

Around The Square
With Mack

Well, Christmas has come and gone, and so far as we know the annual thrill, so far as Eastland County is concerned, has been one noted for sobriety and happiness. We weren't necessarily looking for "drunks", but only ones we saw were in Dallas and Grand Prairie. We were in those two cities a few hours late Wednesday, and did some evidence of the effects of "joy water." Everybody knows what Dallas is. It is so big they won't drink too much over there, for if they did they couldn't find home in 3 months.

We came near missing our point of destination, and only for the fact they have a lot of friendly policemen over there, who came to our rescue, we might still be over there "looking."

It is quite different in Grand Prairie. You can't get lost in that place. Geographically speaking Grand Prairie is that city which is eight miles long and two blocks wide. Highway 80 splits the two blocks and you can't get lost. If you should turn off for two blocks either north or south you would find yourself out in the country.

The only thing to bother you is red-lights—those people sure want you to see their city, and the "red light" gag gets the job done. What time you are not spending, waiting at a red traffic signal, you spend trying to start your motor again. We spent more time in that city than we did in both Dallas and Ft. Worth, though not from choice.

The only drunk driver we saw was in that fair city, and he came mighty near knocking us to "kingdom come." Our old bus is a country car, and not capable of dodging all those "red devils" at once. Really we were glad when we got it home and safely parked in our own back yard. We are not going to try teaching it any new tricks.

We decided to eat while in this elongated city, and finally found a dump marked "hamburgers" on one window and "beer" on the other. This was very misleading, as both windows should have been labeled "beer, and plenty of it." We went inside and found a house filled with customers. They were all sitting in booths for the simple reason most of them couldn't have gotten up, and even if they managed to do this they were in no shape to occupy stools.

Boy the "suds" were scattered all over the house, with leaks in many places. The waitress got a bottle in the mouth of every man and then dropped down to the end of a counter we occupied. Up to that time the only food we saw was in pretzel form, so friend wife asked the girl if she served food. She replied that she did, but only on "special order," which meant that you paid a cover charge, and your beer was served in a glass, and your pretzels in a bowl.

The wife ordered a hamburger, but was told that she would have to wait until the "beer rush" was over before she could cook it. We waited, for it was warm in there—alarmingly so, but everything went off o.k. until that drunk came over and began pouring beer on the wife's hamburger. Right there we discovered what "heat" meant. The drunk caught the joke almost immediately and headed East, at jet-plane speed. As he entered New Orleans he wired back and asked the bouncer if "Carrie Nation" had gone?

His reply was—no she is still here, and we heard him say something about the north pole and his phone hit the floor.

Eastland Boy With Marines

Marine Private First Class Thomas O. Simmons, son of Mrs. T. A. Simmons, 1205 West Main, recently arrived in Korea and has been assigned to the 1st Marine Division.

Before going overseas he received special combat training at Camp Pendleton, Calif., and cold weather training at "Pickle Meadows", a Marine Corps cold weather training camp high in the high Sierras.

He graduated from Eastland High School before joining the Marine Corps.

Humble To Air Cotton Bowl Tilt On Jan. 1

Humble Oil & Refining Company will climax its season of football broadcasts with a play-by-play account of the New Year's Day Cotton Bowl game when Texas University, winner of the Southwest Conference, will be host to the University of Tennessee for the second time in three years.

Popular announcer Ves Box will describe the action of the game direct from Dallas, and Alec Chesler will be on hand to bring to radio listeners the half-time activities and "color" of the game. The broadcast will begin at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, and will be heard on the following stations: KRGV, Westlake; WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas-Ft. Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; KPRC, Houston; KGNC, Amarillo; KCBD, Lubbock; KRIS, Corpus Christi; and KTCB, Austin.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS



SMASH PREPARATIONS FOR CUBAN REVOLUTION—Westchester, N. Y., county sheriff John Hoy, right, points to weapons seized in a raid on an unused gas station in Mamaroneck, N.Y., where a huge quantity of munitions, guns and napalm powder were stored. They were said to have been stockpiled for shipment to Cuba, to implement a plot to overthrow the Cuban government of Gen. Fulgencio Batista, in a "Christmas revolution." From left: Alfred Manheim, identified as a New York munitions dealer, who was held for questioning after being apprehended at the site of the cache; Mamaroneck police chief Louis Giancola; Frank Connel (handkerchief to face), an organizer for a Brooklyn local of the AFL Billposter's Union, also held; Assistant District Attorney Norton Edmond, Jr., Judge Auletta, deputy sheriff of Westchester County, and Hoy.

State Getting More Reports On Accidents

The Department of Public Safety at Austin reports this week it had received reports on twice as many accidents last month as it did in November, 1951, although the actual number of mishaps increased only slightly.

The difference, said Statistician N. K. Woerner, resulted from the safety responsibility law.

Woerner figures there were 21,184 automobile accidents in Texas last month, compared to 20,433 in November of 1951. But his department received reports on 16,631 last month, compared to 8,875 a year ago.

"That shows how much more efficient the reporting procedure is under the safety responsibility law," Woerner said.

Woerner's report showed a total of 2,204 Texas traffic deaths thus far this year compared to 2,252 for 1951. But the 1952 total, when all reports are in, probably will go higher than last year's and set a new record, Woerner added.

