

**Around The Square**  
With Mack

Yesterday we advertised for a place to hunt, and before the ink got dry on the paper Lee Hogan called up and invited us to use his pasture just north of the city. Thank, brother Hogan, your invitation has been accepted. We'll be on hand, gun and all, but your supply of game will most likely not be disturbed.

We used to shoot quail out at Toyah, about 40 years ago. And we must have been a pretty good shot, for we never missed. We could always bring in a bag of birds and never fire more than a single shot. Here was our plan: We had a large tank near our claim shack and as water was scarce in that country, all the Mexican quail for miles around patronized our water hole. After several hundred would gather at the tank we would raise a window, push our single barreled shotgun through and then wait until we could get about 20 in a very small space, and then let go.

After the shot we would go out and gather up what birds we needed. We have killed as high as 15 with one shot, though the average would be about 6 or 8.

Now, we had plenty quail to spare, and shells were high, so that is our excuse for mass shooting. As we remember we paid 40¢ for a box of shotgun shells, and that was real money in those days.

But people got along about as well as they do now. We would waste one shell that cost nearly two cents, and get enough meat to feed us for a week. Those were the good old days, that period where you had to make one can of P.A. supply your smokes for a week, and cigars were smoked only at Christmas. If you smoked cigarettes you rolled your own, for Reynolds and American didn't do it for you. You had your choice between Dukes and Bull Durham.

Occasionally some fellow would hire us to grease a windmill or fix a fence, but the balance of the time we rested, and grew "plump." A fellow making a hundred dollars a year was really in the swim. He didn't have much and didn't need any more than he had.

The only journal we read was the Sears and Roebuck annual catalog. It was good reading, and served as a kind of "wish book." For a long time we paid 15 cents for a box of .22 calibre cartridges, but one day we noticed that Sears sold them for 14¢. We dropped into the hardware store in Toyah and registered a kick with the clerk, who was also owner and janitor. After that we bought them two boxes for a quarter. Since that time we have urged people to trade at home.

The only thing wrong with that country was the rattlesnakes. We knew that they had been eating our baby chicks, but when one of them pecked his head in the kitchen door and grabbed a half-grown fryer, we gave up. Just a little afraid he might grab us the next time. They have rattlesnakes out there that are big enough to knock a horse down if they hit him right. We killed one that was almost 7-feet long. We have no idea how many rattles they had originally, but he still had 21 hanging on when we finished shooting him up. We always used a shot gun and buck shot on rattlers that were more than 6 feet in length.

Yes, those good old days, give us a headache. We like tailor-made cigars, and would rather ride an automobile than a horse or buggy any day. Out there we climbed for water and dug for wood. Now we burn gas, and our water (if any) is piped to the glass.

Today the corner grocery looks after mother's cooking. Why heat up an old wood stove when the grocer can supply bread, pie cakes and cookies? Most of your food is "pre-digested," saving your stomach all that work. Why grow cotton or wool for mother to spin and sew, when you can buy a bright new dress for \$1.98?

Yes, we are something of a modern critter whether we wish it or not. People are no meaner now than they were years ago, but modern officers catch more of us. But we don't think people of today are as honest as they were a few years ago. In those days people paid their bills because they wanted to pay them—they pay them now because they have to.

We know more than we did in olden days, and we would not have chopped cotton all day for six bits. What we are looking for now is the farm or the business itself. Selah.

**Little Items Of Local Interest**

Jim McCommas, former resident of Eastland, but now of Lubbock, is in the city at this time visiting Jeff Woods.

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**Couple's Infant Son Is Laid To Rest At Waco**

Mark Allan McKelvain, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. McKelvain of Waco, was buried at Waco on Tuesday, Dec. 2.

The infant was born Nov. 29 and weighed four and a half ounces at birth. Death came on Monday, Dec. 1.

It was the only child of the couple.

Mrs. McKelvain is the former Miss Edna Jean Morton of Ranger.

In addition to the parents, the infant son is also survived by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Morton of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McKelvain of Moran.

**Did You Know?**



By Marene Johnson-Johnson

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Some of the men who are with the Post Office Department in Eastland can remember when, during the boom in Eastland County, the mail accumulated here until a wire from Washington advised them to hire mule teams, two to a wagon, and it took four wagons to haul the mail to Breckenridge for delivery there. Those were the "muddy days" in Eastland County!

Mr. Ed Willman and A. W. Cogburn will have 33 years service with the Eastland Post Office, Dec. 1, 1953. That is a long time to serve the public in any town. The next men in years of service are Mr. Fred Davenport and Mr. Charlie Murphy who are a year later on the calendar.

Mr. E. E. Layton, who is now post master, relates that there have changed a great deal since he came to Eastland. In the early days, it was located on the east side of the square where Mrs. J. U. Johnson's shop is located, later it was moved to the old Wolfe Building, where John Osborne's big Cadillac is now shine.

The present site was chosen and the new post office built in 1936, and occupied in 1938. The mural — have you noticed it? — was done by a California artist, Suzanne Scheuer. Appropriation for the building was approximately \$80,000.00.

In those days it was a second class post office and remained so until 1948. In 1940 the postal receipts were \$23,349.95 and with the war, inflation and another business which we will go into on another day, the 1951 receipts were \$76,153.68.

The receive their commemorative stamps to be sold with requisition. But the regular stamps are requisitioned quarterly on the basis of estimated need.

There are at present fifteen employees who are: Ed Willman, Charlie Murphy, Fred Davenport, A. W. Cogburn, George Parrook, J. W. Jones, A. Cushman, Truman Brown, J. D. Pittman, Curtis Young, Marcus O'Dell, Travis Harrell, O. L. McDonald, J. C. Whately, the postmaster, E. E. Layton, and Mr. Walter Gann, who transports the mail to the depot.

It is Christmas time and the holiday rush for mailing is on in a big way—it is time to tell those people that we appreciate their kindnesses and interest in serving the public so faithfully so long. Let's remember to be thoughtful of all those who take care of our holiday needs and still offer a smile.

Survivors include his son, Howard Parvin of Idaho, and a daughter, Mrs. Adrene Stansell of Gladewater; two sisters, Mmes. Margie Brelsford of Fort Worth and Mamie Hill of Globe, Ariz. Also three grandchildren, George, Martha and Brenda Stansell of Gladewater.

Letters to Old Santa Claus...  
Letters to Santa Claus addressed in care of the Telegram, will be published as long as space permits. The first letter follows:  
Dear Santa:  
Will you please bring me a doll, some bicycle tires, some books, and some...

Get that train rolling!  
18 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS



**Calling All Kids!**

# SANTA IS COMING TO EASTLAND!



All boys and girls in Eastland and the surrounding area are cordially invited to meet Santa Claus in Eastland Saturday afternoon.

He's scheduled to arrive at 3:45 p.m. following the regular Trades Day program which is scheduled for 3 p.m.

And—of course—there'll be free candy, gum, etc. for all those boys and girls who visit Santa in Eastland Saturday.

Remember the date—next Saturday, December 6—in Eastland. Yes, Santa Claus is coming to town!

# Meet Santa In Eastland Next Saturday!

**Cisco's Community Chorus Will Present "The Creation" Sunday**

**George Parvin To Be Buried Friday**

George Parvin, 76, long-time resident of Eastland, died Wednesday morning at 4:15 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. George, on Halbryan Street, in Eastland.

Mr. Parvin had been ill for several months, suffering from a heart ailment, and has very recently been in Eastland hospital for treatment. After leaving the hospital, he went to the George home, and it was thought he was doing nicely until Tuesday, when he had a black-out. A physician was called and the end came early Wednesday.

