, Nation

Census taking will begin officially in Eastland County and the entire United States Saturday, and every citizen was urged to help get the big tenth-year job done as quickly and as well as possible.

Enumerators for the county are ready to do the job, after a week of schooling this week in the Eastland County Courthouse.

The census is to be determined, of course, is how many persons are living in the county and its subdivisions, but there are a host of auxiliary questions on everything from plumbing to race and nationality.

Eastland is expected to show a big population gain over its 1940 population in 1940. Estimates are that more than 5600 persons live here now, but the official census count will be the figure on which a lot of decisions will be made during the next ten years.

For that reason as well as for the matter of town pride, Manager H. J. Tanner of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce urged that every attempt be made to count every possible person in the city during the census taking.

The enumerators will call at every door in the city during the census-taking, as well as at all rural homes.

Show Raises Fund For School Fountain

South Ward School's Fifth Grade raised about \$102 over taxes out of a net of \$122.95 receipts from the "Womanless Wedding" produced in the Eastland High School Auditorium Monday night, Mrs. Harold Durham, school principal, said Wednesday.

The money, along with \$16.50 in donations, will go to buy a refrigerated drinking fountain for the school. Mrs. Durham said the lowest bid so far on a fountain is about \$156, so further fund raising will be required, to the extent of about \$40.

The performance Monday was a scream, everyone agreed, with mountainous Neil Day as the blushing bride, given in "marriage" to Loyd A. Scott. E. K. Henderson played the role of preacher.

Others in the all-male cast were W. G. Womack, who played the pre-nuptial music; Wendell Siebert, Jack Kelly, Eddie French, Pat Miller, Robert Clinton, H. B. MacMoy, J. L. Waller, Jim Murphy, Jimmy Harkrider, Bill Hoffman, Jerry Fuller, Bob Vaughn, George Lane, G. W. McBe, Richard Bumpass, Glenn Hogan, Tommy Patterson, Bill Sykes, Stanley Stephen, Gary Wingate, Glenn Garrett, Harold Durham, Bobby Powers, Billy Upchurch, A. J. Blevins, Jr., Prentiss Jones, Digby Crump, Frank Hightower, and Stanley Blevins.

Pre-nuptial songs included "Just Before the Battle, Mother," and "Don't Fence Me In."

School Trustee Vote Set For Saturday

Three trustees for the Eastland Independent School District will be elected Saturday from four candidates in an election to be held in the basement of the Courthouse in Eastland.

Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

On the ballot are Dr. W. K. Cowan, Bill Adams, Mrs. James Horton and M. H. Perry. Mrs. Horton is the only one seeking re-election.

Retiring members are Robert Vaughan and Jack Muirhead, in addition to Mrs. Horton.

Eastland FFA Boys Win Judging Event At County Show

A team of four Eastland High F. F. A. boys placed first in competitive livestock judging Saturday morning March 25, at the Eastland County Livestock Show held at Cisco. Judging against four boy teams from Carbon High School, Cisco High, Ranger High, Rising Star and Ed Steele's 4-H Club, the Eastland FFA team won first honors by accumulating 1445 points out of a possible 2000.

Team members are Buddy Aaron, Edwin Aaron, J. D. Carter and Don Webb.

Second place went to the Carbon High FFA team with 1400 points. Cisco High placed third with 1375 points.

Although receiving no team placings, the 4-H boys gave the FFA teams, some keen competition, as emphasized by Don Jobe, Gorman 4-H Club boy who was high point man with a total of 425 points out of a possible 500.

Four Eastland County Veterans Agriculture classes competed for prizes in the contest, with the Romney fourth year men walking away with the top honors. The four man Romney team chalked up 1520 points out of a possible 2000. The Cisco class moved to second place with 1425 points. Rising Star was third with 1415 points and Ranged 1st with 1400 points.

Members of the FFA teams which placed first and second will receive engraved watch fob medals.

The judging contest was sponsored by the Eastland County Show Association and directed by the Eastland County Veterans Vocational School, Eastland. The judging was supervised by E. P. Crech, county agriculture coordinator; R. H. Donovan, Cisco instructor; C. W. Thomas, Gorman instructor; W. M. Crow, Ranger instructor; G. R. McMillan, Eastland instructor; C. W. Stafford, Desdemona instructor; James Starr, Romney instructor and P. C. Spenny, Rising Star instructor.

Poultry Field Day To Be Held April 14

An Eastland County Poultry and Turkey Field Day will be held in the Cisco Livestock Show Barn all day April 14. County Agent J. M. Cooper said Thursday.

Ranger Jaycees will furnish the seats and tables for the event, which will feature talks and clinics by six experts.

23 Indictments Are Returned By Official Body

Hiring another deputy sheriff by Eastland County and halting the practice of filing criminal charges in check cases, and then dismissing the charges when the check is made good, were recommended in the report of the 91st District Court Grand Jury which adjourned Thursday after returning 23 indictments.

The report to Judge George L. Davenport said: "We, the Grand Jury of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, have been in session eight days and have examined 165 witnesses, as a result of which we have returned 23 indictments, a large percent being in some form of forgery. We find it to be a common practice by persons who file criminal charges against another person and then dismiss the case when restitution is made. This practice is not only an expense to the county but consumes much time by the sheriff's department in running down the violators, and we urge the district attorney's office to discourage such procedure.

"We wish to thank the district attorney for his able assistance to us during our session and commend him for the efficient and businesslike manner in the performance of the duties of his office.

"We have visited the county jail and find that it is in good condition, the prisoners are well cared for and the general operation is very efficiently and economically taken care of by our jailer.

"We commend the sheriff and his deputies for the efficient performance of their duties. However, we feel that due to the increase in crime over the county that the sheriff's department is handicapped by lack of help in the enforcement of their duties, and we recommend that an extra deputy be employed.

We have investigated all violations that have been brought to our attention by both law enforcement officers and individuals, and when evidence has warranted it, we have returned an indictment."

The report was signed by T. E. Richardson of Eastland, foreman.

Famed Quartets To Appear Here

A number of famed quartets are scheduled to appear during the quarterly Eastland County Singing Convention to be held in the Eastland High School auditorium Saturday and Sunday, April 8 and 9, it was reported this week.

Judge Milburn Long of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals in Eastland has been named president of the convention. Committees named were: Finance, Clyde Fisher, R. L. Rust and Fred Adcock.

Arrangements, S. E. Price, H. J. Tanner and Frank Hodges. Coffee, Dave Fiensy and Homer Smith. Reception, R. L. Rust, Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck, Jr., R. E. Head, H. L. Jackson, S. E. Price, Clyde Fisher and A. E. LeClaire.

Lunch, Mrs. Clyde Fisher, Mrs. R. E. Head, Frank Hodges, Fred Adcock and A. E. LeClaire. Publicity, R. L. Rust, H. J. Tanner, Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck, Jr., Homer Smith, Bob Moore and H. G. Vermillion.

Methodist Choir To Give Cantata

An Easter cantata, "The Crucifixion," by Stainer, will be presented at the First Methodist Church on Good Friday, April 7, at 8 p. m.

Robert Clinton will direct the adult choir of the church, with Miss Martha June Morehart as organist.

Easter Egg Party To Be Free To All

An Easter Egg party for all the children of Eastland, regardless of age, race or creed, will be given under sponsorship of MacMoy's Clover Farm Store at 3 p. m. Good Friday, April 7, H. B. MacMoy, owner of the store, said Thursday.

Women of various churches of Eastland will hide the eggs at the City Park for the hunt, with Rev. J. B. Blunk in charge of the overall operation, MacMoy said.

Principal of the Negro school will be in charge of the hunt by colored children, which will be at Fireman's Field, the Eastland softball park.

Candy eggs for the hunt will be supplied free by the store. MacMoy said every child is invited to take part.

Cisco Gym Burned; Loss Set At \$100,000

Cisco's Community Gymnasium, erected two years ago largely with funds raised through public subscription, was levelled by fire Tuesday night with the loss estimated at \$100,000.

Rummage Sale Set For Friday, Saturday

Members of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale in the former Club Cafe building on the east side of the square in Eastland Friday and Saturday, March 31, April 1.

