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Moore... ABOUT Eastland

By VIRGIL E. MOORE

So you think you have nothing to be thankful for this Thanksgiving Day of 1953. Well think back friend, you have. For instance think of the accidents you haven't had over the past year.

Now we don't want to make anyone sad this fine holiday, but at the same time we feel an urging to write on safety. Think we'll just try to entertain you, and at the same time point out a few hazards.

With help from the National Safety Council, here are a few accidents that have happened during the past 12 months.

Robert Heinbaugh was cutting the grass in his yard at Painesville, Ohio, when all of a sudden he felt shot—and it wasn't from heat or fatigue. His lawnmower had run over a bullet and plugged him in the big toe.

Then in Santa Cruz, Calif., John Plumb was shot by a rake he had always regarded as trustworthy. He was raking rubbish into a bonfire. In the rubbish was a shotgun shell.

Four-year-old Joan Williams, of Texarkana, broke the old saying "Everything but the kitchen sink" into shreds when she showed up at the hospital with it. Joan had stuck her finger in the drain of the sink, and it stayed there. After simpler methods failed, her father unbolted the sink and took it and Joan to the hospital.

Safety experts do a lot of talking about the minimum age for safe driving. The parents of Mary Jane Rodden can tell them that two and a half years is too young. That's how old Mary Jane was the day she somehow managed to start the family car as it stood in the driveway of the Rodden home in Memphis. She had no place in particular to go, so she drove into the Rodden living room. The only thing not expensively damaged was Mary Jane. She felt fine.

And before you sneer "just another woman driver" at Mary Jane, ponder the case of young Anthony Widby of Detroit who got behind the wheel of his family car, started it up and drove it slambang into the home of his next door neighbor. Tony got off scot free with the police, too. Maybe it was because he was only two years old.

You might know that a dog would have to get into the act. Actually though, if babies can drive cars a real smart dog should get away with it too. At least that's what a dog in Lincoln, Neb., figured. So when Mrs. Jewel Norman left her car with the motor idling, her pet pooch climbed from the back seat into the front pawed the gear shift a bit, and backed the car accurately and resoundingly into another car. His license was suspended.

And in Santa Barbara, Calif. the Coffey-Pott accident really had things perk up. A car driven by Thomas F. Coffey collided with a car driven by Ben Pott. Police didn't hold either driver. No grounds!

We gasp when we think of how many times we could have done this ourselves—Young Carner Harris of New Orleans had to much bounce to the ounce as he jumped up and down on a sofa in his third-floor apartment. He bounced right out an open window into a sand pit 45 feet below. The soft sand and the hard stamens of a rugged four-year-old boy enabled him to escape with minor injuries.

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No Change in Weather Due
No important temperature change is predicted by the weather man for today and Friday. He said there would be far weather both days.
High Thursday is due to fall at about 65 with the low tonight 40 and the high Friday 70.

OWN THE ECONOMY WINNER
The 1954 DODGE
McGraw Motor Co.

Mrs. Davis Rites Are Held In Mingus

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Mrs. Sally Alice Davis, 77, at the Mingus Methodist Church. Mrs. Davis died Sunday in Fort Worth.

A member of the Christian Church, Mrs. Davis lived in Mingus for 47 years. She was born May 5, 1876 in Ragadio, Tenn. She married J. T. Davis Dec. 15, 1907. He preceded her in death in 1944.

Survivors include two sons, Weldon H. of Ranger and James of Stephenville; and a daughter, Mrs. Alma Graham of Ft. Worth.

Burial was at Blue Flat Cemetery.

Social Security Expert To Be Here Dec. 2

E. Glenn McNatt, representative of the Social Security Office in Abilene will be at the City Hall, Driver's License office in Eastland at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2.

Persons wishing assistance in connection with applications for retirement payments or applications for survivors' payments should call at that time. His next visit will be at the same time on Dec. 16.

Every year many workers who obtain temporary jobs during the Christmas season fail to get proper social security credit for their earnings, according to Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene social security office.

Fisher said this is caused by the workers' failure to show his social security card to his employer in order that his number, as well as his name, can be correctly recorded when he begins work. Usually, the employment has terminated by the time the employer's tax report is sent in during January. As a result, the worker's number is missing from the report and the wages cannot be credited by name alone.