While funeral arrangements are still pending the arrival of other relatives, the service will likely be conducted from the Methodist Church at 2:30 Friday afternoon, in Eastland. Rev. Morris Bailey, Methodist pastor, will be in charge of the services. Hammer Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery.

Mr. Parvin was born in Redding, Penn., Dec. 13, 1876, though he has lived in Eastland since his childhood. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and was educated in the New Mexico Military Academy at Roswell.

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**Lewis Crossley Ends Grid Career**



One of the "little guys" of college football concludes his grid career here Saturday afternoon in Texas Tech's game with North Carolina State.

That's Eastland's Lewis Crossley.

Standing less than 6 feet, Crossley doesn't look the part of a college end. And his weight, less than 170 pounds, doesn't make him resemble a great blocker—off the field.

But on the field Crossley has the heart and desire to beat out much larger teammates and to make Tech's off-tackle and end runs click. Much of the key blocking on Tech's split-T attack is done by Crossley and the tackle playing next to him.

Put the little man still has a pass-snatching role. Hardin-Simmons University will attest to that.

Tech entered the game a two-touchdown underdog. But with a tie score, Tech's quarterback faked into the line, faded back and shot a long pass downfield. In perfect stride, Crossley gathered in the ball and sped into the end zone to get Tech off to a one-touchdown lead. The Raiders finally ended up with a 14-14 draw, but it was Crossley's pass catch credited with getting the Cowboys, celebrating Homecoming, off stride.

**Fair, Cooler Weather Today And Tomorrow**

Continued fair and cooler. That, in brief, is the weather outlook for the Eastland County area as reported early this morning by U. S. weather observers.

Skies were fair and little possibility of rain was offered by forecasters.

Today's high temperature is scheduled to be registered this afternoon between 55 and 60 degrees, with tonight's low around 35, slightly above the freezing level.

For tomorrow—Friday—the day's high probably will be in the upper 50s or lower 60s, according to weather forecasters.

**Responsibility Begins At Time New Car Is Sold**

"An automobile company's responsibility does not end with the sale of its cars—that, in fact, is where it begins," W. M. Warren, Studebaker dealer, whose company is celebrating its 100th Anniversary year, said today.

Warren went on to explain that supplying replacement parts and offering accessory conveniences for Studebaker owners is an important part of his company's business. "And this has been true since our pre-automobile days," he added, referring to the company's historic beginning as the world's largest wagon and carriage manufacturer. "But we did not call them parts and accessories then. Our early catalogues listed them as 'Fixtures and Extras.'"

He emphasized the importance of Studebaker's parts and accessories function by pointing out that, for this one purpose alone, his company has invested millions of dollars in plants and manufacturing facilities, and maintains a complete staff of designers, product development, merchandising and warehousing experts.

"Parts and accessories have an interesting history," Mr. Warren said. "Dumpers were once called 'accessories,' so were windshields and windshield wipers, speedometers, horns, and even buggy whips." He pointed out that although accessories are generally thought of as "extras" provided because of differing customer preferences, they often gain so much popular acceptance that they become standard features of the car.

Studebaker, with which Mr. Warren has been associated for 6 years, was founded in 1852 by two Studebaker brothers, and grew from their modest blacksmith shop to the fourth largest automobile manufacturer in the U. S. It is the only automobile company whose history antedates the automobile itself. Mr. Warren, along with thousands of other Studebaker dealers, is joining in the company's plans for its Centennial observance.

**Mrs. Anderson In Harris Hospital**

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Franklin have returned from Fort Worth, where they were with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson, while Mr. Anderson underwent surgery Tuesday at Harris Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Anderson remained in Fort Worth with her husband, who is in room 269 at the hospital. Mr. Anderson is employed by the Texas Electric Service Company and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anderson of Stephenville, formerly of Eastland.



**POISED**—For women seeking a way to develop poise, confidence and the hips in the right places, Mrs. Jo Shaff, left, and Eve Cohen suggest fencing. The New York pair, shown sunning up for the city's senior events, are listed among the country's finest foils exponents. (NEA)

**Cowboy Band Is Europe Bound**

The Europe-bound Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy band, which will give concerts during the holidays to overseas troops, will present its program to West Texas audiences Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, Dec. 11-13. On Thursday and Friday the program will be given on its own campus. Saturday the Cowboy musicians will play at the Anson high school.

Under the direction of Marion P. McClure, the band will give the same numbers which will be given overseas. The program has been described by Bert Wihniew, program director of the USO camp shows as "outstanding."

Wishnew "inspected" the program November 15 at the H-SU homecoming. He said that the program would be "typically American as an evidence from the folks at home to their men overseas of the service that they are rendering their country."

Thirty persons will comprise the band and the staff members which will go to Europe via air. Soloists to be heard in the Abilene and Anson concerts will include Naomi Zarbock, National VFW "wirling champion"; Doris Crudington, vocalist; John Horn, marimba player; Mary Jane Smith, accordionist; Delton Galloway, Bill Denton, vocalist and master of ceremony. A girls' trio will consist of Miss Crudington, Nancy Cheaney, and Betty Conway.

The tour will cover United States Military installations in Italy, Austria, Germany, France, and England.

**Stroke Fatal To Mrs. Williamson**

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. George Williamson of Coalingo, Calif. Mrs. Williamson suffered a stroke about ten days ago and died Tuesday, Dec. 2, at 5:45 a.m. in a Bakersfield hospital in California.

Mrs. Williamson was the stepmother of D. K. Williamson of West Highway 80. She had passed her 80th birthday and had visited here in July with her son and Mrs. Williamson enroute from Ohio and West Virginia to California.

**Olden Takes 2 Games From The Carbon Quints**

Olden Hornets took a couple of games from the Carbon Wolverines in the Olden gym Wednesday evening. A large crowd was in attendance. Other stunts and entertaining features, between the games, added up to a pleasant evening, with all the proceeds going to the Christmas Tree Fund, for the Olden Community.

The girls' game was a fast one and a close one until Edwards and Canet started to finding the basket for the Hornets. Edwards trailed the basket for 16 points, followed by Canet with 8 points. Jackson took scoring honors for Carbon with 9 points. Final score was Olden 32, Carbon 22.

In the boys game the Hornets go going to take a win of 54 to 29 with Carbon looking good for the first game they have played this season.

Rowch got going to rack up 23 points for high point honors, with plenty of help from captain Lindsey and co-captain Butler.

Hornets will see action again in tournament play the week end of December 11, 12 and 13.

**Portable House Models Be Shown**

Small, portable models will be used by Texas A&M College staff members to show students, county agents and farmers how modern types of farm buildings should be planned and designed.

These models will be built in the Agricultural Engineering Department of the college and used by instructors there and by the Extension building specialist.

Where possible, the models will show how sheet metal products may be used in construction of such buildings.

Cost of constructing the models will be met by a \$500 gift for that purpose from the Aluminum Company of America, New Kensington, Pa.

**Wilma G. Trout Is Now In Korea**

Army Pvt. Wilma G. Trout, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Trout, Rt. 2, Eastland, is serving with the 99th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, which recently began its third year in the Korean combat zone.

In its first two years of action, the battalion fired more than 180,000 rounds against the Communists and sometimes operated in front of infantry mortar units in an attack.

The 99th is part of I Corps, which twice has pushed the Communists north of the 38th parallel.

Trout, who has been in Korea since August of this year, entered the Army in January, 1951.

**3 Million Cars Registered In Texas This Year**

With car registration becoming heavier and heavier each year in Texas, and the many transfers of title certificates, bankers, finance companies, car dealers, both new and used, are to meet in Abilene in the County Court room, on Dec. 9, at 8:00 p.m.

The Highway Department is working with this group and will have one or more representatives at the meeting. Anyone interested may attend.

