

William Allen White, the late great Kansas editor and devout Republican, attended the Demo-cratic national convention in 1928. The presiding senator spied him and called on him to open the session with prayer.

"No." White replied. "I'd better not. I don't want God to know

Already, it is plain to see that sonal expenses. the present state of insurance affairs in Texas will be a prime platform in the next elections. Under the Shiver's administration we've ed by social security — not on

his infectious personality, h as income not covered by social se-been politically successful. But there, the difference ends.

3. Be definite in stating the na-

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words it has been a policy of 'that's ner, barber, sales, odd jobs.

'net legal, but if I don't see you."

4. If you and your wife file a

bordering closely enough on the tive action is taken to correct ules C-a for each of you.

and by far the largest insurance Candal, in U. S. Trust, we have the first charged with various irregularities. Senators have been as well. as attorneys for the defunct companies when the entire nasty organization is nothing short of thievry. Entering a house in the reared in Eastland County, dark and quiet of the night and fered a heart attack and taking sums of money and valu- Monday night enroute to ables is far less effective than what these insurance firms have done to steal from their policy- Mansker of Eastland and a broth-

Tet it be said now, that we speak dy of casulty companys rather han life insurance companies. ife insurance company policys presents exactly what their ames imply. Casulty companies overs losses to homes, physical operties, automobiles and equipoperties, automobiles and equipoperties. ent for the most part.

The loss by insurance companies the state has been negligible nd many hundreds of upright, lependable life insurance compan-

mpanies that have long been and took it in. of erating under the Texas system this week, as it was Monday of may have been "protected". They have only watered stocks last week, as it was Monday of last week, Christmas and New

whose value on paper exceeds their holdings by thousands of dollars.

More and more we may see into like idea to the concerns thrown into like idea to the concerns thrown into like idea. into liquidation with tremendous losses to the working class of peouidation with tremendous ple, who will be hurt most by such failures. Possibly, for the most part, the mess has been cleaned up.

ance, the fault does not lie in the existence of such organizations but rather in the capitol at Austin, where the "herd riders" turn heir backs and scream for more taxes for a more efficient govern-

#### **New Principal** At Cisco Enters **Duties Jan. 16**

Clyde High School for the last 1 1/2 years, has resigned to become Cisco High School principal, effective Ann. 16.

McCasland's wife, Francys,

McCasland's wife, Francys, former Clyde seventh grade teacher, will also teach at Cisco.

Bailey Johnson, superintendent of schools at Clyde, said no successor to McCasland has been chosen.

McCasland was coach at Clyde for two years before he became pracipal at beginning of the 1944-55 school term.

BE SURE-SEE
Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac
Eastland

#### Four Point Plan Tuley Offer On Soc. Security

Self-employed people can avoid future trouble and delay in getting their social security benefits correctly Schedule C of their federal income tax return on

Abilene social security office. suggested four points which selfemployed people should check against when they fill out their Schedule C:

1. Be sure to figure your net earnings correctly. List and duct from your gross business income all the allowable expenses of operating your trade or busi The battle between the officers of U. S. Trust and Guaranty, the \$5.5 million insurance and banking firm that has been adjudged insolvent in Waco and the State Insurance Commission has thrown the entire capitol in Austin into a state of unbalance.

Also do not be stated in the state of the business or any personner of the business owner of the business or any per-

had already had two of the state's rentals from real estate, dividends, higgest scandals in the insurance or interest from securities, unless and veteran's land programs, and for three terms we have asked for such income is in the course of Like Eisenhower, Shivers, with your business. Also do not report

3. Be definite in stating the na-The "insurance and veterans' ture of your business. Use de-a scriptive terms such as retail-grams. There has been no supervision or no watchful eye. In other broker, - NOT sole owner, part-

joint return, but you own and Insurance companies especially operate your business, put only in the past eight years have, your name on Schedule C-a because you're the one who has the law, fleeced Texas of untold mil- self-employment income. If you lions of dollars. The financial and your wife are genuine busi-slaughter continues and will until ness partners, then prepare Sched-

