

District Court Merger Issue Sizzles

Delegation Eastland Attorneys In Austin Today To Get New Hearing On House Bill 269

Eight attorneys from three counties—Eastland, Stephens and Young—arrived in Austin Wednesday well-prepared to present Eastland's contention that the 91st District Court should not be killed, it was announced Thursday morning.

Soil Program Meet Is Held At Eastland

The first of two area meetings designed to promote cooperation between Chambers of Commerce and businessmen in furthering soil water conservation programs was held in Eastland Wednesday.

The second meeting begins at 9 a.m. Thursday in the Bluebonnet Hotel at Sweetwater. Every town in the eastern half of the district was represented in Eastland Wednesday by 65 Chambers of Commerce officials and businessmen.

At least six ways were suggested whereby local Chambers of Commerce and businessmen may cooperate with district supervisors in promotion of the soil and water conservation program.

Boy Scouts Are Given Awards; Plan Coon Hunt

Scout troop No. 103 had a Court of Honor Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was held in the log cabin in City Park, and 35 boys were present for the occasion, according to their leader, James Reed.

Little Items Of Local Interest

Pet. Bryan L. Johnson has completed his basic training at Fort Bliss, and is visiting for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Johnson, Kenneth and Linda. He left Monday for Fort Lewis, Washington for further assignment.

News Of Passing Of W. F. Ranney Received Here

Friends in Eastland have received word of the death of W. F. Ranney, father of C. A. Ranney, former manager of the Men's Shop in his home in Buffalo, N. Y., Wednesday.

Contract Is Let For Eastland County Project

An Eastland County project was listed among 24 road contracts let on low bids totaling \$4,478,257 by the State Highway Department in Austin this week.

Eastland Man's Sister Passes Suddenly Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Doyle have returned from Olney where they attended the funeral services Monday for Mr. Doyle's sister, Mrs. Jot Reburn of Olney, who died suddenly Saturday evening Feb. 14.

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Dixie Drive-In To Open Friday



I. B. WALKER

I. B. Walker, owner and manager of the Dixie Drive-In Theatre, announced today that he will open his theatre on Friday, Feb. 20.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Speck Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. E. A. Speck, 78-year-old Gorman resident, were held Wednesday afternoon in Vici, Okla.

State Senator Wagonseller Joins Opposition To Rep. Omar Burkett's Bill To Abolish Eastland Court

State Senator Wayne W. Wagonseller, representing the 22nd District which includes Eastland County, Wednesday joined area citizens who oppose House Bill 269, backed by State Rep. Omar Burkett of Eastland, which would consolidate Eastland County's 91st District Court with the 90th District Court of Stephens and Young Counties.

C. L. Hudgens, 71, Father Of Mrs. McMoy, Dies

Charles Lowry Hudgens, 71, father of Mrs. H. P. McMoy of Eastland, and retired building contractor of Fort Worth, died in a Fort Worth hospital, Wednesday afternoon following a short illness.

Ace Correspondent Optimistic—

The Korean War will be ended within the next 30 to 45 days. That bright prediction was made in Eastland Wednesday by Bruce Thomas, foreign correspondent, world traveler and lecturer in a brief interview with the editor of this newspaper during a few minutes' stop-over visit enroute to the West Coast.

Masons and Families Will Enjoy 'Open House' Monday; Program and Refreshments

Masons and their families are to enjoy "open house" on Monday, Feb. 23, at which time District Deputy Grand Master T. L. Amis will act as master of ceremonies.

Rain Forecast For County Area Today, Tonight

The weatherman isn't always right, but—

Correction

In the list of candidates for City Council yesterday it was stated that Billy Frost was a candidate. This should have read Cyrus B. Frost, Jr.

Cisco District Methodists Plan Big Training School

Four outstanding leaders in many areas of Christian life will be presented in the annual training school of the Methodist Churches of the Cisco District at the First Methodist Church, Cisco. The school will meet for a two-hour session on three successive days according to announcement made today by Rev. J. Morris Bailey, local Methodist pastor.

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Predicts Korean War To Be Ended by Reds Within 30 to 45 Days

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Thomas added, however that the threat of our new atomic weapons and rapidly developing guided missiles exerting great pressure on the Russians and their satellites.



BRUCE THOMAS Correspondent Back From 'Korea Predicts Peace in 30 to 45 Days ...

Following the invocation, with all standing, the group will affirm their allegiance to the flag. The flag will be portrayed on the screen. After this all will join in singing "America," during which

Commenting on peace, Thomas pointed out that the small nation of Switzerland has enjoyed peace for 800 years. "They've been fully prepared for war," he said.

The correspondent, a veteran visitor and traveler to the most remote sections of the far-flung Far East, said that "the entire Orient is not worth the life of one American fishing man." However, he added that our efforts in Korea have achieved a "great victory" for the free world against Communism by halting spreading aggression of the Reds.

Thomas, a native Californian who graduated from the University of California in 1929, resides at Compton, Calif., with his family. He calls this the "World War Two and a Half" era.