# Ranger Bulldogs Are Added To District 7-A

Ranger High School Bulldogs were added to the District 7-A schoolboy grid circuit and will compete against the loop's eight other teams during the 1953 football season.

Officials of 7-A, in session at Cross Plains Wednesday night, okayed the application of the Maroon & White Bulldogs for membership in the league. Willie High of Abilene also was voted in again as a member although the scholastics of the latter school are less than those normally required for single A membership.

The addition of Coaches O. C. (Stubbs) Warden's and Sam AHS' Bulldogs brings the roster of the district to nine teams.

They're Ranger, Eastland, Dublin, DeLeon, Cross Plains, Bangs, Rising Star, Santa Anna and Wylie.

The Dublin Lions won the 1952 District 7-A title with a perfect record.

Runners-up were the potent DeLeon Bears.

The Ranger eleven had a successful season, tying with Comanche and Stephenville for the championship of the District 10-AA loop.

Ranger High's low enrollment was credited for their decision to drop down into the single A bracket.

The Breckenridge Buckaroos, the Mineral Wells Mountaineers and the Weatherford Kangaroos recently were transferred into the 10-AA circuit for the 1953 season.

Prior to the recent shifts, the 10-AA members had been the Stephenville High Yellow Jackets, the Comanche High Indians, the Cisco Lobos and the Ranger Bulldogs.

Ranger has a near-perfect conference record for the past five years in Interscholastic League grid competition.

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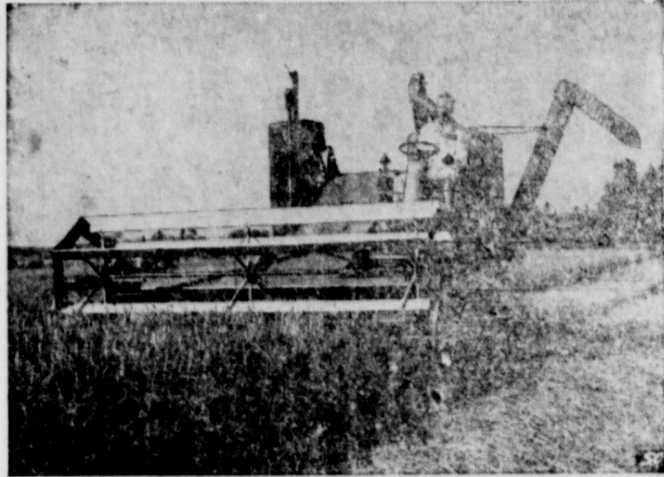
Real Estate Transfers, Marriages  
Suits Filed, Court Judgments  
Orders, Etc.

**Instruments Filed**  
The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:  
C. L. Archer to The Public, affidavit.  
F. S. Abney to L. L. Evans, release of deed of trust.  
Johnnie Aaron to J. G. Wooten, assignment of oil payment.  
Johnnie Aaron to J. G. Wooten, agreement.  
C. E. Allen v. J. H. & J. R. Stuart, abstract of judgment.  
Alamo Casualty Company, a corporation to General American Casualty Company, warranty deed.  
Johnnie H. Aaron to Farmers Home Administration, deed of trust.  
Johnnie H. Aaron to Farmers Home Administration, severance agreement.  
Ida Josephine Arnold to J. A. Putnam, warranty deed.  
W. L. Andrus to F. C. Eaves, release of vendor's lien.  
J. E. Burnam to W. F. Collins, warranty deed.

T. L. Barton to W. E. Reynolds, warranty deed.  
V. A. Bible to the Public, affidavit.  
Celia J. Cornelius to Lone Star Producing Company, assignment.  
J. E. Connally to Clyde Hall, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
J. E. Connally to Heloise Pfeiffer, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Cal-Tex Ref. Co. to Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, right of way.  
Cosden Petroleum Corp. v. Paul Poe, abstract of judgment.  
Mitchell Campbell to Federal Land Bank of Houston, deed of trust.  
Clara T. Cockrill to Clyde C. Horner, warranty deed.  
Clarence H. Coleman to E. P. Crawford, warranty deed.  
E. F. Crawford to J. B. Comingore, warranty deed.  
Nick Duggan to United States of America, deed of trust.  
T. C. Dawson to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.

W. E. Dean to Frank J. Bulow, warranty deed.  
F. C. Eaves to Veterans Land Board, Austin, warranty deed.  
Franklin Life Insurance Company to F. D. Wright, partial release of deed.  
Farmers & Merchants National Bank to Joe M. Jones, release.  
First Bancredit Corp. to Brownie H. King, assignment of M.L.  
William D. Gattis to Austin Film, warranty deed.  
Guaranty Bldg. & Loan Assn. to E. A. Beskow, release of deed of trust.  
Charlene Gentry to W. S. McGaha, warranty deed.  
T. J. Greenwood to J. C. Wheatley, oil and gas lease.  
T. E. Gilbert to J. C. Wheatley, oil and gas lease.  
A. W. Hutchings to Gerald Johnson, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Fay Hayworth to J. P. Powell, transfer of vendor's lien.  
Tillie Hoffman to James G. Hoffman, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Mrs. A. W. Hartsfield to Mrs. W. A. Skinn, warranty deed.  
Fred Huffman to Myrtle Hooks, warranty deed.  
Clyde C. Horner to Clara T. Cockrill, deed of trust.  
Jennetta Jensen to Marjorie Maddocks, release of deed of trust.  
Jennetta Jensen to First Federal S&L Assn., assignment of deed of trust.  
A. H. Johnson to The Public, affidavit.  
Mattie Johnson to Sabas Martinez, release of vendor's lien.  
Gussie Fay King to First Federal S&L Assn., transfer of deed of trust.  
B. H. King to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.  
Max J. Lewis to Summit Steel Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
R. A. Lefevre to H. W. Phillips, warranty deed.  
Lone Star Producing Company to Charles M. Martin, release of oil and gas lease.  
E. P. Mead to A. W. Hutchings, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Marjorie Maddocks to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.  
Zella M. Maness to J. C. Wheatley, rat. of lease.  
W. L. Meadows, Jr. to J. E. Connally, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Malco Refineries, Inc., to Fred Goodstein, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
R. L. Mashburn to Don L. Choate, warranty deed.  
Sam Moser to Joe B. Collins, correction warranty deed.  
R. C. Mehaffey to Federal Land Bank, of Houston, transfer and assignment.  
Mitchell Investment Co. to John D. Mitchell, assignment.  
W. C. Nunnally to The Public, proof of heirship.  
I. C. Plumlee to Rutherford & Steel Co., MML.  
Robert B. Pierce to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Clarence R. Pate to John L. Wilson, warranty deed.  
Clarence R. Pate to John L. Wilson, quit clai indeed.  
Nellie Pate to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Reconstruction Finance Corp. to

**Largest Capacity Combine**



Two of the greatest problems facing farmers during the harvest season are labor shortages and rising production costs.  
In today's age of mechanized operations on the farm, the nation's farmers are turning to the self-propelled combine principle to reduce these critical problems.  
Recognizing the need for increased harvesting capacities, the Massey-Harris Co., Racine, Wis., has introduced three new self-propelled combines, including the largest capacity combine on wheels. Use of these machines helps the farmer get the most out of his crops and his land with less labor and at lower cost.