The death rate per one hundred million vehicle miles has come down slightly, Woerner noted. It was 7.4 last year and now stands at 6.7.

In addition to killing 2,204 persons, Texas traffic accidents this year have injured 99,711 and have resulted in an economic loss of \$135,837,750.

Youths Hurt In Crash

Bright headlights from an oncoming car were largely responsible for a very serious wreck which occurred Wednesday night at a point just east of Cisco. Carol Massengale, Gerald Poe and Johnny Honea, all of Eastland, were in the ill-fated car—a 1952 Pontiac.

According to Massengale, bright lights from another car were responsible for the wreck. The car was approaching at a high rate of speed, near the center of the road, and the Eastland boys, in order to get out of the car's path, pulled over on the gravel shoulder.

This caused their car to skid and overturn five times. All of the boys were rushed to the Graham hospital in Cisco where they were examined and given treatment, but they were released the next day. The youths were badly cut, bruised and shaken. Honea was thrown through the windshield, after which he rolled to the bottom of the hill.

The car is a total loss, and the boys are suffering numerous injuries, though none of a serious nature, it was reported this morning.

Bevo Will Go In Swanky New \$25,000 Truck

Santa Claus has elevated Bevo, steer mascot of the University of Texas Longhorns, from the swaddling clothes of transportation, Mrs. J. A. Bates of Ranger, county chairman of the forthcoming "March of Dimes" drive of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

His Christmas present to Bevo was the promise of a ride to the Cotton Bowl in a \$25,000-truck tractor and trailer outfit operated by the Red Ball Motor Freight Lines of Dallas. O. B. English, president of the line, is a Texas U graduate. He was contacted on the trip by Jim Taylor, head of the Texas trucking industry.

Bevo is going to the Cotton Bowl for the routine of being a mascot, plus the distinction of receiving his Orange & White letter for making the March of Dimes team.

But it's the swank of the journey that could appeal even to a steer. He'll highball up the highway to Dallas in new combination aluminum job never used before and delivered in style at the gates to the Cotton Bowl.

The remainder of the trappings have been advanced since Ox Higgins, a former Texas athlete great, today made the final fitting for the huge Orange & White letter. The presentation, or rather unveiling of the letter will precede the Cotton Bowl kickoff and will be chronicled for television and for the nation's press and radio.

The truck trip was arranged following collapse of plans to give Bevo a dramatic Cotton Bowl arrival via a helicopter. Joe Tom Harris, member of the Silver Spurs which sponsors Bevo, decided that the steer, with his 22 inch horns, packed too many perils for a flying machine.

Hallum Rites This Afternoon

Funeral services will be held in Eastland this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock for Hart Day Hallum, longtime Eastland and Eastland County resident, who died at the family residence, North Virginia St., Eastland, Thursday night at 7 p.m.

Rev. Otto Marshall, pastor of Eastland's First Christian Church, will officiate during the funeral rites.

Survivors include three sons, Vernon of Fort Worth, J. A. of Germany, and Adrian Hallum of Eastland; and one daughter, Mrs. Grace Suttle of San Diego, Calif.

New Area Radio Station Okayed

The Federal Communications Commission in Washington Wednesday granted a permit for a new radio station in this area.

The FCC okayed the application of Sports Kingdom, Weatherford, granting authority to operate a radio station on 1220 kilocycles, 250 watts power, daytime only.

The grant carried the condition that Gilbert Webb, a partner in the organization, terminate his employment with station KORC, Mineral Wells.

Discarded Smoke Stirs Things Up

LINCOLN, Neb.—Merlyn D. Fratt, Jr., tried to flip a cigarette out of the window of his car.

The window, however, was closed. When Fratt tried to retrieve the lit cigarette from the floorboards, he lost control of his car and it:

Jumped a curb. Snapped off a light pole. Tossed the pole against the front end of another car. No one was injured.

7 OR 10-CENT NEWSPAPERS ARE DUE UNLESS COSTS DROP

The seven-cent or 10-cent newspaper will be the paper of the future in metropolitan areas unless costs stop going up, one of the country's top newspaper authorities said today.

"A price of seven cents or 10 cents will be necessary for newspapers, especially in the larger cities, unless inflation ends," said W. G. Chandler, a director of the American Newspaper Publishers Assn.

Higher newspaper prices and rising labor costs are the two main factors driving up the circulation rates, he said.

American publishers now are getting all the newspaper they want, but they are paying the highest prices in more than 31 years for it.

Successive newspaper price increases of \$10 a ton in July, 1951, and again in June, 1952, hiked the bill for publishers on this item alone at the rate of \$118,000,000 a year.

The New York port price for newsprint stands at \$126 a ton. In 1945 the price was \$50. Newsprint today costs \$125.50 a ton in Buffalo, Chandler said, while it is \$137 in Denver and \$141 in Albuquerque. Transportation costs account for the differential.

Canada supplies about 80 per cent of our newsprint.

County Enjoys Peaceful Yule



Area's Weather is Unchanged, Little Warmer

Friday dawned cold, but by mid-morning a bright sun bathed the Eastland County area and skies were clear.