### Olden Baptist Young People Attend Sweetheart Banquet

The Olden Baptist Church sponsored a Sweetheart Banquet Saturday evening in the school gymnasium.

Rev. Alfred Nelson gave the invocation, and Bill Butler gave the welcome. The response was given by Bill Bryan.

Rev. Bill Hogue, pastor of the New Hope No. 3 Baptist Church, gave the address, following the banquet. Miss Sandra Herrell gave the benediction.

The program featured love through all ages beginning with the stone age and progressing to the year of 1953 and was ended with the singing of the theme song, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Attending were Rex Martin, Billie Butler, Francis O'Brien, Bill Bryan, Freddie Rouch, Thelma Edwards, Kenneth Reese, Margaret Alford, Roy Neil Nelson, Jean Weaver, Hamon Thomas, Betty Weaver, Doris Day, Carrol Nelson, Shirley Matlock, June Thomas, Alvis Rodgers, Treva Nunally, Dale Norton, Elizabeth Alford, Phil Hilliard, Maxine McCotter, Wanda Martin, Thomas Lindsey, Rita Jones, Joyce Thomas, Louise Sandra Herrell, Elnora Patterson, Donald Lawrence, Jackie Adams, and Martin.

### Ducks Begin Heading North

The Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission reported that waterfowl wintering along the Texas coast are "getting uneasy about leaving" but that no mass migration northward has occurred yet.

He said field men have noticed considerable movement of some species such as pintails, mallards and gadwall from the southern part of Texas to the larger northern waters. He added that the main movement, depending on the weather, probably will begin late this month.

J. R. Singleton, wildlife biologist, stationed in the marshes around Winnie, said some of the hardier varieties are getting ready or have begun short hops northward. He said this is preparatory to probing the winter-embowered central states and northern states where first breaks in ice-covered streams usually attract the pioneering advance guards.

Singleton reported that the snow and blue geese have been moving

### F1 Hybrid Flowers Give Bountiful Yield of Beauty



Every seed bearing flower must be pollinated by hand to produce F1 hybrid seed.

Petunia Comanche, a bright red flower which won a bronze medal in the All America trials for 1953, is an F1 hybrid. So are several other petunias which have been introduced in recent years, as well as tomatoes, cucumbers, cabbage and sweet corn varieties of recent introduction.

Of all new scientific methods of improving the quality and yield of plants, the breeding of F1 hybrid varieties has given best results. It is tedious and costly method in many cases, but the results have usually justified the expense.

The first spectacular success with this method was in the case of hybrid corn which has increased enormously the average yield per acre of the crop. While the principle used in the case of flowers and most other vegetables are the same, the methods are not.

To produce an F1 hybrid you take two parents, each having merits which you wish to combine. The parents must belong to well-fixed strains, pure bred, and in the case of plants, inbred. When two such parents are crossed, the first generation seed will produce a crop which is uniform, combining the qualities of both parents, and endowed with a mystic quality called "hybrid vigor," which makes it grow faster, stronger, larger and yield more vigorously than others.

But beware of sowing the seed borne by an F1 hybrid plant, that is unless you are an experimenter, seeking something

new. The second generation will be as badly mixed as the first was uniform in size, shape and color. Breeders look for new varieties in the F2 hybrids, but they will usually be a disappointment to others.

The originator of an F1 hybrid which proves to be popular, has a monopoly of the seed production, since it requires the inbred parent strains which he developed, and which others cannot duplicate. But there is nothing to prevent other breeders from developing their own parents, and breeding their own F1 hybrids, which may win popular favor.

That is what has taken place with breeders of hybrid corn, and may be expected to develop with F1 hybrid flowers and vegetables, much to the profit of gardeners in general.

Breeding an F1 flower is costly business. In the illustration, the girl is seated before a petunia plant of an inbred variety chosen to be the seed bearing parent of Petunia Silver Medal. Every flower on this plant has had its petals trimmed, and the pollen-bearing organs removed, so it cannot self-fertilize. In the girl's hand is a flower from the pollen parent, pulled off the row behind her. With a small paint brush she takes pollen from this flower, then transfers it to the stigma of a seed bearing flower on the plant before her. This operation must be repeated thousands of times, to produce a seed crop of a true F1 hybrid. At post-war wages, it makes an expensive crop.

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inland. He said that spoonbills, bluewinged teals, and baldpates are the last to leave this area. One species that does not leave is the mottled duck which occurs only in Texas and adjoining coastal areas and seldom travels more than 100 miles between wintering and nesting grounds.

Julian Howard, manager of the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge

at Austwell, reported that waterfowl has scattered since the shooting season pressure ended but that it is a little early yet to notice any northward trend. Howard's prize clients—the stately whooping crane—are sitting tight. They don't leave until about mid-April. He said the whoopers' wintering grounds have been closed to the public because the giant birds, now numbering only 21, have been unusually shy, apparently because of the prolonged drought's effect on their feeding areas.