E. Michael Lallinger, power of attorney.  
J. M. Sherrill to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Faye Sharratt to Hanna Hdw. & Lbr. Co., MML.  
Southland Life Insurance Company to Fred Brown, release of deed of trust.  
Mattie F. Sullivan to F. C. Eaves, warranty deed.  
A. M. Swindle to T. C. Dawson, warranty deed.  
Vera Sherrill to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.  
State Reserve Life Insurance Co. to Wendell M. Surles, release of deed of trust.  
John H. Terrell to R. R. Cumbie, warranty deed.  
Hazel Tindall to Vera Sherrill, warranty deed.  
United States to F. O. Chambers, discharge of tax lien.  
Paul Van Winkle to Turner Van Winkle, quit claim deed.  
Veterans Land Board to Harvey E. Franklin, cond. sales contract.  
Elizabeth Naught to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.  
Veterans Land Board to Neil B. Eaves, contract of sale.  
John L. Wilson to Ida J. Arnold, warranty deed.  
Woodley Petroleum Co., to C. E. Sheffey, release of oil and gas lease.  
L. Warner to Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., right of way.  
John L. Wilson to Joseph W. Howie, warranty deed.  
W. E. Well Servicing Co., to E. M. Shirley, Lis Pendens Notice.  
W. K. Wood to F. M. Booker, assignment.  
Earl Wilson to E. N. Jones, warranty deed.  
J. C. Wheatley to Sinclair Oil & Gas Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Rich F. Weaver to J. C. Wheat-

Court last week:  
Lela Mae Key v. Orville J. Key, divorce.  
W. E. Well Servicing Co. v. E. M. Shirley and A. R. Venuto, suit on sworn account and to foreclose MML.  
E. B. Patterson v. Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas, appeal from order requiring deposit and suspending constitutional rights.  
D. Breeding, et al v. Alice McFadden, et al, appointment of receiver to execute oil and gas lease.  
R. R. Kennedy Trucking Contractor v. Stewart Drilling Co., to collect debt.  
Richard F. Lelms, Jr., v. Frances Robertson Lelms, divorce.  
Orders and Judgments  
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:  
A. Shell v. O. T. Shell, judgment.  
George A. Fox, Jr., v. Jules Constantine, et al, order of dismissal.

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**Nation's Fire Losses for 1951—**  
... are way up according to report of National Board of Fire Underwriters just released. Three quarter billion dollars went up in smoke, an increase of 12.3%, and more than 11,000 persons lost their lives. The causes are listed as about the same as previous years with careless use of matches and smoking accounting for 27%. Misuse of electricity, overheated chimneys and flues, lightning, spontaneous combustion and explosions are others in order.

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**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, 7:30 Castle Hall.  
 Pythian Sisters Christmas party, 7 p.m., in the home of Mrs. James 1099 South Bassett Street.

Lakeside Country Club Ladies Auxiliary for election of officers, 7 p.m.

**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, 7 p.m. Woman's Club, Mrs. Buda Butler, Pres. Rev. Otto Marshall speaker.

**THURSDAY, DEC. 11—**  
 Delphian Christmas Party—Woman's Club 7:30 p.m. Mrs. R. L. Carpenter Chairman. Mrs. Geo. Lane Pres.

**SATURDAY, Dec. 13—**  
 Lakeside Country Club Christmas Party, 7:30 p.m., at the Country Club for members and their families.

**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, 2 p.m., in the home of Mrs. John Nix.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17—**  
 Martha Dorcus Sunday School Class Christmas Party, 7:30 p.m. in Sunday School room at the First Methodist Church.

**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.  
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Sadie Hatfield, homestead improvement specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says working six to eight weeks ahead will enable you to have shrub beds that give more satisfaction. Her landscape plan, Miss Hatfield offers three suggestions for the preparation of the planting area.

First, check the soil for drainage. You may need to terrace, contour or level the soil around the house to conserve the rain or to prevent washing.

Then, the specialist suggests, locate each plant you hope to include with a peg giving it ample

distance from the foundation of the house, walks, drive and other plants. Most shrubs need to be from four to six feet from the house and large shrubs need to be even farther away from walls or walks. Careful spacing also eliminates unnecessary pruning.

The third suggestion in shrub bed preparation is spading a n d

fertilizing the soil. Spade the soil eight or ten inches deep in beds about six or eight feet wide. Work in 5-10-5 or 4-12-4 fertilizer for sandy soils, or 16-20-0 for blackland and soils of West Texas. Leaf mold and barnyard fertilizer will also aid in building up the soil. Remember, the specialist says, shrub beds should be prepared at least six weeks prior to planting the shrubs. For further information on fertilizers for small areas, ask your county agricultural agent for a copy of L-166, How Much Fertilizer Should I Use.

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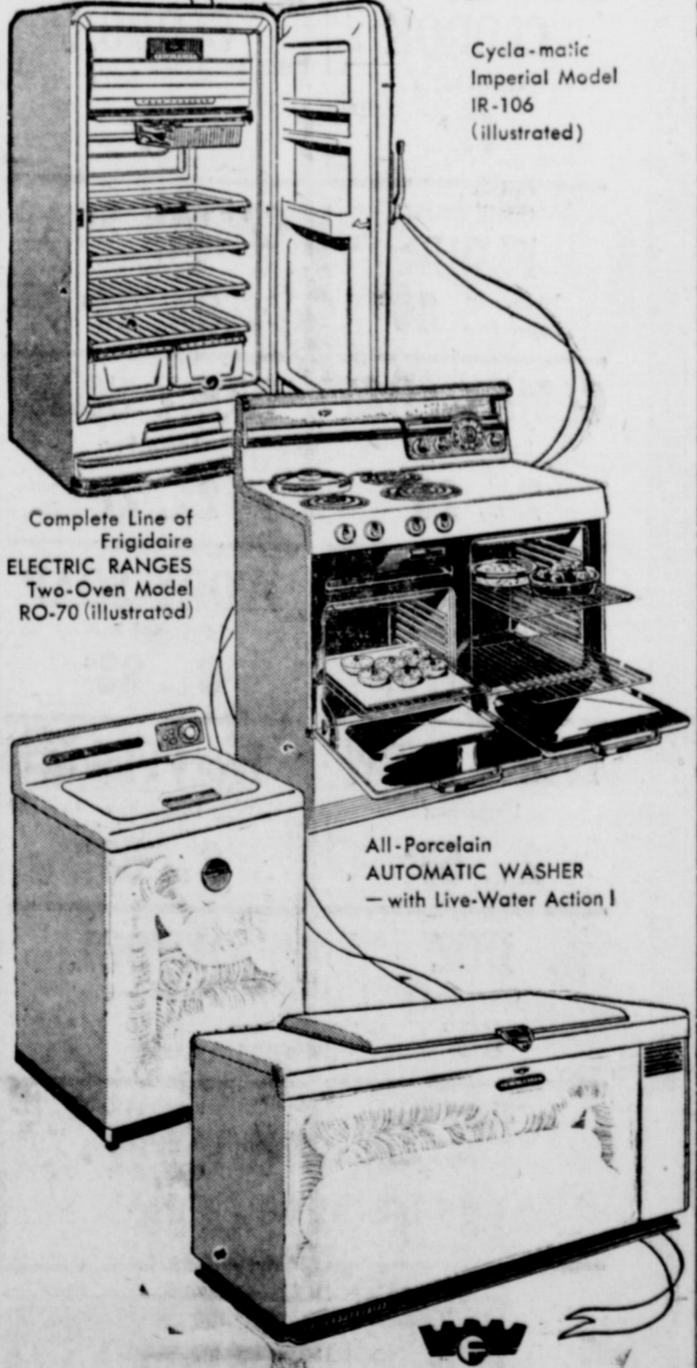


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NEWS FROM CHEANEY Mrs. Bill Tucker

By Mrs. Bill Tucker Even the weather can be blamed for last week's lack of items, since the rain kept us from attending church on Sunday morning and evening. This is our best source of information on the goings and comings of all the neighbors, so here is this week's line up.

With Thanksgiving enjoyment still upper most in our minds, we found out that the holiday week end visitors were many.

The John Walton's, Rt. 1, Ranger, had all their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren home, with the exception of two grandchildren, for the family get-together.

