

Old Santa Claus may miss a few homes in Eastland...

Eastland is composed of some 4,000 very kind-hearted people...

A few baskets will go out on Christmas Day...

This year Eastland will "major" in Korean relief...

Here in free America, we do not know the real meaning of suffering...

There, babies are not to blame — nor their parents...

We need powdered milk and eggs for these babies...

They need shoes and clothing — many are without shoes...

Your child and mine will not suffer. They may not enjoy all the luxuries of life...

We are not suggesting money, though if you have a few dimes or dollars...

Go through the clothes closet, and those garments that have been hanging there for months...

It's cold over there, a lot colder than it ever gets in Eastland...

Maybe you think the gift too small — useless. Well, the Koreans don't feel this way...

So gather up the shoes, stockings, coats, dresses, underwear or whatever you may have...

Remember this drive is larger than Rotary, larger than Lionism...

The American army commander at Seoul will have charge of the packages and will use them where they will do the most good...

We at home can do as much. Let's get busy.

Ranger May Join 7A Grid Loop Tonight

Put On Extra Covers, Mama—Colder Tonight

It'll be a little cooler within the next 24 to 48 hours...

That's the gist of the weatherman's early Wednesday a.m. report...

Heavily overcast, dismal skies hung over the county like an umbrella this morning...

The morning forecast calls for partly cloudy skies for today and Thursday...

This afternoon's high likely will be around 60.

And below-freezing levels may be explored by the mercury tonight...

Area Scouters Annual Meet Set For Dec. 11

The annual meeting of the Comanche Trail Council...

All scouters from Stephens, Eastland, Erath, Comanche, Mills, Brown, San Saba, and Lampasas counties will be expected to attend.

Dr. T. C. Graves of Goldthwaite is the Council's president and will preside at the meeting...

One of the best attendance records of recent years is expected to be set at this meeting.

The Council has enjoyed one of its best Scouting years in the history of its experience...

Details of the banquet program are being worked out by a program committee composed of J. D. King, Judge A. O. Newman...

A meeting of "beef cattle feeders" will be held at the Texas Electric Service Co. offices...

A film entitled "Profitable Beef Production" will be shown by Cecil Fry, district representative of the Ralston Purina Co.

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Bailey Speaks At Lions Club

Rev. Morris Bailey had the program at the Lions Club Tuesday...

Also due for consideration during tonight's important session will be the decision on whether or not Wylie High of Abilene will be retained in the 8-team grid circuit next fall.

Ranger, competing in District 10AA this year during a fairly successful season which gained them a three-way tie with Comanche and is eligible for entry into the single Stephenville for the league title...

Addition of the Bulldogs to the 7-A loop would swell the circuit's membership to nine teams next fall.

However, Wylie — on the basis of enrollment — may be voted out during tonight's session due to the fact that they do not have the required scholastics for the single A rating.

Other members of the 7-A loop include Cross Plains, Rising Star, Eastland, Dublin, Bangs, Santa Anna and DeLeon.

The District 10-AA loop recently added faster company — the currently and long torrid Breckenridge High Buckaroos, the Mineral Wells High Mountaineers and the Weatherford Kangaroos...

Ranger is the only school of the loop's four members which is making an exit from the bigger district. The Stephenville High Yellow Jackets, the Comanche Indians and the Cisco Lobos will retain their 10-AA membership for the 1953 schoolboy grid campaign.

The status of Breckenridge as a member of the 10-AA circuit, however, is not definite. Officials of the Buckaroo school are petitioning for membership in another three A district and a decision on their application to remain in that bracket of competition will be determined during a meeting Friday night.

It was believed today that Ranger would be accepted into the 7A district and observers also were of the opinion that Wylie would be cut from the loop roster making the circuit an eight-member group for '53.

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Little Items of Local Interest

Mrs. H. J. Lane of Carbon, was admitted to Ranger General Hospital for treatment Tuesday...

Quite a number of residents from the Staff community were present at the hearing Tuesday, in which property values were discussed with reference to sale of land to the Eastland County Water Supply District.

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TRIXIE'S STILL TROUPING—Trixie Friganza, "Champaigne Girl" of the Gay '90's, celebrated her 81st birthday on Nov. 29, at Sacred Heart Academy in Flintridge, Calif., where she has been confined to bed with arthritis for several years...

LESTER CLARK RE-ELECTED AS LEADER OF OIL GROUP; SHIVERS, DANIEL LAUDED

Commendation and endorsement of the action of Gov. Allan Shivers and Senator-elect Price Daniel in defending Texas rights to its tidelands was embodied in a resolution passed by directors of the West Central Texas Oil & Gas Association at the annual membership banquet held at Rose Field House in Abilene Tuesday.

The resolution lauded "the action of Governor Allan Shivers and Senator-elect Price Daniel in defending the right and property of the State of Texas and pledge them our full support and cooperation in any further efforts necessary to secure the return of these lands (tidelands) to the school children of Texas."

Lester Clark, Breckenridge independent of man, Tuesday night, was re-elected president of the area oil group.

C. T. McLaughlin, Snyder, was re-elected a vice president. Edgar Davis, Abilene, was elected a vice president, as was Bob Carr, San Angelo.

The banquet was the climax of a well-filled day which started with a breakfast, included two technical sessions, a directors' luncheon and a ladies luncheon and style show.