Fisher pointed out that loss of such credit can be costly to a worker at retirement, or to his survivors in the event of his death, and he urged that every employee show his card to his employer at the time he is hired.

'54 Chevrolet Trucks Go On Display Here

Completely re-engineered to give outstanding performance in meeting modern hauling requirements, a new line of 1954 Chevrolet trucks will be introduced by Fuller Motor Co. of Eastland Saturday. Milton Fuller, owner, said today.

Truck operators will have an opportunity to see the new vehicles in an exclusive truck display at Chevrolet dealers' showrooms at that time. Improvements in every part of the vehicle—engine, chassis and body—have been designed with an eye to current and future needs of truck owners and drivers. Among the more important advancements are the following features:

1. Three new engines, with increased horsepower and outstanding, economical performance, include the most powerful truck engine ever built by Chevrolet.
2. Automatic transmissions optional through the one-ton (10,000 lbs. GVW) model range.
3. Increased durability, with heavier axle shafts in the two-ton models, bigger clutches on light- and heavy-duty models and more rigid frames on all models. Optional heavy-duty three-speed transmissions available on light- and medium-duty models offer greater gear reduction, more rugged construction and a steering-column gearshift lever on one-ton models.
4. Dramatically improved comfort for the driver through a new Ride-Control seat, standard on sub-over-engine models and optional in all other cabs.
5. Appearance improvement with a new, more massive radiator grille and front-end design, while a one-piece curved windshield increases visibility and safety as well as adding to distinction of the vehicle.
6. More space for payloads and easier loading. The body height of pickup, platform and stake models has been lowered through modified body mountings. Unobstructed loading space has been lengthened on several models.

Thanksgiving, 1953

(An Editorial)

It was with grateful hearts that the members of both Houses of Congress adopted a joint Resolution requesting the President of the United States to recommend to the people a day of public Thanksgiving and Prayer.

The year was 1789. The president was George Washington. In the first paragraph of his official Thanksgiving Proclamation, Washington said:

"Whereas it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits and humbly implore His protection and favor; and whereas both houses of Congress have, by their joint committee, requested me to recommend to the people of the United States a day of Public Thanksgiving and Prayer, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many signal favors of Almighty God, especially affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness."

When this Thanksgiving Proclamation was issued, our country was young and weak and poor. Its four million people were beset by trials and tribulations. Life was rough and rugged and hard. The task of providing even the bare necessities of life was a desperate struggle which taxed the strength and the courage of the pioneers.

But even though these hardy pioneers of 1789 were poor in material goods, they were rich in faith, in courage and in gratitude. And thus it was they joined together, with humble and grateful hearts, to give thanks for their blessings, meager though they were.

Today, one hundred and sixty-four years since the first official Thanksgiving Proclamation was issued, our country no longer is weak or poor, although it still is young by comparison with the nations of Europe and Asia. Now it is a powerful and prosperous nation.

It's one hundred sixty-odd million people today enjoy more of the good things of life than any other people on earth. In all of history, no other people have been so well fed, so well clothed, so well housed, or enjoyed such a high standard of living. Materially, we are the richest people the world has ever known.

Of the two billion people who populate the world today, those of us who live in the United States are the most fortunate . . . and the richest in material blessings.

The hearts of all of should be filled with a spirit of gratitude on Thanksgiving Day, for a Divine Providence has been good to us.

Q-Backers To Build Track; Hold Supper

Quarterback Club members announced three big decisions Thursday. The Eastland "sports backers" decided to sponsor a free stag supper, to build a track for Eastland High this fall, and to donate \$200 toward the purchase of an electric clock for the gym.

The supper will be held Tuesday, Dec. 1, at the high school cafeteria. A club spokesman said officers for the coming year would be elected at that affair. He said the supper was free and was not a membership drive supper.

Anyone interested in the Quarterback Club was asked to attend the supper, however.

The second decision reached by the Q-backers will open up track at the high school in full swing. The club voted to spend from \$500 to \$800 on the track. It will be built south of Maverick Stadium.