Mrs. Lela Lockhart of Sweetwater, her oldest daughter, Lavere, and grand daughter and baby

with John Walton, represented five generations, who had pictures made together. Mrs. Emma Ferrell and two of their four children, Sonny, from Fort Sill and Francis and family of Fox Worth, were present. Mary Jean could not attend nor Mazon, who with his wife and children is stationed in Alaska. Dan Walton and his four sons, Lynn and Ray Dell, both in the service, Billy Dan and family of Fort Worth, and the youngest, Johnny Joe, still living with his dad in Straw, these and other relatives all enjoyed the day together taking pictures and doing all the usual reunion routine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler ate the traditional turkey with their daughter, Mrs. Goldie Compton, Mr. Compton and family in Weatherford.

The festive bird graced the Wednesday evening meal in the Elmer Blackwell home where all the children with the exception of Mrs. Maurine Eastland of Fort Worth gathered in. Ray and Herman from Fort Worth and Berle June from Lubbock, Edward and Vergil completed the family circle.

By the way, Edward was the lucky winner of the \$50 given away Saturday in Ranger. Mimm, could be that is why he was looking at a very special bicycle!

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff, Jr. and children of Ranger and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ora B. Jones of Eastland, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thebert Jones, parents of Mrs. Ratliff.

Such good neighbors is the way the John Tucker family felt toward Mrs. Den Freeman and Mrs. Maud Dean, when they came on Wednesday afternoon bringing fruit, cookies, and a delicious coconut cake as their contribution to a Thanksgiving meal on Thursday. To this shut-in family it means a great deal and this is their means of gratefully saying, "Thank you so very much."

Even the Ann Love home was a mecca of homecoming from Tuesday through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Love and children from Lubbock, spent part time with his mother. Mr. and Mrs. Kerbert Love and children from Odessa came Tuesday. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Horn and children were Sunday dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Melva Love and children, and Mrs. Bessie Perrin and her family all enjoyed visiting with the families. Others who visited here with Mr. and Mrs. John Love were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griggs of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning of Gruver, Texas.

Saturday visitors in the Arthur Love home were W. E. Walton and family of Ranger and Miss Minnie Walton of Brownwood, nephew and niece of Mr. Love.

Hattox—otherwise known as Edwin, that he definitely does not like living in town, since moving to Gorman some weeks ago, and is going back to the farm as soon as spring arrives. He and his mother, Mrs. Hattox, who is employed at the Blackwell hospital, have let the farm house to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers for the time being.

Pre-Thanksgiving visitors in the Bill Tucker home were his sister, Mrs. Mabel Owen, of Kress, Tex., and Mrs. Tucker's sister, Miss Avis Kilpatrick of S. W. Electric Coop., Inc. Clayton, N. M., who spent Tuesday through Saturday here. On Wednesday, Miss Kilpatrick visited in Dublin with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sullivan, who are long-time friends of the family, formerly from Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Lottie Mae Ainsworth un-

derwent surgery last week in a Ranger hospital, and was reported doing nicely Sunday. She expects to return home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pilly Tucker, Jal, N. M., spent Friday through Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joiner, Rt. 1, Gorman, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tucker, Rt. 1, Ranger.

Visitors over Thanksgiving in the Sanford Lemley home at Alameda, were Mrs. Ethel Ramsey, Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hines from East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kimbrough and granddaughter, Nancy, of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. William Kimbrough and family of Abilene were visitors during the holiday week end.

Saddle-Making Fast Becoming An Art Of Past

Alfred F. Cornish of Omaha, whose father made saddles for Buffalo Bill, is going to curtail the family business. He can't find saddlemakers because the old ones are dying and young men are refusing to take up the trade.

Cornish announced plans to closeup shop at the old firm headquarters and move to another site where he may continue to make harness, luggage and saddles—but on a smaller scale.

Cornish's father joined John S. and Gilbert H. Collins at their saddle-shop in 1888 and later bought them out. The Collins saddles became famous throughout

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## Mrs. Crowell Leads Program For Methodist WSCS Meeting

Mrs. Frank Crowell was leader of the Spiritual Life Program presented Monday afternoon at the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service in the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. W. P. Leslie, president, presided and opened the service with the singing of the hymn, "Help Somebody Today," with Mrs. A. E. Cushman at the piano. Mrs. J. A. Doyle gave the opening prayer.

The annual Christmas party, announced that the party would be on December 15, at 3 p.m. at the church. Mrs. White named as her committee members, Meses. James Horton, decorations; Mrs. Guy Quinn, refreshments; Mrs. H. L. Hassell, program.

Mrs. Leslie presented Mrs. Crowell who introduced Mrs. Leon Anderson, speaker of the afternoon, who discussed "Stewardship."

Mrs. Ina Bean gave the prayer and the closing hymn was "Open My Eyes That I May See."

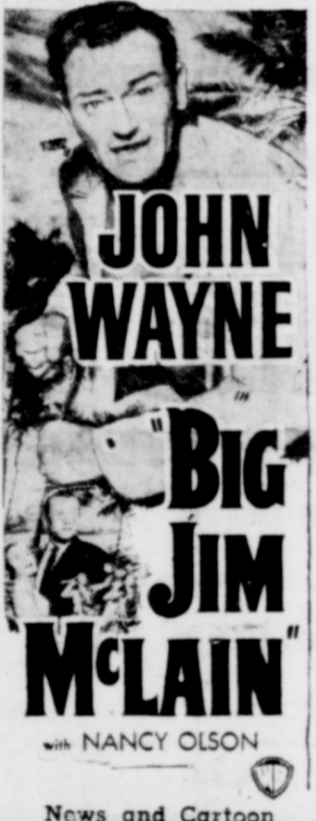
Attending were Meses. Cecil Collins, J. A. Doyle, Guy Quinn, Leslie, White, Anderson, T. L. Fagg, Ora B. Jones, Crowell, Ida B. Foster, J. Morris Bailey, Cushman, Hassell, Horton and T. M. Johnson.

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## Co-Ed Club Elects New Officers

Miss Patsy Simpson was elected president of the Co-Ed Club at their meeting Wednesday in the home of Miss Mary Ann Henderson.

Miss Mable Grimes, outgoing president, presided over the business meeting and other officers elected were Betty Robinson, vice-president, Mary Ann Henderson, secretary; Jana Weaver, treasurer; Dolores Warden was re-elected to the position of reporter and historian.

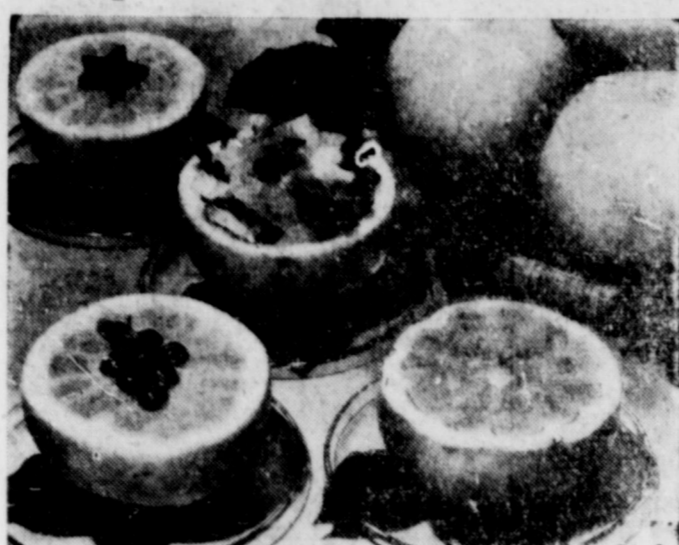
Plans were perfected to give a basket of food and clothes to a needy family during Christmas. Plans were also made for the annual Caroling party, which will be given by Miss Henderson December 20th.