### Black Gap Water Plan

The Assistant Director of Wildlife Restoration for the Game and Fish Commission reported that work is progressing to develop water for wildlife in the Black Gap management area in Brewster County.

He said plans call for piping water from wells and impoundments to habitat of deer, antelope, bear and javelina. The operation is financed jointly by Pittman-Robertson and Commission funds.

A set of buildings for the project will be completed by March 1, so that Refuge Manager Fred Moore and his crews will be able to function on the scene.

The 36,384 acre Black Gap area is the largest of a series of game restoration areas established by the Game and Fish Commission as a means of stimulating species native to the various regions and as a possible potential approach to public shooting grounds in some of the areas.

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water, since natural feed generally is adequate, and in time to possibly stock the area with Big Horn sheep.

Texas now has a small number of Big Horn sheep in the far western areas but the Assistant Director described it as inadequate to

provide basic stock for the Black Gap project. States such as Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico, with herds of Big Horn are now being approached about providing some breeding stock for Texas.

Adding to the variety in the Black Gap area also is an occa-

sional mountain lion, wandering in to this vicinity from old Mexico, a few miles away.

The Black Gap area in time, could provide convenient location to harvest some of the surplus wildlife from the nearby Big Bend Na-

tional Park where hunting is not permitted.

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Social Calendar

Feb. 18th. Ladies Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. Fellowship hall of Church of Christ. Feb. 18th. Music Study Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club. February 19th. Friendship class party, 6 p.m. Fellowship Hall First Baptist Church. Feb. 19th. Past Matrons Association 7:30 p.m. in home of Mrs. Lena Kincaid, East Highway 80. Feb. 19th. Thursday Afternoon Club 3 p.m. Woman's Club.

Feb. 20th. Lakeside Country Club's family night (covered dish supper) 7 p.m. February 20th—High School Carnival at gym, 6:00 p.m.

Feb. 21st. Civic League and Garden Club's Mid Winter Festival "The Big Dam Dance" American Legion Hall 8 p.m. Feb. 21—West Ward P-TA bake sale, 10 a.m., A&P Grocery.

February 23rd—Xi Alpha Zeta Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Bill Collins, hostess.

February 24th. Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. IOOF Hall. Feb. 24. Eastern Star Study Class, 7 p.m. Masonic Hall. February 24th—Baptist Banquet for Seniors Basement of First Baptist Church. Feb. 24—South Ward P-TA 3:15 p.m. South Ward School.

Feb. 25th. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Fellowship hall Church of Christ. February 25—Eastland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary 3 p.m. Chamber of Commerce.

March 26th-27th—Senior Play. EHS auditorium.

Feb. 26th. Alpha Delphian Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club. Feb. 26th. Lakeside Country Club's Bingo Night 8 p.m.

February 27th. All day meeting of WMU 10 a.m. First Baptist church.

February 27th—Coronation of Eastland High School King and Queen. H.S. Aud. 8:00 p.m. Feb. 27—Baptist Better Teaching Clinic, Dr. W. L. House of Fort Worth speaker 7 p.m. First Baptist Church.

Feb. 28—Baptist Better Teaching Clinic, Dr. W. L. House, of Fort Worth, speaker, 7 p.m. First Baptist Church.

March 2nd—Christian Women Fellowship First Christian Church Annex 2:30 p.m. Mrs. James Watson, Leader.

March 2nd—Las Leales Club 7:30 p.m. Woman's Club Mrs. Guy

Patterson Hostess.

March 3. Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. IOOF Hall.

March 4th—Music Study Club, 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club Mrs. Allen D. Dabney Leader.

March 5th — Thursday Afternoon Study Club 3:00 Woman's Club.

March 6th-7th — Invitational High School Golf and Track activity in Ft. Worth.

March 10th. Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. IOOF Hall.

March 10th—Zeta Pi-Beta Sigma Phi 7:30 p.m. Xi Alpha Zeta-Beta Sigma Phi-Mrs. Bill Hoffman, Hostess.

March 11th — Abilene High School Choir at E.H.S. Aud.

March 12th— Alpha Delphian Club 3:30 p.m. Mrs. D. E. Frazier, Book Review-Mrs. D. E. Frazier.

March 16th— Las Leales Club 7:30 p.m. Woman's Club Mrs. Wendell Seibert, Hostess.

March 18th—Music Study Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club Mrs. H. C. Westfall, Chairman.

March 19th—Thursday Afternoon Study Club 3:00 p.m. Woman's Club. Mrs. Frank Crowell, Ldr.

March 21. Eastland County Federation, 2:30 p.m. Woman's Club.

March 23rd— Xi Alpha Zeta-Beta Sigma Phi 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Milton Fullen Hostess.

March 24th—Zeta Pi, Beta Sigma 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Roland Phillips Hostess.

March 25—Eastland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary 3 p.m. Chamber of Commerce.