### **Countian Dies** Monday Night

er of Mrs. J. W. Blackwell of

Funeral arrangements had not

## Trek Made Tues.

Where can we safely insure our ball game while many others sat

high Wednesday 60 to 65.

ness - depreciation, insurance and

Ed Jones of Milsap, who wa reared in Eastland County, suf-

Eastland.

yet been completed Tuesday morn-

Youngsters were back in school

They made their treks to their in having, to some extent, been situation is very satisfactory in promote other new industries when state. classrooms after the Christmas instrumental in locating this new their opinion. With the cooperative opportunity arises.

essions? It's hard to say. Oth-

#### WEATHER

Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday. High Tuesday in the high

WHOOPS—Sergio Cervato makes an all-out defense of his goal for Florence as his soccer team meets Milan's at Milan, Italy. He's one of the principal reasons that Florence was picked to be among the select teams which met German elevens in the recent Italo-

two county livestock shows are show, so far stymied by lack of going forward and County Agri- coops for the fowls.

Stock Shows Planned

Two Spring County

cultural Agent J. M. Cooper wish- The first event will be the es that still another county show Eastland County Livestock Show, sponsored by the Eastland Counwere possible. The third, if equipment were ty Livestock Raisers Association. It will be held at the showbarn in Eastland March 30 and 31, as it is association policy to hold the an-nual show the last Friday and

Saturday in March. While adults are not barred, this affair is staged chiefly for 4-H boys and girls and Future Farmers of America, from over the county, showing fat barrows, fat calves and fat lambs.

The Eastland County Registered Beef Cattle Show will be held in Cisco in May. There are 39 eeders of registered Angus and Hereford cattle in the county and representative entries are antici-

Concerning his hope for a county poultry show, at some future date, Mr. Cooper said:

"While I haven't seen the figure for the last five years, I recall that during the period 1945 to 1950 Eastland County lost 50,-000 laying hens, thus we'd like to see some attention focused on the poultry industry. At some times in the past there has not been an attractive market available for eggs, but there is now a good market for them."

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# THE RANGER TIMES Area Seeks General Recovery Area Seeks General Recovery Area Seeks General Recovery From Drouth In 1956 Here

## Woman Born In

ive of Eastland who died at her home in Odessa, was buried land, Monday afternoon. She died Friday night after several months

held at Temple Baptist Church, of which she was a member, in Odessa Sunday afternoon, with the pastor, the Rev. Thorpe, officiat-

The Rev. Jimmy Burks, pastor of Harmony Baptist Church, Morton Valley, held the graveside ervices at Staff.

Mrs. Epperson, formerly Miss Frieda Hughes, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hughes of Eastland was born Sept. 28, 1921. She was educated n the public schools of Eastland. Odessa had been her home since

Surviving are her husband, two sisters, Mrs. B. H. Hazard of Moron Valley and Mrs. J. R. Griffin of Tulia, and four brothers, Cliem Hughes of Breckenridge, Orvill Hughes of Odessa, Ralph Hughes of Brownwood and John Hughes



DATE BAIT-University of Illinois senior Bill Robson hands down his date after a coveted ride in this gleaming, vintage model-T Ford, circa 1911. Robson spent a summer putting the car in good-as-new condition. Some 14 coats of hand-rubbed lacquer went into body finish and uncounted "horsepower" into the task polishing brass radiator and headlamps into a burnished semblance of showroom condition. The convertible, top of which is secured with leather straps, is a sight-seeing "must" when touring the university campus at Urbana-Champaign, Ill. Robson, a ceramic engineering major from Chicago, has restored 12 ancient

## **C-C Sets Ranger Manufacturing Company Open House Sunday**

of Pine and Austin Sts., the Cham- across the stairway will be cut and

The Ranger Manufacturing the ground floor of the building edition were mailed to industries Company will have its formal including Ranger citizens and over the United States and a numopening at the plant location in the old city hall building at the corner Manufacturing Co. the ribbon. old city hall building at the corner Manufacturing Co., the ribbon been received.

ber of Commerce announced today in a periodical publication.