Mrs. Frank Castleberry asked that anyone having anything to donate for the sale remember to bring them to the building Friday afternoon or Saturday morning.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES SET

Rev. W. Alberts, formerly rector of the Episcopal church of Brookhaven, Miss., will be in Eastland Sunday to conduct Palm Sunday services in the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

Dalton Briles of Rule is the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cox of 305 N. Daugherty Street.

Moisture Is Threatened Lack Of Moisture

Moisture must come in a few days in Eastland County's winter grain crop to be a total loss, County Agent J. M. Cooper said Thursday.

Lack of moisture in the soil in holding back planting of winter gardens, and is hindering moisture in a host of other crops, Cooper said.

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Round-Up

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Covered Belts: \$1.00. Buckles: .35. Buttons 3c and up. Mrs. Guy Sherrill, 300 E. Plummer. Phone 381-J

Shultz Presents Kathleen Murphy



Little Miss Murphy was just six months old when this picture was taken, and seems to have been enjoying the situation a great deal. Kathleen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Murphy of Eastland.

YOUR BABY TOO WILL TAKE A LOVELY PICTURE

Shultz Studio OVER THE CORNER DRUG

X-RAY

The X-ray program for tuberculosis was started Friday by the students of Eastland High School. Everyone fifteen or over had a chest X-ray made. Bus loads of students were taken all through the day until everyone was X-rayed.

It was very simple and only took a few seconds for one X-ray. You simply registered, told your name, age and family doctor and stepped in front of the machine where your X-ray was taken. It is a very worthwhile program and we hope that it will help stamp out tuberculosis.

ALL DISTRICT BAND

The All-District Band, composed of members from bands from Breckenridge, Brownwood, Cisco, Eastland, Goldthwaite, Gorman, Coleman, Hamilton, Ranger, San Saba, Comanche, DeLeon, Dublin, Santa Anna, and Stephenville met at Gorman for the first all-district meet last Saturday.

The rehearsals began at 10:00 a. m. without tryouts. At twelve the members enjoyed a good meal in the Gorman school lunch room. At 2:00 P. M. the band rehearsed until 4:00 p. m. At 5:30 another good meal was served at the lunch room.

During free time band members went to town or out to the lake.

At 7:00 p. m. a very good concert was given by the band which everyone enjoyed very much. A selection of ten numbers were led by different directors and ended with "The Star Spangled Banner", while twirlers saluted.

Many people attended including a large number from Eastland. Eastland band members made a good showing by playing in first chairs. Band members playing were: Don Smith, Mozelle Pullman, Tommy Patterson, Guyrene Robinson, Sarita Seale, Stan Stephens, Jim Ed Willman, Nancy Freyschlag, G. W. McBee, Patsy Atwood, Beth Hurt and Bob Vaughn.

ASSEMBLY—"UP IN THE AIR"

The assembly program for Friday was a play given by the speech class. It was a skit named "Up In The Air." The characters were: Gayle Parrack, an old hand of hearing woman, Judy Haines, a country woman, George Lane, her husband, Gay Poe, a giggling girl, Jerry Fuller, an aeroplane mechanic, Norman Watson, a salesman and Eileen Vaughan who announced the characters.

The story was about a family taking their first aeroplane ride. It was very funny and well given. Everyone enjoyed it.

CHEERLEADERS JACKETS

Have you seen "red" lately? Don't be alarmed, it's probably only the cheerleaders jackets. The jackets came last Thursday. The cheerleaders made enough money by selling sandwiches at basket ball games and by giving the Cheerleaders Dance, to pay half of each jacket. Each girl paid the remaining amount for the jacket.

The jackets are of red water repellent nylon material and have a black "E" with a red megaphone through it. The cheerleaders would like to thank every person who made the jackets possible.

SENIOR CLASS MEETING

The seniors had a class meeting in study hall 20 Monday to discuss plans for the kid day program. The seniors will have the annual kid day affair Friday. There will be poems, dances, songs, and a lot of fun for all. There will be skits given and a special dance by some of the senior girls.

Anyone who wishes to come are cordially invited to this program Friday morning at 8:40.

JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class of 1950 will present their play Thursday evening, April 6, at 8:00 p. m. The play is entitled "Quit Your Kidding." It is about a family who

has a rich aunt coming to see them. She promises each one of the girls a check for \$5000. Since one of the children is a boy, he dresses up like a girl while the aunt is there. After quite a few amusing incidents, it all turns out well.

The play is directed by Mr. J. E. French, the Junior Class sponsor. It will be held in the High School auditorium. The prices are .50 for adults, .35 for high school and junior high students and .25 for ward school children.

Morton Valley News From ... CARBON

By Special Correspondent

Do you suppose that Texas will have a Grand Canyon in the west when the wind quits blowing? We can't see how all the sand, dirt and dust comes by here without leaving a hole out there somewhere.

"Granny" Thompson's condition is very critical at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jacobs and Mike, and Mr. and Mrs. John Rainey of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Duncan. Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs returned to Fort Worth Sunday while Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Rainey stayed until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart and Jan of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thompson last week end. Mrs. Stewart also visited her grandmother, "Granny" Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tankersly and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Coggins of Breckenridge spent Sunday in El Dorado.

Mrs. A. C. Morton of Wink arrived Monday for a visit. She will visit grandmother Williamson who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Reagan of Eastland spent Sunday in the Bert Duncan home.

Visitors in the Wince Graham home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Joe Sturm and Eddie of Breckenridge. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gann of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Roper of Albany.

The revival at the Harmony Baptist Church ends Sunday evening. Mr. Ted Brian is leading the services and Pastor, Joe Smith is leading the singing.

Mrs. Dan Childress and Mrs. T. E. Castleberry entertained Miss Shirley Brown, bride-elect of Jimmy Van Huss, with a miscellaneous shower last Friday.

Mrs. H. O. Hearn who has been visiting in Abilene, returned to her home last Tuesday. Mrs. Earl Trout and Earl Terry of Seminole are visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston of Eastland visited "Aunt Mary" Hearn Sunday.

There are quite a few cases of flu around Morton Valley and everyone agrees that their own case is worse than anyone else's. We know no one could feel any worse than we did.

Brother, do we need a rain.

Mrs. Lynn Lovelace and her father, C. C. Cornelius of Eastland, were guests at the 1950 Mustang Corral for the Southern Methodist University Alumni held March 24 on the S. M. U. campus.

News From ... CARBON

By Special Correspondent

Sgt. Hatten E. Foster of Francis E. Warren A. F. B., Cheyenne, Wyoming, and mother, Mrs. Minnie L. Foster of Flatwood visited her brother and his uncle, C. G. Reese and Mrs. Reese Friday.

Mrs. Hallie Seastrunk has returned from a visit in Odessa, Big Springs and Throckmorton.

C. B. Poe of Baird is visiting his son, B. B. Poe and Mrs. Poe.

Mrs. A. M. Claborn and children, Judy and Keith, of Sundown, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Claborn in Okra this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Claborn of Sundown are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Claborn in Okra.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wade White visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clark and family in Stephenville Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Burnett was hostess to the Needle Eye Club Wednesday afternoon when the 14 members present enjoyed the afternoon doing their favorite fancy work.

Mrs. Burnett served hot chocolate, coffee and cookies.

Mr. and Mrs. Miner Townsend announce the arrival of a daughter March 25, in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson and Steve of Phillips visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black and Miss Meredith Black over the week end.

Guests of Mrs. Fannie Bridges last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley and family of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hightower and son of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Robertson and family visited relatives in Kerrville last week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Jackson of DeLeon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGregor Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Redwine visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhyne in San Antonio over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Parks and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Underwood visited relatives in Brady Sunday afternoon.

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Hundreds Tell Bob Wills Of Hadacol's Numerous Blessings

Hundreds of folks, who are benefiting every day from taking HADACOL meet at the Trianon Building in Oklahoma City where Bob Wills, famous band leader, and his Texas Playboys broadcast each noon for HADACOL.