Refreshments of Cokes, candy, potato chips, and sandwiches were served to Meses. Sallie Cooper, Earline Miller, Mable Grimes, Jana Weaver, Bettie Robinson, Patsy and Dolores Warden by the hostess, Miss Henderson.

Miss Earline Miller will be hostess to the group next Wednesday.

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Here are four ways to serve vitamin C-rich grapefruit halves—all of them a little different. Everyone will love grapefruit if you make it easy to get the succulent fruit out of the shell. To properly prepare it, cut the fruit in half; remove core. Cut around each section, loosening fruit from a membrane. Do not cut around entire outer edge of fruit. Here's how to do the four variations shown:

**Broiled Grapefruit:** Sprinkle grapefruit half with 1 tablespoon sugar and a dash of cinnamon, mace or nutmeg, if desired; dot with 1 teaspoon butter. Place grapefruit on broiler rack 3 inches from heat. Broil slowly 15 to 20 minutes or until grapefruit is slightly brown and heated through. Grapefruit may also be baked in a moderately hot oven (400°F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Serve hot.

**Grapefruit With Grape Garnish:** Slice seedless grapes in half. Arrange 7 or 8 halves in center of grapefruit to represent bunch of grapes; as shown above.

**Grapefruit With Cranberry Garnish:** Cut slice of cranberry jelly with small star shaped cookie cutter. Place cranberry star in center of grapefruit half.

**Grapefruit Salad Bowl:** Follow directions for preparing grapefruit halves. Remove sections from half; reserve. Cut out membrane remaining in shell to make "Salad Bowl." Combine grapefruit sections with diced celery and chicken, shrimp or tuna. Moisten with mayonnaise. Refill shells with salad and garnish with watercress.

## Wedding Plans Of Miss Hurt, Mr. Ward Are Told

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Marilyn Rhea Hurt, daughter of Mrs. C. Hurt of 721 West Main, and Mr. James Daniel Ward.

Mr. Ward's parents are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ward of 609 Fern St., Monahans.

The young couple have chosen Dec. 20 for their wedding date, and the ceremony will take place in Monahans.

Miss Hurt is a senior of Eastland high school and will graduate at mid-term.

Mr. Ward formerly lived in Eastland and is presently employed by the Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of Monahans, where the young couple will reside in their new home.

## Sub-Deb Club Elects Officers

New officers were elected last week at the meeting of the Sub-Deb Club in the home of Lou Ann Corbell. Helen Taylor was elected president; Lou Ann Corbell, vice-president; Jeanette Caton, secretary-treasurer; Jeannie Pittman, reporter; Carol Ann Hill and Mary Jordan, historians; Emma Miller parliamentarian.

Plans for the annual Christmas dance were discussed.

Refreshments of chocolate cake and cokes were served to Jeanette Caton, Doris Abbott, Carol Ann Hill, Emma Miller, Jeannie Pittman, Helen Taylor, Dorothy McKinny, Jane Ann Jernigan, Mary Jordan, Donna Moser by the hostess, Miss Corbell.

**CALENDAR FOR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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.

## FHA Chapter Has Early Holiday Celebration

The Eastland Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America met in the homemaking department of the Eastland high school Monday afternoon for their Christmas party.

Games were planned and directed by Annette Sherman and Billy Jo Trout, followed by an exchange of gifts. Gifts were also brought for a box, which is to be sent to a school for Indians in Nevada.

Refreshments were prepared by Norma Wright, Jane Clark, Ruth Justice, Joy Juniper, and Betty Hager. Tuna fish sandwiches, Santa shaped, were served with cup cakes and fruit punch.

During a short business session Billie Jo Trout was elected secretary.

Others attending were Shirley Freeman, Linda Franklin, Lou Ann Corbell, Jeanne Pittman, Barbara Stephens, George Ann Bennett, Barbara Tucker, Marie Tucker, Allene Griffin, Berta Hardin, Gwen Sherrill, Carol Phillips, Dorothe McKenney, Nell Urban, Esma Noble, Miss Loretta Morris, advisor and Mrs. George Bennett, club mother.

## Hospital News

Births reported for the month of November at the Eastland Memorial hospital include: Boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Gaeto, Nov. 6th; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lusk, Nov. 12th; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boone, Nov. 15th; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richards, Nov. 15th; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Upchurch, Nov. 24th.

Girls: Mr. and Mrs. Rabl Stedum, Nov. 17th; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loranee, Nov. 23.

Fatients in the hospital now are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown, Jr., accident, both of whom are reported to be improving; W. D. Spain, medical; J. E. Herod of Albany, medical; Patsy Duncan, surgery; Mrs. J. L. Ward, medical; C. L. Little, accident; and W. D. Maynard, surgical.

Recently dismissed were Wanda Arther, accident; Katherine Williamson, Mrs. Novia Pafford, medical.

**Castleberys Are Home After Two Weeks Stay With Granddaughter**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castleberry have returned from a two-week stay in Dallas in the home of their son, Winston and Mrs. Castleberry. They stayed with their granddaughter, Cindy Lou, while her parents vacationed in Nassau.

While there they had as their Thanksgiving holiday guests their other granddaughter, Karen Castleberry of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gilchrist and daughters, Bee Ann and Linda of Abilene and Mrs. Margaret Sears of Dallas.

## NEWS FROM Desdemona

Lloyd Wayne Glassen, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Glassen, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Gorman hospital this week. He is doing very nicely.

Mrs. Ella Tidwell escaped what might have been serious injuries last week when she lost control of her car she was driving and it turned over. She was badly shaken up though not seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Williams and children are moving this week from the George Patterson house to the Snoggrass house.

Guests in the Keith home during the holidays were their children B. M. Keith, wife and baby, Mack Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthrie and baby. Also Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newton and son and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Newton and daughter of De Leon, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tude Keith joined the group.

Visitors in the Jep Bowles home during Thanksgiving were: Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Powles, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Bowles.

Visitors in the Iva Buchan home were all of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Walker, and Jackie of Beaumont, Mrs. A. T. Wilhite of Manahans, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Toms, Jr., and Snuffie of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wright of DeLeon and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Stephenville.

Miss Ella Guthrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Guthrey, became the bride of Chubbie Foreman Wednesday evening. They were married in Ranger, and will be at home in Arlington Heights, where he is employed by a construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Joiner visited during the holidays in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Coke Brumelow of Ballinger, visited last week with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Abernathy, and family.

## NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

A regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastland National Bank, Eastland, Texas, will be held in the Banking rooms of said bank, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m., on the 13th day of January, 1953 being the second Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing directors and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the stockholders meeting.