The doors will be open to visit
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"To each and every person who barrels that unattended. ors from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., the letter signed by W. F. Creager, C-C president, said.

Text of the letter read, "The in the local area, and since the group of citizens created an infirectors and members of the Chamber of Commerce has receive group of citizens created an in-Chamber of Commerce take pride ed so many applications the labor dustrial fund which will help to

classrooms after the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

The sorrid picture of casulty firms is the painting we are trying to kiring to light.

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It had been a festive time and the show mentioned time to well-wish and the special schools and the spe

ments, our program is bound to go vehicle's being a stolen one has Stephenville; and Jeanette Buntforward."

BLASE—Newsmen who meet ocean liners at dockside in New York City are used to being deadpanned by celebrities, but ninemonth-old Barbara Torarz presents a new high in welf-bred boredom for the cameraman. The Yugoslavian youngster, whose parents will make their home in Buffalo, N.Y., was one of many refugees arriving aboard the transport General Langfitt, under the Refugee Relief Act.

## Most '55 Businesses Show Definite Gain

prosperous year over this immedi- economy, after having enjoyed the ate area as well as the entire na- definite increase in business over tion seemed imminent to many ob- 1954.

with the continuation of the in general. drouth, though not so harsh during The new year's business in the 1955, has gained considerably in one-third of America between the most cases and at some businesses Mississippi River and the Rocky

this area may well lie in douth he did in 1955. reaking rains which residents next year. Most feel that with suffinancial position than in the past rado and Wyoming. previous years.

#### Three Late Fires Bring '55 Loss Total To \$10,450

sual of 66 fires reported by the

e, firemen fought 17 house or have gotten less rain this year than barn fires, 37 grass fires, five car in any time of the blazes and answered four fires Bureau's records. tside the city.

Isabell said that most of the grass fires were caused from trash barrels that had been left burning

The fire rate was exceptionall

### Refusal To Go **Round Arouses**

the new year have been appointed this type will be due to the driv- Mary Laney, Stephenville: Pat and notified, and with each of us er's not having an operator's li- Terrel, Deleon. Guards: Blanch performing our individual assign- cense and, in other instances, the Voight, Dublin; Norman Carter,

## Saturday night, the prospects of a have added materially to the local

Prospects for better business In this locale, business, even are entertained for the Southwest

were up as much as 25 or 30 per- Mountains should be as good as it in 1955 and maybe better. The true note to recovery in The farmer may not do as well as

This is the concensus of busifeel are sure to fall during the nesses, industrial, agricultural and government leaders in Misouri, ficient moisture, Ranger would Kansas. Arkansas, Louisiana, Texdefinitely find itself in a better as, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colo

There are spots where the cirstance, the farm picture in New Mexico and Arkansas was better Ranger enters the year with im- cumstances are different. For in than usual last year and farmers Holiday Period same relative prosperity this year. But overall, that is the situa-| Only few minor law infractions tion. An optimistic outlook

One is the drouth, a condition agencies report. olunteer Fire Department here which has plagued the Southwest, uring 1955 was a barbecue pit Mountain States and part of the Midwest for four or five years. Some points in northeast Texas

This is a condition that could Loss through fires during the right itself this year. Plenty of past year was estimated at \$10,- rain would not be a cureall, how-



NOT FOR STOMPING - De iron shoe treads at Chicago, Ill. vices to cagers' shoes during short practice sessions is to strengthen leg muscles for jump and rebound plays.

