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### ABOUT Eastland

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

It takes a little time to change one's thinking from citrus to peanuts, but we think maybe we are coming around. We are always disappointed when we move to a place noted for a certain product or crop when we can't buy it dirt cheap. For instance when we moved to the Rio Grande Valley we expected to find oranges and grapefruit at give-away prices.

They weren't. In fact if you buy them at the grocery store they cost just as much as ever. What this all leads up to, of course, is peanuts. Why? We ask ourselves, do peanuts still cost a penny in the automatic machines? Of course we can't think of a coin of lesser valuation off hand—unless it might be the Mexican peso and that won't fit the slot—but we still feel there should be some way to get the peanut to Eastland county folk a little cheaper.

This seems little to worry about, but being a fond lover of the peanut, we get worried at nights thinking about the unfairness of the thing. Perhaps more peanuts could be made to come forth from the shiny machines. This would be one answer but it would cost a lot of money since the city would have to hire a peanut machine inspector.

Oh well, think we'll forget the whole thing. You have to carry pennies to get cold drinks with anyhow.

Seems as though our grid rival to the east may get a shot at the state Class A football crown. Speaking of Ranger, of course. The boys we entertained last week. In this week's Williamson rating the Bulldogs were rated sixth in the state. Luling got the honor of first listing while Wink was second, Deer Park third, Lyford fourth and Crowell fifth. Eastland was ranked the 45th best team in the state, which isn't too bad considering the Mavs had an off week last Friday.

Waco is rated the best 4-A school. Temple gets the nod in AAA and Childress heads the AA list.

Have you noticed the crickets? Brother we have. When we opened our postal box this morning three of them greeted us. Merchants are having a hard time keeping them out of their stores and the downtown streets are literally covered with them. It's just that season, we guess.

After getting out our first Telegram we feel a lot better. It is always hard to get out number one. We were a little behind to start with on that one. Just a reminder. If you have some news, pass it our way.

Noticed a wire dispatch that said Swedes live longer in Minnesota than they do in Sweden. That's what Dr. Austin Smith of Chicago, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association claims. I'd really like to see that 100 mark they should move to Texas. We recommend Eastland. Of course we aren't 100, but we're on our way.

Police Chief Ray Laney and his whole department are really proud of their new police car. Chief Laney credits the car partly with the perfect-no crime weekend we enjoyed this past Saturday and Sunday. Of course Eastland's good lighting, particularly in the downtown area, goes a long way toward curbing crime. Dallas found out the hard way the value of good lighting. There's a bridge there that's now "lit up" like a Christmas tree, with blue lights all around. Not long ago it was a dark spot in Big D. One murder solved the problem.

Was around to see City Manager A. E. Thomas today. He and other city officials, as well as the police and fire departments, are really fortunate in having such a spacious and attractive city hall. Believe us, you would have to look a long way in this state to find another city of this size with a city hall to equal ours. There are some, but not very many.

Stanley Webb, tax-assessor collector, sees all kind of money in his job. We were up to see Stanley this week and he had a pile of nickles and dimes in front of him.

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HOUSE HOT?  
For Chrysler Airtemp Coolers...  
McGraw Motor Company  
Eastland, Texas

# Eastland Takes On Abilene Eleven

## Rangers Meet Rams



F. M. SPURLEN

### Last Rites Held For C. F. Stoker

Funeral services for Charles Frank Stoker were held at 4 p.m. Monday, Oct. 5, in the Midway Baptist Church, with the Rev. Floyd Porter, cousin of the deceased, officiating. He was assisted by F. C. Bradley and the Rev. Buerli Brian, pastor. Mrs. Dwayne Clement, also a cousin, served as pianist.

Mr. Stoker died Saturday, Oct. 3, in the Sequin hospital, one day after having left the Veteran's hospital in Temple, where he had been for several weeks. Mr. Stoker was a veteran of both World War I and World War II, having served with the U. S. Navy.

He was born May 24, 1893, on the old Porter homestead, near Gorman. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery near Gorman.

Goetz Funeral Home of Sequin brought the body overland to Gorman, where they were assisted by Higginbotham's.

Pallbearers were cousins of the deceased and were: John, Sam, Stanley, Clyde, Ardis and Hilton Porter.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Bentley of Eastland, and Miss Lucy Stoker of Sequin, who was formerly employed in Eastland with Western Union, also three nieces and numerous other relatives.

Ceylon became a crown colony of the British empire in 1802. It acquired full Dominion status within the British Commonwealth in 1948.

## MORE THAN 200 ATTEND 2ND ANNUAL 'TURKEY BARBECUE'

Eastland City Park was the scene of the second annual turkey barbecue sponsored by the Central Texas Turkey Growers Association Tuesday night. More than 200 attended the meeting.

George McCarthy, a director of the Texas Turkey Federation and vice president in charge of research at Universal Mills, Fort Worth, was the principal speaker. McCarthy urged all turkey raisers to take an active part in the national and state turkey federations. At the present time the organizations are sponsoring an "Eat More Turkey" campaign.

The federation also sponsors research on breeding, feeding, marketing and disease control, McCarthy said.

He explained Texas was the largest producer of commercial turkey eggs in the United States with an estimated 3,000,000 eggs a year going to other states. McCarthy added that Texas turkey raisers market above 3,500-900 turkeys annually.

The Central Texas Turkey Growers Association each year sponsors the barbecue to help turkey growers and buyers get better acquainted and to exchange information on the raising and marketing of turkeys.

Officials of the organization are Dr. Ben H. Bradley of Rising Star, president; Ben Wilson of Clyde, vice president; and Mrs. I. H. Tidwell of Desdemona, secretary-treasurer.

### Spurlen Is Elected Soil District Head

F. M. Spurlen, Rt. 2, Eastland, was elected district supervisor of sub-division five of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District in the election held Oct. 6 at 2 p.m. in the Eastland County court-room. Spurlen replaces L. R. Higginbotham of Kokomo whose term of office expired on the date of the election.

Spurlen lives four miles east of Eastland on Farm to Market Road 570. Spurlen is a firm believer in conservation and has practiced conservation for many years. He planted hairy vetch and Austrian Winter peas in the late thirties for soil building and grazing benefits. Spurlen bought his present farm in 1922 and terraced his cropland the next year. He has noted marked increases in yields due to the use of conservation practices. He has pushed much of the brush on his pasture land and through the use of goats and good grazing management has improved his stand of better grasses. Several farm ponds provide a good distribution of livestock water on his range land.

Spurlen believes that conservation is the people's business and that every individual can lend his influence and assistance in getting proper land use and treatment in effect. Neighbors working together in controlling erosion help each other as well as realizing a personal benefit and profit says Mr. Spurlen.

The local soil conservation district is a true example of local self government. The people of a soil conservation district join together voluntarily and legally to solve their own problems in their own way.

### Scout Troop Six Meeting Set Tuesday

Members of Boy Scout troop Six will meet Tuesday night in Eastland, Assistant Scout Master Gene V. Rhodes said today.

Rhodes said through a misunderstanding the meeting last Tuesday was not held. It will definitely be held this Tuesday, however, he said.

A new scout master will be chosen soon by the Rotary Club's scout committee, Rhodes stated. He urged all scouts to attend the meeting Tuesday night at the Boy Scout hut.

The Pioneer Conference title race opens this Saturday with the undefeated and untied San Angelo Rams, meeting the Ranger Junior College Rangers in a league set to at San Angelo.

The Rams, with three consecutive victories over strong junior college clubs and always hard to beat at home, are favored. But the Rangers, after a slow start in early games, sounded a warning to league rivals last week by tying the tough Navarro JC Bulldogs 20-20. Last year Ranger beat SAJC 12-7.

Ranger's hopes probably will depend on the running of Tom Hudson, league-leading carrier, and the passing of Tommy Woods, who has completed 12 of 21 pitches for 153 yards this season.

San Angelo's overhead game will be sparked by Jerry Sessions, a fine passer, and the running department will feature Jerry Hopkins and Gene Henderson, both outstanding performers.

Coach Dick Henderson and assistant Sam Aills kept the Rangers at rough contact work the first three days of this week. The Rangers probably will ease up today, however, since they have a long trip ahead of them.

The Rangers are still plagued by injuries. Sonny Blanton, halfback, is still favoring an injured ankle. Ross Nail has a shoulder injury and Center Otis Clayborn still has ankle trouble.

Other conference teams will continue their schedules with non-opponents in games set for Thursday. Tarleton State's Plovers, beaten by the A&M Frosh last week, will try their luck with the TCU Wogs at Mineral Wells, and the ASC Rebels, 7-0 victors over Texas Lutheran last Saturday, will entertain the Navarro JC Bulldogs at Arlington.