By this afternoon, according to forecasts of the U. S. Weather Bureau, the mercury is due to climb into the lower 50s.

Tonight, it'll be nippy again with the nocturnal low temperature level predicted for the mid-30s—hovering a fraction above freezing.

Although "clear" to partly cloudy" was forecast for Eastland County and the West Texas area there was little, if any, hope for rain.

And possibility of snow—which blanketed some portions of the state Christmas Day, yesterday—was becoming more remote by the hour.

Indonesia was a possession of the Netherlands for more than 300 years before it became independent in 1949.

HUNTING ACCIDENTS CLAIM LIVES OF 12 TEXANS IN 1952

Hereford Sale To Be January 12 At Stephenville

The Mid-Texas Hereford Breeders Association has announced a show and sale, to be conducted in Stephenville on Monday, Jan. 12. The meeting will be held in the heated City Park arena in that city.

During the sale 45 bulls and 26 females will be offered for sale. Judging will start at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, while the sale will begin at 1 p.m.

Linemen Wanted By Government

The Southwestern Power Administration, Tulsa, Okla., has urgent need for electrical linemen to maintain high voltage transmission lines in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri, Louisiana, and Texas.

Immediate employment is available at various duty stations at \$1,900 an hour starting pay. Appointments are under U. S. Civil Service regulations.

Persons with lineman experience on lines carrying 33,000 or more volts are urged to write to the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Southwestern Power Administration, Tulsa, Okla., for full details.

Two Wildcats Are Completed

St. Nick gave Eastland County added oil production over Christmas.

This morning two new completions were reported. Cupp & Dickerson No. 1 Mary A. Linnard, section 483, SP survey seven miles northwest of Cisco in the Legray area, was completed on the pump for 16 barrels of 41 gravity oil daily through perforations from 3,881 to 3,896 feet.

The second wildcat completion was racked up at Breeding and Tyler, No. 1 Ray Agnew, section 11, block 2, ET survey, two miles north of Rising Star.

Potential was 122.06 barrels of 38 gravity oil daily on the pump from open hole, between 1,550 and 1,563 feet.

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No Tragedies, Violent Deaths During Holiday

Eastland County observed a quiet Christmas, 1952, Thursday. No violent deaths, serious accidents or tragedies marred the Yuletide period in this area, according to a check up until 8 a.m. this morning. However, one accident—an auto mishap just east of Cisco—occurred Christmas Eve. Three Eastland youths, Carol Massengale, Gerald Poe and Johnny Honea, were involved, but none was seriously hurt.

On the law enforcement front, police departments in Ranger, Eastland and Cisco reported that "peace and quiet" reigned over the gala 24-hour period. The county sheriff's office said there was little activity.

Hundreds of county residents were absent from the area during the day, off on junkets to family Christmas gatherings in other sections of the state. However, the influx of visitors to homes in this section was unusually heavy during the day.

Earlier, in-advance predictions and forecasts of the U. S. Weather Bureau and other meteorological experts were carried out so far as the weather was concerned. Eastland County had a dry Christmas. There wasn't a sign of snow. Neither was there rain. In fact, after shivering early morning temperatures Thursday, the mercury soared upward and Eastland Countians enjoyed a very sunny and balmy Christmas Day. Slight chilling winds subsided in the afternoon and it was fairly warm.

Summed up, Eastland County enjoyed one of the quietest, most tranquil Yuletides in years.

However, the holiday season isn't officially ended until Sunday midnight—that's about 54 hours to go.

And there's time for the unexpected to happen. But Eastland Countians are hoping that a final tabulation at the end of the four-day Christmas period—from Wednesday midnight through Sunday at 12 a.m.—will find the current situation unchanged.

Law enforcement officers today continued their pre-Christmas warnings—especially to motorists. "Drive carefully," they cautioned. "In urban areas, drive with care watching for children and tiny tots who'll be outside playing. And on highways, continue to exercise vigilance and caution. Watch the other fellow's driving—and your own."

There was an optimistic note also Friday morning from some Eastland County merchants as they began the task of checking pre-Christmas sales records.

Although the long growth and its resultant damage to the county's normally prosperous crop and livestock output seriously curtailed the number of Yuletide spending dollars, some stores hastily report sales figures running ahead of those of a year ago. A complete picture of the retail business situation, however, won't be fully clear for several days.

Draftees Given Service Cut For Korean Combat

Families of Eastland County men serving overseas in Korea with the U. S. armed forces received heartening news over the Yuletide holiday.