# **Few Infractions**

were reported by the police during the long New Year's weekend. business, manufacturing and construction, but goom about the No serious crimes, or automobile agriculture picture. This gloom accidents marred Eastiand Coun-

In fact, only four persons were charged with law violations here. Saturday night a Ranger man paid \$15.70 after a night in jail for 'drunk." Saturday night a Strawn in any time of the U. S. Weather man was arrested for "drunk in (Continued on Page 2)

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## **Priddy Takes Gorman Hoop Tourney Crown**

e in the Gorman Indian son, all 0-0-0. Totals 17-9-43. Trail tournament Saturday night

On the girls team are: For-

Leroy Swartz netted 13 \* for Beall tacked up 14 for ACHS, in and the taxes collected were lower the boys consolation finals Dale than last year's by four and one-Slaton hit 20 for Eastland and quarter millions, a change of pace Johnny Rodgers made 12 for Gor- for governmental agencies. But

In the girls finals Nelda Robertson scored 21 for Gorman and Mary Lane tallied 22 for Stephenville. In the consolation finals Bet. taxpayers to reduce their own haty Kowelr made 23 for Priddy and Janice Moore notched 13 for A better employer experience

Ginnis dunked 8 for DeLeon. In a flat 3 per cent, which would be the other semis game Swartz a fixed rate under Federal control scored 22 as Priddy downed Abilene B 51-48. John Edgar McMahon shot 16 for Abilene. hon shot 16 for Abilene.

BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP ACHS: Bell, 5-4-14; Decker, 3-1-7; Patten, 1-0-2; Pollard, 5-2-12; Smith, 1-2-4; Adams, 0-0-0.

Priddy: Seider, 2-0-4; Swartz,

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Priddy downed Abilene Chris- | Hook, 3-2-8; Franklin, 4-5-13; tian High School, 41-39 to take Carter, Jones, McElroy, Richard-

### **Employment** Commission Has **Multiple Tasks**

The Texas Employment Com-mission during the last year found 1,037,593 jobs and that was only

a part of the agency's work. Also, the Texas Employment white says:

"The standing committees for "Occasionally an incident of wards: Tinnie Thompson, Carlton:

"Also, the Texas Employment On the girls team are: For Commission points out in its and the standing committees for "Occasionally an incident of wards: Tinnie Thompson, Carlton: taxes and investigated 161,234 claims for unemployment compen-

> sation. The job placements represented Priddy in the finals as Harrison an increase over the 1954 figure can offer what the TEC may hold out under Texas unemployment compensation statutes, a chance for

> rating can accomplish such a re-ACHS downed DeLeon, 21-18 in duction, and Texas employers realthe semifinals as Bell and John lized a neat saving by such means becker each made 6 and Dale Mc. in 1955. The payroll tax starts at In the consolation semifinals saving to Texas employers because Gorman beat Desdemona 33-30 of the employer experience rating and Eastland edged Clyde 40-39, operation amounted to \$92 mil-

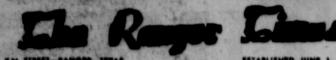
More than half of the million-oid job placements by the TEC's 77 local offices were on farms, showing that agriculture still is a leading industry. And women fil-led 39.7 per cent of the 501.161

6-1-13; Hobertz, 2-0-4; Pax, 3-2-8; Seilhammer, 6-0-12. Totals 19-3-41.

GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP
Gorman: Robertson, 8-5-21; Plair, 3-1-7; Pat Robertson, 5-3-13; Thompson, Bunting, West, Skaggs, all 0-0-0. Totals 16-9-41.