Speakers at the afternoon technical session included Leland B. White, Ponca City; Charles H. Fishay, Fort Worth; and Benjamin F. Hoffacker, Jr., Abilene. James E. Allison, Tulsa, president of Warren Petroleum Corp., made the main address at the directors' luncheon, and presented Clint Small Austin attorney and former state senator with a gift in appreciation for his work for the association and the oil industry in general.

Several new directors of the association were elected, including: William Arnot, L. W. Brooks, Jr., Breckenridge; Marvin Miller,

Wendell Siebert, added this list of boys who aided in loading and unloading: Charles Collins, Pierson Grimes, Fred Williams, Vern Maroney and Neil Tankersley.

Canteen supplies were donated by Howell & Rogers Grocery, Clover Farm, Banner Dairies, Pipkin Piggly Wiggly, Eastland Drug, Coco Cola Co., and Arthur's Grocery.

RD COMMEMORATED CALDWELL, Kan. — This Kansas town near the Oklahoma border celebrated what pioneers claimed as the 50th anniversary of the first rural free delivery in Kansas. The Wichita Eagle of July 18, 1902, noted the event: "Sixty-two carriers of rural mail were abroad in Sumner County for the first time yesterday, in the biggest enterprise of its kind in the history of this nation."

Pioneer Coaches Name Stars

Ranger Junior College's Rangers won five of the 22 coveted berths on the All-Pioneer Conference offensive and defensive teams chosen by coaches of the five-team circuit Tuesday following the windup of the 1952 junior collegiate football season.

Coach Boone Tarbrough, head RJC coach, and his assistant, Dick Henderson, assisted in selection of the two all-conference squads.

On the offense the mentors picked four players from both Arlington State and Schreiner Institute, two from San Angelo and one from Ranger.

Defensive selections went to four gridders from Ranger, four from Arlington State, three from Tarleton State, and one from San Angelo. There were twelve defensive selections as the coaches voted a tie between Ron Luther, ASC, and David Sullivan, Ranger, at the guard spot.

On the offensive team, James Cook's outstanding linebacker, Bob Forchard of ASC, and an excellent tackle, Charles Blanton of Ranger is an outstanding pass defender and a deadly tackler. Frank Earney of Tarleton State is a standout kicker-off and punt returner, and Bernie Cook and Malcolm Hammack of ASC are fine offensive stars as well as standouts on defense.

Several coaches ranked Ham-

Santa Claus Will Arrive Sat. At 3:45

Saturday, Dec. 6, will open the Christmas shopping season in Eastland. Following the regular trades day program, which will be held at 3 p.m., Old Santa will be ushered into town.

Kiddies from Eastland and adjoining communities are invited to be present to greet him. He will arrive at 3:45, with plenty of candy, gum, etc., for all.

Christmas letters are arriving daily and it is not too early for children to begin getting in their bids. Letters may be sent in care of the Eastland Telegram.

More Than Fifty New Features On Dodge Truck

McGraw Motor Co., local Dodge dealers, have just announced the new "Job Rated" trucks, and Mr. McGraw states that the truck is years ahead in many new features. The truck is also known as the economy truck, for which its higher compression, it is improved until it gives more efficient performance down to the last drop of gas.

This truck also has the new truckomatic transmission which saves shifting, and cuts fatigue. Brakes are super-safe that will give even, smooth stops with less pedal pressure.

With this truck you may look for long life, as it is more dependable than ever. In fact you will find more than 50 new features including larger exhaust system, and extra-capacity radiators.

You are invited to see this new truck on Thursday, Dec. 4.

Researchers Plan 'Cabin In Clouds'

The Colorado institute of arctic and alpine ecology is going 12,000 feet high in the Rockies, where there are 50-mile-an-hour gales and sub-zero weather. Its purpose is to get information which it hopes will give the mountain states better forests and better water supplies.

The research entails building a "cabin in the clouds". The expedition is headed by Dr. John W. Marr, who, like his associates are turning to carpentry and metal work to erect the steel panel cabin to withstand the high mountain winter at Boulder, Colo.

Marr and his men will study the relationships of climate and plant life.

TEXAS GETS HUGE SHARE OF NFIP AID

Texas has received one dollar of every six dollars in emergency polio aid allotted to the states by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis this year. Total grants to Texas for the year exceed \$1,000,000.

This was disclosed today by Mrs. J. A. Bates of Ranger, Eastland County chairman of the 1953 March of Dimes.

She said the report, issued by Gen. Robert J. Smith of Dallas, Texas chairman, shows "the enormity of the polio treatment overhead for 1952, and, more important, indicates the cash ahead in raising funds through the March of Dimes to meet the state's polio patient care program."

General Smith reported that through November 8, the National Foundation had sent out in emergency polio aid to chapters in all the states a total of \$6,679,634.50. Of this sum, according to the March of Dimes chairman, Texas chapters have received \$1,018,580.00.

The allotments to Texas have been proportionately larger, he explained, because of the heavy polio incidence, now in its third year.

Seventy-six Texas chapters have shared in the NFIP aid. The latest allowance totaling \$13,775.00 was sent to six Texas local chapters as follows:

Anderson County, \$2,000.00; Bexar County, \$9,000.00; Duval County, \$1,800.00; Erath County, \$500.00 and Kaufman County, \$475.00.