Tarleton State with the best punter in Texas Junior College circles in Herman Tidwell and an effective passing attack should give the Wogs a thorough test.

At Arlington, the Rebels will be out to avenge a 19-25 defeat at the hands of Navarro last fall. It was their only loss of the 1952 season. The game should be a fine one, as the visitors hold a victory over Kilgore. The Rebs now appear to be rounding into top form with a well balanced passing and running attack.

The Schreiner Mountaineers, who were nudged 0-7 by powerful Del Mar of Corpus Christi last Saturday, have no game scheduled this week.

- Probable starting line-up:  
Left End—John Wilson, 180, Quannah.  
Left Tackle—George Scott, 215, Crowell.  
Left Guard—Joe Angel, 190, Fort Worth.  
Center—Jim Bob Roberts, 180, Woodson.  
Right Guard—Allen Gibbs, 185, Newsale.  
Right Tackle—Dalton Bleeker, 207, Breckenridge.  
Right End—Ray Gilstrap, 185, Big Spring.  
Quarterback—Tommy Wood, 180, Amarillo.  
Left Half—Fred Sanders, 165, Fort Worth.  
Right Half—Raymond Hallenck, 140, Crowell.  
Fullback—Thomas Hudson, 205, Throckmorton.

#### FATHER GOOSE

NEW HAVEN Conn.—Lewis Casey has established a flourishing business making goose quills pens. The pens are sold mostly to lovers of a historical spot.



Diankeship



Miss Simmons

### New Instructors Ex-T.C.U., Panama College Profs At Ranger J. C. Now

A former math instructor at Texas Christian University will head the mathematics and science departments at Ranger Junior College this year. He is Brady L. Blankenship.

Mr. Blankenship, who claims San Saba as his home town, is a graduate of the University of Texas, holding a Bachelor of Arts and a Master of Arts degree. He is now working toward his Doctor of Philosophy degree and hopes to complete that work in another two years.

Mr. Blankenship has been active in the mathematical association of America. He has had experience with slide rule and engineering clubs.

He has 11 years experience teaching and served in the production departments of two Fort Worth aircraft firms.

Mr. Blankenship is married and has a 13-year-old son. He is a member of the Methodist Church.

Ranger Junior College's new Business Administration Department head is Miss Vivian Simmons, who for the last four years has been instructor at the Canal Zone Junior College in the Panama Canal Zone.

A native of San Antonio, Miss Simmons began her teaching career at Thrall, Tex. She holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Southwestern University in Georgetown and has done graduate work at the University of Texas.

While in the Canal Zone Miss Simmons taught business education courses in the Balboa High School as well as the Canal Junior College.

Miss Simmons has been active in church work. The schools in Panama commended her for her singing. She directed young people groups both in the high school and college in outside activities.

## RANGER, EASTLAND JUNIORS BATTLE TONIGHT IN RANGER

Round two of the Ranger-Eastland gridiron battle will be unrelented tonight when the Eastland Junior High School Dogies take on the Ranger Junior High Pups at Bulldog Stadium in Ranger. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

### Ranger J. C. Homecoming Set November 7

Ranger Junior College will hold its annual homecoming for alumni Nov. 7, it was announced today. The feature event of the day will be the homecoming game with Arlington State College.

Mrs. Charley Hamilton, alumni spokesman, said big things were planned this year at the college. Following the grid game there will be a turkey barbecue and party at the Ranger Country Club at which all exes will be guests of honor.

Exes living in Ranger are asked to contact Mrs. Hamilton if they wish to help by bringing a covered dish to the barbecue.

Thunder is heard in New Mexico 50 to 70 days out of each year according to the "acoustic" maps published by the U. S. Weather Bureau.

### MAVERICKS SEEK COMEBACK AFTER RANGER LOSS; WYLIE COULD PROVE TOUGH TEST

Smarting from a stunning 27-0 setback at the hands of their arch rivals, the Ranger Bulldogs, the Eastland Mavericks will try to get back on the winning trail Friday night when they journey to Abilene to take on Wylie High School.

Coach Ed Hooker and assistant Carroll Shelton are whipping the Mavs into shape for the opening kick-off at eight p. m.

The game will be a district clash, and is important in that the Mavs must prove that their one-sided loss to Ranger last week was not a true showing of the team. Bad breaks played a big part in the Ranger tunnel.

Eastland now has a season record of one win, one tie and two losses. Until the game Friday night the Mavs had not been soundly outplayed as they held strong Coleman to a 14-7 win and tied De Leon 7-7. EHS holds a 7-0 victory over well-regarded Cisco.

The Mavs are in bad shape for the contest with many of their starters sidelined with injuries. Coach Hooker expects "little, if any" action from his two regular backs, J. D. Hanson and Jamie Jessop. Hanson injured an ankle in practice Monday and hasn't suited out since. Jessop is nursing a badly bruised side and has also been out of practice. He was injured in the Ranger game.

Hooker will shuffle his lineup to put Vern Meroney in for Hanson, if the big fullback isn't ready to go by Friday night, while Jimmy Morton, a freshman, will try to fill the shoes of right half Jamie Jessop.

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It won't come as much as a surprise if the Eastland eleven comes into its own this Friday, however. Potentially they are a great ball club.

Here is the probable Mav starting line-up:

EASTLAND — Clyde Moore, Quarterback; Stanley Webb, center; Bobby Cooper, right tackle; Doug Williamson, left tackle; Bobby Pittman, right half; Jimmy Morton, left half; Neil Van Geem, 153, tackles; Charles Collins, 156, right guard; Stanley Harris, 175, left guard; Charles Collins, 156, right guard; Bobby Cooper, 165, right tackle; Doug Williamson, 153, left half; Bobby Pittman, 135, quarterback; Fred Williams, 125, right half; Jimmy Morton, 145, right half; and Vern Moroney, 165, fullback.

Reserves — George Harris, 160, end; Neil Van Geem, 153, tackles; Paul Herrera, 152, guard; John McAllister, 155, Clyde Evatt, 155, and Neal Tankersley, 145, ends; Terry Warren, 142, center; and Fred Williams, 125 and Charles Cook, 151, backs.

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**Weather FREYSSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY**  
No. Side Square Phone 175  
Presents the Weather Report

### Fair And Mild Weather Is Predicted

A prediction of fair weather with mild temperatures is forecast for today and Friday in the Eastland County area.

Temperatures are due to range in the high 70s and low 80s with lows in the 40s.

The reading dropped to a low of 45 in Eastland and Ranger Wednesday night.

### New Dodge Is Unveiled Here Today

Unveiling of a new super deluxe series known as the Royal V-8 will be the highlight of the 1954 Dodge passenger car line when it is introduced in dealers' showrooms across the nation on Thursday.

As Dodge launches its 40th year with the most luxurious car ever to bear the Dodge name, it also will introduce completely new interior styling; more than a dozen body refinements and several major engineering advancements in its entire line consisting of 20 different models.

L. E. McGraw, owner of McGraw Motor Co. in Eastland, said the 20 different models are in three series—the new Royal V-8, the Coronet V-8 and Six and the Meadowbrook V-8 and Six.

There will be a giant pep rally for the Bulldogs tonight at 7 in front of the Gholson Hotel.

### Water Tax Can Be Paid At C-C Office Now

Wandering where to pay your water tax?

The Eastland and Ranger Chamber of Commerce offices issued statements Thursday reminding tax payers that until permanent offices are available for the Eastland County Water Supply District, taxes will be collected at the two offices.



MASTODON HEAD—This picture shows the size of the Mastodon head recently uncovered near Gorman by three brothers, James, R. L. and Len Hart. Beside it is the skeleton of a cow. Pictured are Jack Carter and his great grandson, Leslie Hart. The head and one five-foot tusk have been uncovered.

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## Pythian Sisters Very Active Here; Continue Planning Future Events

Members of the Pythian Sisters opened their meeting Monday evening with a prayer given by Mrs. J. C. Poe. Mrs. Carol Noble, most excellent chief, then opened the meeting, held in Castle Hall in regular form.

During the business session she named the following committees to prepare for the past chief's banquet, which will be the evening of October 26, in the Christian Church annex. Mmes. Otto Crabb and Carol Noble, menu; Mmes. Wayne Brock and E. K. Henderson, tickets; Mmes. J. C. Poe, Bill Darr, and Noble, decorations; Mmes. Otto Crabb, Tim Spurrer, and C. C. Street, program.