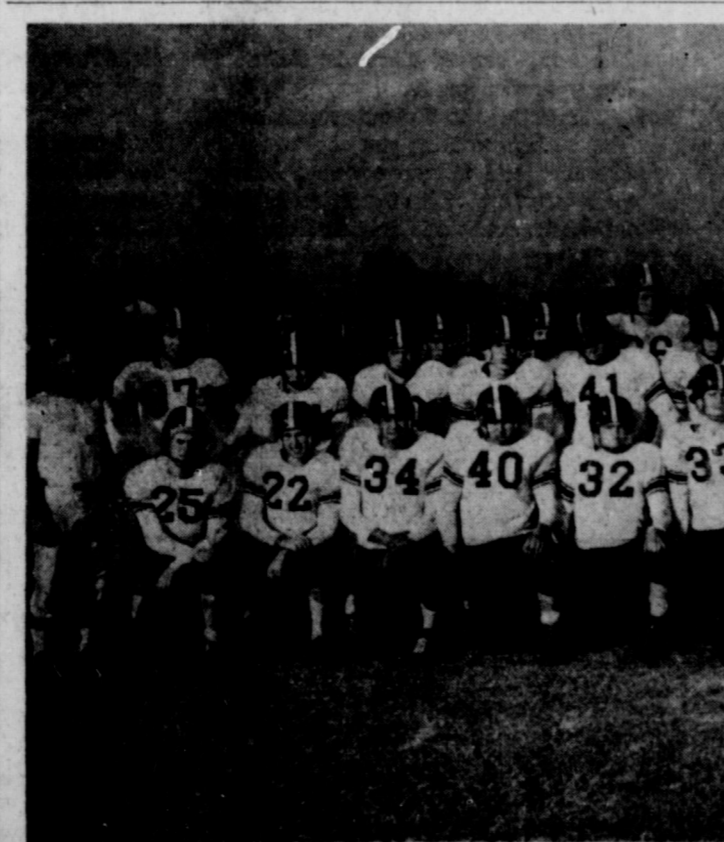
The third decision will be an asset to Coach Carol Shelton and his basketball team. The electric clock and score keeper should speed up Maverick games. The Quarterback Club donated \$200 toward cost of the clock and the school will pay the rest.

Eastland Band Gains First Class Rating

The Eastland High School Band brought home a Division I, Class A rating from the Interscholastic League Marching Contest at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

The band, under the direction of George Blaise, went through a seven-minute marching drill before the eagle eye of top rated judges to cop the honor.

It was the first such rating the band has ever achieved in marching. Judging was based on appearance, uniforms, and the ability to perform maneuvers.



GO GET 'EM—Here are the boys who plan to make life rough for the Albany Lions Friday night. They are the 1953 Ranger High Bulldogs. From left to right, front row, are Jimmy Littlefield, Charlie Masseege, Chico Mendoza, Eddie Janger, Bobby Justice, John Rush, Dan Mitchell, Jimmy Wheeler, Timmy Hinds, Scott Forney and Benny Robinson. Standing, second row, Coach 'Stubby' Warden, Tommy Sutton, Jerry Bradford, Jerry Cantrell, Jimmy Nail, Gary Patterson, John Hageman, Dan Cruse, Tommy Young, Johnny Graves, Johnny Swinney, John Wylie and Coach Boone Yarbrough. Back row: Cruz Vasquez, Paul Hinds, Archie Robinson, Eddie Jacoby and Pete Jameson. Billie Browning is the only Bulldog not pictured. He was in Eastland registering with the Selective Service.

Eastland, Ranger To Ask For Bridge Across Lake

Passage Across Leon River Termed 'Must'

Officials from Ranger and Eastland and other county towns will appear before the State Highway Commission in Austin Tuesday, Dec. 1, to ask the state to

construct a bridge across what will be a lake when the new Leon River Dam is completed.

Eastland county commissioners asked for the hearing several weeks ago. Unless the state agrees to build a bridge across the lake the town of Staff will be completely cut off from both Eastland and Ranger. The only way citizens of the town could reach either town would be to go around the lake unless the bridge is built.

Eastland county citizens want a farm-to-market road built from Highway 571 across the lake to Highway 570. The road is now graded.

Both the Eastland and Ranger Chamber of Commerce offices are working on the project. R. V. Galoway, manager of the Ranger C-C termed the project a "must."