"It looks like all my fans are getting wonderful benefits from HADACOL," said Wills. "It is a real pleasure to broadcast for HADACOL because the folks taking HADACOL are so enthusiastic that I feel like I am performing a real service for mankind."

Hundreds have told Wills of the blessed benefits of HADACOL and the following statement by Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany, a well known singer, is a good example.

"I was tired, run down and lost my appetite. I suffered with gastric disturbances. I had tried almost everything but it didn't seem to help me. I had heard about the wonderful results HADACOL had been bringing to so many of my friends. Soon after taking HADACOL I was feeling much better, had no gastric disturbances and had a wonderful appetite. I am no longer nervous. I am sure that HADACOL has helped me a great deal and I recommend it to my friends."

Miss Lobb suffered with a deficiency of B Vitamins and important Minerals which HADACOL contains.

A lack of only a small amount of the B Vitamins and certain Minerals will cause digestive disturbances. Your food will not agree with you. You will have an upset stomach. You will suffer from heartburns, gas pains, and your food will sour on your stomach, and you will not be able to eat the things you like for fear of being in misery afterwards. Many people also suffer from constipation. And while these symptoms may be the results of other causes, they are surely and certainly the symptoms and signs of the lack of the

Bob Wills Hears About HADACOL'S Blessings



Bob Wills, famous western music band leader, loves to talk with his fans at the Trianon Building auditorium in Oklahoma City about the blessings of HADACOL. In the picture above Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany Okla., a very promising young singer, tells Bob how HADACOL has helped her. Hundreds of folks who are obtaining rich blessings from the precious B Vitamins and Minerals in HADACOL visit Wills each week for his network broadcast, which is originated from KBYE, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma's western music station, and sent over a leased wire to stations, KRMG, Tulsa; KWHN, Fort Smith; KGLC, Miami, Oklahoma; KLYN, Amarillo, and KWFT, Wichita Falls.

B Vitamins and Minerals which HADACOL contains. And if you suffer from such a disorder, there is no known cure except the administration of the Vitamins and the Minerals which your system lacks.

HADACOL contains not only one, but 5 of the B Vitamins. HADACOL contains not only one, but 4 of the necessary Minerals. It comes to you in liquid form, easily assimilated in the blood stream so that it can go to work right away.

It is easy to understand, therefore, why countless thousands have already been benefited by

this amazing tonic, HADACOL.

So, it matters not who you are... it matters not where you live... or if you have tried all the medicines under the sun, give this wonderful preparation a trial. Don't go on suffering. Don't continue to lead a miserable life.

Many persons who have suffered and waited for 10 to 20 years or even longer, are able now to live happy, comfortable lives again because HADACOL supplied the Vitamins and Minerals which their systems needed. Be fair to yourself. Give HADACOL a trial. Demand the genuine HADACOL. Accept no substitutes.

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News Items From OLDEN

BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Missie Norton is in the hospital seriously ill with pneumonia.

W. E. Price has returned from Fort Worth where he has been under medical care for the past three weeks.

Lord Parton and girls were end visitors in the week end.

Charles Hathcock, Mrs. and Miss Joy Hathcock were visitors at the church on Christ Sunday. They were friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hathcock.

Mrs. W. H. Greer of the city visited Mr. and Mrs. John and Mrs. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vermilion Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sargent and daughter Miss Fay Johnston of Ft. Worth and Mrs. O. O. McRoaring Springs, Mrs. Berner of Kermit and Mr.

and Mrs. W. L. McDonald and baby of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tudor of Sweetwater visited Mrs. Jessie Kelly Sunday.

Mrs. Gorman Morton of Ranger and Mrs. V. M. Hamilton visited Mrs. Carl Timmons of Eastland.

Miss Eunice Hamilton and Miss Mollie Green were in Fort Worth shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Archie Lassiter is very ill at her home.

Brother Jack Thompson and Jack Myers were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wharton. Mrs. Marcell Danials and son spent the week end with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lockhart. Mr. Danials was in west Texas visiting his mother who is ill.

Joe Grey spent the week end at home with his wife. He brought in a new Ford, of which Mrs.

Grey was very proud.

Mrs. Gordon Woods and Louise visited Mrs. E. J. McKelvain Friday evening.

Mrs. Ora Curry and Mrs. Lee had in their home Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oxford of Fort Worth and Tom Cunningham of Ranger.

Joe Dale Langdon visited J. W. McKelvain Saturday.

Mrs. Fannie Thompson and Mike are here for a few days visiting with her mother, Mrs. D. O. Moffit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McKelvain visited his sister and family, Mrs. H. S. Hallway of Cisco Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ethyl Rowch has an infected hand which is bothering her quite a bit.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott are home from Dallas where he has been in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Miller and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendrix of Staff Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Callaway of Moran, a sister of Mrs. Clio Grubbs, spent Sunday and Sunday night in the Grubbs' home.

Mrs. Grace Burk of Eastland visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yielding Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Langdon and brother enjoyed a fishing trip at Possum Kingdom dam Saturday.

Mrs. Melba Nabors and Connie spent Thursday night with Mrs. Gordon Woods of Cisco.

Mrs. Martin and Wanda visited Mr. and Mrs. Byrnes Monday night.

Those attending the slumber party at Joleen Ferguson's Friday night were Johnnie Ruth Chancery, Bonnie Hall, Betty Wharton, Dessie Mae Cagle, Helen Alford and Joleen.

Mrs. M. S. Holt is in Ranger hospital very ill.

Mrs. Ethyl Rowch accompanied by her son, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Rowch and Sue, enjoyed the 50th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Woodrow Rowch's parents in Brownwood Sunday.

Eastland Man Given Commission In Berlin

First Lt. George M. Daniel, of Eastland, Texas, was commissioned as an officer in the Regular Army, February 16, climaxing six years of Army service. Presently he is assigned to the 16th Constabulary Squadron in Berlin, Germany. His previous service includes assignment with the 104th Infantry Division during the war. Afterwards he attended OCS at Fort Riley, Kansas, and was commissioned as 2nd Lt. in December 1947.

Lt. Daniel served at Fort Knox, Kentucky, and later was assigned to the 2nd Armored Division, Camp Hood, Texas, for a competitive tour. He arrived in EUCOM in September 1949.

FFA Boys To Enter Abilene Judging

ABILENE—Members of the Eastland FFA chapter will compete in the judging contests at Abilene Christian College's annual Field Day next Monday.

More than 500 boys from all parts of western Texas have been entered in the contests.

The program will be conducted at the A. C. C. agriculture department's Allen Farm.

MRS. SHERO'S COUSIN DIES IN BRECKENRIDGE

Frank Clements, cousin of Mrs. O. B. Shero, died Monday night at his home in Breckenridge.

Mrs. Shero attended the funeral services Wednesday morning in Breckenridge. Burial was in Mineral Wells Wednesday afternoon.

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OLDEN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

By Marjorie Hendrick

The volley ball and playground ball teams went to Carbon Monday, March 27 to play for the district champions of the two sports.

The grade school boy's volley ball team won two out of three games over Cross Plains on Monday morning. Then in the semi-finals Monday afternoon, they lost to Gorman.

The high school boy's volley ball team will play in the finals at Cross Plains, Friday. They beat Cross Plains first, then Desdemona in the semi-finals at Carbon.

The playground ball was not played on Monday due to weather conditions. At a later date the high school girl's playground ball team will play Gorman.

The Olden high school seniors went to Ranger Junior College on Ranch Day, March 24.

Late that evening the senior boys, accompanied by Mr. Weaver, went on a fishing trip and stayed all night. The boys who went were Kenneth Holt, Bobby Warren, Bob Langston, Bob Tyrone and Billy Adams. Two students of Olden high, Tommy Matlock and Ed Colburn also attended.

The senior girls, Carmen Alvarado, Barbara Anderson, Edwina Martin, Layce Grubbs, Peggy Matlock and Marjorie Hendrick enjoyed a slumber party given by Mrs. Weaver on Friday night.

Mrs. Weaver served the girls a late supper of tuna fish sandwiches and cokes. In the morning she served a breakfast of eggs, toast, bacon and hot chocolate.

The seniors are looking forward to their senior trip which begins April 14.