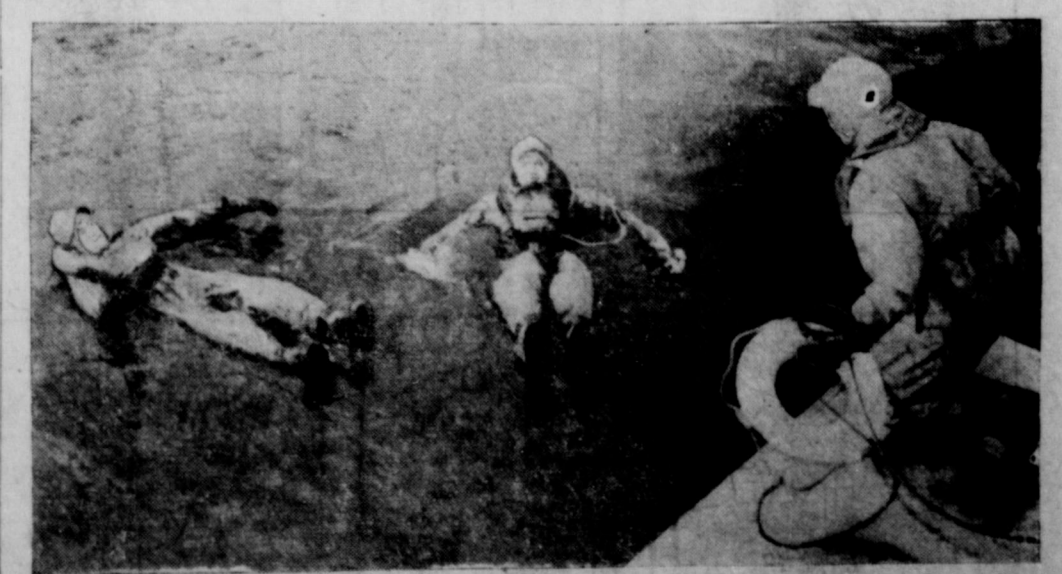
Effective Jan. 1, Army draftees rotated home from Korea will be released if they have completed at least 20 months of active service, Secretary of the Army Face announced in Washington.

Normal service for draftees is 24 months. The Army previously had said those with active duty in Korea would be released after 21 months, because of that service. Face's announcement reduced the period to 20 months.

The new policy also applies to draftees who return to this country before Jan. 1, if they have not left a reception center for reassignment to a new station by that date. Those who have left for a new station before Jan. 1 will remain eligible for release after 31 months of service.

The policy applies only to draftees returning from Korea under combat rotation policies, and does not affect enlisted men of the regular Army or reserves serving voluntarily.

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SUB SUITS FOR SUB-NORMAL WEATHER—Two sailors, testing the Navy's new submarine deck exposure suits, float in the water at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. Fashioned by the Research and Development Division of the Navy's Clothing Supply Office, the garments permit six times the normal amount of exposure to spray and chilling water. While not primarily intended to have flotation qualities, the suit will sustain a person afloat for a short time.

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ONE IN EVERY 63 TEXANS IS GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE

One in every 63 Texans is employed by the federal government, figures released by the Civil Service Commission in Washington, show—and observers agree the change in administrations won't change the situation much.

The Lone Star State, with more than 122,000 federal job holders within its borders, ranks behind only New York, Pennsylvania, California and metropolitan Washington, D. C., in federal employment. This figure does not include uniformed members of the armed forces.

All but 170,000 of the 2,603,000 total federal employees are protected from political firings by Civil Service. But it has been pointed out that not more than 20,000 or so of these "unprotected" jobs can be called patronage "plums."

Most non-Civil Service jobs either call for highly specialized,

hard-to-replace skills, or pay too little to interest the patronage seeker. In addition, such agencies as the Tennessee Valley Authority and the Central Intelligence Agency have merit systems of their own.

The Civil Service Commission has no figures on how many federal employees in Texas are outside the protection of Civil Service, and therefore keeping nervous eyes on Washington.

The federal payroll is of great economic importance in many Texas communities. Considering that the average federal worker earns \$3,415 per year, Uncle Sam apparently sends checks totaling some \$417,58,785 to employees in Texas every year.

Some 34,000 federal employees are employed in the San Antonio area, site of vital defense installations. Dallas includes some 8,580 federal workers among its population, and 8,050 government job holders are employed at Fort Worth. Houston trails with 6,630 federal employees.

Republicans could cut the gigantic \$8,880,000 annual federal payroll by simply reducing the number of federal jobs. But the GOP camp has indicated there will be no wholesale firings, although budget cuts may be made.

Observers point out that the biggest groups of federal employees are those working for the military services and the Veterans Administration. No huge reduction in federal employment can be achieved until the national emergency is over.

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THE FACE OF WAR—His lower jaw shattered by enemy gunfire on White Horse Mountain, this Republic of Korea soldier squats in the scant shelter of a bush near a first-aid station at the foot of the bitterly contested mountain. He stoically waits his turn to be evacuated to a rear-area hospital.

Big Delegation Texas Stockmen To Attend Meet

Texas cattle raisers will be among the leaders at the 56th Annual convention of the American National Cattlemen's Association in Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 5-7.

A large delegation, headed by Vice President Jay Taylor, Amarillo, and by T. L. Roach, Amarillo, president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association, is expected from Texas. The American National held its last convention in Fort Worth in January, 1952.

Besides Taylor and Roach, other Texas stockmen active in committees of the large national organization include Joe B. Finley, Encinal; Fred Hobart and E. S. F. Brainard of Canadian; Jack Mansfield, Vega; Joe B. Matthews, Albany; Hayes Mitchell and J. E. White, Jr. of Marfa; Roy Parks, Midland; J. M. and Watt Reynolds Fort Worth; Louis L. Farr, Jr., San Angelo; and M. H. W. Ritchie, Paluduro.