Stephenville: Laney, 10-2-22; Participated to all newspapers as well as state officials, also revealed that of 496,091 job apphrants 28,861 were physically handicapped, 21,3 per cent were cereans; more Texans look for jobs in June than any other month jobs in June than any other month and fewer in December; the state's

cotton farms need four times as



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**Around the Town** At Olden Mrs. Dick Yielding

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burns of Snyder spent Christmas night in he Walter Colburn home. The Colburns had returned from their son's home in Wichita Falls on

and Mrs. J. L. Yielding and Mr. and Mrs. Burle McGraw and son, David, spent Christmas in Goldsmith with Gerald Yielding nd family.

aturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Porter of Olney spent Christmas Day here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Langston of California spent Christmas in Olien with their relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sledge and Mr. and Mrs, Don Walker enjoyed being in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie mas, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Lowe of Sowie and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leser and children of Abilene were linner guests in the home of Mrs. Bob Lester Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding en joyed having their children — Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nabors of Moab, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford and family of Wilson, Okla. —

CHILDREN HOME FOR HOLDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mace all their children home for Christ mas. They were: Mr. and Mrs. G. FOR RENT: Three and four room apartments. Gholson Hotel. Phone 9506. ca City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mace and family of Odessa Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mace and sor of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mace of Breckenridge; Mrs. Vila Hardin of Fort Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mace and family of Ranger. Also Mr. twin brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mace, their daughter, Travelers Hotel 311 1/2 Walnut

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Mrs. Astor McKeever and daugh-

ters of Sulphur Springs.

with them for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Nabors will be at home in Mineral Wells the rest of the win-

Mrs. Myrtle Warren spent Christmas in Midland with her children.

Mrs. Ruth Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Norton spent Christmas in Abilene with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Dave Colgreen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sapulver and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts and baby of Fort Worth ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sapulver.

Connie Nabors and Jody Crawford are spending this with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding.

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Bill Edwards were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carlile, Mrs. Fisher and De Ann and Harry Pendry, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards and baby of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown, Eastland.

Guests in the Carl Butler home Christmas were their children and her brother, Mr. Hammett, of Arizona.

W. N. Fox of Eastland was admitted to Ranger General Hospital Christmas Day.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the kind deeds, ely flowers, and the food that was offered during the death of our Mother and Sister, Nancy L. on. May God's richest bles sings be on the doctors and nurses at the West Texas Clinic.

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1 square unsweetened chocolate 5 tablespoons sugar 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten

and Mrs. Leo Lewis' Linda, Joe

Mrs. Fay Hayworth of Fort

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and

Mrs. Maude Fuqua visited her

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ora Fu-

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Duke of

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Clark and

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clark of Lov-

Mrs. Morrison of Lubbock vis-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuehler

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery and

mother and father, Mr. and Mrs.

Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guthery were Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery and daughter of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Williams and children of Alice visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wil-

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ash and children visited the John Ash

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and children visited her mother and

father, Mr. and Mrs. Maborn Wil-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mace had as

their dinner guests Christmas day, Mrs. Mace's mother and sister,

Mrs. Annie Terry, Mrs. Ado V.

Cox and son, Terry, of Eastland.

family this week.

DINNER GUESTS

CHRISTMAS DAY

and baby of College Station visit-

ngton, N.M., visited relatives and

Duke, and friends.

friends in Desdemona.

Luenell had Christmas dinner with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde

Worth had Christmas with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cas-

Combine pudding mix and ¼ cup of the milk in a saucepan. Add egg yolks and blend well. Then add remaining 2¾ cups mik. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat. Pour into greased custard cups.

Melt chocolate over hot water. Add sugar and 2 tablespoons milk. Fold into egg whites. Pour onto puddings. Place custard cups in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (375°F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Then, serve warm. Makes 4 servings.

NEWS FROM DESDEMONA By Anell McMasters

to assist the Hubert Raineys we're sure they would appreciate it, af-

Blackle Weir and Don Rogers Hogg of Lingleville. took up a collection for Charles Pack, who can not work, after

being burned earlier this year. brother, J. A. Koonce, and Mrs. Koonce, Sidney. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Fort Worth visited Christmas Day qua were Mr. and Mrs. J. A Koonce and Mr. and Mrs. A. C with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Keith, and while here visited with Mr. Fuqua of DeLeon

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Walker and hildren, Roger and Scherry, of Alice and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Odessa spent the week-end here Duke of Big Spring visited their with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. | parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus

and Mrs. Hugh Abel.