Costs More To Keep Rats, Too

The cost of living has gone up for rats, according to a chart published at West Virginia University, Morgantown, W. Va.

"A rat can no longer be boarded as cheaply as the \$2 now generally estimated," C. Frank Bishop said. "It is more like \$5 now."

"Farmers will have to foot the bill on rat rid of the boarders," he added.



HIGHBALL!—Charles Fleischer, 2, is having the time of his young life being chief engineer of the model railroad system on display in a Washington, D. C., department store. Toy department officials, wise in the ways of boys of all ages, have designed the display so that visitors can operate all the trains.

Advertisement for Peter Edson's Washington Column. Includes a graphic of a hat with words like 'MONEY', 'TAXES', 'BUDGET', 'DEFICIT', 'INFLATION', 'DEFENSE', 'FOREIGN POLICY', 'TIDELANDS', 'WATER POWER', 'HOUSING'. Text: 'A Hatful of Headaches For Our New President'.

Advertisement for shopping days. Text: 'LET'S GET GOING! SHOPPING DAYS WILL BE HERE! 19 SHOPPING DAYS WILL BE HERE! If someone's asking Santa for a brand-new bike, That's a cup. Just the...

EASTLAND TELEGRAM AND WEEKLY CHRONICLE

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NEWS FROM OLDEN

Look! It's here—the date for the "Benefit Ball Games," has been set for Tuesday night, Dec. 2, at the Olden gym, and tickets are now on sale. Proceeds will go to the Community Christmas Tree Fund. Extra entertainment will be provided for you between quarters and halves.

Rev. Alfred Nelson has announced that the educational building at the Baptist Church is nearing completion. Later on additional Sunday School rooms will be provided.

The FTA met last week at the Home Economics room with good

attendance. Many things were discussed, including our project for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, visited his brother who is in a hospital in Dublin, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Justice of Bishop, visited her mother, Mrs. Minnie Norton last week.

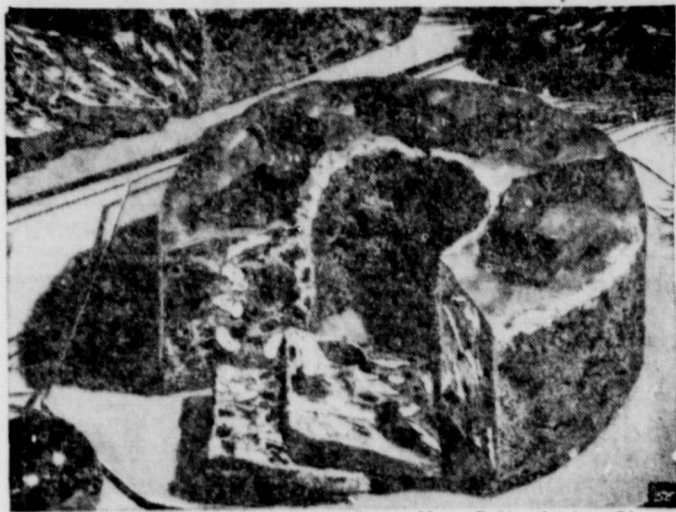
Visiting in the D. O. Moffett home over the weekend were her children, Mr. and Mrs. June Thompson, and Johnny Marlow.

Clifford Seaborn received an injured foot last week while helping dig a grave. He accidentally struck a pick through his foot, breaking two bones.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Justice of Andrews.

Peggy Matlock and Bobby Langston of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, are spending the holidays with home folks.

Fruit Cake The Cake-Mix Way!



(American Beauty Home Baking Institute Photo)

Want to streamline your holiday fruit-cake making this year? Then try the new cake-mix method that makes 5 pounds of festive fruit cake from just one package of cake mix!

It's a fast-to-mix recipe, developed especially for all-purpose cake mix by Virginia Roberts of the American Beauty Home Baking Institute. And it's a beautiful cake with the accent of whole red cherries, pecans and white raisins. Bake it in a large 10-inch tube pan, in two loaf pans or use 3 one-pound coffee cans. Wonderful for holiday giving!

Cake-Mix Fruit Cake

- 1 package (20 oz.) All-Purpose Cake Mix
- 4 eggs, unbeaten
- Combine cake mix, one egg, water, salt and flavoring and beat until smooth, about 2 minutes. Add the remaining 3 eggs, one at a time, and beat well after each addition. Total mixing time in second step—at least 2 minutes.

Fruit Mixture

- 1 lb. whole pecans or walnuts
- 1 lb. white raisins
- 1/2 cup water*
- 2 level teaspoons salt
- 2 teaspoons lemon extract
- 1/2 lb. whole candied cherries
- 1/2 lb. candied pineapple, cut in strips
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour

Combine nuts, fruits and flour and blend into the cake batter. Pour into one 10-inch tube pan, two loaf pans (4x8) or 3 one-pound coffee cans. Pans should be lined with a triple thickness of waxed paper and well-greased. Place a shallow pan, filled with one inch of hot water on bottom of oven. Bake cakes at 275° F. for 2 hours and 40 to 55 minutes. Cakes are done when toothpick, inserted, comes out clean. *For altitudes above 3,000 feet, add 2 tsp. additional water.

Mrs. Truman Bryan returned Friday from Wichita Falls, where she attended a State FTA meeting. She stated that she enjoyed the meeting and has a splendid report for us at our next meeting.