The Texas delegation will join participants from 30 states in hearing headline talks by Laurence Lee, president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce; Senator Andrew Schoepel of Kansas; O. R. Strickbein, chairman of the National Labor-Management Council on Foreign Trade Policy; Stephen Hart, attorney for the National Live Stock Tax Committee; Wesley Hardenbergh, president of the American Meat Institute; and Sam C. Hyatt, Hyattville, Wyo., president of the American National Cattlemen's Association.

Climate Changes In City Studied

AUSTIN — A roving scientist whose car serves as a meteorological laboratory is surveying the difference in climate between a city's downtown section and its residential areas.

The mobile "weather bureau" is driven by Kenneth H. Jehn, assistant professor of meteorology at the University of Texas, and has a thermometer extending on a rod from the car with delicate instruments inside the vehicle.

"Everyone knows," Jehn says, "there can be a big difference." The meteorologist, using Austin as a test city this year, says the survey may develop information useful to architects and engineers in designing homes and other structures to make maximum use of a particular climate's advantages.

Farm Marketing Expert Predicts Profitable Year

Farmers who have a sound production plan should find the new year another profitable one, predicts Francis A. Kutish, one of the nation's leading farm marketing experts.

"But we can't count on it being equal to some of the past 12 years when agriculture enjoyed windfall benefits from inflationary prices and unusual export demand for farm products," he adds.

The Iowa State College official points out that the past 12 years—except 1949—had unusual conditions which expanded food demand.

First there were the war years. Then the postwar boom and unusual food export needs. Next came the outbreak of fighting in Korea.

"Now the windfall gains are likely over," he forecasts. "The coming 12 months look more like a plateau year of high demand rather than a year of further expansion."

He also explains that the task of forecasting the coming year isn't easy as it was last year. The federal defense spending program is due to hit a peak of about 55 to 60 billion dollars by mid-1953—then level off.

"Suppose that at the same time this important source of demand stops rising, investment by business and the building boom should also fall off," he asks. "It should

mark the beginning of a modest downturn."

This test of the ability of our economy to successfully shift out of a defense boom is likely to come sometime in the next two to four years, he concludes. The 1953 farm outlook calls for no sharp adjustments in production plans, but rather it spells a need for careful consideration of commitments for the next two to four years.

Electrification Gains In Texas

The report shows that 287,100 of Texas' 331,567 farms, or 86.6 percent, are on power lines. That's 11 percent higher than the national average.

Electrification of farms and ranches in Texas is slightly above the national average, according to a research report.

Rapid electrification of farms has taken place since 1920 when only about 20 percent were on power lines. More than 90 percent of farms in the Midwest now are on lines, which is about 3.5 percent higher than the national figure.

Use of electricity on farms still is in its infancy, say research experts. They explain that electricity use is expected to almost double in the next decade because of the rapid purchase of home freezers, air conditioners, water systems, pumps for irrigation, dairy equipment and many other electrical devices.



CURTAIN-RAISER — Trailing its long antenna, a captive balloon bobs over the Voice of America's floating broadcasting station, "Courier," anchored at the Island of Rhodes in the Mediterranean. The high-flying antenna makes possible the beaming of broadcasts to countries behind the iron Curtain.

Traffic Violator Gets In Trouble

BLOOMINGTON, Ill. — Police who had been searching for a man for 14 months on a traffic violation finally nabbed him—in the police station.

Ylvo Van Hook was charged with failing to stop for a stop sign before an accident in which he was injured. He was given two weeks after his release from the hospital to appear in court. He didn't.

Police got him anyway when he walked into the police station to pay a parking ticket fine.

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Texas Health Improved, Says State Report

Death won't cloud holiday festivities in as many Texas homes this year as in seasons past.

By and large, public health is at a higher level today than ever before, statistics compiled by the State Department of Health show.

The result is that more parents are alive to be with their children, for maternal deaths have been reduced by 88 per cent in the last 15 years. And more children are alive and vital anticipating the sacred day we call Christmas, because infant deaths have been cut by 46 per cent.

Life is longer today than ever before, not just in Texas but the nation over. It used to be that a man of 50 years was in his twilight years. Today a 50-year-old is merely middle aged.

"We take a lot of pride in our progress," State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox said, "but there is no end to improvements yet to be made. It's always this way when you deal with the problems that control the health of people."

Dr. Cox, who has been directing the state public health program since 1936, is fond of pointing out

that "health is a purchasable commodity."

His tenure has brought the construction of more facilities for public health than any other combination of preceding administrations. Pursuing a policy of decentralization, 47 local health center buildings have been built and staffed throughout the state.

One of the most striking gains has been made against typhoid fever. Deaths due to this cause has been cut by 98 per cent in the last decade. A reduction of 95 per cent has been registered against diphtheria, 64 per cent against tuberculosis, and 96 per cent against pellagra.

Charles Ellicano, a French acrobat, crossed the Thames River in England in 1951 on a wire 1,100 feet long and 5-8ths of an inch thick.

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NOTICE MASONS

Eastland Masonic Lodge No. 467 will have work in the Masters Degree, Saturday night Dec. 27. Meeting called for 7 p.m. H. H. Hardeman, W. M. H. P. Pentecost, Sec.