A school of instruction and a tea in the afternoon will precede the banquet. Mrs. Margaret Wolford, Grand Chief of Brownwood will conduct the school, will also be at the banquet and at the evening meeting in Castle Hall at which time initiation in full regalia will be held.

Mrs. Noble named the committees for the next quarter, including: Mmes. Guy Robinson, Leon Fourland, and Tom Lovelace Sr., visiting; Mmes. Had Freeman, Curtis Koen and Hood King, refreshment; Mmes. M. S. Dry, M. G. Cartwright, Eddie Grisham, ways and means; Mmes. C. C. Street, Porter Wood, and Frankie Flowers, flower committee; Mmes.

Otto Crabb, Tim Spurrer, and Bill Darr, entertainment committee.

Mms. Bill Coppock, Don Daniels and Ray Laney, telephone.

Mrs. Noble announced that Friendship Night was set for October 19, at 7:30 p.m., at which time all Pythian Sisters from towns in this area will be guests. The lodge will open in short form at that night, she said, so that a special program based on Friendship can be given.

Mrs. Poe reported on the covered dish supper held October 1 in Castle Hall. A large crowd attended, she said. The meal was served buffet style and everybody was seated at one long table, laid in white linen and decorated with Zennias and Queen's Wreath. Mrs. Frank Williamson, chairman, welcomed the guests, and presented Tim Spurrer, who gave the invocation.

Games of 42 followed the meal. Present Monday evening were Mmes. Noble, Poe, A. M. Hearn, Wayne Brock, Lovelace, Cartwright, Flowers, Freeman, Coppock, J. F. Brock, Mary Bargsley, Lee Campbell, Roland Koch, Henderson, Street, Spurrer, Darr, Luther Lewis, Don Daniels and Miss Winona Davis.

Mrs. Jayleen Hicks and children of Odessa have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Garrett of near Eastland. Mrs. Hicks visited an old school chum, Mrs. Jane Davidson, here at the home of Mrs. Davidson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Munn, last week.

**Brown Sanatorium**  
Office hours 8 to 5 p.m.  
Dr. N. A. Brown, D.C.  
In Charge  
800 W. 6th St. Cisco

**BUY SEVEN-UP**

**BY THE CARTON**

## Beta Sigma Phi Presented Lovely Array of Fall Clothing In Annual Stylorama At Majestic Theatre

The annual Stylorama, sponsored by the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, was staged at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Majestic Theatre before a full house. The stage was beautifully decorated for the occasion, with tall white columns, dressed as fancy bottles and labeled D. L. Houle Shop, The Men's Shop and Altman's Style Shop, all of whom in cooperation with the Sorority, presented the latest in new fall clothing for women and men. Tall baskets of colorful flowers stood before the backdrop curtain, which had been decorated with glittering fall leaves, enhanced by the stage lighting.

Mrs. Marene Johnson, Beta Sigma Phi sponsor, welcomed the guests, presented Carl Pierce, manager of the theatre, who is recently of Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Marjory Hooker, who served as commentator for the beautiful array of coats, casuals, sports suits, dressy after 5 dresses, and formal's, for both men and women.

## Federation Guest Day Honors Mrs. Boren, District President; Opens Thursday Afternoon Club

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, vice-president and program chairman of the Thursday Afternoon Club, presided Thursday afternoon at the Federation Guest Day program at the Woman's Club. She welcomed guests and introduced Mrs. J. F. Boren, president of the Sixth District, Texas Federation Women's Clubs of Abilene, afternoon speaker.

Mrs. Boren talked on Federation, gave its history and told of its accomplishments, in a challenge to club women for future achievements.

Mrs. Perkins outlined the year's study, "Our American Heritage" and dedicated the program to Mrs. Frank Castleberry, president, who is ill at this time in Medical Arts Hospital in Dallas. She also acknowledged flowers Mrs. Castleberry sent to the meeting.

Miss George Ann Bennett played two piano numbers, "Andante" and Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata.

Mrs. B. W. Patterson led the chorus as they sang two songs, accompanied by Mrs. Perkins.

Mrs. W. P. Leslie greeted guests at the door. Mrs. Earl Conrad presided at the register, assisted by Mrs. Hubert Jones.

Mrs. James Horton presided at the refreshment table which was covered with a Maderia linen cloth and decorated with an arrangement of fall garden flowers.

Hostesses were members of the year book committee and members of the executive board including Mmes. Perkins, Leslie, Harold Durham, Cecil Collins, Milburn S. Long, Horton, C. W. Hoffmann, M. A. Treadwell, Frank Lovett, and committee chairman, Mmes. W. F. Davenport, I. C. Inzer, Clyde Young, Patterson, Conner, Dixie Williamson, Frank Crowell and D. L. Houle.

About thirty-five guests attended.

### Social Calendar

**THURSDAY—Oct. 8**  
Alpha Delphin Club, opening meeting, 7 p.m., Woman's Club.

**SUNDAY—Oct. 11**  
Church-Wide Revival, First Baptist Church, 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., through Oct. 18.

Golden wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair. All Cisco Baptist Association invited.

**MONDAY—Oct. 12**  
Rotary Club 12 noon, Connellee Hotel Roof.

County Council of Christian Women's Fellowship, 2:30 p.m., Ranger.

Christian Women's Fellowship's Circle Day.

Pythian Sisters, 7:30 p.m., Castle Hall.

Business Women's Guild, 7:30 p.m., First Christian Church.

Exemplar chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 7:30 p.m. F. W. Graham home, 408 Scott.

**TUESDAY—Oct. 13**  
Lions Club 12 Noon, First Methodist Church.

Howard Home Demonstration Club, 2:30 p.m.

Baptist Associational Stewardship meeting, First Baptist Church.

**WEDNESDAY—Oct. 14**  
Civic League and Garden Club luncheon and opening meeting, 12 noon, Connellee Hotel roof.

Home Demonstration Club's Council, 2 p.m., County Court room, third floor, court house.

Ladies Bible Class, 9:30 a.m., Fellowship rooms, Church of Christ.

**THURSDAY—Oct. 15**  
OES Past Matron's, 7:30 p.m. R. L. Carpenter home.

## NEWS FROM OLDEN

(By Mrs. Dick Yielding)

About 15 people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock Tuesday evening of last week for a birthday dinner honoring Mr. Brock. Those present were Mmes. Archie Campbell, R. S. Webb, Dick Yielding, Bob Adams, Paul Coltharp, and Mrs. Will Rice, Arzel Brock, Wanda Yielding and Mrs. Brock, the hostess.

Miss June Thomas underwent surgery in the Ranger General hospital Tuesday of last week and is rapidly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bishop of Odessa and Mrs. Rosa Bishop of Eastland visited in the home of Mrs. Nettie Fox last week.

The P-TA luncheon was enjoyed by a good crowd last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Hilliard. The meeting held shortly afterwards was for the purpose of electing new officers for the coming term. Mrs. Z. W. Cook was elected president; Mrs. Dee Cooper, vice president; Mrs. Homer Lawrence secretary; and Mrs. Truman Horn, treasurer.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Jessie Kelley were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kelley of California, and Mrs. Hair of Olton, Tex.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock Saturday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook of Woodson.

Mrs. Tommy Fox has been a medical patient in the Ranger General hospital, but was discharged Monday morning. Mrs. Fox sustained severe bruises last Friday morning when she fell down a flight of steps at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Whatley of Burkburnett were weekend visitors in the Bob Sellers home. Mrs. Whatley also visited her mother, Mrs. Ruth Chancellor there.

Mr. Ted Wilson, a student of Abilene Christian College, was a dinner guest in the Dick Yielding home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lockhart of El Paso visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lockhart, here over the week-end.

Mrs. R. S. Webb of Enid, Okla., spent last week here with her sister, Mrs. Archie Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Rea Elders and son of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Tommy Thompson and Mike of Rehobell, are visiting in the D. O. Moffett home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Petty of Fort Worth spent Thursday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kelley.

Word Home Demonstration Club, 2:30 p. m., Willie Word home.

Victory Dinner, First Methodist Church.

OES Past Matrons 7:30 p. m. R. L. Carpenter home.

Word Home Demonstration Club 2:30 a.m. home of Miss Willie Word.

Victory Dinner, First Methodist Church.

**FRIDAY—Oct. 16**  
Union Center Home Demonstration Club, 2:30 p.m. Union Center club house.

**SATURDAY—Oct. 17**  
Rural Youth Day at State Fair, Dallas for all 4-H Club boys and girls.

**MONDAY—Oct. 19**  
Baptist State Convention, San Antonio 19 - 22.

Lake Cisco Home Demonstration Club 2:30 p.m.