Mrs. Ollie Fein is spending the reek, between Christmas and children of Electra visited her New Year's, in Fort Worth with mother, Mrs. Rouse. her son, H. O. Fein, and family.

The Floyd Moores had all their children home for Christmas. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Irwin and children of Nashville, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Moore Jr. of Fort ited her sister and brother-in-law, Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Branham and children of Sea graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Keith of ed her mother, Mrs. Dick Owens. Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery and Keren of Kermit, . and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and children of Odessa visited with Mrs. Ethel Keith during the holi- Roy Guthery.

The Leo Lewis family, consisting of eight children, were home together with their families for the first time in four years, during the Christmas holidays. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Battenfield and children, Dwayne and Dennis, of Morgan City; Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lewis, Melvin and Allen, of Ranger; Mr. and a Mrs. Wesley Lewis and Michael of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Shoemaker, Phyllis and Ricky, of DeLeon; Mr. and Mrs. Joy Dean Handson, Carl Dean and Judy, of Comanche; all were guests of Mr.

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(Continued from Page One) car" and fined \$25 upon his release Sunday morning. Sunday morning Louisiana and California men paid \$10 each for

Following a Christmas highway slaughter, the State Highway Patrol put all available patrolmen and other similar employees on duty throughout the state. Like the highway patrol, city officers were busy on the highway throughout town, maintaining an orderly flow

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(Continued from Page Oce) many "hands" as all other (arming activities combined; and the TIC. as agent of the Federal as agent of the Federal govern-ment, paid out nearly \$4,500,000 to unemployed veterans.

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A. D. Anderson to Homer Head, oil and gas lease. A. D. Anderson to Homer Head, oil and gas lease. A. D. Anderson to Homer S. Head, oil and gas lease.

L. F. Allen to Frances G. Allen, warranty deed.

A&W Tank Company to E. W.

& Griffin, statement of lien. Mrs. Bessie Bennett to Edward L. Finch, oil and gas lease.
G. W. Burt to Eastland National

Bank, transfer of vendor's lien. G. W. Burt to George L. O'Neill,

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| warranty deed. Jimmy R. Bell to Vernon L Petit, assignment of oil and gas

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Charles E. Bauer to H. J. Johnson, release of oil and gas lease. A. F. Burkhalter to F. W. Roberds, extension of vendor's lien. Cisco Locker Plant v. T. C.

Weaver, abstract of judgment. Dale W. Chick to The Public, affidavit of assumed name.

Mrs. John H. Cooper to J. J. Bell, oil and gas lease.

Dewey Cox, Jr. to L. L. Demp-County of Eastland to Nimrod Progressive Club, deed. City of Ranger to State of Tex-

City of Ranger to C. Brown to John T. Brown, Texas, right of way. City National Bank, Colorado

W. A. Walker, release of J. H. Childers to J. R. Hill, arranty deed. J. A. Cross to George Burgess,

O. M. Evans to J. B. Goble, asnment of oil and gas lease. Dorothy R. Fox to W. D. I. rris, oil and gas lease.

F. M. Files to E. F. McCormack, clease of deed of trust. J. B. Goble to D. D. Swartz, asgnment of oil and gas lease. C. W. Gill to Leo W. Wells, rease of vendor's lien. Susan Grim to Standard Oil

ompany of Texas, oil and gas C. Hailey to First National ank, Cisco, deed of trust. Mrs. M. S. Holliday to G. W. Burt, release of vendor's lien. C. H. Havelka to Walter Pye.

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MOTOR MAIDE



#### "The Good Old Days" Did Not Apply to Driving

By Betty Skelton, Dodge Test Driver

The other day I ran onto a human interest story that is worthy of passing on to you. It involves an experience unknown to modern motorists, especially women.