Mrs. Ethel Ogleby and children of Farmington, N. M., were recent visitors of her sister, Mrs. Detale Bryant.

A large crowd from Olden attended the ball game at Desdemona Friday. Our boys won their game, while the girls lost.

Everybody enjoyed the rain which fell all day Sunday and Monday. School children were scared that their trip to the Shrine Circus would be called off. However, they went despite the rain.

Carol June Hilliard underwent surgery at the Ranger hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Chancellor has moved down on the east side of town, next door to her daughter, Mrs. Bob Sellers.

Anyone who has news for the paper please call it in to your reporter on Monday or Tuesday. Phone 13.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Supplver were their son, Sidney and family from Stanton. Sunday dinner

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Loan Sharks In Texas Under Fire

To evade the constitutional limitation on interest, Texas loan sharks resort to devious methods, the most used scheme at present being "credit insurance," declares E. C. Frits, Dallas attorney, who has made a study of the loan shark evil as a member of the anti-usury committee of the State Junior Bar Association.

Credit insurance is somewhat involved and intricate but the practical result is that the borrower guest included Mrs. A. A. Norton.

A. J. Elliott celebrated his 88th birthday Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Tommy Sharp. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Fellers of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gray and children of Eastland, Willie Elliott of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Elliott and children of Olden, Mrs. Grace Hayes of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Squires and family of Ranger.

Get your PTA calendar now—they are going fast.

pays approximately 140 per cent interest. Here is the way it works: A man has urgent need for \$25. He gives a note to be paid in three months in weekly installments. He is charged 24 cents as interest (10 per cent) plus a "service charge" of \$1. But before he gets the \$25, he is told:

"Something might happen to you in the next three months—an accident, serious illness, even death, so you must take out health, accident and life insurance to protect us against loss."

The premium on the insurance is \$7.96, which makes the total cost of the \$25 loan \$34.20. The insurance company receives 15 per cent of the premium; the loan company, as "agent" is allowed a commission of 85 per cent.

But the shark is not satisfied with this: So far from desiring to help a borrower work out his financial problems, the company wants to keep him in debt. So if he misses a weekly installment, a day or two later he will receive a phone call, "Come down and renew."

original amount (\$34.20) and receives \$5 in cash. As part of the \$34.20, he has to pay another \$7.96 credit insurance premium, even though the three months for which the first policy was written have not expired. Thus, in effect, he is paying "interest on interest."

Then, when he again gets behind, he signs a new note, pays the \$7.96 premium again—and so the process goes until the borrower is so heavily involved that he is virtually working for the loan company.

With the purpose of driving the loan sharks out of business in Texas through legitimate competition, the Texas Junior Bar Association has approved a small loan bill similar to the legislation which 30 states have adopted.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Bloss

There is no joy among the seniors for mighty Lord Struck out in the interclass debate.

DEFEAT! DISGRACE! DISHONOR! (YAWN)

DID YOU SAY SOMETHING?

NO, (YAWN) WELL, WHY NOT?

I'M TRYING TO THINK OF A (YAWN) IDIOT BACK AT THOSE BUDS! IF YOU'D LET ME REST MY BRAIN A BIT!

IT'S NO USE, WEARY—I THINK WE'VE REACHED THE END OF OUR ROPE!

ROPE? ROPE? GENTS, WHAT DOES A ROPE SUGGEST?

A HAMMOCK?

THE WORLD MIGHT JUST BE A LOT OF AVENGING THE SENIORS' DEFEAT AT THE HANDS OF THE JUNIORS' DEBATING TEAM!

A TUG-OF-WAR COOL, HUH? THEY MAY HAVE THE BRAINS, BUT WE'VE GOT THE BRAIN!

JUST WHAT DID YOU MEAN BY THAT REMARK, HUH?

EASY, BOY, FOR AS HORATIUS WON FAME DEFENDING THE BRIDGE SO SHALL LORD SMITH AS OUR INVINCIBLE AND UNMOVABLE ANCHOR MAN!

AW, SHUCKS, FELLAS!

VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane

...SO WE TAILED HIM, JUST LIKE YOU SAID! HE HADN'T THEN HE DUCKED INTO AN OFFICE BUILDING.

TO SEE A PRIVATE EYE NAMED VIC FLINT.

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I THINK THE MOMENT WAS ARRIVED IN THE GAME WHEN WE SHOULD PLAY OUR ACE!

HEY, WHERE ARE YOU GOING? I THOUGHT YOU SAID YOU WANTED PROTECTION!

I'LL CALL YOU WHEN I REQUIRE IT, MR. FLINT. WE'VE MADE A DEAL, GOODY!

WELL, I'LL BE—HE DIDN'T EVEN TELL ME HIS NAME!

LOOK AT ALL DAT BEAUTIFUL MONEY!

A RETAINER, LOUIE, FROM A GUY WHO CAME INTO MY OFFICE THIS MORNING. HE SAID HE WANTED PROTECTION—AND THEN LEFT WITHOUT EVEN LEAVING HIS NAME!

IT'S THE EASIEST FIVE HUNDRED BUCKS I EVER BARNED, BUT I'M NOT TAKING IT 'TILL...

FLINT SPEAKING.

HELLO, MR. FLINT, THIS IS THE MAN WHO HIRED YOU THIS MORNING. I WANT THAT PROTECTION—RIGHT AWAY.

ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin

TALK SENSE! IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU ARE, HOW DID YOU GET HERE?

HEBBE I WALKED IN MY SLEEP!

FAUGH! I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF THIS!

CAREFUL NOW, LITTLE MAN!

CRASH!

THANKS, FRIEND!

AW, DON'T MENTION IT—HAVE A CIGAR!

MY GOODNESS, DOCTOR, WONMUNG, IF SOMETHING WRONG WITH THE TIME-MACHINE, THEN HOW DO YOU KNOW WHERE ALLEY OOP IS?

DON'T, OOLA... BUT I THINK I CAN FIND OUT!

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE REFUNDING BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF EASTLAND

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, 1931, as amended, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court of Eastland County, Texas, to pass an order at the regular term of Court on the 12th day of January, 1953, authorizing the issuance of EASTLAND COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, in the maximum amount of \$85,000.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like amount of Eastland County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1950, dated October 1, 1950; said refunding bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed three and one-half (3 1/2%) per cent per annum, and to mature serially, with a maximum maturity date not later than 1969.

THIS NOTICE is given in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Eastland County, Texas, on the 1st day of December, 1952.

John S. Hart, County Judge, Eastland County, Texas.

NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Well, Thanksgiving has come and gone, and everybody in Eastland county has something to be thankful for, and that was the good rain, which was so much needed. Farmers and ranchers seem to be all smiles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope visited in Eastland, Tuesday, with Mrs. Pope's aunt, Mrs. Mollie Webb.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmie Fonville, and young son Randolph, of Levelland, were guests Wednesday afternoon of Mr. Fonville's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard. He is stationed at Reese Air Force Base, Lubbock.

Rev. Alfred Nelson of Olden was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing Wednesday. The Downings have been shut-ins for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were visiting in Eastland Tuesday, with their son Maurice and family and Mrs. Pearl Bourland.

Earl Little, who was recently inducted into the service and is stationed in New Jersey, was home for the holidays to visit his family. Earl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little and his wife the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope had as guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eaves and children from Eunice, N.M.

Chester Henderson of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Henderson of Fort Worth, were guests over the holidays of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson.

Mrs. Sam Fonville and Earl of Desdemona, Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmie

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Prepare and grind . . . 2 quarts green tomatoes 1 small head cabbage 6 medium onions 12 green peppers

Fonville of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Eastland, and Mrs. Pearl Bourland of Eastland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Byrd a n d daughter from Denver City, were guests recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman, Kenneth and Allen of Olden, Mr.

Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3— Music Study Club Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m., Mrs. Donald Kinnaird president. Mrs. E. H. Culbertson, Chrmn.

THURSDAY, DEC. 4— Thursday Club, Woman's Club, 3 p.m. Mrs. Arthur Murrell president.

FRI.-SAT., December 5-6— Music Club bake and rummage sale, West side of square, Mrs. Louie Corbell, chairman.

SATURDAY, December 6— Library Story Hour, Woman's Club, 10-11 a.m. Mrs. Arthur Murrell in charge.

MONDAY, DEC. 8— Rotary Club, 12:15 Hotel Roof, Bill White Pres. Zeta Pi, Beta Sigma Phi, Mrs. Bob King president.

Pythian Sisters Christmas party, 7 p.m., in the home of Mrs. James 1009 South Bassett Street.

TUESDAY, DEC. 9— Lions Club, 12 noon Methodist Church Bruce Pipkin, Pres. Xi Alpha Zeta—Beta Sigma Phi, Pres. Frances Estes, hostess. Home Makers Class Party 7 p.m. Baptist Church. Mrs. O. L. Hooper, chairman.

WEDNESDAY, DEC 10— Civic League and Garden Club, 5 p.m. Woman's Club, Mrs. Buda Butler, Pres. Rev. Otto Marshall speaker.

THURSDAY, DEC. 11— Delphian Christmas Party—Womans Club 7:30 p.m. Mrs. R.

M. O. Hazard was in Olden Saturday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Little and Johnny of Slaton, were guests of their parents, the J. L. Littles and J. W. Mouncees, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard were in Eastland Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope were guests in the home of their son, Royce and family in DeLeon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald of Eastland, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

L. Carpenter Chairman. Mrs. Geo. Lane Pres.

MONDAY, DEC. 15— Las Leales Christmas Party, Mrs. Horace Horton, Chrmn. Mrs. H. L. Hassell President. Rotary Club, Hotel Roof, 12:15 noon, Bill White Pres. Pythian Sisters—7:30 p.m. Castle Hall, Mrs. J. C. Poe Most Excellent Chief.

TUESDAY, DEC. 16— Music Study Club, Woman's Club, Husbands Party, Mrs. H. M. Hart Chairman, Mrs. Donald Kinnaird Pres. Lions Club, Methodist Church 12 noon, Bruce Pipkin Pres.

Morton Valley Dem. Club Christmas party with Mrs. D. D. Franklin, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18— Thursday Club Annual Christmas Dinner Honoring Husbands. Mrs. Arthur Murrell President.

FRIDAY, DEC. 19—

Winter Wonderland Party for Beta Sigma Phi's & Husbands, 7:30 p.m. Art Johnson's host, 414 Hillcrest. School closes for holiday until Jan. 5th, 1953.