March 26th—Alpha Delphians, 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club Mrs. W. C. Vickers, Ldr.

March 28th — Literary Interscholastic League Meet, EHS at Gorman 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.

April 1st—Kid Day at High School.

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Eastland Rebekahs Nearing Close Of Very Active Year's Work

Eastland Rebekahs held their regular weekly meeting Tuesday evening in IOOF Hall. Mrs. C. M. McCain, junior Past Noble Grand, reported on the success of the recent '42' party, from which \$30.00 was realized for the funds of the Lodge. The group expressed themselves as being very pleased with the improved appearance of the hall which has been completely redecorated and new drapes for the windows and new chairs added. Mrs. McCain was given a rising vote of thanks for making the drapes, also Mr. J. F. Brock, Paul Taylor and Mr. Floyd Nichols for painting the hall. Mrs. F. F. Terrell, District Deputy President, after giving instruction in the unwritten work of the Order, held an examination for those desiring 'Certificates of Perfection'. Mrs. Terrell also announced that she would conduct a 'Model Lodge Session' and School of Instruction, Tuesday evening, February 24. This will be the last school of this period which ends March 17. Plans were made to take pictures for the year book on the 24th. All members are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served. Mrs. Bud Fox, Noble Grand, presided and expressed appreciation for the good attendance of the members. Mrs. W. E. Lewis was at the piano and Mrs. Vernon Humphreys gave the closing prayer. Those present were: Meses. Anne Stokes, Genoa Brown, W. E. Lewis, Porter Woods, C. M. McCain, Blanche Nicols, Etta Drake, Lee Campbell, C. C. Street, C. M. Kelly, Frank Brock, Bud Fox, Otto Crab, Vernon Humphreys, Paul Taylor, F. F. Terrell, Rush Crawley, Beatrice McAdams and Miss Betty Jo Carroll.

Dan Cupid's Hospital Party Given For Senior's Sunday

Members of the Christian Women's Fellowship entertained the senior class Sunday afternoon with a Dan Cupid's Hospital party in the annex of the First Christian Church. Invitations to the party were sent to each of the honoraries in a capsule. Booths were arranged in the annex to care for all of the ills of the guests caused by Dan Cupid. They were greeted on arrival and ushered through the different wards of the hospital in small groups. Jimmy Don Huckabee was the official host, representing the junior class and the Christian Church. Meses. H. B. MacMoy and Otto Marshall were in charge of the children's ward. Mrs. Neil Day was in charge of the operating room, Mrs. Guy Robinson was in charge of the emergency ward and Mrs. W. Q. Verner, accident ward. When the groups reached the convalescence ward, where they were served refreshments by Meses. H. L. Sheppard, B. F. Hanna, J. W. Watson and Curtis Young. The table in the valentine theme, was prepared with a red cloth and decorated with a red containers of white carnations and candlelight. Favors were heart-shaped boxes filled with candies. Ensemble singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the school song ended the program. Attending were Joe Brown, Don Chrisman, Pauline Cogburn, Douglas Crabtree, Janie Dutton, Mary Franklin, Mary Ann Garrett, James Greer, Mable Grimes, Harrell Maxwell, Dorita Harbin, Gale Hogan, Loretta Holdcraft, James Kendrick, Frankie McDonald, Don Martin, Earline Miller, Joe Muirhead, Gail Parsons, Wanda Peel, Patsy Pogue, Bettie Robinson, Don Roff, Pat Simpson, Maxine Ward, Dolores Warden, Norman Watson, Jana Weaver, Don Webb, and Miss Verne Johnson, class sponsor.

TV KNEE

PELLEFONTAINE, O. — If the town of DeGraff, ten miles southwest of here, becomes "long-hair" within the next few weeks, unbarbered males can blame it all on television. The town's only barber, Louis K. Miller, suffered a fractured heel erecting a TV aerial and will not be working for several weeks.

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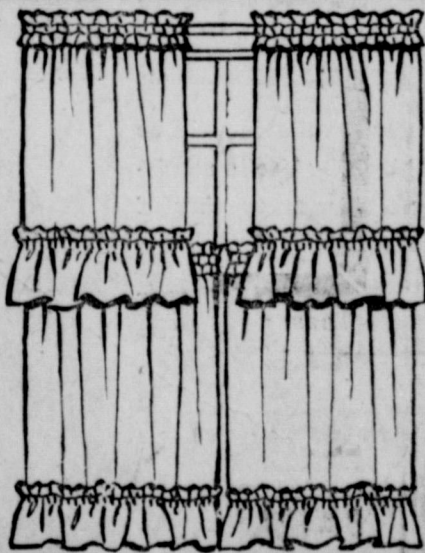
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# The Peacock Path

**THE STORY:** Jim Orth, private detective, posing as guest at Windover, estate of Murney Cravath, stockbroker, seeks clues in the murder of Cravath's junior partner, Ames Warburton. Attempts on Cravath's life twice were unsuccessful as was another attempt on Dolly Dumont, wife of another partner, Jack Dumont. Both the murder and attempted murders were staged to look like accidents and police still list Warburton's death as accidental. But next comes news from Cravath's office that \$50,000 in unregistered bonds are missing from the vault. Orth and Cravath go into the city and talk to Bill Neale, a senior partner with Cravath and Dumont.