A friend of mine was marvelling at the power steering, push-

button controls, and all the other features that make today's cars so much a joy to drive.

from Detroit to El Paso. The car

dians assaulted the "wagon

Miss Skelton were no beau-tiful, through highways then, just a thousand miles of thick, arm; to the left, the other went just a thousand miles of thick, arm; to the left, the other went clinging mud that balled up on down. When Joe came to a left Every half mile or so Joe had to off, and reverse them. Encounter-get out and dig the mud loose with a piece of broken spring. it all over again. Either that or just stay there. Disaster Strikes

The engine overheated, the radiator boiled dry frequently. Water had to be carried from numerous rain-lakes to the music of thousands of ducks resting on their annual southern trek.

Disaster struck in the Panhandle. Southward as far as Joe could see stretched two deep ruts, so deep that other cars and wagons had made a parallel road something of a lark, but now I on the highway shoulder. It shudder every time I look back looked formidable, but there was on it." no turning back.

high center between the ruts. It when confronted with such a simhad to be taken off, heated in a ple thing as a flat tire!

elen Jackson, deed of trust.

Bank, Cisco, deed of trust. Luther H. McCrea, Jr. to Hom-

Ray A. Norris to Robert Ross,

W. D. I. Norris to Morris Met-

anch Company, oil and gas lease. Robert Ross to Edward L.

inch, assignment of oil and ga

arranty deed. Hugh Smith to Cecil W. Mea

ows, warranty deed. Sheriff to Hall Walker, Sher-

il and gas lease.

George L. O'Neill to Burt, deed of trust, Earl L. Porter to McElroy

She recalled that in 1925 her fire shielded from the rain by a brother, Joe, had started to drive blanket, and straightened. It struck again a day later, and was one no longer made and was this time the car would steer only totally unsuited for an overland straight ahead or turn to the trip. All went well for the first right. When the road turned left,

few days, but from Missouri on, Joe hit the curve at full speed—
the experience 25 mph—depending on the ruts every bit to swing the car around the turn. as harrowing It didn't work long. Eventually as some of those the wheels jumped out, and Joe the '49ers. spent the rest of the night in the No hostile In-

Tinkering around in daylight, he found the trouble, a broken was plenty of casting on the steering column. mud. There Turning the steering wheel to the the axles and stopped the car. turn, he had to take the castings

This went on for an incredible distance, with no house or city along the way; nor even a pass ing motorist! At a northwest Texas town Joe found a casting in a junk yard and with drier

Good time? Joe himself told me about it. "Took me 33 days," he said.
"Now you can make it in three or four. To a youngster, it was something of a lark, but now I

Today-with all the power Suddenly the steering arm, steering, power brakes, and pow suspended slightly below the erful, smooth-running enginessteering, power brakes, and powfront axle, struck a rock in the the average motorist shudders

Mrs. J. W. Harmon to First | man, warranty deed." Mary Ione Surles to K. E. deral S & L Assn., deed of Pierce, release of vendor's lien. Rudolph Schaefer to Burton Royal W. Hampton to Guy Lingo Company, MML. oper, warranty deed.

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Barbara L. Lemming to Mrs. Katie Thurman to John L. Eppler, oil and gas lease. Crofford Thurnmn to John L. Mrs. Lucy Maxwell to First Naonal Bank, Cisco, . transfer of

Eppler, oil and gas lease.
Texas State Life Insurance W. E. Morris to First National Company to Great Plains Life Insurance Company, excerpt from merger agreement. S. Head, oil and gas lease. W. H. Newcomb to Jasper A.

United States v. Vern W. Bailey, notice of tax lien. Mrs. Lucille Wyatt to Jasper A. Phelps, quit claim deed.