Las Leales Club 7:30 p.m. Woman's Club.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. C. C. Martin were Mrs. Rosia Marie Delezene and daughter of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Grisen of Eastland, and Joan McFarland of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Patterson and Linda of Baird are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore were in Fort Worth on Friday of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Moore's uncle, Mr. Harvey Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson was the oldest son of Mrs. Bell Ferguson.

Judy Brown has been a medical patient in the Eastland hospital.

Little Glen Ray Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ferguson of Cisco, celebrated his sixth birthday last Thursday evening with a party in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sharp of Olden. These present were Doris and Vickie Sharp, Butch and Virginia Britt and Johnny Amelia, all of Ranger; Shirley Edwards and Estell Griffet of Cisco and David McGraw of Olden. The grandmothers and mother were hostesses.

Mrs. Mary Kelley enjoyed the company of her two sisters, Mrs. D. W. Raines and Mrs. Shortie Huff, both of Cisco, in her home Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Edwards spent the week-end in Electra in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pit Crawford. Mr. Crawford underwent surgery early Monday morning in the Wichita Falls General hospital.

Mrs. Archie Tassler of Vernon spent several days in Olden last week visiting friends.

Mr. C. J. Renfro is a patient in the West Texas Clinic at this writing.

Grandma Hamilton has been very ill for the past two weeks. Miss Sue Hamilton of Dallas is at her mothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Langlitz and Mrs. Jess Dick visited Mr. Langlitz's folks in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Rouch and Freddy spent the week-end in Holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rouch.

Mrs. Kathleen Jackson of Dal-

las visited in the home of Mrs. Willie Bockman Sunday. She is the sister of Dr. Calvin Harris of Ranger.

Mrs. Nettie Fox and Mrs. Dick Yielding visited Mrs. J. A. Bates in Ranger Monday morning.

Several ladies from Olden attended the "Pink and Blue" show-er in Eastland Monday evening

honoring Mrs. Marcel Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Yielding and daughters visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yielding, Saturday and Sunday.

Tommy Matlock is now stationed at the Carswell Air Force base in Fort Worth and is awaiting his discharge. He spent the week-end here with his mother and sister.

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# Church... Society ... Clubs

## Shower Honoring Mrs. B. F. Hanna Follows CWF Monthly Luncheon

Mrs. Otto Marshall gave a talk entitled "A Hop, Skip and a Jump" based on the current mission study, "Spanish Speaking Americans" Monday following the regular monthly covered dish luncheon of the Christian Women's Fellowship, in the church annex.

Mrs. L. E. Huckabay gave the devotional and Mrs. O. R. Scott told of personal experiences while living among the Spanish speaking Americans. Mrs. Winnie Wynne, president, presided over a short business session.

The meal was served on one long table laid with white linen and decorated with garden flowers. Rev. Otto Marshall, pastor, gave the invocation.

Following the luncheon and program, Meses. Curtis Young, Jerry McCullough, Joe Tow and E. K. Henderson honored Mrs. Bernard Hanna with a pink and blue shower.

Many lovely and useful gifts were received and displayed.

Present were Meses. Homer Williams, Lon Horn, L. C. McNatt, T. A. Bendy, Dixie Williamson, Henry Ferrell, N. T. Johnson, R. L. Todd, C. M. Kelley, T. L. Cooper, E. M. Gattis, Scott, R. L. Carpenter, Eugene Day, Neil Day, Geletia Cartwright, Frankie Flowers, J. W. Eidson.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carpenter will be in Dallas Sunday and Monday attending to business.



Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair

## Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair Will Observe Golden Wedding Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair will be honored Sunday afternoon, Oct. 11, with open house at their home on West Highway 80, in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary. Friends and relatives were invited to call during the hours two until 5 o'clock.

Host and hostesses will be the three children of the couple and their son-in-law, including Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Lard, Dallas; Miss Mildred Blair, McKnight State Sanatorium; and Wyman D. Blair of Cisco.

Rev. and Mrs. Blair came to Eastland County from Moran, 26 years ago. Prior to his retirement during the past month, Rev. Blair has served as Associational Missionary for the Cisco Baptist Association for a period of twenty-six years. He has been actively engaged in the ministry for the past forty-one years.

Other than their three children the couple has a granddaughter, Miss Janis Kay Lard of Dallas.

## Dr. Gaston Foote Speaker For Methodist Kick-Off Dinner

The kick-off dinner for the First Methodist Church financial campaign was well attended Monday night by solicitation workers with Chairman Judge M. S. Long, presiding.

Invocation was given by Rev. Leslie W. Seymour, district superintendent of the Cisco District. Dr. Gaston Foote, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Fort Worth, spoke to the 140 enthusiastic solicitation workers and their wives, on the theme of sharing our time, talent and means with the great program of the church.

Following the address Grady Pipkin, chairman of the Solicitation Committee, conducted the pledge service assisted by his division chairmen, Frank Crowell, W. Q. Verner and Jack Chamberlain. Pledge cards were distributed to the remaining members. After the pledges were made the auditing committee reported that \$218.00 of the \$400.00 weekly goal had been subscribed by the solicitation workers.

Rev. Jackson Oglesby gave instructions to the workers relative to securing pledges from the remaining church memberships. Each worker chose 4 pledge cards and will work by teams in completing the campaign.

The dinner was served by the Foods Committee with Mrs. R. E. Sikes, chairman, assisted by Meses. H. H. Durham, O. M. White, R. C. Ferguson, Clyde Young, Ruth Poe Herring, O. O. Mickle, C. W. Huffmann, Ed Everett, Rudolph Little, B. W. Howell, Guy Patterson, J. M. Perkins, Ina Bean and Miss Louise Snoddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Been of Plains are visiting here with relatives this week including, Mrs. Been's sister and brother, Mrs. Frank Lovett, Dr. W. S. Poe, and Mrs. Poe and Mrs. Been's brothers Judge Elzo Been, and Rufus Been of Long Branch.



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## Class Officers Installed by Mrs. Ratheal

Mrs. Melvin Ratheal installed new officers for the Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church Monday at noon, when they met in the home of Mrs. M. A. Treadwell for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. Ratheal used a very impressive ceremony, based on the Scriptures in installing Mrs. Milton Fuller, president; Mrs. Jack Gaudley, vice president; Mrs. Mary Ruth Shultz, secretary; Mrs. H. W. Sims, teacher, and the following group leaders, Meses. D. A. Thurman, C. H. Hoag, Warren Chapman and G. E. Dendy.

Mrs. Fuller presided over a short business session, during which she outlined plans for the year's work. Mrs. Gourley presented Mrs. Sims with a gift from the class.

Proceeding the installation, the luncheon was served buffet style from a table laid with white linen and decorated with an arrangement of fall flowers. Guests were seated at game tables in groups of four.

Others present not mentioned above were Meses. Richard Johnson, Frank Sayre, Eldon Anderson, Robert Perkins and Jimmy Fields.

## LOOK WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Freese, 501 South Bassett, have announced the birth of a son, whom they have named Charles Wayne. He was born at 1:45 p.m. Sunday in the Ranger General Hospital. He weighed five pounds and twelve ounces, and he and his mother are reported to be doing fine. They will return to their home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Freese have four other children, Mary Alice, Carl Franklin, Martha Lee and Jerome Edward.

Mrs. Betty Williams of Fort Worth is the maternal grandmother and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Spencer of Bentenville, Ark., are the paternal grandparents.

Mrs. Mitcham of Fort Worth is the maternal great grandmother.

## Mrs. Taylor Installed President Of Music Study Club Wednesday

Members of the year book committee, including Meses. Joseph M. Perkins, D. L. Houle, and A. H. Johnson hosted a brunch at noon Wednesday, opening the new club year of the Music Study Club at the Woman's Club.

Tables were laid in white linen and decorated with white flowers and greenery in keeping with the club's colors, green and white. The meal was served buffet style, from the large club house table, which also held two baskets of Periwinkles.

Following the meal Mrs. Perkins, program chairman, and club parliamentarian, installed Mrs. A. F. Taylor as president. Mrs. Taylor replaces Mrs. A. D. Dabney, who recently resigned.

Mrs. Taylor presided over the business session, during which she expressed plans for the year, including a Music Club Chorus, with singing at each meeting; one hundred per cent membership attendance; and two-thirds of the programs be given by club members; to consider and help juniors and college student artists.

She named committees for the year, and accepted reports given by officers. Mrs. Ben Houle was elected to membership.

The club voted to let each 100 per cent member be an honor guest at the Play Day party given in May of each year.