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Beskow's To Open New Store At Cisco

Edwin A. Edmondson will assume the management of Beskow's new jewelry store in Cisco when the doors open to the public Saturday, April 1. It was announced by Charles Beskow, manager of Eastland's Beskow Jewelry Company. The building at 707 Ave. D, home of the new Cisco business, has been completely re-decorated. The building, owned by Beskows, has been occupied by the Elite Beauty Shop until recently.

Beskow's Jewelry Company was established in 1919 by the late E. A. Beskow. His widow, Mrs. Beskow, and son Charles and wife have assumed the responsibility for the past several years. Edmondson is well known throughout this area and has been associated with Beskow Jewelry here since early 1947.

The public was invited to attend the opening of the new store Saturday, when several gifts will be awarded, including a beautiful watch, Charles Beskow said. He also said he is happy to announce that the firm has been appointed authorized Cisco dealer for all of the famous brands and nationally advertised brands of merchandise it now stocks as authorized Eastland dealer.

Large Crowds Attend Feed Store Opening

A large number of people attended the opening of Spain's Feed and Grain store last Saturday. Coffee, soft drinks and cookies were served the guests by Mrs. W. D. Spain and her daughter, Mrs. Harold Courtney.

Three sacks of Nutrena feed were awarded to S. N. Coons, S. E. Price and Ben F. Lynch.

The new feed and grain business, located at 403 South Seaman Street, is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spain of Eastland.

Chester, common ending for English town names, comes from the Roman word castor meaning camp, since many were originally Roman camp sites.

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Higginbottoms Move To Garage Dwelling

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Higginbottom, whose farm home in the Koko-mo community burned to the ground nearly a month ago, were to move into a temporary home in their former garage this week.

The Higginbottoms converted the garage into a three-room dwelling.

Friends contributed over \$1200 in cash as well as clothing furniture, bedding, linens and food. Since the fire, the Higginbottoms have lived with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow. Mrs. Higginbottom is a sister of Mrs. Morrow's.

Higginbottom is secretary of the Eastland County Dairy Association, a teacher in the Eastland County Vocational School, and is an amateur magician who has appeared before many groups in the county.

Mrs. McBee's Mother Dies In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McBee have returned from Fort Sumner, N. M., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. McBee's mother, Mrs. S. E. Kinsey, who died March 20, three days after her 82nd birthday.

Children surviving in addition to Mrs. McBee are Mrs. Cloyd Foreman of Warrensburg, Mo., Mrs. Con Burns of Poyales, N. M., Mrs. Claud Richards of Melrose, N. M., and Mrs. Bill Estes, P. T. Kinsey and E. K. Kinsey of Fort Sumner. Grandsons acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. Kinsey was buried by the side of her husband, who preceded her in death nine years ago.

Miss Joyce Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tucker of Eastland, spent the weekend in Abilene with her brother, Tommy Tucker, and his family.

Mrs. W. R. Smith has returned home after an extended visit with her sons, Clarence Smith and wife of Freeport and Cloud C. Smith and family of Weatherford.

Mrs. Lloyd Bland and son, John Lloyd, of Wichita Falls returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. R. B. Truly, and niece, Mrs. Doc Davis.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cross were Mrs. Cross' mother, Mrs. J. A. Lash of Midland and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Bryson. Mrs. Thomas formerly lived in Eastland.

CENSUS DIVIDES WHOLE INTO HOLES

ON APRIL 1, about 140,000 enumerators—fact-finders for the nation—will begin a canvass of 45 million American dwelling units and over six million farms, containing 150 million Americans.

On that day, the job of collecting the largest single body of data available for general use, the largest single statistical survey ever made, will get under way.

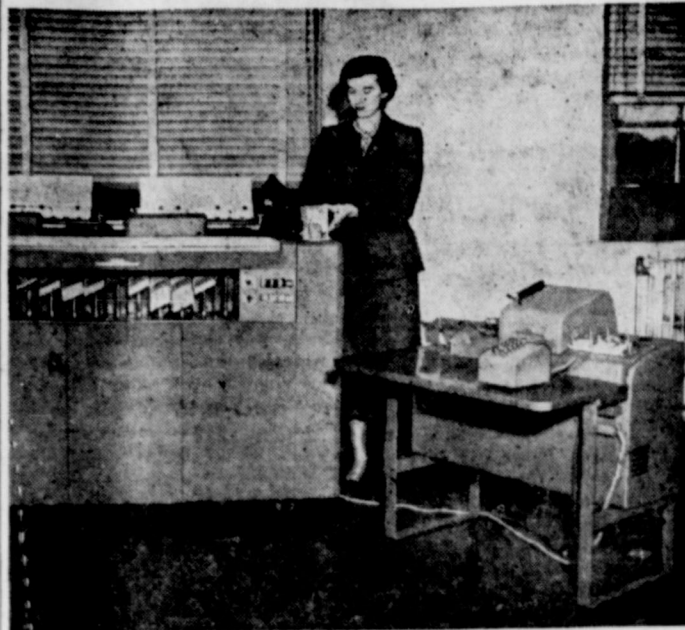
The United States census has its beginning in the heated debates of the federal constitutional convention of 1787 over the question as to whether states should have equal or proportional representation in the congress of the United States. The struggle resolved itself in the true democratic fashion of compromise. Two seats in the senate were provided for each state and a varying number of seats in the house of representatives in proportion to the population of each state.

To implement this provision, the framers of our constitution provided for a population count of each state at 10-year intervals. Three years later, in 1790, the first count was taken and the decennial census of the United States was born.

Compared with later ones, that first census was a simple undertaking. Only the names of household heads were listed, and the facts sought were two: the number of males and females in each household; and whether free or slave.

Two hundred questions—though not everyone will be asked all of them—make up the questionnaires for this year's census, covering population, housing, and agriculture; two hundred questions to be asked from the Mississippi Delta country to above the Arctic circle; 200 questions to be asked from the Maine lobster pots to the smudge pots in the California orchards.

The census law requires completion of all reports by December 31, 1952! And by December first of this year the



An operator places cards into an electronic statistical machine. Cards are seen in the sorting racks of the machine which can sort cards into predetermined groups.

official population figures for each state must be compiled and given to the President so he in turn can pass this information on to the 82nd congress!

The millions of facts collected in the seventeenth decennial census will be recorded on 270 million punched cards—one for every person, one for every dwelling unit, and eight or more for every farm.

If, for example, you are presented by the enumerator with one of the questions asked for every fifth dwelling unit, the fact that you have or do not have a television set will appear as a small rectangular hole punched in the proper column of a card.

The card in which that hole is punched will contain all the other

information obtained about the dwelling unit in which you live. The cards will then be automatically sorted, and those cards with a hole in the place coded for television set owners will be selected from those cards with no punched holes in that spot. Then statistical and accounting machines will print the results into the desired tables.

The scope of the sorting operation alone can be visualized best when we realize that the task of transferring the basic facts from census questionnaires to the cards by means of key punch machines will take about a year, and it is said that approximately two million cards will be punched every day at operation peak.

This is the way the census divides its whole mass of meaningless information into meaningful items of data.

News Items From CHEANEY

BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Sunday afternoon, April 2, at 2:00 p. m. there will be a community Sing-song at the Cheaney Baptist Church. An invitation to all singers is extended, please come.

April 2nd church appointments are T. A. Grice at the Cheaney Church of Christ and Richard Daughtry for the Alameda Congregation. Both of these young men are from Abilene.

Also keep in mind the Gospel Meeting starting Saturday night, April 8, with Bro. Lilly of Comanche doing the preaching. The Alameda Brethren are sending special invitations to their neighbors and friends to attend.

Once in awhile someone gives the news gatherer a break by handing them news items already compiled which is really appreciated. Hope all our readers take notice!

Margie Cozart was able to attend school Monday. She has been absent because of a broken arm, for several weeks.

Sunday visitors in the home of

Mrs. J. W. Blackwell and Mrs. Sallie Bishop were Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Minchow of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jones and daughter Betty, of grand-daughter Jennifer, of Eastland, Miss Leveridge of Cisco, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppler and Mrs. Belle Harrison of Gogman, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cherry and son Charles, of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Curry of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry were enroute from San Francisco to Washington. They spent the week end in Gorman visiting relatives. They have been living in Hilo, Hawaii.