SUNDAY, DEC. 21— Annual Co-Ed Tea for friends and mothers, Art Johnson residence, 414 Hillcrest.

MONDAY, DEC. 22— Readers Luncheon Club party, Progressive supper.

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Mexican Republic Is Now Making Progress; President Aleman Has Improved Living Conditions

Mexico's first civilian president in a quarter of a century—Miguel Aleman—steps down from office December 1 to turn the reins of government over to another civilian pledged to a continuing program of progress and inter-American solidarity, Adolfo Ruiz Cortines.

Historians will write the story of the Aleman administration over the last six years, but even a glance by contemporary chroniclers shows it has been one during which the Republic of Mexico made tremendous economic and social gains and improved its international relations among the nations of the world.

During the Aleman administration his government's dealings with the United States have been among the most friendly of any period during the long relationship between the two countries. During his term of office the governments of Mexico and the United States worked closely on many projects of mutual interest and benefit, such as the stamping out of the hoof and mouth disease in Mexico, and Mexican industry profited and developed with the help of United States loans.

So improved is the present day economy of the country that in 1951 Mexico announced it sought no further loans from the United States for the development of its economic potential. New industries, new factories, hydro-electric projects, irrigation systems and the development of new oil reserves are some of the things which have characterized this administration. New highways and bridges have been built to strengthen the internal communication and transportation system of the country, and

this year's education budget amounted to twice the same budget for 1947.

University City—the sprawling site of the National University of Mexico, with its modern classrooms, dormitories, 125,000-capacity stadium and its campus, is another landmark to the Aleman administration. With its facilities for a resident student body of 25,000 it is destined to take its place among the leading universities of the Western Hemisphere.

The Aleman administration has been distinguished by such able cabinet figures as Ramon Beteta, Minister of the Interior; Manuel Tello, Minister of Foreign Relations, and others. It has been an administration which has sought to maintain the value of the peso and give the nation a sound financial economy.

Adolfo Ruiz Cortines assumes the presidency at inauguration ceremonies Dec. 1, pledged to carry on with the ideals of economic, social and international policies which will continue to improve Mexico's place among the nations of the world. In him Texas, and the United States, can well consider they have a good friend and neighbor.

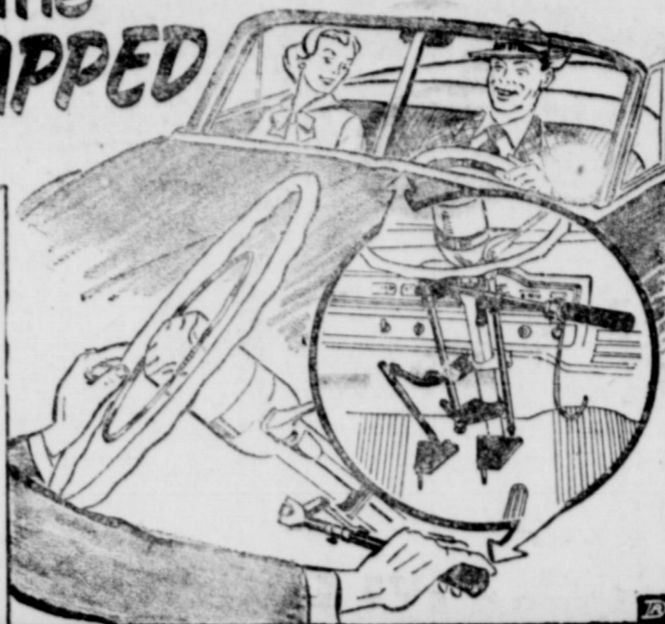
Texas 4-H Boys Dance In Chicago

Paul Snelson and Rayford Anthony, 4-H'ers from Monahans, Texas, will entertain guests at a "Share the Fun" breakfast on Thursday, December 4, during the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

They will be heard by about 600 guests honoring national winners in the 4-H Recreation and Rural Arts Program sponsored by the United States Rubber Co. This organization is also host at the breakfast.

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HOW IT WORKS



The boys, both 17, started their state 4-H Round-up. There was to be in it, so they got costumes and act in 1948 as county delegates to a talent show, and they wanted to started dancing together.

Sweet Sugar Cane Flavor In Syrup

At this season of the year, the sugar cane begins to ripen. In the old days, this was a busy time in the bottom lands where the best sugar cane is grown. Everyone was busy hand-cutting and stripping the leaves from the ripened sugar cane; it was a familiar sight to see the old-fashioned mills, powered by mules, crushing the juice.

Evaporating this juice to make the old-fashioned, highly prized ribbon cane syrup was indeed an art—many said it had become a lost art. And they had reason to think so—especially since the last war when production of cane on small farms decreased materially.

Since that time their art has been presented at 4-H meetings, community, county, district and state school programs and square dance festivals, according to J. W. Holmes, county agent in Ward county. The boys dance because they enjoy it and appear on programs because people who have seen or heard about the number ask them to.

There is one of 18 acts selected in a nation-wide 4-H talent search. The audience will be Extension Service and industrial leaders from all parts of this country and guests from 29 foreign countries.

Now most sugar cane is mechanically harvested and used for production of sugar in the large commercial mills of Louisiana and Florida.