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<b>MODEL 1115 11 FOOT SINGLE DOOR</b>	Was 369.95	Now <b>\$305.00</b>
<b>MODEL 1104 11-FOOT SINGLE DOOR</b>	Was 389.95	Now <b>\$315.00</b>
<b>MODEL 1112 11-FOOT SINGLE DOOR</b>	Was 339.95	Now <b>\$275.00</b>
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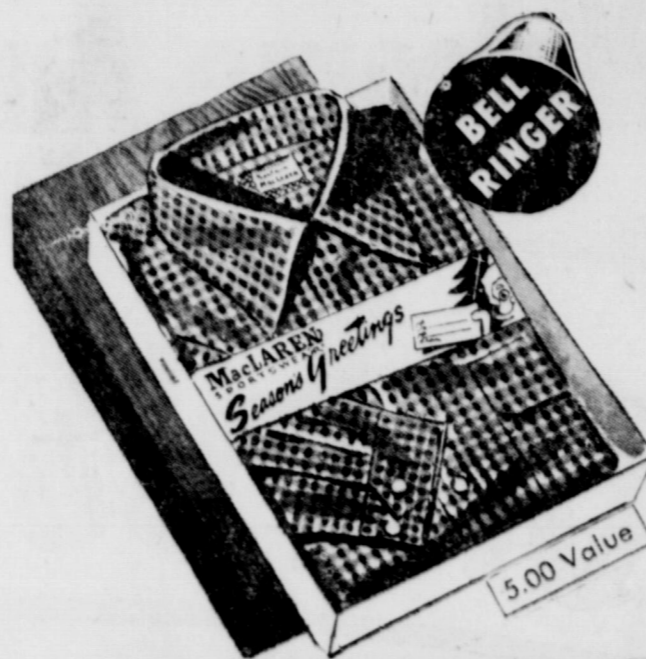
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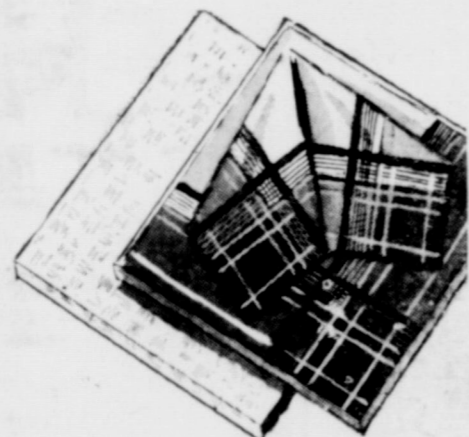
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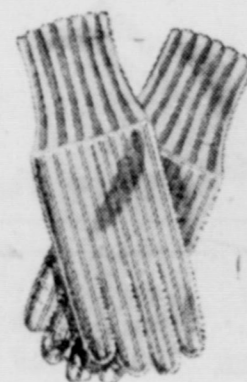


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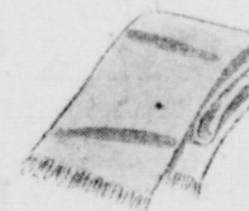
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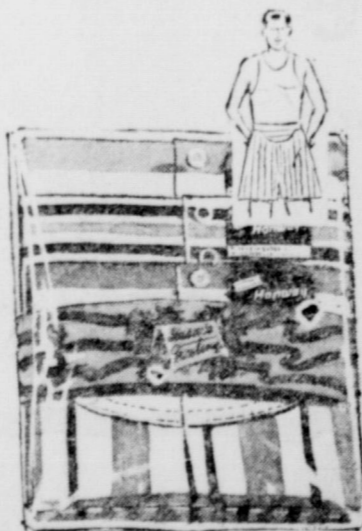
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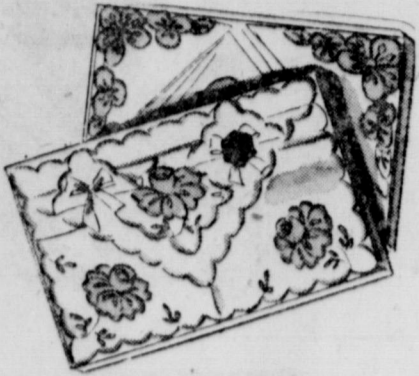
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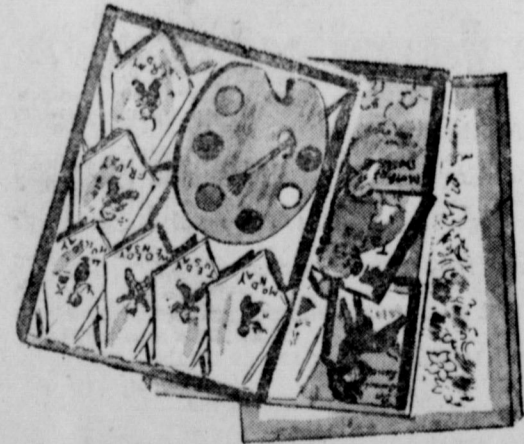
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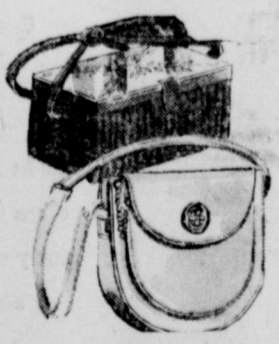
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# BEHIND THE WALLS OF TEXAS STATE HOSPITALS

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fourth in a series of articles about our State Hospital Program, prepared under the supervision of Dr. George W. Jackson, Medical Director of the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools and sponsored by the Hogg Foundation for Mental Hygiene, University of Texas.

By Bert Kruger Smith  
John L. had an anniversary, but he didn't even know it.

Today was his twentieth anniversary. Twenty years ago since he came to the State hospital, brought in handcuffed to the sheriff, brought in like an animal going to the stock yards.

There was hardly anyone left who remembered John L. Back in the city where he used to live, time had washed over, leaving the sands



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BY PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—If the new President of the United States thinks that—having won the election—his troubles are over, he has another thing coming. His troubles are just beginning. He won't be President for another 10 weeks. But the mere job of getting ready to be President will involve burning more midnight oil than he ever burned before. He may not have to make as many speeches as during the campaign. But he'll have to hold a lot more conferences in which, no doubt, everyone will try to tell him just how he ought to run the country.

The Number One decision which the new President will have to make will be on what he is going to use for money. That may not get the headlines. From now till inauguration day, you will probably be reading dopey stories and listening to dopey broadcasts on whom the President is going to put in his Cabinet and what he is going to say in his State of the Union message to Congress, till you're blue in the face.

Behind all this gossip, however, there will be the sober, solemn, serious money question. The New Man will have to weigh in on this constantly, to determine how his administration will be run. There will be a budget deficit of around \$7 billion as of Jan. 1. This is the operation in the red he inherits from the Truman administration and the economy-minded 82nd Congress.

THIS budget deficit was \$4 billion last June 30. In August the President estimated the deficit would be \$10 billion by June 30, 1953. This is the end of the government's fiscal year. Receipts for this year are estimated at \$69 billion. Expenditures, \$79 billion. The new administration is supposed to have six months in which to get on its feet and find its way around the government maze. Practically, it doesn't work out that way at all.

All the preliminary work on the budget for the next fiscal year—July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954—has been done by the Truman administration. These budget estimates are now being reviewed by the various agencies. They will be examined and justified from now till Nov. 30. From then until Dec. 15 the President must make final decisions on budget amounts. Then the budget message must be prepared. The law now says that the budget shall be submitted to Congress within 15 days after convening. The new Congress meets Jan. 3. That means the budget must be in by Jan. 18. The new President doesn't take office till Jan. 20, and he has no powers till then.

President Truman could call in the new President right after election, and let him make final decisions on next year's budget. Or, the new President could name his director of the budget to work with the present Budget Bureau staff.

This situation hasn't arisen since 1932, when there was a change in political party administration with the election of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt. The timing was then different. Congress convened the first Monday in December, 1932. Roosevelt took office March 4, 1933. Congress therefore considered a budget for fiscal 1934 prepared by President Herbert Hoover's administration. Congress had acted on all 1934 money bills except the District of Columbia appropriation, before inauguration day.

After he became President, Roosevelt put through an economy act which cut salaries 15 per cent. Veterans' benefits were reduced. Many government reorganizations were put through. All this lasted till about July 1, 1933, when cuts were restored and the government began to try to spend its way out of the depression in earnest.

This background may or may not set precedents for the new President taking office in 1953, 20 years later.

of his existence naked and unmasked. Twenty years ago he had been a young man, newly-married, hard-working. Twenty years ago there had been an apartment and a wife with blue-black hair and a son, a son with blue eyes and a dimple in his chin. There had been work and love and laughter.