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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 transacting of such other business as may properly come before the stockholders meeting.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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:

American Profit Sharing Co. to L. L. Evans, Jr., MD.
C. W. Broyles to C. L. Gilmore, release of oil and gas lease.
Dorothy Burns to Don H. Peaker, oil and gas lease.
Joe D. Bradley to J. E. Connally, oil and gas lease.
C. C. Baxter to Troy V. Baxter, warranty deed.
J. F. Barker to R. A. Looney, warranty deed.
Mrs. Cora Boyd to Orval Nash, warranty deed.
L. H. Brown to J. M. Smith, warranty deed.
J. T. Browning to Mrs. Maud B. Fortson, warranty deed.
H. C. Bowers to W. C. Hammet, warranty deed.
E. K. Drilling Co. to A. C. Holder, release of oil and gas lease.
Clark & Cowden Oil Co. to Rudolph Schaefer, release of oil and gas lease.
J. E. Connally to Empire Machinery Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.
City of Ranger to Mrs. Virgie Higdon, warranty deed.
Primitive Baptist Church to C. F. (Charlie) Denton, warranty deed.
O. S. Carroll to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.
C. C. Cornelius to E. H. Foster, lease contract.
C. R. Duncan to The Public, proof of heirship.
Mary Maxwell Evans to Mrs. Brock S. Maxwell, power of attorney.
J. M. Flournoy to The Public affidavit.
First State Bank, Rising Star to Roy Lee Little, release of vendor's lien.
Gilchrist Drilling Co. to Victor Cornelius, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Thomas E. Garrett to Hugh L. Millington, oil and gas lease.
Jack R. Gryder to F. W. Roberts, warranty deed.
J. J. Gregg to L. L. Evans, Jr., MD.
H. Giesecke to H. V. Scholl, oil and gas lease.
Walter W. Hill to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., MLC.
Vencell Hopper to G. O. Strong, warranty deed.
George D. Harris to Ace Oil Co., assignment.

George Haynes to The Public, proof of heirship.
Charlie R. Hill to E. H. Foster, bill of sale.
Higginbotham Bros. & Co. to Jack R. Gryder, release of vendor's lien.
W. G. Kirk to J. R. Russell, partial release of judgment.
H. P. Kitchens to J. W. Comery, warranty deed.
A. W. Lester to Carl Page, warranty deed.
S. W. Loper to C. B. Harris, warranty deed.
Malco Refineries, Inc., to Fred Goodstein, assignment of oil and gas lease.

W. E. Morris to Edward Lee Bailey, warranty deed.
S. H. Maynard to J. C. Bledsoe, release of vendor's lien.
R. M. Meador to Charles G. Lehrer, royalty deed.
Bill McFee to L. A. McIntire, warranty deed.
C. W. Norris to Primitive Baptist Church, release of vendor's lien.
Levie Old to L. L. Evans, Jr., warranty deed.
M. H. Pierce to R. G. Carter, MD.
D. J. Perkins to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., extension of lien.
H. A. Reynolds to J. W. Jackson, oil and gas lease.
W. H. Smith to W. E. Chancy, royalty contract.
T. C. Terrell to Mrs. Ida Huber, release of oil and gas lease.
T. C. Terrell to Billy Bacon, release of oil and gas lease.
Texas-California Roy. Syndicate to Frances Little Walker, MD.
Union Central Life Ins. Co. to The Public, affidavit.
Veterans Land Board to George W. Webb, Sr., contract of sale.
Veterans Land Board to George P. Jobe, contract of sale.
Veterans Land Board to Raymond F. Jobe, contract of sale.

Probate

Paul Both, deceased, application for community administration.
Guy Ernest Owens, minor, application for guardianship.

Marriage Licenses

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:
Afton Don Johnson to Amelia Mae Parham, Ranger.
Glen Edward Clement to Shirley Jean Rogers, Gorman.
Carl E. Winge to Marie E. Ziehr, Cisco.

Orders and Judgments

The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:
Florine Thompson v. Charles E. Thompson, judgment.
W. C. (Mike) Ferguson v. Bob Vaught, et al, order of dismissal.
Vieda F. Baker v. M. J. Baker, order.
Doris Morgan v. Sidney Morgan, judgment.
G. N. Mahaney v. W. G. Baker, order.
John Christopher v. Ted Hale, judgment.
Clifford C. Goforth v. Verna Goforth, judgment.

Lightning can strike the same place many times, if conditions are the same. A tall building, like the Empire State Building, may be struck repeatedly. In general, however, low buildings such as homes are seldom struck more than once, because chance plays so great a part in determining the path of the lightning discharge.

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Social Calendar

December 30, Knights of Pythias, 7:30 p.m., Castle Hall.

January 1, 1953, Thursday Afternoon Club, 3 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. Arthur Murrell, president.

January 5, 1953, Las Leales Club, 7:30 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. H. L. Hassell, president.
Rotary Club luncheon, 12:15 p.m., Connelley hotel.

January 6, Lions Club luncheon noon, First Methodist Church
Knights of Pythias, 7:30 p.m., Castle Hall.

January 7, Music Study Club, 3:30 p.m., Woman's Club.

January 8, Alpha Delphian Club, Woman's Club, 3 p.m.