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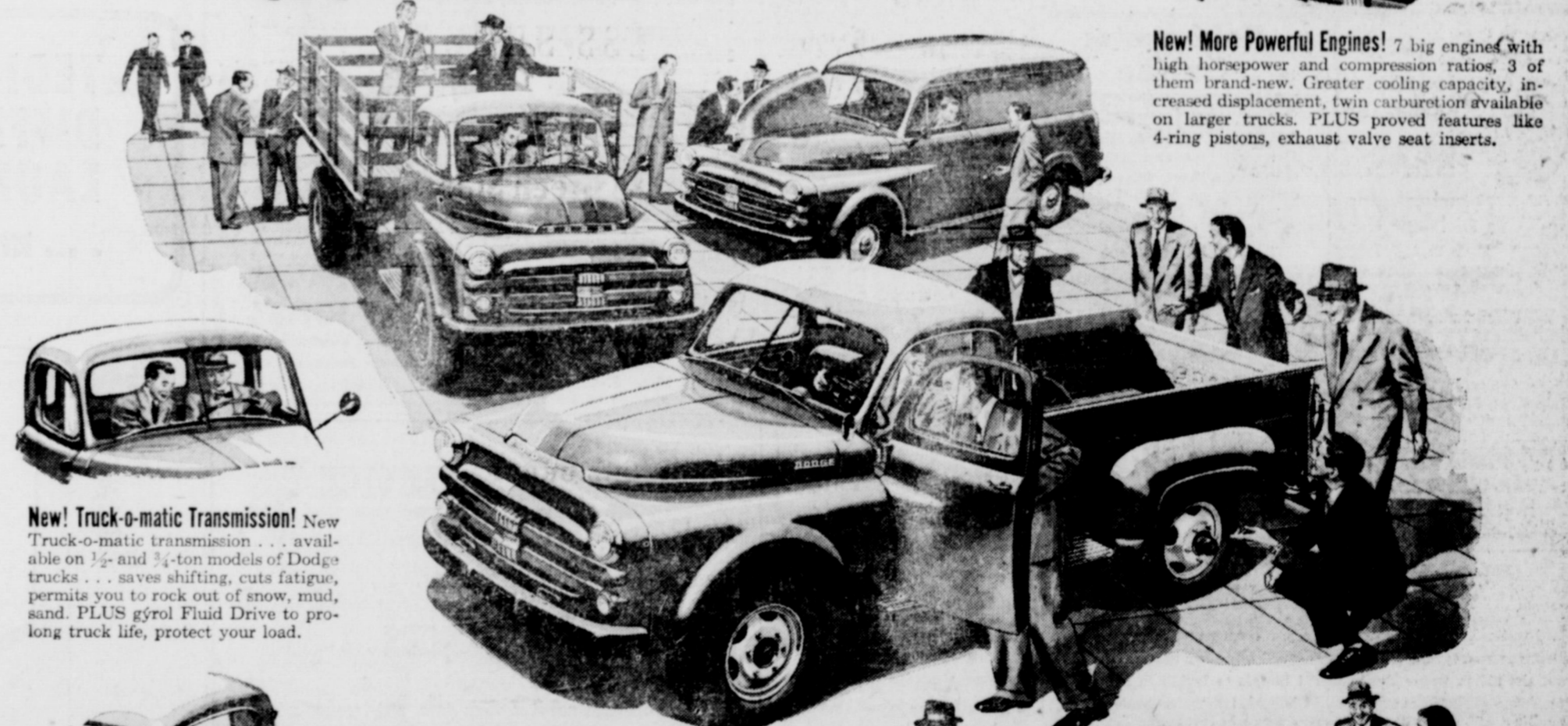
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Church... Society ... Clubs

Pythian Sisters Elect Officers For 1953 At Monday's Meeting

New officers were elected Monday evening at the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters at Castle Hall.

Mrs. J. C. Poe, most excellent chief presided and Mrs. Carol Noble was elected Most Excellent Chief. Mrs. Sam Herring, Excellent Senior; Mrs. Tim Spurrer, Excellent Junior; Mrs. James Wright, Manager; Mrs. M. L. Dry, Protector; Mrs. Roland Koch, Guard; Mrs. Wayne Brock, pianist; Mrs. Ima Jordan, treasurer; Mrs. Otto Crabb, secretary; Mrs. J. C. Poe, Past Chief and press correspondent; Mrs. Mary Bargsley, three-year trustee; Mrs. Bill Darr, Grand Representative; Mrs. E. E. Herring, alternate.

Announcement was made of the annual Christmas party, which will be held at 7 p.m., Dec. 8, in the home of Mrs. James Wright.

Mrs. Alvia Wood of Ranger was initiated to membership in a formal ceremony on November 24th, Mrs. Poe reported.

Attending were Meses. C. C. Street, Frank Williamson, Bill Darr, Roland Koch, Jack Lee, Tim Spurrer, Lee Campbell, J. F. Brock, N. L. Dry, Aubrey Patton, Bobby Acker, Mary Bargsley, Ina Jordan, James Wright, Carol Noble, Luther Lewis, A. M. Hearn, Otto Crabb, Wayne Brock, and J. C. Poe.

Eastland Masons Attend Grand Lodge At Waco

Eastland Masons joining Tom Amis and Herman Wgathersby Wednesday in Waco to attend Grand Lodge include Wayne Jackson, L. E. Huckabay, Frank Sayre, H. P. Pentecost, Floyd Nicklas, Travis Wheat, C. B. Miller, and Collin Campbell.