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MARNY CRAVATH and Bill Neale opened the vault and made another search. They issued forth at last.

"Well," Cravath said, "I take full responsibility for this. I put the bonds in the vault myself." He led the way back to the office where he sat down. "Bill, tell Orth what you told me over the phone."

Neale looked at me half-apolitely. "The fact is, I let Ames Warburton into the vault the morning before he was killed. And I've let no one else in there since, except myself. That makes it look bad for me, as well as Warburton."

"Don't be silly, Bill," Cravath said at once. "What do you think about it, Orth?"

I asked: "Who has access to the vault?"

Cravath nodded. "This is a small firm, although we do plenty of business. Only Jack Dumont, Neale or myself could go into the vault alone. Warburton, being a junior, would have had to have one of us with him."

"But you three partners could go in the vault any time, alone?"

"Yes," Cravath admitted. "Perhaps it isn't the most ironclad system in the world, but it's worked very well for years. I trust my partners and they trust me. Dumont's been a friend of mine for 20 years and a partner for 25.

away. So I signed them against one of the walls of the vault." His eyes went down—"but that's how it was."

I really felt badly for the guy. He was in a spot.

"Look, Bill," Cravath said reassuringly, "stop beating yourself up. None of us would have believed this of Ames, in a million years."

"But why?" Neale's eyes were puzzled and troubled. "I don't get it. Why would Ames suddenly turn into a crook?"

Cravath shrugged. "Why does anybody steal? Ames needed money, I suppose. Must have got himself into some sort of private jam that we don't know about. Never will know now, I guess."

"But that's the queer part of it," Neale objected. "Ames steals 50 thousand, but 12 or 15 hours later he gets killed—or kills himself? It doesn't make sense."

"JUST a minute," I said. "How did Warburton look Mr. Neale, when you let him out of the vault? What did he do?"

Neale put a hand over his eyes. He seemed to make a creditable effort to recollect. "I see what you mean. Ames wasn't nervous or agitated. What happened comes back pretty clearly now. I finished signing those letters and when I turned around he was waiting. I asked him if he'd gotten what he wanted. He said yes, perfectly normally, and we stepped out of the vault and I closed the door. Then he asked me what time it was and I told him. And he said he'd have to get tracking because he had a lot of things to do before he started for Windover. That's the last I saw of him."

I nodded, not feeling much wiser. I am not, I'm afraid, a very bright character. It didn't register—then.

We broke up shortly afterwards. Neale had had dinner while waiting for us to get to the city, so he left for home. Cravath and I caught two drinks and a steak apiece in a place on Nassau Street. Then we headed back to the Island.

(To Be Continued)

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### NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker who have been suffering from the flu, are able to be up again.

M. O. Hazard was a business visitor in Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Foreman spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby, while

recuperating from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence and daughter, Sharon of Olden, were guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson and Mrs. Floyd Crawley, were shopping in Gorman, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence of Olden, were the guests Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reese of Olden, were callers at the Allen Crosby home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were in Eastland Saturday where they visited their son, Maurice Hazard and family, and Mrs. Pearl Bourland.

Mrs. J. W. Mounce is able to be up and about again.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hazard were the guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard.

Alfred Fox of Eastland was in the community on Business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald were guests in the Allen Crosby home Thursday evening.

Rev. Clifford Hampton of Brownwood, was here Sunday to fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church, and was the guest of the J. W. Mounces.

Mrs. Sam Fonville and Earl of Desdemona, attended Sunday School and preaching services here Sunday, and were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell and Miss Cora Mitchell from Strawn, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope, Tuesday.

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

Miss Verna Garret of Kokomo was in the congregation at church here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Boles and children from Cisco, were supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little Thursday.