Herb Tanner, Eastland C-C manager, said several employees of Texas Electric Service Co. who live in Staff would be completely cut off from their work unless the bridge is built. They are employed at Lake Olden. TESCO's power plant. The only way they could get to the plant when the lake is full would be to travel to Eastland and then come back.

The road would cover about eight or ten miles.

Christmas Lights Go On Tonight

The lights go on again in Eastland tonight. Speaking of course of the Christmas lights.

Yes, Eastland will again take its place as the best decorated small town in the southwest. Each year the city decks out in beautiful lights to put the city in a holiday mood.

This year the lighting is all new. It won't look any different—tradition still rules—but Chamber of Commerce Manager Herb Tanner says it will be a lot sturdier.

Downtown merchants have already begun to decorate their show windows. Santa Claus has promised to make his annual pre-Christmas call, and kids have already started mailing their letters to Santa.

Christmas time is definitely here.

Services For W. H. White 2:30 Today

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. for W. H. White, 88, longtime resident of Eastland county who died Wednesday afternoon at his home, 405 South Walnut in Eastland, after a brief illness. Mr. White had lived in Eastland county since 1903 and in Eastland since 1942.

Rev. Jack D. Westler, pastor of the Pinkerton Baptist Church, formerly of Staff, will officiate and Rev. Melvin Ratheal, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Eastland, will assist.

Mr. White, a retired farmer and rancher, was a deacon in the Eastland First Baptist Church and had also served as deacon of the Staff Baptist Church.

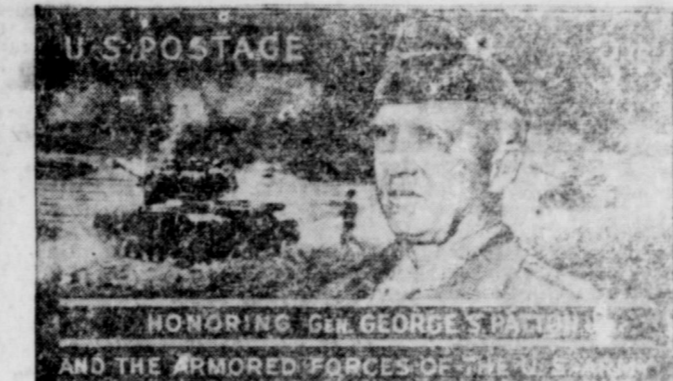
Born near Pickens, Miss., July 31, 1865, Mr. White moved to Bell county in 1883 and from there to Eastland county in 1903. He made his home in Staff from 1903 until 1942 when he moved to Eastland.

Mr. White was a prominent figure in the Baptist Church. He joined the church in March, 1904 in Staff.

He was united in marriage to Fannie Love August 13, 1889 near Anson. To this union was born nine children, two of which preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, C. B. of San Angelo, John F. of Odessa, Wayne of Staff, Roy of Ellsville, and Harry E. of Phoenix, Ariz.; two daughters, Mrs. R. H. Myrick of Abilene and Mrs. O. T. Hazard of Staff; 12 grandchildren and a d four great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in Eastland Cemetery, Hamner Funeral Home is in charge of services.



PATTON STAMP—The late General George S. Patton Jr. who wrote a new chapter in military history with lightning armored thrusts deep into enemy territory during World War II, and Army tankers share honors of the commemorative stamp pictured above. The new stamp went on sale here this week for the first time.

THANKSGIVING HIGH POINT OF CHRISTIAN YEAR -- OGLESBY

"Thanksgiving is the highest celebration of the Christian year," Rev. Jackson Oglesby, pastor of the First Methodist Church, told Eastlanders who attended the community Thanksgiving service held at the Church of God Wednesday night.

Speaking before an almost capacity audience, Rev. Oglesby said "It is more blessed to give than to receive . . . and in Thanksgiving we are giving."

Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck Jr., pastor of the Church of God, and chairman of the General Minister's Fellowship, presided over the services. Rev. Eugene Twining directed congregational singing.

Rev. Hallenbeck read Psalm 103 and the choir, under the direction of George Pledsoe, sang several numbers.

"Jesus Saves" was the topic of

Rev. Oglesby's sermon. He told the group a "thankful heart is the parent of all other virtues." He said "a thoughtful person is a thankful person."