But love had died and laughter had disappeared the night the gay little wife had gone off with another man, leaving the baby crying and wet in his crib. John L. had found that one couldn't be father and mother to an infant—and still drive trucks across the country. Without a

mother, without sisters, he could not bring up the son who held his dreams and his immortality in his two fat hands.

The son had gone to strangers. And John had come, eventually to this crowded, sweat-filled room. Twenty years! The face of the world had changed. Wars consuming the earth (and John L.'s son fighting overseas), jet planes streaking across the skies, inventions making it possible to cross space, great and horrible men rising to power.

In twenty years nothing was the same—nothing but John L. and the men and women like him. John lay curled up in his bed in the ward, curled up and motionless like a bear who has hibernated for the winter and forgotten it was spring.

Dr. M. stepped briefly into the ward. He could feel the sun, warm on the back of his neck. But in the ward the air was chilled. There was the feeling of hopelessness, of dark corners where sunlight would never touch.

He stopped at John L.'s bed and gazed at the middle-aged man in the khaki pants and shirt, the whiskered face, the helpless hands. And Dr. M. clenched his fists and wished he could time back for John, that he could have him now as a newly-committed patient. For Dr. M. knew that in mental cases, as in surgery, speed in treatment is essential. If John had been treated with electro-comma when he first was admitted, he would have had a 90 per cent chance of recovery. After two years, the chance dropped to 25 per cent. After five years to less than 5 per cent.

Dr. M. did some quick arithmetic in his head. If it cost \$2 per day per patient, the State had already expended almost \$15,000 on John. He shook his head. And some taxpayers complained that electro-comma and insulin therapy cost money!

He hurried through the rest of the ward. There were so many other wards, needing so much attention. He rubbed his hands wearily across his eyes. A little attention would mean so much to some of the patients, a little time to talk. But there was no time. There were not nearly enough

doctors, not nearly enough hours in every day. The doctor crossed the stubby grass over to Ward 6. But there was progress being made. Patients were being processed faster so that treatment could start immediately. And there was more insulin therapy being used, more refresher courses for the doctors, more consultation staffs of specialists, better laboratory equipment. And on the physical care side, the operating rooms were being improved, restraint curtailed, constructive activity for patients begun.

Begun! That was the word. Everything had only begun. And there was so much yet to do. Group Therapy. Better treatment centers. More recreation. More trained doctors.

Dr. M.'s footsteps hurried a little more as he went to the next ward. His work, too, had only begun.

The over-all re-evaluation and expansion of diagnostic care and treatment techniques has changed many phases of our State hospital operation. But there are multitudes of things which need to be done to bring the best care and the quickest recovery to our State hospital patients.

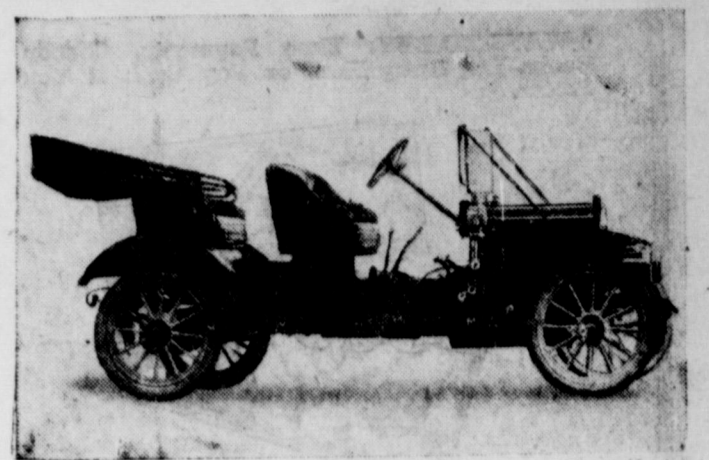
Don't ask John L. He was too late. But ask Dr. M. He knows!

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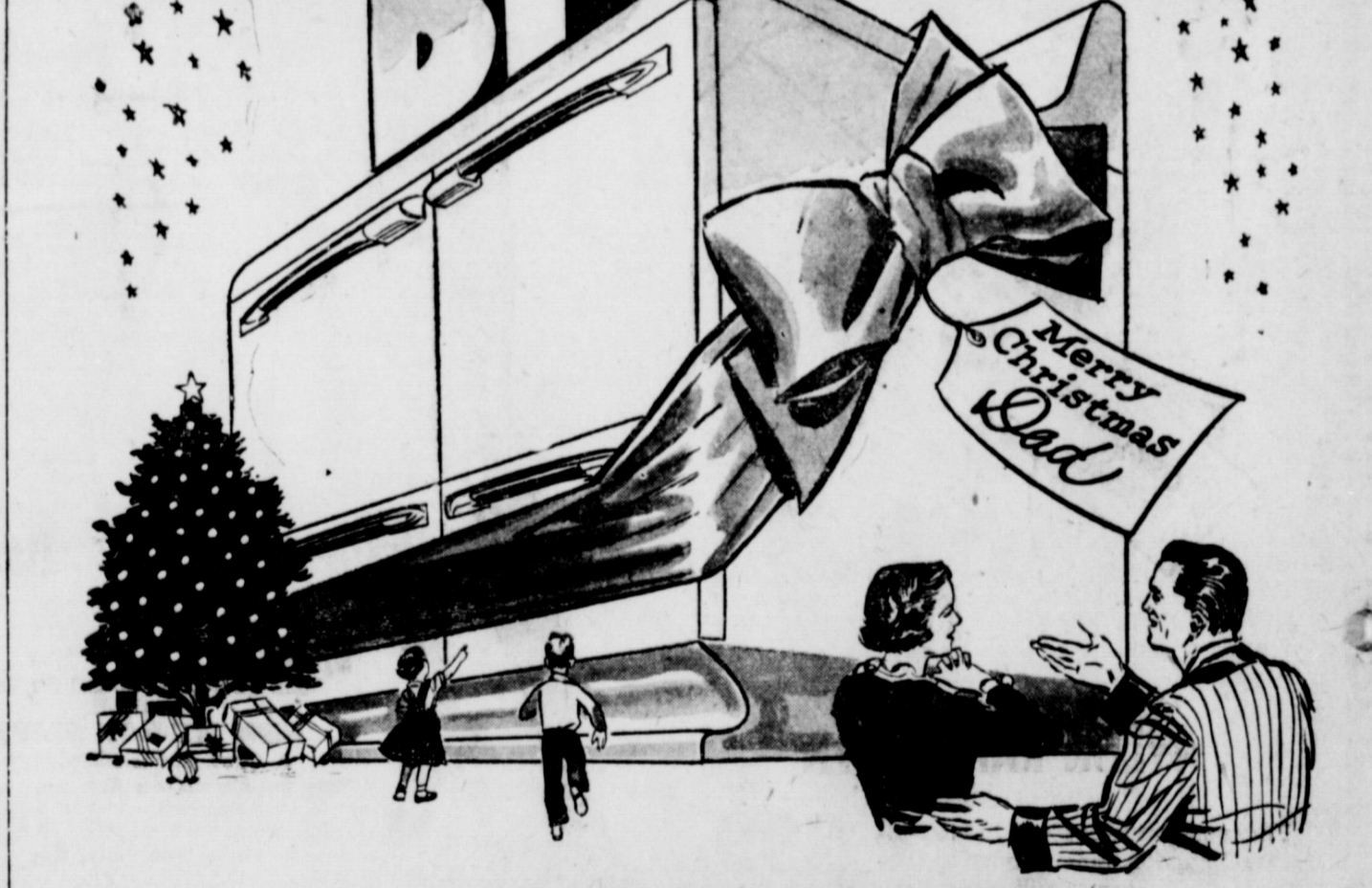
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