### THE BITTER BIT

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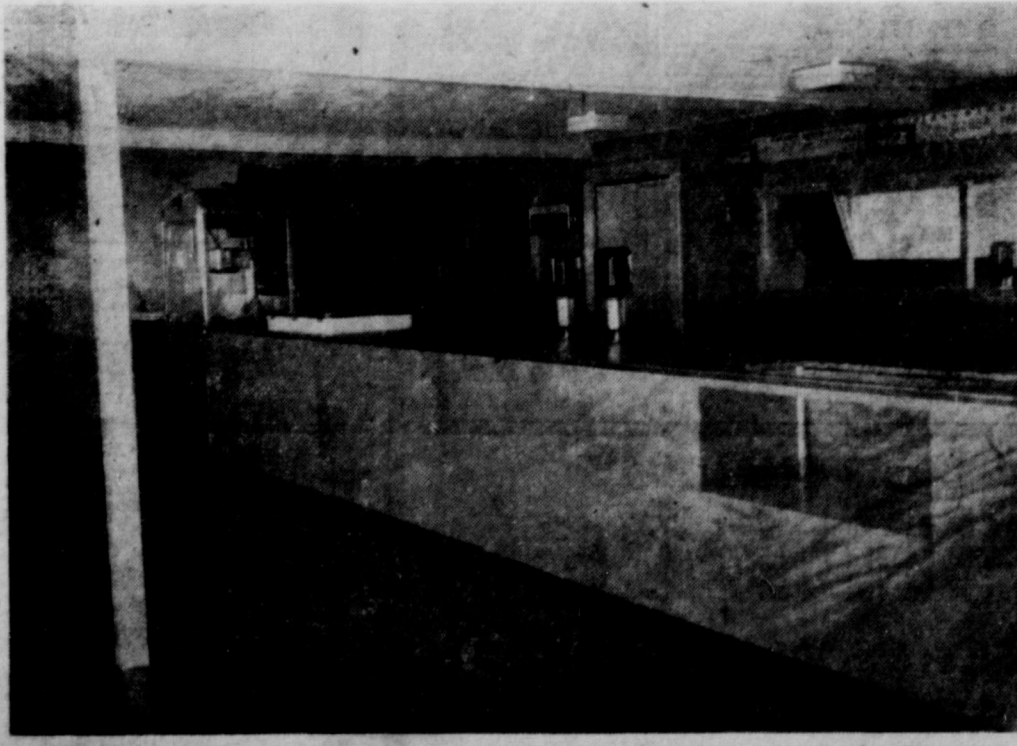
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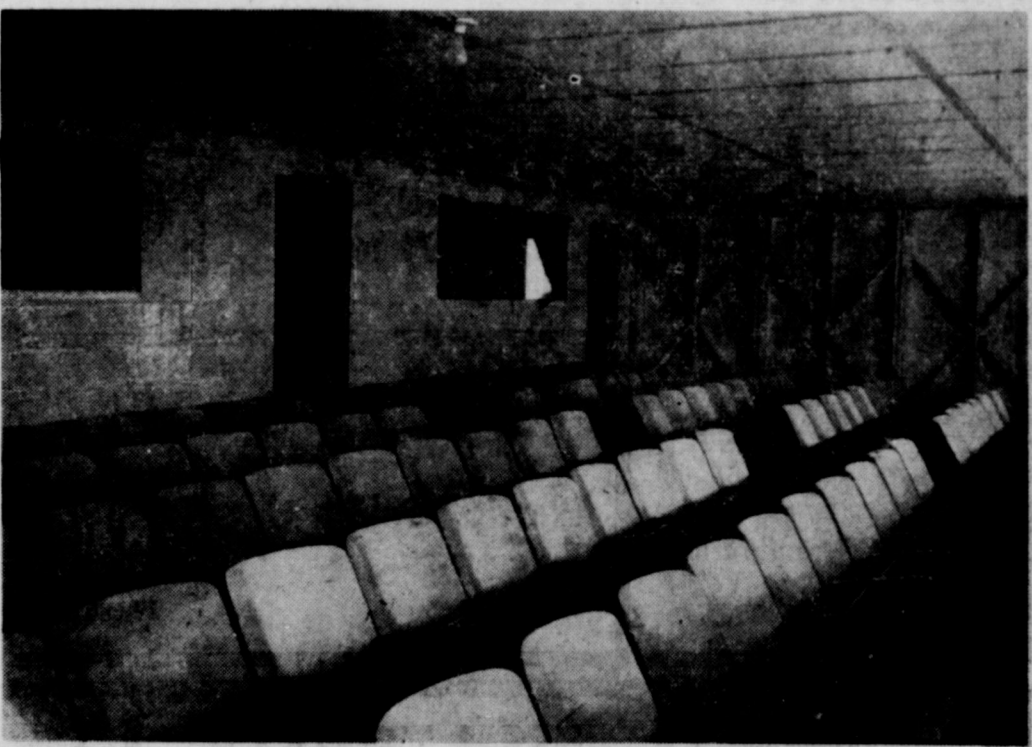
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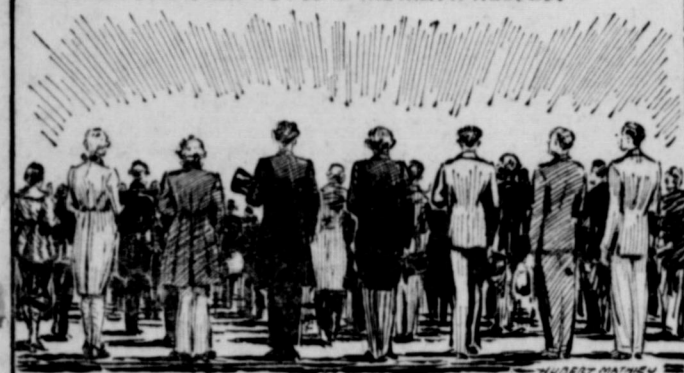


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**NEWS FROM CHEANEY**  
Mrs. Bill Tucker

Cheaney Home Demonstration Club members learned the importance of a properly constructed seed box in growing early plants for home gardens in a visual demonstration Thursday afternoon at their regular meeting February 12 in the home of Mrs. Luther Moody.