Mesars Amis and Weathersby have been in Waco all week.

Las Leales Club And Guests Hear Mrs. Seibert's Review

Mrs. Wendell Siebert reviewed, "Rooms to Let" by Helen and Rush Sherkanowski for members of Las Leales Club, their husbands and guests, Monday evening at the Woman's Club.

Mrs. L. E. Huckabay introduced Mrs. Siebert, whose interpretation of the humorous story was well received by her audience.

An Italian spaghetti supper was served buffet style preceding the program. Pale yellow linen covered the table, which was set with colorful pottery and decorated with an arrangement of yellow Chrysanthemums and Pyracantha berries.

Hostesses were Meses. D. E. Frazer, Rudolph Little, Fred Maxey, Homer Smith, W. Q. Verner, Bernard Hanna, and Huckabay.

Present were Meses; and Mesdames W. E. Brashier, Wayne Carter, B. F. Hanna, Horace Horton, Don Parker, Guy Patterson, Wendell Siebert, L. E. Huckabay, Fred Maxey, Homer Smith, W. Q. Verner, Hubert Westfall, J. C. Whatley, James Horton, C. A. Ranney, Eldress Gattis, Misses Verna Johnson, Jessie Lee Ligon, James, Joe Sparks, H. L. Hassell, Thura Taylor, Hubert Jones, and D. E. Frazer.

Mrs. Lovelace Gives Instructive Talk At P-TA Study Club Meeting

Mrs. Tom Lovelace, Jr., gave important points in helping parents to assist in education of their children Tuesday morning at the meeting of West Ward Parent-Teachers study group in the home of Mrs. J. B. McConnell, on Highway 80.

She brought out the point that one out of every fourth child is handicapped in some way, and stressed the importance of proper education to give him a healthy outlook on life.

Mrs. E. E. Garner, president, conducted the business session and introduced Mrs. Lovelace, whose talk was followed by a round table discussion.

Announcements were made of the next regular P-TA meeting, which will be a night meeting in the school building and at which time a special Christmas program will be presented. The next meeting of the study group was set for Jan. 6, 1953, at the home of Mrs. D. E. Webb. Mrs. W. L. Garner will give the program titled, "Are We Neglecting the Three R's?"

Refreshments were served during a social period following the program.

Lawsons Visit With Fort Worth Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson spent Tuesday in Fort Worth and while there visited in the home of Mrs. Lawson's nephew, Hampton Cook and Mrs. Cook, who are the parents of a daughter born November 30th in Harris Memorial Hospital. The little lady weighed six pounds and nine ounces and has been named Dedee Louise. Her parents have visited in Eastland many times and are well known here.

Mrs. Arnold Hosts Auxiliary Meeting

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met at 9 a.m. Monday in the home of Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold for Bible study.

Mrs. C. M. Oakley presided, due to the absence of Mrs. E. C. Johnston, president.

Mrs. L. W. Hart gave the devotional and Mrs. Arnold led in the Bible study.

A social period followed the program during which the hostess served Norwegian cake and coffee.

CALENDAR FOR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 3:
7:00 p.m. Teachers-Officers meeting.
8:00 p.m. W. M. U. Week of Prayer Program (Business Women in charge)

THURSDAY, Dec. 4:
10:00 a.m. W. M. U. Week of Prayer Program.

FRIDAY, Dec. 5:
10:00 a.m. W. M. U. Week of Prayer Program.
7:00 p.m. Sunday School Supper with Dr. Cal Guy, speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner Are Great Grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner are great grandparents, Tuesday morning. December 2nd their granddaughter, Mrs. Jean W. Brown and Mr. Brown of San Antonio became the parents of a son.

Mrs. Brown is the former Miss Beth Reimann of Eastland.

Miss Emma Barber of Almagorda, N. M. is visiting with relatives in Eastland.

Neil Barber of the San Antonio vicinity has returned to his home following a holiday visit here with relatives.

World Wide Bible Reading

THANKSGIVING TO CHRISTMAS 1952

American Bible Society "THE WORD OF LIFE"

These 29 readings were listed by 1,096 ministers as their favorite selections on this theme.

Thanksgiving, Nov. 27	Psalms 103
28	Psalms 91
29	Psalms 121
30 Sunday	Psalms 1
December 1	Psalms 27
2	Psalms 46
3	Psalms 90
4	Isaiah 40
5	Isaiah 55
6	Matthew 5:1-26
Sunday, Dec. 7	Matthew 5:27-48
8	Matthew 6:1-18
9	Matthew 6:19-34
10	Matthew 7
11	John 14
12	John 15
13	John 17
Universal Bible Sunday, Dec. 14	Psalms 23
15	Luke 15
16	Romans 8
17	Romans 12
18	Ephesians 6
19	Philippians 4
20	Revelation 21
Sunday, 21	John 1:1-18
22	Isaiah 53
23	Hebrews 11
24	I. Corinthians 13
Christmas, Dec. 25	Luke 2:1-20

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Conner and children of Ballinger were the holiday week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner.

This is the first time the Ballinger Conners have visited their parents since their 8 year old daughter Jenabeth fell September 12 at the football stadium and suffered a broken leg and other injuries. Since that time the child has been wearing a cast on her leg which she was able to discard last week.

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Children of divorced parents may take either the mother's or

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