Mrs. Taylor was named delegate to the district convention to be held in November in Abilene.

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### Methodist Set Report Meet Here Tonight

The first meeting of the First Methodist Budget Campaign will be held tonight at the church with a covered dish supper promptly at 7 o'clock, attended by workers and wives and campaign committee members. Each worker's report on the visits made and the pledges secured will be posted on the large score board.

The second report meeting will be held with a covered dish supper on Monday night at 7 o'clock.

The team members who will report are Frank T. Crowell's Division Team No. 1, Bruce Pipkin, captain; Bill Hoffmann, Jack Germany, V. S. Howard.

Team No. 2, J. M. Davis, captain; Jack Frost, B. O. Harrell, G. C. Stinchcomb, Virgil Massengill.

Team No. 3, John Goode, captain; W. R. (Ray) Pryor, T. L. Fagg, Geo. I. Lane, Chas. B. Harris.

Team No. 4, N. P. McCorney, captain; Homer Smith, Hubert Jones, R. E. Smith, John M. Morris.

Jack Chamberlain's Division, Team No. 5, Ed Willman, captain; E. C. Satterwhite, Bill Jessor, Carl Elliott, Bill Leslie.

Team No. 6, M. H. Perry, captain; A. E. Cushman, Tom Haley, Tom Amis, Jack Chamberlain Jr.

Team No. 7, W. L. White, captain; Jim Kuykendall, V. T. Seaberry Sr., Paul Flynn, Earl Bender.

Team No. 8, Cyrus E. Frost Jr., captain; Frank Castleberry, Clyde Young, Bob Perkins, Dr. R. C. Ferguson.

W. Q. Verner's Division, Team No. 9, Billy C. Frost, captain, R. E. Head, Frank Sparks, H. L. Hassell, R. N. Wilson.

Team No. 10, Jay Whatley, captain; Travis Harrell, Don Doyle, W. E. Cooper, Jack Collings.

Team No. 11, Henry Van Geem, captain; Joe Stephen, James Gilkey, Milton Day, J. A. Doyle.

Team No. 12, H. H. Durham, captain; T. M. Collie, A. E. Taylor, J. E. McConnell, Bruce Butler.

### 1st Methodist Announcements

Sunday, October 11, 1953, at 9:45 a.m. Church School for all ages, C. G. Stinchcomb Jr., Supt. 10:50 a.m. Morning Worship, World Wide Communion Sunday. Communion Message—"Members All Together" by the pastor.

Communion Offering for Overseas Relief, Chaplains' Service, Camp Activities for Service Men.

6:15 p.m. Senior and Intermediate Methodist Youth Fellowship meetings. 7:00 o'clock Evening Worship. Song service led by Wendell Siebert. Sermon—"Reasons for Rejoicing" by the pastor.

Senior and Intermediate Fellowship will meet after church for a recreational period. John Goode, counselor. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Young will be hosts. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the church for Mission Study. Monday is Roll Call and Visitation Day. Second report dinner for Budget Campaign Workers and wives and committee members at 7 o'clock.

Tuesday morning at 9:30, Mrs. Frank Sparks will continue her Story Telling course. Everyone interested is invited.

Wednesday at 7 p.m. the Bible Study will be led by the pastor, continuing the study of the 15th Chapter of the Gospel of St. Mark. Choir rehearsal will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evening under the direction of Mr. George Bledsoe.

Thursday—Victory dinner beginning promptly at 7 o'clock with a covered dish dinner for all members, families and friends of the church, receiving final reports and celebrating victory of our Budget Campaign. Rev. Leslie W. Seymour will be the speaker.

### Church Notice

All church announcements which will appear in the Thursday issue of the Telegram must be on the editor's desk by 10 a.m. Wednesday. This deadline will enable the Telegram to publish without undue hardship.

### Christian Science

The question "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" is the subject of this week's Christian Science Lesson-Sermon, which brings out that God, the creator of good, demands and supports the health and happiness of man. The Golden Text is from Psalm (67:1, 2): "God be merciful unto us, and bless us; and cause his face to shine upon us; that thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving health among all nations."

From Ecclesiastes this challenging verse will be read (7:29): "Lo, this only have I found; that God hath made man upright; but they have sought out many inventions." Christian Science offers this reasoning on the subject in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "If God makes sin, if good produces evil, if truth results in error, then Science and Christianity are helpless; but there are no antagonistic powers nor laws, spiritual or material, creating a god governing man through perpetual warfare. God is not the author of mortal discords. Therefore we accept the conclusion that discords have only a fabulous existence, are mortal beliefs which divine Truth and Love destroy" (p. 231).

### Cub Scouts Meet Monday In C. L. Foster's Home

Mrs. Charles L. Foster, den mother, entertained Den Four of the cub scouts Monday afternoon in her home, 910 South Seaman.

Cubs present were Bill Jones, Dickie Byars, Clark Conner, Raymond Lusk, Billy Ed Nash, Randy Scott, Mike Potts, and Charles Ronald Foster.

Guests present were Jerome Freese, Veltou Moser, Rodney Thompson, J. R. and J. B. Tankersley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucene Jr. of Midland and Miss Helen Lucas of Abilene were the guests here over the weekend in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lucas.

### Dodge Offers New Royal V-8 for 1954



Highlight of the 1954 Dodge line is the new super deluxe series known as the Royal V-8. A completely new interior styling is keyed to harmonize with 11 different body colors and 14 two-tone combinations. The Royal V-8 series is keynoted by Jacquard upholstery fabric, previously used only for rich tapestries and expensive furniture. On the exterior, a new spear-like chrome moulding accents the low, sweeping lines and lends a smooth, modern look. There

also is a new grille design and treatment of headlights, taillights and wheel covers. The 1954 Dodge line also introduces such engineering advancements as PowerFlite, a new fully-automatic transmission; the economy-and-endurance tested Red Ram V-8 engine stepped up to 150 h.p. and 7.5 to 1 compression ratio; and a new type full-time power steering unit. The Coronet Six and Meadowbrook Six have been stepped up to 110 h.p. and 7.25 to 1 compression ratio.

### Mrs. W. M. Crow Gives Program For Morton Valley's HDC Meet

Mrs. W. M. Crow, Eastland County Home Demonstration agent, talked on "Backgrounds for Living Rooms" Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club, in the Morton Valley club house.

Mrs. C. D. Beck, chairman, presided during the short business session, during which Mrs. W. C. Baker was elected club council delegate and Mrs. Beck was named reporter.

Mrs. Crow stressed the importance of beautiful flowers, walls and woodwork, which forms the background for the living room. She told several ways they might be treated, and named materials for the work.

Mrs. L. F. Taylor was hostess and served cokes and fancy cookies during the social hour.

Announcement was made of the next meeting, October 20, at the clubroom, at which time members will have a covered dish luncheon, followed by a lesson in basket weaving given by Mrs. R. W. Gordon of Ranger. Mrs. Baker will be the hostess.

Attending were Meses. Baker, Beck, R. E. Beck, L. Hale, Charles Harris, W. J. Graham, E. A. Ivey, Robert Kwicid, L. W. Leach, J. S. Robinson, W. M. Crow and the hostess, Mrs. Taylor.

### Services Held Sunday For Mrs. L. Davis

Mrs. Laura P. Davis passed away at 11:45 a.m. at the home of her daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Happy and Kathleen Smith, Odessa, Oct. 1.

Mrs. Davis was born Aug. 5, 1879 at Syle Springs, Ala. She was the daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Martin Van Buren Davis.

Mrs. Davis was united in matrimony Nov. 14, 1899 to Samuel A. Davis Sr., at Eastland, Tex. Born to this union were ten children. Andrew Davis, Cisco; Cara Davis Lutz, Olney; Etta Davis Lutz, Allendale, Ill.; Williana Harvey Davis, deceased; Kathleen Davis Smith, Odessa; Tommie Davis, Cisco; W. W. Davis, Cisco; Margaret Davis Thaxton, Corpus Christi and Paul Ray Davis, Cisco.

There were 17 grand children and three great grandchildren. One brother of South Gate, Calif., also survives.

She was removed from her home seven miles northwest of Eastland to the Harmony Baptist Church

at Morton Valley, where services were held at 3:30 p.m. Oct. 4, 1953.

She was a member of the Harmony Baptist Church.

Rev. Cecil McBeth of Mexia officiated and was assisted by Rev. Maurice Smith of Morton Valley.

Pallbearers were Judge John S. Hart, Russell Hill, Guy Parker, Tom Stark, Gordon Woods, and Earl Conner.