Roll call was answered by exchanging seeds of flowers and vegetables. Mrs. John Love gave the council report for February. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Meses. Earl Strickler, Gene Ferrell, John Love, Thebert Jones, Bill Tucker and the hostess, Mrs. L. A. Moody. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gene Ferrell on February 26.

A miscellaneous shower was given Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Love for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green, who are newlyweds. Mrs. Green is the former Glenna Louise Moody.

Gifts were displayed from the dining room table, which was laid with a maderia cut-work cloth and centered with a crystal candle holder with pastel green candles and pink carnations. Other decorations included a fruit centerpiece on the buffet, japonica and bowls of ivy in the living room.

Games of "42" were played while the youngsters played games in the yard. Cakes, coffee and hot cocoa were served from a beautifully appointed silver service before the gifts were opened. Attending families were the Joe Gorman hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Billy A. Tucker of Jal, New

Butlers, Hatley Deans, Red Hales, Monore Ainsworths, Jid Blackwells, Lamar Perrins, Thebert Joneses, Elmer Blackwells, J. B. Blackwells, L. Z. Meltons, Lonzo Meltons, Bill Reids, Herman Nergers, Melva Loves, Henry Perrins, Earl Stricklers, Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Green and the honorees.

We wish to announce the arrival of Garland Lynn Tucker, born Wednesday, February 11, 1953 at

Mexico. He weighed eight and one half pounds. Mother and baby are fine. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joiner of Gorman, Texas. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker of Ranger.

The Monroe Ainsworths have heard from his brother, Sgt. Arnold Ainsworth, who stated that riding out a storm of high seas was not exactly to his liking. He is

headquarters are now in Germany. The Earl Strickler family have moved to Caddo, where they will be engaged in ranch work.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood and children visited Saturday night in the Curtis Blackwell home and played "42".

Herman Blackwell, of Fort Worth, Ray Blackwell of Quanah

and Jane Thompson of O'Donnell were guests over the week-end in the Elmer Blackwell home. Miss Berle Blackwell of Lubbock also visited home over Sunday.

Mrs. Goldie Compton and family of Weatherford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler on Saturday.

The Rev. Bill Gresham conducted the Sunday morning worship

service at the Cheaney Church of Christ. He was accompanied by his wife and Chuck Williams, all from Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker of Ranger were callers in homes of Kenneth Brown and Bill Tucker.

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# Church... Society ... Clubs

## Founder's Day Observed With Impressive Program By West Ward Parent Teachers Association

Members of the West Ward Parent-Teachers association planned a bake sale for Saturday, February 21, to be held beginning at 10 a.m. in the A&P Grocery at their meeting Tuesday afternoon at the West Ward School. Mrs. E. E. Garner, president, presided and heard reports of officers and committees.

A corsage by the committee in appreciation of her gracious acceptance of the speaker's responsibility.

She conducted an impressive candle lighted ceremony in honor of Founder's Day, and gave a resume of the history of the organization. An offering of silver for furthering the extension work of the foundation was made.

A nominating committee was named and included: Mmes. W. L. Garner, Johnson Smith and L. W. Dalton.

Miss Louise Snoddy invited persons to attend a lecture to be given by a representative of the Texas State Teacher's Association at 7 p.m. March 6, in the auditorium of Cisco Junior College.

Mrs. Eugene Green's fourth grade was winner of the attendance award.

Mothers of the second grade were hostesses and arranged a tea during the social hour following the program. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and decorated in the organization's colors of green and white, carried out in the arrangement of spring flowers and candles. Silver appointments were used. White cake squares and hot spice tea was served to the forty-five members attending.

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## Mrs. Freyschlag Speaks At County Home Demonstration Meet

"Will You Answer the Call?" was the theme of a talk given by Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag, Red Cross chapter chairman, to the members of the County Home Demonstration Council, Wednesday, February 11, in the county court room in Eastland.

Mrs. H. C. Fridge, vice chairman, presided in the absence of Mrs. W. W. Fewell. Mrs. John Love, 1953 fund chairman, introduced the guest speaker, who commended the rural women for the splendid cooperation in the past and made a plea for the continued help in the campaign for funds this year.

Mrs. Freyschlag told the group of the need for an additional one and one-half million for recreation for our boys in Korea, who have so little in the way of recreation. Following the address, Mrs. Fridge heard committee reports and recommendations.

At a caucus of club reporters

prior to council convening, Mrs. Bill Tucker was elected council reporter and she asks that all club reporters send news to her by the first Wednesday in each month in order to get "Club Comrades" printed in time for council.