Mrs. Electra Hattox and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Richburg and Ronnie Richburg and family met the Aubrey Jacob family of Lubbock on Half Way ground for a family reunion Sunday.

Even though the day was sandy the family enjoyed the occasion. Mrs. John Love was hospitalized in Gorman from Friday until Tuesday with flu and a severe

attack of asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker spent Sunday with the John Tucker family. Miss Ellen, who was stricken with partial paralysis three weeks ago, continues to be her cheerful self despite her bedfast condition.

A caller on Monday night in the Bill Tucker home was Afton Pilgrim of Dumas. Just one of the small fry who used to attend the school at Alameda. He moved away eight years ago, saw service for 26 months in the Pacific with the Army and came back a full-grown man of 24. No wonder we didn't know him. He spent the week end here visiting relatives.

Basket ball, with 19 small boys participating, was the interesting feature Sunday afternoon with Leon Rodgers at his home.

Mrs. Sanford Lemly was ill and unable to attend church Sunday. Jehn Wheeler was a caller in the Lemly home Sunday afternoon.

Minister Richard Daughtry, A-tice Rodgers, Charles Neger and the Bill Tucker's family were guests Sunday in the Aurther Love home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blackwell, Mrs. Ruby Blackwell and Mrs. Jess Blackwell were visitors in the Staff community in the Jno Blackwell and Jess McGaha homes Thursday.

Salem Club members who were present with representatives from other clubs Monday when Commissioners Court convened were Mrs. Florence Yancey and Mrs. Dee Rodgers. The clubs are asking for an assistant county home demonstration agent.

The party given for the community folks Friday night in the Hattox home was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. These parties are a sponsored effort on the part of the Salem H. D. club in providing rural recreation for the community and each member has pledged to sponsor at least one of these parties during the year. Weiner roasts, movie dates, ice cream supers, candy breaking and tacky parties are some of the proposed suggestions for entertainment. Mrs. Bill Logan is giving a party in two weeks at her home which will be Friday night April 7, so lets all go and have fun.

Dan Love Winner Of Pullman Prize

For the second time in two weeks in Eastland the name of Love turned out to be a lucky one when Dan Love of Eastland Saturday received the free Sunbeam mixer given by Pullman's.

Mrs. John Love of Alameda had received \$400 in the Eastland County Record subscription contest which ended March 10. The two families are not related.

For 30 days before Saturday, Pullman's had exhibited an odd-shaped gallon churn filled with blackeyed peas. The person guessing the closest to the number of peas was the winner.

Henry Pullman said there were 12,485 peas in the jar, and Love guessed 12,480. Three less fortunate contestants came close, with estimates of 12,500.

SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. VINES

Mr. and Mrs. Perry C. Vines of Lubbock are the parents of a son, Larry Gene, born March 24 in a Lubbock hospital. Mrs. Vines will be remembered as the former Glidden Keith of Eastland.

Paternal grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Vines of 1503 South Seaman Street. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Keith of Route 1, Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lusk were in Fort Worth Monday where they met their daughter, Mrs. James LeFan and small son, Mike, who returned with them for several days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brannon and children of Breckenridge were Tuesday night guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cox.

Mrs. S. E. Price returned home Sunday after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Sorenson, and family of College Station.

Mrs. Turner's Mother Passes Away In Dallas

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Jeanie Ragland, mother of Mrs. John W. Ragland of Eastland. Mrs. Ragland died in Dallas March 29 after extended illness. She was the dow of the late N. H. Ragland prominent citizen of Paris died several years ago.

Other survivors include a Charles M. Ragland of Fort Worth and four grandchildren, Maryland of Fort Worth and Jess Dick and Jack Turner of Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Turner were enroute to Dallas at the time Mrs. Ragland's death.

Funeral services will be Friday morning from the Gibbs Funeral Home in Paris with burial in the Paris cemetery.

34 See Stockyards On Ft. Worth Trip

Twenty-eight 4-H and FFA of Eastland County and six leaders Monday toured the Worth Stockyards and the and Co. packing plant, saw on livestock and meat handling and saw the animals in the east Park zoo.

The trip was sponsored by Eastland County Livestock Association for exhibitors in the annual county livestock show last week in Cisco.

County Agent J. M. Co said the boys had a bang-up time. Many had never seen animals in a zoo before, and the thrill of their lives, he reported.

Cecil Holifield was in Goe Tuesday on business.

Sunday dinner guests in home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lier were Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lier of Abilene and Mr. and R. A. Lefevre of Vernon. Lefevre remained for a two visit with her parents.

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Whitehead Honored

J. W. Whitehead of Cissel, former Miss Joyce Pearl Eastland, was honored with a blue shower Tuesday afternoon at her mother, Mrs. A. Harris of 913 South Hal-

many lovely and useful were opened and displayed who called during the shower. Forty guests were re- Mrs. Griffin Hart of Cissel, former Miss Nell Frost of Cissel, presided at the refresh- table cake with pink icing, and punch were served to present. Gay safety pin were used as favors.

town guests were Mes- B. W. Whitehead, J. A. F. B. Whitehead, Cly- ward and Gale Nunnely. Messengers for the occasion were James E. C. Kilborn, Collins and Charles Bur-

Members Of Circle Meet For W.M.S.

Members of the Lottie Moon were hostesses to the Wo- Missionary Society of the Baptist Church in a general Monday night.

Business Women's Circle had an interesting program "Missionaries' Kids," concerning children of in foreign lands were by James Roy Young, Bradford, T. L. Amis, and Miss Verne All-

The stories were being were portrayed by Christine Garrard, Gay and Jeanette Chapman. L. D. Harris presided at a business meeting. A social was enjoyed with Mrs. Tra- serving at the refresh- table, assisted by Mrs. Lovett.

Turner Circle Meets With Mrs. Cross

The Turner Circle of the W.S. C.S. met Monday in the home of Mrs. George Cross with Mrs. Don Estes and Mrs. E. J. Turner as co-hostesses, and Mrs. Earl Bender as leader of the program.

Mrs. E. A. Cushman acted as group accompanist.

Mrs. Fred Davenport brought the devotional, and Mrs. James Horton reported on the work being done on the pastor's study.

Present were Mesdames Earl Bender, James Horton, Milburn Long, Ora B. Jones, T. M. Johnson, A. E. Cushman, Cyrus B. Frost, Fred Davenport, T. L. Fagg, J. L. Cottingham, Don Estes, and two house guests of Mrs. Cross, Mrs. J. A. Lash of Midland and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Bryson.

Mrs. Johnson Hostess For Pioneer Women

Mrs. T. M. Johnson of 405 South Connellee Street was hostess to members of the 50 Year Women's Pioneer Club at a covered dish luncheon Tuesday in her home.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Earl Bender, Fred Davenport, O. O. Mickle and Charles Harris.

Mrs. Minnie Love, president, presided over the business meeting. An invitation was accepted by the club members to attend open house held by Mrs. John Turner, who showed an interesting display of her antique collection.

The meeting was closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie."

Others present included Mesdames R. J. Killough, Josie Jones, Sallie Day, Ida Morris, Julia Weston, Nora Andrews, Maud Braley, Carrie Wood, Exa Hunt, Mattie Watson, and Ora B. Jones. Guests were E. E. Wood, R. F. Jones, Mesdames A. H. Gleason, J. H. Taylor, W. H. Mullings and W. S. Barber.

Eastland High Girls Model At Alpha Delphian Style Show



Eight charming Eastland High School students model new Spring ensembles in a style show arranged by Mrs. Floyd Robertson of Altman's for members of the Alpha Delphian Club. In the picture, left to right, are Mrs. Robertson, Misses

Jane Hart, Nancy Freyschlag, Beth Hurt, Jeannie Howard, Cuva Williams, Janelle Patterson, Janeil Day and Maxine Lambert.