Mrs. Davis was laid to rest by the side of her husband in the family plot.

The Hubbard Funeral Home of Odessa and the Hamner Funeral Home of Eastland were in charge of services.

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Mr. and Mrs. Phil Laws and daughter, Karen of Monahans, spent the weekend here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Avera, former Eastland resident, who have resided in Fort Worth for the past two years, have moved to 1002 Hawthorne, in Houston.

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FOR SALE or rent, small house. 416 E. Sodasa. Phone 377.

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FOR SALE: 1957 model B Farm-ull with row crop tools. Dearborn used side delivery rake. 1951 Ferguson Tractor. Perkins Implement Co.

FOR SALE: 1950 Ford, four door, radio, heater and overdrive. 213 South Oak.

FOR SALE: 26-inch used boys bicycle. Only \$17.50. Also 20-in. girls bicycle, extra good condition, \$20. Western Auto Associate Store.

FOR SALE: Close out on all kinds of fishing rods. Values up to \$16.95 on sale for \$4.95 each. Western Auto Associate Store.

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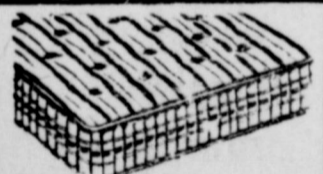
WILL keep children, while mother works, 318 S. Simon St.

WANTED: Good used piano. Call 777.

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GIVE AWAY SALE: Second-hand windows, doors and 2 by 4, 6, 8 lumber, also 1 by 8 and 1 by 4 decking. See L. M. Luttrell, Textland Hotel.

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FOR RENT: Downtown upstairs bedroom, private bath, air conditioned, bills paid. \$80 month. Phone 692 or 235.

FOR RENT: 4 room furnished apartment. 612 West Plummer.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Phone 9520. Hillside Apartments.

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FOR RENT: 5 room unfurnished apartment, privacy of home, garage. Phone 465.

FOR RENT: Downstairs furnished apartment, 3 rooms and private bath. Hardwood floors and venetian blinds. Upstairs furnished apartment, 4 rooms, private bath. Bills paid. Phone 107-J-3.

FOR RENT: Small house, clean, ideal for couple. Phone 681.

FOR RENT: 3 room house and bath, furnished. Electric refrigerator. 310 E. Main.

FOR RENT: Apartments, 3 rooms furnished or 3 room unfurnished, or 6 room house partly furnished, close in, paved street, with garages. 709 S. Seaman, phone 320 or 713-J.

FOR RENT: Three room apartment, newly painted, \$25 per month. Phone 727-J-1.

FOR RENT: 3 room furnished apartment, bills paid, \$20 month. 710 W. Patterson.

FOR RENT: Small furnished house, close in, re-decorated. Call 745-J or apply at 210 E. Valley, after 6 p.m.

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NEWS FROM DESDEMONA

By Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mrs. Jannie Cassell has returned home after spending a few days in the hospital at Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams spent the week-end in Kernit with a son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Williams.

This reporter spent last week in Palestine visiting relatives. Therefore no news was reported last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel spent Sunday of last week in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore have been busy remodeling their home. A glassed in sleeping room and other changes were made.

Mrs. Ford Reed returned last week from an extended visit to Baltimore, Maryland. She visited her daughter, Billie, and family. She also visited in Alvin, Tex., last week-end with son, Phil Reed and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Guthery are the proud parents of a fine baby born recently in the Gorman Hospital.

Visitors in the Floyd Moore home were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Moore of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham of Seagraves. The Seagraves picked up their children, Karen, Paula and Dorell, who had spent a week with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Masters and

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FOR SALE BY SEALED BID—One (1) Steel Pump Station Building Complete with main building 41' x 86' x 20'—1 pump room 15' x 86' x 16' and 1 pump room 16' x 43' x 16'. Wood frame construction with flat iron siding and a steel roof structure with corrugated iron roofing. Building is to be dismantled by purchaser and removed from premises. LOCATED approx. 6 miles North of town of DeLeon, Comanche County, Texas. Contact Mr. I. C. Donegan, Chief Engineer at DeLeon Station to inspect building. Mail all bids to Magnolia Pipe Line Company, C/o V. L. Red, P. O. Box 29, Olden, Texas. No bids will be accepted after October 15, 1953. It is expressly understood that Company reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids submitted.

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TV LOG

KRBC-TV Channel 9

Friday, October 9

4:00—Test Pattern
5:35—Daily Devotions (L)
5:40—Previews (L)
5:45—Western Theater (F)
6:25—Crusader Rabbit (F)
6:30—Evening Report (L)
6:45—Your Community Chest (L)
7:00—Gene Autry Show (F)
7:30—Life of Riley (NBC-F)
8:00—What's New (L)
8:30—TBA
9:00—Late Report (L)
9:15—Front Page Detective (F)
9:45—Movietime (F) "Crime, Inc."
10:45—Evening Vespers
10:50—Sign Off

Saturday, October 10

4:00—Test Pattern
5:40—Daily Devotions
5:45—Saturday Theater (F)
6:00—Big Picture (F)
6:30—Football Scoreboard
6:40—Weathercast (L)
6:45—Industry on Parade (F)
7:00—Wrestling from Chicago (F)
8:00—Tandem Theater (F) "Killer Shark"
9:05—The Cases of Eddie Drake (F)
9:35—Saturday Final (F)
9:50—Tandem Theater (F) "Traic Winds"
11:20—Evening Vespers
11:25—Sign Off

daughter Annell, spent last week-end in Milford Wells with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Shipman.

Mrs. Katie Little left Thursday of this week for Oklahoma City where she will attend the wedding of her daughter on Oct. 10. Her daughter, Katherine, of Dallas, wed Lt. Russell Schonling of Los Angeles, Calif. Russell is with the engineers and Katherine is in the Women's Specialized Medical Corp. Both are stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mrs. Anse Brown returned home Friday after spending several days with a sister, Mrs. Hilda Stroup, who underwent major surgery at the Naval Hospital recently. Mrs. Stroup is considered improved.

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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville, Desdemona, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Williamson Monday.

Mmes. M. A. Abel and C. L. Henderson were shopping in Ranger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard and Mrs. Allen Crosby were in Eastland visiting Monday.

Mrs. O. T. Hazard visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White in Eastland Wednesday and we are glad to report Mr. and Mrs. White much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crosby and Judy Beth, from Burkburnett, were the week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Crosby and Mrs. Bessie Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard attended the 17th District Baptist convention at the First Baptist Church in Cisco Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williamson, of Wichita Falls, visited the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coop attended Trades Day in Eastland Saturday.

Mrs. M. A. Abel was in Breckenridge hospital a few days last week for a check up and medical treatment, we are glad to report her able to return to her home much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby were Eastland visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jewel Fanning, from Fort Worth, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing recently.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

A much needed rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Crosby of Abilene were guests Saturday night of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

A. J. (Shorty) Fox, who underwent surgery recently in a Dallas hospital, has returned to his home, and is able to be up and out again.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A.

MOORE... (Continued from Page 1)

Seems someone had been saving his change to pay his taxes. Stanley took it all with a grin. Fact is it might be a good idea. Probably a lot easier to pay as you go than it is to fork it all up at once. We're not asking for a new withholding tax, Stanley.

We will be back next Tuesday. See you in church Sunday.

Korea was an integral part of the Japanese Empire from 1910 until 1945.

Same Old Problems

ARKANSAS CITY, Kansas — Eighty-three years ago, when the Kansas town near the Oklahoma border was founded, municipal records showed there were three principal problems: water supply, municipal revenue, stray dogs. Commission meetings in September had three top issues to tackle: a \$300,000 expansion of the city water supply, increases in municipal revenue through higher water rates, stray dogs.

Michigan families owned \$12,000,000,000 worth of life insurance at the start of 1953.

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CHOICE BABY BEEF SHOULDER Round Steak .... Lb. 39c

EAST TEXAS Yams Lb. 8c

TEXAS ORANGES lb. 10c

TOKAY GRAPES 2 lbs. 29c

R. B. TURNIPS pound 8c

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### Being Careful Good Citizenship

"Being careful in traffic is good citizenship," Col. E. B. Tilley, president of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation told the boys and girls of Texas today.

Col. Tilley was speaking in connection with the September child traffic safety program being sponsored by the Texas Safety Association in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

"A driver who has to dodge a careless child may hit another car or a building, and cause a bad accident," he said.

And sometimes a motorist can't avoid hitting a child who runs into the street without looking, he pointed out.