Following the council session, Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth, THDA chairman, held an election meeting to choose the three delegates to the District Eight convention in Brownwood, March 23 and 27. Elected delegates are Mrs. Josie K. Nix, Mrs. John Love and Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth. Alternates are Mrs. Buck Maples and Mrs. Jim Ray Cox.

Roll call was answered by all eleven club presidents, who gave action reports from Cheaney, Flatwood, Howard, Lake Cisco, Morton Valley, North Star, Okra, Pioneer, Pleasant Hill, Union Center and Word. There was a total attendance of twenty-nine members, fifteen visitors and the two Home Demonstration agents.

## Miss Williamson Is Elected Hardin-Simmons Campus Beauty

Dolores Williamson, dark haired junior from Eastland, was presented with the armful of red roses Friday at the all-university Valentine party, to become officially the Beauty of the annual affair.

Miss Williamson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Williamson of Morton Valley.

Pat Toney, senior from Monahans, and red-haired football letterman, received the bouquet of carrots and onions to become the Beast of the occasion.

The presentation Friday night in Merston Gym climaxed the nomination and election of a campus Beauty and Beast who are presented annually at the Valentine party. First elections were held last Saturday and the run-off was held Tuesday.

Miss Williamson, a blue-eyed brunette who was runner-up for the Beauty last year, topped Pat Morrow, blond sophomore from Murray, and Cieta Farrel, brunette junior from Childress, who were the finalists for the title.

Toney came away with the Best designation after a run-off with Cotton Fowler of McCaney and Hank Green of Abilene.

The presentation, which was sponsored by the Brand and the Student Council, featured an old-fashioned Valentine theme with a stage backdrop of red and white centered with a huge heart featuring the party. The Beauty and Beast and the finalists for the titles were presented through the heart and the program which followed was presented in honor of the Beauty and Beast.

## Mrs. Beskow Is Hostess To Ruth Circle

Mrs. Charles Beskow was hostess Monday evening to members of the Ruth Circle of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church at her home, 601 West Moss.

Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, presided, led the opening prayer, and conducted a short business session.

Mrs. N. L. Smith gave the lesson, entitled "Defining a and Defending the Faith." The meeting was closed with the Missionary benediction.

Refreshments of cake squares, minis and hot spice tea was served by the hostess. Present were Mrs. J. C. Carothers, N. T. Johnson, Winnie Beard, R. L. Carpenter, Smitham, Henry Ferrell, H. L. Sheppard, Lon Horn, Christine Beskow, E. E. Wood, and Miss Mable Hart.

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## Miss Hazard Weds H. Jordan Valentine Day

Miss Edith LaVerne Hazard became the bride of Harry Raymond Jordan in a ceremony read by the Rev. Otto Marshall in his and Mrs. Marshall's home, 210 West Olive at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 14.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hazard of Morton Valley and Mrs. Ima Jordan is the mother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Jordan chose for her marriage a grey suit with brown accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Mr. Jordan recently returned from California because of being called into service. Mrs. Jordan will continue to live here until he has completed his basic training and is permanently located, that she may join him.

## Mrs. Zernial Is Hostess To BWC Meeting

Mrs. Francis Zernial was hostess to members of the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church at her home, 606 W. Commerce, Monday evening.

Verne Allison, president, presided and Mrs. Ita Parrish gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Hazel Green, program chairman, led in a round table discussion of the "Mormon Country." Miss Christine Garrard gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served during a social hour following the program.

Present were Mmes. Tom Amis, Roy O'Yung, Hazel Sullivan, Mary Hancock, Green, Parrish, and Misses Alison, Florence Barber, and Lola Laney.

The next meeting will be for Bible Study, March 2, in the home of Mrs. Tom Lovelace.

Mrs. M. D. Padgett, Fort Worth, has been the recent guest here in the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Oakley and Mr. Oakley.

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## Come Out To The School Carnival

On Feb. 20, starting at 6 p.m., the big, annual school Carnival will begin. The carnival is sponsored by the junior class of EHS and is looked forward to by everyone.

The highlight of the carnival will be the announcement of the Royal Party for 1953. Identity of the entire royal party and the King and Queen of high school will be revealed promptly at 8:30.

There will be many different games, booths, and contests at the carnival and everyone can join in. Come early and eat your supper.

Hot dogs will be delicious and there will be cakes, pies, sandwiches, coffee and cokes. Join in the cake-walk and win a big, beautiful and delicious cake.

Yes, there will be fun for all at the Big Carnival on February 20. We'll see you there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Townsend of Nimrod were shopping in Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner were business visitors in Mineral Wells Tuesday.

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<b>IDAHO RUSSETT POTATOES</b> .....	10 lb. mesh Bag	<b>59c</b>
<b>LETTUCE</b> .....	large head	<b>13c</b>

<b>Sliced Bacon</b> LB. <b>49c</b>	<b>ARMOUR STAR Smoked Picnic</b> LB. <b>39c</b>
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