(Photo by Shultz)

NEWEST IN FASHIONS DISPLAYED IN STYLE SHOW FOR EASTLAND CLUB

By MRS. ELIZABETH FAGG

The Alpha Delphian Study Club enjoyed an unusual program on Thursday afternoon, March 24, when they held their regular meeting in the Womans Club-house with Mrs. Leroy Patterson as hostess.

Mrs. E. L. Wittrop presided at a brief business session at which it was decided to assist with the chest X-ray survey. Seven members volunteered to help.

Mrs. Patterson introduced Mrs. Floyd Robertson, who gave an interesting talk on "Fabrics." Mrs. Robertson's discussion was high- lighted by a style show with eight high school girls modeling new spring attire from Altman's to illustrate modern fabrics.

Both casual and party ensembles were included in the show. Misses Jeanie Howard and Jane Hart represented the "Mix'em or Match'em" sportswear, appearing in "Faded Denims" with saddle leather stitching.

They were followed by Misses Nancy Freyschlag and Beth Hurt, who appeared in sun dresses of new pattern cottons combining stripes and solids, to be worn with or without boleros.

Modeling Doris Day sun dresses with jackets, Miss Maxine Lambert wore butcher linen with lace trim and Miss Janeil Day one of satin stripe chambray. Miss Janelle Patterson was attired in a red butcher linen dress that showed the trend toward large white collars, and Miss Cuva Wil-

liams' dress was fashioned of iri- descent chambray embroidered with daisies.

The party, or "dressy," frocks were modeled by the same girls, who are shown wearing this ap- parel in this issue of The Record.

Miss Freyschlag's costume illus- trates a new fabric stripe com- bining cotton sheer and satiny broadcloth, and Miss Hurt's a lovely sharkskin faille. Miss Day's dress shows the Pima broadcloth while Miss Lambert's Mary Muf- fet original is designed of tie-

silk with fitted jacket of butcher linen.

Miss Hart, in a pure silk navy shantung with pink embroidered dots and Miss Patterson, in a silk and rayon tweed with new bloused effect and wide leather belt, demonstrate the way in which the lovely new fabrics convert simple styles into dressy attire.

Misses Williams and Howard are dressed to show how the com- bination of certain fabrics and minor changes in designs can re- sult in entirely different crea- tions.

Miss Williams' blue faille bo- fero suit has a back pleat of flow-

ered silk to match the blouse,

while Miss Howard's navy sheer crepe has an accordion pleated skirt and illustrates the sleeve- less vogue with armholes and tur- tle neck bound with red, and is worn with a double-breasted red butcher linen jacket.

The style show disclosed the careful planning and fine taste of Mrs. Robertson.

The clubhouse was decorated with Easter blooms, and an enor- mous "Easter egg," displaying color- ful corsages, centered the grand piano. Surrounding the egg was a lovely array of gay Easter bon- nets from Altman's.

Nearly 1500 Have Free X-rays Taken

Just short of 1500 persons were X-rayed in the mass Eastland pro- gram which ended Wednesday, said Mrs. Marene Johnson, chair- man of the project for Beta Sigma Phi sorority, which sponsored it.

The mobile X-ray unit, which had been set up in a room at the rear of the Texas Electric Ser- vice Company office, was disman- tled Wednesday evening to take to Cisco, where a similar program was to be started to run four days, as did the one in Eastland.

The Eastland total was not en- tirely satisfactory, Mrs. Johnson said, since a goal of about 3000 chest X-rays had been set, but was fair in view of the fact that it was the first time such a pro- gram ever had been attempted in Eastland County except for the one in Ranger last week.

In Ranger, slightly over 1100 X-rays were taken.

Women of various clubs and civic organizations of Eastland help- ed register those who had X-rays made in the program.

Most of those who had the X- rays taken never will hear any more about it, Mrs. Johnson said, because those whose lungs show no trouble will not be notified.

Anyone whose X-ray picture has indications of trouble will be notified, and advised that he would do well to see his family doctor.

Brannon Residence Damaged By Fire

The residence of Recruiting Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Brannon at 406 North Ammerman Street was partially destroyed by fire Monday night. Personal belongings and furniture belonging to the Brannons were reported almost a total loss.

The Eastland Fire Department saved part of the structure, how- ever, by quick action. The small frame building was rented by the Brannons from Fagg & Jones.

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Circle Has Session In Leslie Home

Mrs. W. P. Leslie of 507 Hill- crest was hostess to members of the McCrary Circle of the First Methodist Church Monday. Mes- dames W. H. Mullings and Her- man Hassall were co-hostesses.

Mrs. R. D. McCrary presided over the business meeting, at which announcement was made of the assembly meeting to be held at the church building Monday, at which time a covered dish luncheon will be served.

Mrs. Frank Crowell gave the devotional entitled "The Parable of the Wicked Husbandman."

Others present included Mes- dames Charles Harris, A. H. Gleas- on, O. O. Mickle, N. P. McCarney, B. O. Harrell, J. A. Doyle and Frank Castleberry.

Miss Wood Honored At Sunday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Wood of 111 East Sadosa Street honored their daughter, Miss Naomi Wood of Abilene Christian College, when they were hosts Sunday to five other A. C. C. girls.

Guests were Misses Sue Cul- lens of Bryson, Athelen Weather- ford of Amarillo, Ann Ready of Sentinal, Okla., Georgia Baird of Kilgore and Ann Howard of Quin- lan.

Mesdames Cecil N. Mayfield of Graham, Bob Roth of Brecken- ridge and Glen Wood of Denton assisted Mrs. Wood in serving a delicious dinner and providing an afternoon of entertainment for the guests.

Sub Debs Meet With Claudine Lasater

Miss Claudine Lasater was hos- tess to members of the Sub Deb Club Tuesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Las- ater.

After a brief business meeting refreshments were served to the following: Gene Griffen, Gayle Parrack, Heidi Throne, Frances Van Gezen, Gale Greer, Ann Day, Sarita Seale, Zenna Griesom and the hostess.

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News from the Court House

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
Lacy Armour to Roy H. King Oil Corp. assignment.
H. T. Brooks to C. F. Atwood, warranty deed.
Perry O. Burns to The State of Texas, right of way.
C. J. Brown to W. H. Davis, assignment of oil and gas lease.
M. J. Caddell to Frank H. Heller, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Charles L. Cofer to H. L. DeShazo, quit claim deed.
C. E. Cooper to J. A. Jackson, partial release of judgment.
Neta Cross to Opal H. Cross, warranty deed.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to O. R. Gafner, warranty deed.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Edwin George, release of vendor's lien.
Charles L. Cofer to G. W. Martin, quit claim deed.
Cleve Callaway to The Texas Company, change of depository.
Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains to The Texas Company, sub. oil and gas lease.
R. A. Drake to J. P. McCracken, warranty deed.
J. L. Davenport to James A.

McCoy, warranty deed.
W. T. Donham to Edgar C. Pence, deed of trust.
J. Wade Driver to W. H. Driver, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Eastland National Bank to C. C. Street, release of lien.
Charles Elson to The Public, ce probate.
Lillian Elson to The Public, proof of heirship.
Federal Land Bank of Houston to E. R. McCracken, release of deed of trust.
First Federal S & L Assn. to J. E. Harkrider, release of deed of trust.
First Federal S & L Assn. to M. S. Wade, release of deed of trust.
First Bancredit Corp. to Federal Land Bank of Houston, transfer and assignment.
First State Bank, Rising Star to Gilman & Gilman, transfer of Vendor's lien.
J. E. Foster & Son to Protective Life Insurance Co., transfer of lien.
B. E. Garner to A. L. Butler, quit claim deed.
H. R. Gholson to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
C. L. Guinn to First State Bank, Rising Star, transfer of vendor's lien.
J. W. Gressett to C. N. Huddleston, correction warranty deed.
Walter E. Guest to J. W. Mingo, deed.
J. E. Harkrider to Georgia H. Henderson, warranty deed.
J. E. Harkrider to First Federal S & L Assn., transfer of vendor's lien.
George H. Henderson to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.
Don C. Hill to L. C. Adams, quit claim deed.
R. V. Hall to H. D. Hall, release of vendor's lien.
James H. Higdon to John C. Sikes, warranty deed.
O. A. Harrison to First National Bank, Strawn, deed of trust.
Virgil Holloway to The State of Texas, right of way.
R. L. Holder to The Texas Company, rat. of oil and gas lease.
Ted B. Kiper to Samuel Greer, warranty deed.
Frank E. Isett to Frank H. Hel-