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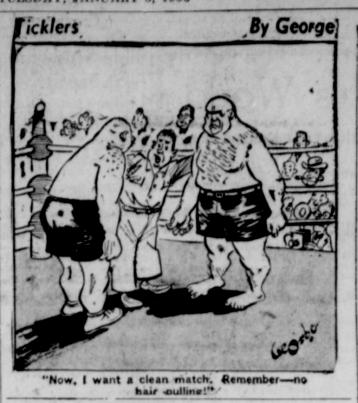
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#### 1920 Club To Meet January 5

The 1920 Club will meet Janthe 1920 Club will meet Jan-uary 5, in the Community Club house. Mrs. R. L. Hamrick will give a talk on "Cleopatria in His-tory and in Literature". Mrs. H. L. Coody will give a talk on "Egyptian Art."

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### VISIT IN WICHITA FALLS Those unable to attend were: Mr. and Mrs. Gene Falls, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Fisher, and Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ogden spent Mrs. B. G. Pirkle. New Years day in Wichita Falls visiting their daughter and hus-

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#### Bible Study In First Baptist

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Wednesday night will find Choir rehearsal at 6:30 p.m. and the Bible class at 7 p.m. At 7:45 there will be a period given to the Sun-day School officers and teachers. Visitors are welcome to attend this week of Bible study. The 5, The guests ere later entertain-6, and 7th chapters of the Gospel, according to Matthew, is the po tion being studied. The nursery will be

#### **Brotherhood** To Meet Tonight

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will meet tonight at 7 p.m. in the lower auditorium by Oracle Tillie Hicks. Routine where supper will be served to the business was transacted. A report members and the invited guests. was heard from members that vis Each paster of the city and two ited the sick. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to everyone who gave so much in expressions of sympathy and kinddnesses during the illness is to become an annual affair, acand death of our loved one. May cording to president A. W. War-

with the assistance of Lieutenants meet at the Royal Neighbors Hal Andy Anderson and Jack Williams mee at the Royal Neighbors Hal will have plenty of food for every by 6:00 p.m. one. Program vice president Lewis The following were present McCaleb has the program well in Mmes. Opal Kelley, Delka Rush

ies for discussion for the evening, sie Tankersley, Viola Law, Tillie J. B. Houghton, Sr., Activities Hicks and Eleanor Horto Vice-President is giving general direction to this evening's program.

#### Dutch Club To Meet Wednesday

the home of Mrs. Albert Huffman, 621 South Oak St., Wednesday January 4, at 8 a.m.

#### HOSPITAL NEWS



Mrs. Ida Burnett of Ranger is ew patient in the West Texas

Harry Henry of Ranger, is new surgical patient in the Ranger General Hospital.

#### Royal Neighbors Meet Monday

The Royal Neighbors of Amer ica No. 9059 met in regular meet ing December 2, at the Royal Neighbors Hall.

The meeting was presided over

The new J. W. Warren, social chairman, night by deputy Cora Hooper

ing, Laura Todi, Leona Arter The theme, "A Greater Ranger burn, Maudie Ellis, Izetta Smith Spiritually" will furnish the top-

#### Notice, WSCS To Meet Jan. 9

The WSCS of the First Metho list Church will meet in circles anuary 9 at 3:30 p.m. Circle No. 1, Mrs. F. S. Pears

all, leader, will meet with Mrs. Lee Dockery. Circle No. 2, Mrs. A. J. Ratliff eader, will meet with Mrs. W. J.

VanBibber. Circle No. 3 will meet with Mrs. Beverly Dudley, Jr.
All members are asked to be present as this is the first meeting of the year.

#### Martha Dorcas Class To Meet

The Martha Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church will meet Thursday noon at the church. All member are asked to be present.

#### RETURN TO FLORIDA

Lt. J. G. Jack B. Waddington has returned to NAAS Whiting Field, Florida, to resume his duties as a student Naval Aviator after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S Waddington, Sr., of Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. Waddington accompanied Lt. Waddington to Dallas where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Short and sons.

#### VISIT IN BRECKENRIDGE Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ewing and

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ewing and children spent New Years in Breckenridge visiting relatives.

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