January 12, Xi Alpha Zeta Chapter, 7:30 p.m. Don Hill home, 100 Hillcrest.

January 12, Rotary Luncheon Club, 12:15 Connelley Hotel.

January 13, Lions Club Luncheon noon, First Methodist Church.

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Biosulfa, a new veterinary combination of the antibiotic penicillin with three sulfonamide drugs in tablet form suited for treating many ailments of dogs, cats and other small animals, has been developed in the laboratories of The Upjohn Company, it was announced today.

Because the new drug combination can readily be swallowed instead of requiring injection, according to Dr. J. L. Davidson, head of the department of veterinary medicine at the Kalamazoo, Mich., pharmaceutical firm it offers much greater convenience for all concerned—the sick animal, its owner, and the veterinarian. Home treatment of pets is now possible after original diagnosis, it was pointed out.

The addition of sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine and sulfathiazole to penicillin gives biosulfa a three-fold advantage, said Dr. Davidson. He noted that this combination can increase antibacterial efficiency, broaden the range of disease conditions which can be treated, and lessen the likelihood that bacteria will become resistant to any of the individual drugs.

The new preparation, according to Dr. Davidson, can be successfully used in many bacterial infections of small animals where individual injections of sulfa drugs or penicillin have been given in the past. He said that biosulfa can be effective in bacteria-caused respiratory diseases, secondary infections accompanying distemper, tonsillitis, kidney and uterus inflammation, leptospirosis, and infections of the intestines and the urinary tract.

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Church... Society ... Clubs

Mrs. Joe Gray Is Hostess To WMU Party

Members of the Women's Missionary Union of the Olden Baptist Church held their Christmas party Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Joe Gray. Names of secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged.

The group presented a gift of crystal to Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson.

Mrs. W. E. Matlock, president, was presented a gift and each member was presented a corsage by the hostess. Fruit cocktail, cake, tea and coffee was served to the 24 members attending.

The group made a gift of \$15.80 to the building fund.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Art Johnson spent Christmas Day in Abilene with Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Martha Satterwhite and Mrs. Joe Bettis, with whom Mrs. Satterwhite makes her home.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Colfax and little son, Bill Colfax, IV, are the guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Wittrop.

Colonel Brasher of Ranger, spent Christmas Day here in the home of his son, Bill Brasher and Mrs. Brasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alford and children, Beverly, Jimmy and Eddie of Dallas, spent Christmas in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Alford. Other guests in their home was a granddaughter, Tijana Alford and her mother, Mrs. Juanita Little of Cisco, and Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Alford had as guests in their home Christmas Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Jones and Bruce of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roy Lynch of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Taylor and children, Lynda and Lonnie of Brownwood, Mrs. Jack Mace, Gayle and Norma of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Pud Fox of near Eastland, Mrs. Ada Cox and Mrs. Anna Terry of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker spent Christmas in Midland with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Lisman, Mr. Lisman and little daughter, Mary Margaret.

Joyce Parker of Crane spent Christmas here with Sylvia Sullivan and Mrs. Sullivan in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward.

Holiday guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pentecost were Roy Pentecost, Mrs. Johnny Boen and son, Wayne, of Houston, Mrs. W. F. Harris, daughter and son, Capt. and Mrs. Bill Wittlicher of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. James Sellers of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Rachael Carriens of Washington, D. C., who has been here for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Metz of Hobbs, N.M. are in Eastland, visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whaley.

Roy Lane, Jr., is spending the holidays in Eastland with friends and relatives. He drove from New York to Eastland, and made good time, he said.

Lt. Col. Mike L. Crimmins, (Retired) and Mrs. Crimmins of Fort Worth, have been spending the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. McCorkle, and little granddaughter, Jo Lynn Frederick, were Dallas visitors Wednesday.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

Granny Sparkman who spent several days last week in the Gorman Hospital, is at home again and is reported to be much improved.

Tom Northcutt who has been ill for many months, remains unchanged.

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NEWS FROM CARBON

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McDonald of Abilene, are the parents of a baby boy, born on Thursday, Dec. 18. He weighed eight pounds and 3 ounces, and he has been named Gilbert Lon. Mrs. C. N. McDaniel of Carbon is the paternal grandmother.

Rev. Charles L. Fromer, pastor of Carbon Methodist Church, was in Dallas last Thursday night, where he received his bachelor of divinity degree, from Southern Methodist University at commencement exercises of the Perkins School of Theology.

Lonzo White has bought the home of J. L. McDaniel, and the family moved in last week.

Mrs. W. O. Hamilton left last week for San Antonio, where she will spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Bledsoe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt left Monday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Mary Matejek and Mr. Matejek who was shot while deer hunting near Kerrville last Sunday.

Jasper Phelps and family of Clouderoft, N. M., are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Phelps and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones and daughter of Arkansas, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. R. Turner.

Bill Nix and family of Xray visited Mrs. Nix's mother, Mrs. Gladys Bond, Sunday.

Hayden Greer of Abilene, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Fred Brown, visited their mother, Mrs. Gladys Brown of Sweetwater Sunday.

R. O. Smoot visited in Fort Worth last weekend, and Mrs. Smoot and the baby returned home with him, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whaley.