ler, assignment of oil and gas lease.
T. A. Kirk to Republic National Bank, Dallas, sup. deed of trust.
Mrs. Lula Lindsey to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
Laird V. Locke to Clifford L. Smith, warranty deed.
V. T. Moser to F. A. Hollis, warranty deed.
J. S. Mates to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
J. D. Moody to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
Ned I Morris to State of Texas, right of way.
Telitha Moffett to The Public, affidavit.
J. T. McBeth to The Public, proof of heirship.
W. E. McKittrick to S. W. Foster, Jr., release of vendor's lien.
J. E. McDaniel to State of Texas, right of way.
Mrs. J. L. McCollum to State of Texas, right of way.
M. S. McDaniel to A. R. McMillin, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Joe L. Melvain to Texas Electric Service Co., warranty deed.
Old Line Inv. Corp. v. Taubert & McKee, a corp., abstract of judgment.
C. J. O'Conner to The Texas Company, release of oil and gas lease.
N. L. Perry to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, release of vendor's lien.
John Phillips to Velma Ables, warranty deed.
Edgar C. Pence to W. T. Donham, warranty deed.
Ralph Reynolds to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.
Rockwell Lumber Company v. Mary Michael, abstract of judgment.
Clavin Z. Roady to The Texas Company, oil and gas lease.
SHERIFF TO THE FOLLOWING: (All Sheriff's deeds)
Edward F. Harrison, J. A. Brown, W. L. Wood, G. F. Nunley, Mrs. W. S. Maxwell, F. U. Bourland, H. C. Ables, B. E. Garner, Dewey Cox, Jr., E. R. Townsend, M. C. Ables, Collin Campbell, Bruce Butler, M. L. Sides,

J. M. Cooper, Doyle Poyner, H. L. Hicks, H. C. Wilkinson, R. A. Henderson, J. A. Head and Mrs. J. W. Foster.
Ewel H. Stone to F. C. Ashley, roy. deed.
Melvin C. Sparr to Charles E. Sparr, quit claim deed.
State of Texas to Kermit E. Pierce, grass lease.
E. W. Strickland to A. G. Strickland, warranty deed.
Minnie Ruth Stanley to The Texas Company, oil and gas lease.
SINCLAIR PRAIRIE PIPE LINE COMPANY TO THE FOLLOWING: (All releases)
Mattie Baggett, J. E. Biedleman, W. H. Green, J. E. Nix, G. T. Parrack, W. H. Ray, Ed Rice, W. N. Riggs and G. W. Shahan.
U. S. v. Royce L. Boyd Co., notice of tax lien.
N. O. Whitfield to H. L. Smith, release of vendor's lien.
Virgie L. Whitfield to J. L. Davenport, release of vendor's lien.
W. O. Weeks to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
Roy L. Weekes to Claude Bell, oil and gas lease.
M. S. Wade to Ralph Reynolds, warranty deed.
Mrs. W. B. White to State of Texas, right of way.
Vincie Wallace to J. D. Cook, correction deed.
H. D. White v. Wince Graham, Jr., abstract of judgment.
A. E. Westmorland to J. A. Johnson, warranty deed.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
The following couples were li-

ensed to wed last week:
Robert Edward Parks to Mrs. Willie Mae Payne, Eastland.
Kyle B. Graham to Bonnie Jean Partain, Odessa.
Truman R. Frost to Katy Lou Jacoby, Eastland.
SUILS FILED
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
J. W. Edmondson, et al v. C. S. Eldridge, et al, trespass to try title.
W. T. Wilson v. Violet Marie Wilson, divorce.
McCullough Tool Company v. E. P. Griffin, suit on debt.
Mary Floyd v. Texas & Pacific Railway Co., damage.
ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the

91st District Court last week:
McCullough Tool Company v. E. P. Griffin, notice and order to serve citation.
State of Texas v. James A. Houghton, order.
Ben H. Rankin & Pitcock Drill-

ing Contractors v. J. A. G. order of dismissal.
F. J. Buiet v. O. J. Connell, et al, order.
Euna Lovelady v. Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, of dismissal.

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News Items From STAFF

By SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. C. L. Henderson and Mrs. E. L. Henderson were in the home of Mr. Murrell Miller in Olden last Tuesday evening.

the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Henderson.

Mrs. Allen Crosby has been ill with flu the past week, but was much improved at last report. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barber of Eastland were visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Alford and husband last Monday afternoon.

Emmett Wilson of Ranger was visiting Sunday afternoon in the home of his sister, Mrs. Blanch Sims.

Homer Lawrence and family of Olden were guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby. T. E. Pope and wife were Gorman visitors last Monday.

Mrs. O. T. Hazard was in East-

land Thursday where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White who were ill with flu.

Donald Lawrence of Olden was visiting with Roy Neil Nelson last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. O. T. Hazard was hostess to a Stanley party in her home last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. G. Crosby and daughter, Judy Beth, of Eastland, were visitors of Mrs. Crosby's mother, Mrs. Bessie Bennett last Tuesday.

Kenneth Patterson and Earl Little of Eastland, attended Sunday school and preaching at the Baptist church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Royace Pope and children of DeLeon, were guests recently in the home of Mr. Pope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope.

Mrs. Nellie Whitehead of Tahoka and Mrs. Latha Taylor of Eastland were guests Thursday of their sister, Mrs. Annie Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Williamson were Eastland visitors Friday.

John M. White was a business visitor in Eastland Friday.

Mrs. R. A. Parker spent the day Friday in Eastland where she visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Hazard and husband.

Lonnie Crosby, student at Cisco Junior College, was visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby over the week end.

Mrs. A. E. Fox was hostess to a Fuller cosmetic party at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Winston Boles of Eastland was demonstrator.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard vi-

sited in the home of their son, Maurice Hazard and family in Eastland Friday afternoon.

L. G. Powell and R. A. Parker were in Eastland Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White were in Eastland Saturday evening where they visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Foreman and son of Olden were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby, Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Goswick of Big Springs was the guest recently of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Fox.

Rev. Orville Reese of Scranton filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church here Sunday morning and he and Mrs. Reese were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cheaney and children of Brownwood were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Comwell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nelson and son, Ray Neil, were in Cisco Saturday where they attended the Stock Show.

News From . . .

Desdemona . . .

—By Special Correspondent—

Robert Patterson of Weatherford made a business trip here Thursday.

The P. T. A. had a social Monday night. The school girls played the P.T.A. members in volley ball, and others played 42. Refreshments of cookies and coffee was served. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

W. H. Davis has purchased the Davis No. 1 well on the Davis ranch. Mr. Davis expects to produce the well. It is now flowing.

Mrs. Jessie Sparkman, Buna Abernathy, and Doss Williams were shopping in Ranger Friday. Mrs. Morgan Roberts and Helen Walker visited in Gorman Friday.

Miss Arnilla Ash and Carl J. Christian were united in marriage Sunday, March 19. Their friends wish them a very happy married life.

Mrs. Jessie Clark and Beverly are visiting Mrs. Clark's brother and sister in Freer.

Less Williams spent the week end visiting friends in Ft. Worth. Mrs. Clara Henslee and daugh-

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Be it ordered by the Board of Trustees of the Eastland Independent School District that an election be held at the Eastland County Court House, in the town of Eastland in said Eastland Independent School District, on the 1st day of April, 1950, for the purpose of electing three (3) school trustees to succeed Robert Vaughan, Mrs. James Horton, and Jack Muirhead, present trustees whose term of office expires at that time.