"Boys and girls are being good citizens when they do their best to prevent such accidents by observing all traffic safety rules themselves, and by helping their friends to remember to do the same," he explained.

He reminded children that, to be safe in traffic, they always should follow five basic safety rules, which are:

1. Obey all traffic officers, school patrols, traffic signs and signals and pavement markings.
2. Use roller skates, tricycles, wagons and scooters on the sidewalk only.
3. Practice the rules they learn in school about crossing streets and playing in unsafe places.
4. Always take the safest route between school and home.
5. Walk on the left side of the road, facing traffic, if there are no sidewalks.

#### LONG SERVICE

BOSTON — Harold J. Welch, who went to work in the Massachusetts attorney-general's office in 1903 at the age of 14, has completed 50 years in that department. He recalls that his first week's paycheck was \$4.

### Whooping Crane Due To Arrive

The pending fall parade of the majestic Whooping Crane prompted the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission to ask for "maximum protection" by all Texans.

The Whoopers shortly will begin their annual fall migration from the Hudson Bay country in the far north to their wintering grounds on the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge along the Texas Gulf Coast.

The extraordinary appeal for protection was made because only twenty-one of these giant birds remain. Their number was reduced by two last fall when two were killed by hunters.

The whooping crane is sometimes mistaken for a snow goose, white pelican, American egret, or whistling swan. Hunters, therefore, are urged to refrain from shooting at any large white bird and to report the sighting of birds that might be whooping cranes to the local game warden.

#### Whatever You Say

SPOKANE, Wash. — James Judge, 37, a transient, surrendered to police and asked to be jailed so he could recover from a drinking bout. Judge Gordon Lower sentenced him to 20 days in the city jail. "Twenty days aren't enough," Mudge insisted. "Give me 30." "Make it 30," the judge obliged.

### Teach Safety, Manners; Part Of Growing Up

When four-year-old Johnny grabs a toy away from his younger sister, his mother probably will take immediate steps to correct him.

She may talk to him and explain what he did wrong—or, if it is a repeated offense, she may punish him—but whichever method she uses, her purpose will be to teach Johnny good manners.

Johnny's mother knows, as do millions of other parents, that learning good manners is a part of growing up. She wants Johnny to be well-liked and popular when he gets older, and so she knows she must help him become well-mannered.

If Johnny's mother is wise, she will put just as much effort into helping him form safe traffic habits. It can be just as slow and painstaking a job as teaching him good manners. It can be even more important.

Learning safe traffic habits is a part of growing up—indeed, how well the lesson is learned can, and often does, determine whether a child will have a chance to grow up. Last year more than 4,000 children, killed in traffic, didn't get that chance.

Recognizing the importance of traffic safety for our future citizens, the Texas Safety Association and the National Safety Council are conducting a month-long program on child safety in September.

To this vital and worthy effort we would like to add our support, and this advice to parents: "Teach your child safety as you would good manners."

#### Golf Nuts

HOUSTON, Tex. — Golfers at Hermann Park course are finding more than the usual hazards to send scores soaring. Several have reported that squirrels in the wooded park have pounced on their balls before they could reach them. A. C. Upham, an engineer, said the one that grabbed his ball carried it 50 yards—well into the rough.

#### AT YOUR RANGER THEATRES

### TOWER

Friday - Saturday

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Sunday - Monday

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Sunday - Monday

THE DESERT SONG  
Tuesday - Buck Nite

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### Students Have Theme, Poster Fire Contest

Eastland school students are competing among themselves this week, Fire Prevention Week, in theme writing and poster drawing. The themes and drawings all have to do with fire prevention.

Posters will be on display all day today at the High School library and parents are urged to come by the school anytime after 9 a.m. today to see them.

#### Get A CAR!

WEST HARTFORD, Conn. — While observing his 60th anniversary as a physician, Dr. Harold S. Backus recalled that during his first five years of making calls he wore out 13 horses.

### CHAPLAIN—

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project is truly American—being non-sectarian.

"Our thanks and yours will not be something but will most certainly be reflected in the happiness in the eyes of the small children and their parents who will receive your gifts. It will also be reflected in our own feelings of joy for a good deed well done and our satisfaction that we brought a little of the Christmas Spirit, as we know it in America, across the thousands of miles of these poor unfortunate victims of war in Europe.

"All I can do is ask—the rest is up to you and your friends, but please mail at least one package of your old clothing. Let's make it an avalanche. I am trying to

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Teresa Wright  
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Friday - Saturday  
October 9 - 10  
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Jack Palance

Sunday - Monday  
and Tuesday  
October 11 - 12 - 13  
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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:  
A. D. Anderson to B. H. Gray Drilling Co., oil and gas lease.  
Joe B. Arthur to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
A. L. Andree to A. L. Hecht, MD.  
Doss Alexander to Humble Pipe Line Co., right of way.  
Minerva Ballard to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Jessie Irene Bond to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Pearl H. Browder to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
R. A. Pearnan to Charles S. Sautler, MML.  
Bankers Life Co. to John T. Roberson, partial release.  
J. A. Chapman to Ben Kent, release of oil and gas lease.  
K. P. Chandler to Dr. Raymond L. LaScala, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
J. I. Cozart to Ada Oil Co., oil and gas lease.  
Mrs. Leila Clark to Ada Oil Co., oil and gas lease.  
J. E. Connally to James P. Bridges, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Angela Comacho to Ranger Lumber & Supply Co., MML.  
Cisco Independent School Dist. to E. L. Hazlewood, quit claim deed.  
J. C. Dempsey to N. A. Dodge, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Jack A. Foyle to A. J. Blackman, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
First Bancredit Corp. to Lee R.

Reddick, release of MML.  
George P. Fee to Wylie Investment Corp., warranty deed.  
W. R. Ferguson to The Public, proof of heirship.  
R. B. Forehand to John H. Nelson, warranty deed.  
M. R. Frye to Federal Land Bank of Houston, deed of trust.  
Herry F. Finks to A. J. Oil Co., a corp., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
R. E. Grantham to Erma Wendt, release of oil and gas lease.  
Gorman Peanut Co. to W. T. Shell, warranty deed.  
W. A. Garrett to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.  
C. L. Gannaway to G. J. Scholl, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
C. L. Gannaway to W. O. Dawson, agreement.  
Jack Hailey to M. E. Daniel, deed of trust.  
H. L. Hicks to Charles D. Roberts, oil and gas lease.  
J. Boone Hart to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.  
G. L. Hamilton to Davis P. King, deed of trust.  
R. G. Hollingsworth to J. L. Smith, release of vendor's lien.  
Ed S. Hill to The Public, Russell Hill to E. R. Townsend, MD.  
Lexa Dean Jobe to Jack Hailey,

assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Joseph J. Johnson to Ada Oil Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Tom Jordan to Roy Jordan, cc judgment.  
J. D. Drilling Co. to M. E. Jones, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
H. C. Kimbrough to State of Texas, right of way.  
Floyd W. Knowles to Elvis B. Nelms, warranty deed.  
J. H. Latson, Jr., to I. D. Russell, warranty deed.  
J. H. Latson Jr., to Charles S. Sautler, transfer of lien.  
Lone Star Producing Co. to Joe F. Orr, release of oil and gas lease.  
W. W. Lloyd to The Public, proof of heirship.  
L. J. Liles to Billy C. Frost, MD.  
Edward Munn to Grace Todd, warranty deed.  
Leora McNutt to Walter C. Conway, assignment of contract.  
McElroy Ranch Co. to E. J. McCurdy Jr., assignment of ORR.  
Neiman-Marcus Co. v. Claude M. Hickman, abstract of judgment.  
W. D. Newman to Sloan Wells, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Venner H. Owen to Carl L. Putler, release of MML.  
Potomac Oil Co. to The Public, assumed name.  
Phillips Petroleum Co. to G. A. West, release of oil and gas lease.  
Kermit E. Pierce to The Texas Co., oil and gas lease.  
John W. Payne to Irene Payne, warranty deed.  
Hollis Pippen to J. R. Petty, oil and gas lease.  
C. B. Pruet to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
I. D. Russell to J. H. Latson, Jr., deed of trust.