Harry C. Hall and family of El Paso, Abe Hall of Eunice, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Athol Claiborn and sons of Sundown, are here to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall.

Ben Price and family of Lingleville, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hare of Comanche and Bruce Blankenship and family of Queeque, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hare.

Mrs. J. S. Davis, who has been ill at the Gorman hospital, was able to return home Monday.

Garland Vaughn and family of

when word reached here that Mrs. Reid, mother of Mrs. Bill Parks, had passed away Saturday night after suffering a stroke a few hours earlier. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at 3 o'clock Monday, with burial in Alameda cemetery.

Neal Malby is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Malby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Reed have two of three children home for Christmas: Phil and Iris June and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tate are spending Christmas-week in Hobbs, N.M., with their sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Tate and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tate and their small sons.

Jim Wimberly of California, arrived Monday to spend the holidays with his mother, Granny Wimberly and his sister, Mrs. Joe Quinn and family.

Aunt Sally Eaton left Sunday to spend the holidays in Ballinger with her son, Damon Eaton and family.

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There's much conversation these days about the new at-home fashions. Here, we see a two-piece black knit (left) in a completely elasticized cotton knit. It has slip-over turtle neck top and long, skinny sleeves. Ankle-length pants simply pull on. Frosty pink felt is clipped into circular apron that flairs from the waist and ends above the knee. Flannel jumper pajamas (right) are for lounging or sleeping. Fire-engine red shirt with checked collar has bib front, long sleeves, is worn with red flannel trousers with adjustable waistband. Both are Harry Berger designs.—By Gail Dugas, NEA Woman's Editor.

Columbus, Miss., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughn this week.

Supt. and Mrs. H. L. Mullins and children were visiting in Fort Worth, last weekend.

Bryan L. Butler and family and Jack Butler of Abilene, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wyche of Gustine, visited the Hilliard Gilberts Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Trimble, Mrs. W. A. Tate and Mrs. A. C. Underwood, attended the silver wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown in Gorman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lovell visited her sisters, Mmes. Hill and Cloud in Abilene, Sunday.

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Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson were in Brownwood, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rhodes of Dallas, were recent guests in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore. Little Cathey Moore accompanied them home to visit until Christmas.

Miss Sandra Harrell, assisted by Sherlie Matlock entertained a group of youngsters with a Sunday School party last Monday night, in the J. D. Harrell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hilliard and family left Saturday for Kerrens, for a few days visit with Mr. Hilliard's relatives. They will return home for Christmas.

The Junior and Seniors of the FHA class met in the Home Economics room Friday morning, where they gathered to attend a

Bill Devaluation Went Too Far

HICKORY, N. C.—R. M. Stallings is convinced that today's money is worth just about half what it used to be.

Several months ago, Stallings acquired a \$1,000 bill. Considering it to be something of a curiosity, he put it carefully away in a tin box.

Later, when he took it out to show friends, he found that some variety of moth or insect had eaten away exactly half of the bill.

Christmas party under a beautiful Christmas tree. Games were played, gifts were exchanged, and refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Peggie Matlock from Howard Payne College, Brownwood, is at home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Matlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Bryant and children of Kermit spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mrs. Ida Simer and daughters Laura and Winkle, are here to spend the holidays. Everybody happy to see Mrs. Simer at Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Patterson and Linda, left Thursday for Virginia, to spend the holidays with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Yielding and girls, of Andrews, are to spend Christmas here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williamson are to enroll in Howard Payne College at mid-term.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams of Pecos, are visiting in the Alfred Nelson home this week. Mrs. Nelson is expecting her brother, who has just received his discharge from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ray and children of Kermit, visited his aunt, Mrs. Nettie Fox Sunday. The Rays were enroute to Fort Worth where they are to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Ada

HOLIDAY—

(Continued From Page 1)
them to "drunkenness and heavy traffic."

Slippery roads were a traffic hazard in some parts of the Middle West and Plains area, but many of the accidents occurred in dry, clear regions.

The survey covers the period from 6 p.m. Wednesday to midnight Sunday. The National Safety Council predicted the traffic death toll alone will reach 590 during this period.

This prediction supposes a rate of 139 deaths each 24 hours of the 102-hour holiday period. It compares with a breakdown for the first 11 months of this year which showed that 102 persons died in traffic every 24 hours. And this average includes deaths which resulted weeks or months after the accident occurred.

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Wants Texas Man Preferably Plump

TEMPLE, Tex. — Mayor Roy Strasburger has put his foot down and wants it known he is not a marriage counselor or lonely hearts adviser.

The occasion of his authors' receipt of a letter from a Fort Worth woman, addressed only to "Mayor of Temple, Temple, Texas." It asked Strasburger to help her find a husband "not over 60, who owns a home, does not drink and has neat habits."

The woman, who described herself as a widow, middle-aged and of "easy disposition," added: "I would rather a man be on the plump side, for I find most thin men high strung."

Potatoes turn brown after being peeled because of compounds in the vegetable called tyrosin and tyrosinase. A complex chemical reaction occurs when the inner layer of the potato is exposed to oxygen in the air, and leads to the formation of a pigment called melanin, which gives the brown color.

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