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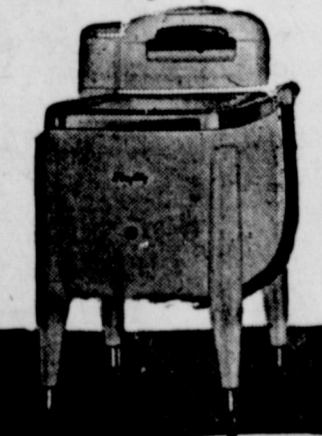
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ter-in-law, Mrs. Nona Henslee of Odessa, visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Loraine Koonce is very much improved and has returned home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rouse and grandson, Harry Lane, moved back to their home from Freer.

Miss Helen Craig of Irvin, and Mr. Clyde Ward of Fort Worth, spent the week end here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Langly of Comanche spent Saturday night with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner.

Patrick Felix White, 84, retired farmer of Desdemona, died in Monahans March 21 while visiting there.

He was born in Alabama, and came here at an early age, and raised his family here. He was a member of the Salem Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held at

the Desdemona Methodist Church, by the local pastor, Rev. John W. Tickner, and Rev. H. D. Martin, pastor of the Baptist church here.

Survivors include three sons, Joe

White of Penwell, O. W. White of Odessa and E. B. White of Odessa, one daughter, Mrs. J. L. Sumerall, and one sister Mrs. Ella McFarley of Cisco.

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subsequent. "We feel, for a city to grow, and be a good place in which to live. HEALTH and SANITATION must be No. 1 on the list. In the place of garbage and trash being dumped on the ground at the City Dump and pushed back with a bulldozer, creating flies and mosquitoes and rats, we first had bottles, cans, etc. mashed, buried in a trench, and then covered with dirt. We are now digging a trench where garbage and trash is dumped and burned daily, then mashed and covered with dirt. We still have some improvements to make at the City dump, such as leveling dirt dumped and burning tires and limbs but we have been told by numerous visitors to the city that we have one of the best handled city dumps to be found in the state.

"One of our very bad health hazards is the sewerage disposal plant south of the city. This is nothing more than an open cesspool. This had to be corrected. The estimated cost of closing this plant, laying a 2,000 foot sewer line, putting in automatic pump and pump house and pumping the sewage to the plant east of the city was \$8,000. This job should be completed within the next two weeks, at a cost of not over \$5,500 by doing all this work with our own crew.

"We have no fire hydrant in the north part of the city, beyond the railroad tracks. This makes it impossible to get insurance coverage. At a recent Commission meeting we voted to buy 1,000 feet of four inch pipe and lay a line from the city main coming into the city, in order to give that part of the city fire protection. The pipe has already been bought, paid for and delivered, and should be installed within the next few weeks.

"Our gravel streets are in bad shape, practically no gravel being put on them for five or six years. As soon as the above pipe line is laid, an extensive graveling program will be started, and finished at the earliest date possible. We hope to start on paving some streets in the not too distant future, as this will be a big help in keeping down the dust hazard.

"We now have 115 dry closets in the city. As fast as it is possible to do so, we want to extend sewer lines, with the thought in mind of doing away with all dry closets in the next few years. Ninety-one percent of the homes in Eastland now are connected to the sewer lines.

"Our fire fighting equipment is very old, and needs replacement badly. We are now in correspondence with several branches of the Federal Government, with the thought in mind of securing some surplus equipment from them. We are also asking for bids on 1,000 feet of fire hose, to be delivered over the next year, in quarterly installments, in order that we might build our hose up to state requirements.

"We have recently entered into a contract with the State Health Department on a rat eradication program, which will be on a permanent basis, and will rid Eastland of this health hazard.

"We have before us, for the future, a filtration plant at the water works plant. This will provide crystal clear drinking water.

"We are now asking bids on a weed cutter for the city, and this will be bought in the near future. This will go a long way toward doing away with a lot of the mos-

Political Announcements

The following political candidates have announced for election in November, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

- For COUNTY SCHOOL SUPER INTENDENT: H. C. (CARL) ELLIOTT (Serving unexpired term—candidate for first full term) For COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct 1: T. E. (Ed) CASTLEBERRY (Re-election) HENRY V. DAVENPORT For SHERIFF: J. B. WILLIAMS (Re-election) JOHN C. BARBER J. F. (Frank) TUCKER For COUNTY TREASURER: JOE COLLINS (Re-election) For COUNTY ATTORNEY: ELZO BEEN (For Elective Term) For TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: STANLEY WEBB NEIL DAY (Second Elective Term) For DISTRICT CLERK: ROY L. LANE (Re-election) For CONSTABLE, Precinct 1: M. A. VANN

Rotarians To Have Barbecue For Ladies

A barbecue at the City Park the night of Friday, April 15 will mark the annual Ladies Night program of the Eastland Rotary Club. It was reported at the club meeting Monday.

After the barbecue, the club sweetheart, Janelle Patterson, will have charge of a musical program in the American Legion Hall.

Eastland Junior High School Principal W. C. Robinson talked on teaching ethics at the club session.

A.C.C. Group Gives Lions Club Program

Abilene Christian College students gave the program for the Eastland Lions Club Tuesday, with Betty Joiner, Fisher Janis, Douglas Rohre and Charles McAnulty playing horn quartets.

This was followed by a magician's act by Jack Rigney, who acted as master of ceremonies. Veltton Moser arranged the program, but was absent and Earl Woody was in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

quittoes, and will help to beautify the city.

"We are now in correspondence with the Governor of the state, with the idea of getting something done at the City Hall Auditorium, so some can be put back in serviceable and safe condition, and for the use of the citizens of Eastland.

"A good part of this program has and will be made possible from funds provided by parking meters. We deeply appreciate the almost two to one vote for retaining parking meters, and we feel that those who voted against the meters will realize their value and necessity as time goes on and the program begins to unfold.

"The Commissioners have worked together as a unit, and we want to thank the citizens of Eastland for their whole-hearted cooperation. It has been a pleasure to serve you."

Junior High Tennis, Track Teams To Compete In Meets

Eastland Junior High School tennis players will take part in the tennis division of the Inter-scholastic League meet in Ranger Saturday beginning at 9 a. m. Coach Joe Williams said Thursday.

Gerald Ables and Stanley Harris will play boys' doubles, with Larry Powell and Laverne Meroney as alternates. Jimmy Lynn Harris will be the boys' singles entry, with Alan Vermillion as alternate.

MAJESTIC

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY RANDOLPH SCOTT in "Fighting Man of the Plains" A Y P

SUNDAY AND MONDAY Dorothy McGuire - Wm. Lundigan "Mother Didn't Tell Me" A Y P

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND - MONTGOMERY CLIFT "The Heiress" ADULT

THURSDAY ONLY Joan Davis - Dennis Day "Make Mine Laughs" FAMILY Plus Surprise Feature at 8:00 P.M.

LURIE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ROY ROGERS - DALE EVANS "Bells of Coronado" FAMILY

SUNDAY ONLY JOHNNY WEISMULLER in "Tarzan's Desert Mystery" A Y P

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The girls' doubles team will be Mildred Thompson and Wanda Harp, and Shirley Alford will play in girls' singles, with Norma Sue Gourley as alternate. Track and field events will be held in Hamilton Saturday, April 8. Representing the Junior high school will be Derald Harris, Gerald Ables and Jamie Jessop in the 50-yard dash; the same three in the 100-yard dash; the same three and Laverne Meroney in the 440; Ables, Harris and Alan Vermillion in the broad jump; Pearson Grimes, Meroney and Ables in the high jump, and Vermillion, Grimes and Meroney in chinning the bar.

Mrs. Basham Sales Manager For Hamner Ben Hamner announced week that Mrs. H. E. Basham has been named sales manager for the Hamner Appliance Store. Mrs. Basham has a thorough knowledge of electrical equipment acquired through association with the Basham Electrical Shop, which she owned and operated for her husband. The Bashams, who live at 205 South Lamar Street, are the parents of two sons.

NOTICE! CITY CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN IS IN FULL FORCE NOW The City will put on an additional truck for ten days, commencing Monday, April 3rd. This truck will start in Hillen and work east. Please put your limbs and trash at curb, or in alley where you have trash can. Do not fail to get your trash in the city only one time. Please help in time, as this truck will be able to clean-up campaign, and make Eastland the cleanest and healthiest city in the Civic League and Garden Club in the state. CITY COMMISSIONERS

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