C. C. Rose to Dr. A. W. Brazda, MML.  
J. G. Rapp to W. D. Rogers, warranty deed.  
Charles S. Sautler to J. H. Latson Jr., partial release.  
S. G. Stuteville to The Public, proof of heirship.  
Mary Ione Surles to The Texas Co., oil and gas lease.  
W. T. Shell to The Public, cc minutes of meeting.  
W. T. Shell to First National Bank, Gorman, deed of trust.  
John W. Spir to Welborn A. Garrett, warranty deed.  
Wayne B. Tyson to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, transfer of vendor's lien.  
D. A. Tolliver to Samuel H. Williams Jr., bill of sale.  
Loeta Tidwell to Nona Lee Sanders, warranty deed.  
Jane Marie Tracy to J. F. Robertson, release of deed of trust.  
Elvy L. Taylor to Billy Joe Taylor, warranty deed.  
Billy Joe Taylor to Charles S. Sautler, deed of trust.  
John T. Underwood to O. L. Seal, warranty deed.  
C. R. Woodson to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.  
E. L. Underwood to Joseph J. Johnson, oil and gas lease.

L. J. Woods to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
D. C. Weekes to Federal Land Bank of Houston, deed of trust.  
Mrs. Eva Weathers to The Public, affidavit.  
W. G. Westmoreland to W. D. Newman, oil and gas lease.  
Hall Walker to Walter Waldie, Jr., release of deed of trust.  
Walter Waldie, Jr., to Estella Myrick Duncan, deed of trust.

**Probate**  
Mrs. Rose Requa, deceased, application to probate will.

**Orders and Judgments**  
The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:  
Order appointing Jury Commissioners.  
Order expanding Jury Commissioners.  
J. B. Williams v. Utah Home Fire Ins. Co., order of dismissal.

**Marriage Licenses**  
The following couples were licensed to wed last week:  
Don Fowler Chrisman to Tommie Dea Sikes.  
Coy Lansford to Zona Shugart.  
Cecil Cash Hickey to Patsy Faye Jenkins.

**Suits Filed**  
The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:  
W. B. Wright, et al v. James D. Echols, suit for debt.  
Billy Jack Blackstock v. New Amsterdam Casualty Co., compensation.  
Betty Slate v. Billy Ray Slate, divorce.


A. R. McMillin v. Linda Nell McMillin, judgment.  
Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co. & Hailey & McMillin v. James H. Reeves, et al, judgment overruling plea of privilege.  
H. C. Thweatt v. Anna Marie Thweatt, judgment.

HOUSTON, Texas — Mrs. B. B. Brown had the last laugh on a "joker" who sent her a sweet potato for a Christmas present last year. She said she planted it, then reset the vines it grew. "I got almost a half bushel of sweet potatoes," she said.

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22	Jessop, Jamie	160	RH
33	Hanson, J. D.	170	FB
25	Cook, Charles	151	B
30	Evatt, Clyde	155	E
11	Harris, George	160	T
29	Herrera, Raul	142	G
28	McAlister, John	155	E
32	Tankersley, Neal	145	E
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18	Tankersley, Larry	175	T
26	Van Green, Neil	153	T
19	Warren, Terry	142	C
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20	Pittman, Bobby	135	B
14	Freeze, Carl	154	T
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# LT. COL. SANFORD D. PRESLAR AIDS DENMARK IN BUILDING NEW MILITARY AIR POWER

COPENHAGEN — Ranger's Lt. Col. Sanford D. Preslar is helping Denmark write a rags-to-riches story of air power that reads like a fairy tale by Hans Christian Anderson.

An "Ugly Duckling" in the NATO air picture three years ago; the Royal Danish Air Force today has shed its ungainly adolescence, thanks to men like Preslar, and matured into a hard-hitting jet element.

It goes on review today before the Danish people and their NATO partners in "Exercise Heads Up." The five-day Allied Air Forces Northern Europe maneuver involves hundreds of Danish and Norwegian jets in a two-way test of

their air defense and tactical striking ability.

In a way, Preslar's work goes on review too. The Texan is one of 17 U. S. Air Force men here who together have played a major role in building the 1953 Danish air force.

Preslar, whose mother, Mrs. Cora Preslar, who lives at Eastland Hill, is chief of logistics for the USAF section of the joint U. S. Military Assistance and Advisory Group (MAAG) here.

"When the MAAG got started in the middle of 1950," he recalls, "the Danes didn't have any concept of jet air power, much less any of the tools."

Denmark had few trained mili-

tary pilots and fewer qualified technicians. Those they had were schooled in conventional engine craft, instead of the vastly more complex jets that are the muscle of a modern air force.

Their facilities to train the needed men were limited. Being a small country, Denmark had no aircraft industry to build its own planes. Uppermost, its budget had little room for the astronomical cost of creating a standing jet air arm.

"But they did have one thing," Preslar points out. "That was the belief that they would need a strong air defense if the cold war turned hot. Like all their European neighbors in NATO, they saw in the last war how air attacks could cripple a defenseless nation overnight."

Allied military strategists shared their concern. They were aware that Denmark is the traditional "Gateway to Scandinavia" for aggressors as well as tourists. And they agreed the gate must be shut tight for the good of the whole Atlantic Pact defense scheme.

If an invader could slash across Denmark's Jutland peninsula into the underbelly of Norway, they reasoned, he could crumple the allied flank and surge to England's doorstep, thereby menacing the life lines of central Europe, NATO's anchor point.

Conversely, they knew that Denmark was the stopper that could bottle up Russia's vaunted submarine fleet at the neck of the Baltic in time of war. And just as important, her strategic placement within easy tactical striking range of the Soviet Union's interior industry made a squadron of F-84 fighter bombers based there worth

three facing the bristling iron curtain across East Germany and the Red satellites.

"The answer was to make Denmark a real 'bulwark on the Baltic,'" Preslar relates. "Under the Mutual Defense Assistance Program (MDAP), we started giving the Danes the makings of a modern jet air force. They mustered the men, and MDAP, as its name implies, started assisting and advising those men in the use of American equipment."

To date more than a hundred combat-ready Danish jet fighter pilots have been trained from start to finish in the United States under MAAG auspices. Almost twice that many are engaged in training there now. Another two hundred Danes have come out of U. S. technical schools as specialists in every phase of modern aviation from electronics to aircraft maintenance.

"Most of them have been taught to teach others," Preslar says. "When they come back to Denmark they go into technical schools to instruct others in what they've learned. That way, the training load is gradually passing into Danish hands—where it should be. The MAAG wasn't meant to be a permanent training shop. Our aim was to set the Danish air force up in

business, get it running smoothly, then retire to the sidelines.

"In fact," Preslar laughs, "this is the only business I know of where you can consider yourself a success if you close down."

From all appearances, the MAAG still is far from closing down. Stateside training is declining, but on-the-job assistance and special instruction at USAF bases in Europe continues at a brisk clip.

Like most USAF men here, Preslar thinks the Copenhagen MAAG is a pleasant assignment. The MAAG headquarters is located in a well-kept office building within the walls of a Danish military caserne on the outskirts of town. It officially is under the wing of the American embassy and in keeping with embassy policy Preslar wears civilian clothes ex-

cept on special occasions and when he visits Danish air bases.

He finds Copenhagen one of the most modern and comfortable cities in Europe, although the cost of living has gone up in the past year and housing today is hard to find and expensive.

"But it's that way in every country," he adds.

That attitude makes Preslar and his fellow MAAG men welcomed guests in this congenial capital—at least as welcomed as a foreign military man can be in a sovereign nation as proud and progressive as Denmark.

As for himself, Preslar feels almost at home.

"Sometimes," he concludes, "when I see neon signs downtown spelling out familiar names like Andersen and Petersen, I feel like I'm right back in Ranger."

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Sept. 11, said wildlife biologist William S. Jennings.

Jennings' field studies indicated that many hunters did not bag a single whitewing and that the harvest of mourning doves was proportionately high. In the good whitewing years, before habitat was reduced, hunters snubbed the mourning doves since they generally could get their limit of the choicer whitewings.

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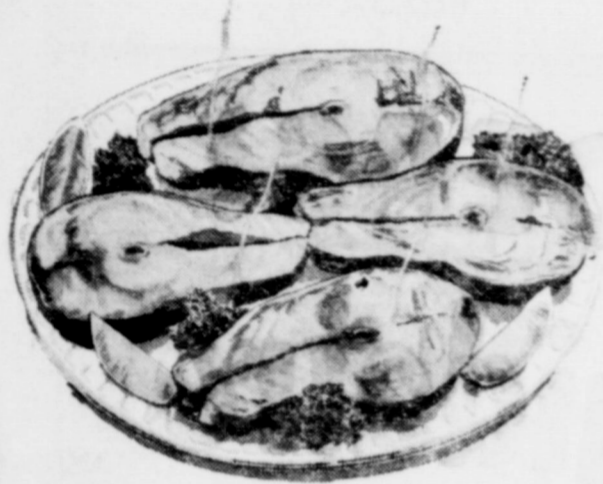
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