Stating that all that we have is a gift of our Father, Rev. Oglesby said "Thanks be to God for this privilege."

"Thankfulness springs from the heart," the Methodist minister said. "Some who have the most are the least thankful and some who have the least are the most thankful."

He said "No other nation has ever been so blessed."

The service was sponsored by the General Ministerial Fellowship.

Don Carlisle Wreck Victim

Donald Carlisle, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Koen of Eastland, was seriously injured about 4 p.m. Wednesday when the scooter he was riding collided with a car at the corner of North Armerman and West Main Streets.

The car driven by a Mr. Charles Orr of Pecos, was thrown upon the curb by the excess of the brakes in trying to avoid hitting the youngster, according to spectators. He rendered aid and waited to view X-rays made at the Eastland Memorial hospital before continuing on his journey.

The Koens have been advised by the local doctors to take the youth to a bone specialist as he has a fractured thigh, near the hip, and a clean break above the left ankle, according to reports.

Wright Brings Vets Up To Date On Latest V. A. News, Happenings

By JAMES T. WRIGHT
(EDITOR'S NOTE: In the following paragraphs you will find the latest up-to-date information on veteran news and law changes. This will be a regular service from your service officer and will be in the Eastland Telegram each month.)

Korean Veterans Homestead Rights—Veterans of the Korean conflict are eligible for preference in farm purchase and homestead drawings only if they completed the necessary military service prior to July 3, 1952. Public Law 343—78th Congress—granting preferred treatment to WW I veterans has not yet been amended to include service since the above date of July 3, 1952—Veterans of WW I and the Spanish-American War are also eligible for land drawings, at least 90 days active duty is required, except where discharge for disability intervened—widows of veterans may be eligible if the veteran died as a result of military service. Korean veterans would be eligible for land settlement preference if they accumulated 90 days service prior to July 3, 1952.

Dental Treatment
Approval of a far-reaching change in dental care by Administrator Harvey H. Highley—the economy program has forced the VA to restrict veterans with service-connected dental disability not severe enough to warrant compensation to one-shot treatment and so this new ruling will deny continuing treatment to those whose dental disabilities were incurred in service—

the situation is at this time—Veterans with noncompensable dental disabilities will be permitted treatment to correct the conditions but not allowed any further treatment even if service connected disabilities later requires it later.

The new rule exempts Korean veterans or former POWs who may receive as many dental treatments as required to take care of conditions caused by being a POW and the giving of dental treatment adjunct to other disabilities.

It appears that quite a few veterans desiring direct loans in certain areas have been told that if they wish to get quick action from the VA in connection with an application for a direct loan, they should get their application handled by a certain individual, real estate agent, loan broker, attorney, or some person located in a particular community. Any veteran desiring to obtain a direct loan to purchase or construct a home should write a letter direct to the Loan Guaranty Officer of the VA Regional Office having jurisdiction over where he lives.

It is not necessary for him to get a real estate agent, loan broker, or another person to write this letter for him. Of course, we feel that he should consult a veteran service officer or a County Service officer in regard to this as well as any other matter relating to the veterans benefits.

The law under which direct (Continued On Page 8)

STYLE - SAFETY - ECONOMY
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E.M.H. Auxiliary Plans Project At Tuesday Morning Coffee

Civilian Defense for Eastland was discussed Tuesday, when members of the Eastland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary were the guests at a coffee hosted by Mrs. James

Horton, president, at her home, Halbryan and Pershing Streets. Mrs. Arthur Murrell greeted guests, who were received by the hostess and directed to the re-

freshment table, where Mrs. Bill Walters Jr., presided and poured. The white Maderia linen cloth covering the table was centered with an arrangement of yellow and Bronz Chrysanthemums. Silver appointments were used.

Guests were then directed to the den, where the regular monthly business session was held.

In the discussion of Civil Defense Mmes. Jack Frost and Bill Walters names were added to the emergency committee composed of Mmes. John Turner, Wiley Ha in, Victor Cornelius, and Walter Chaney. It was decided that the group sponsor the organization of a Defense organization, contacting the Mayor, the County Judge, and other Civic organizations of Eastland, to obtain their cooperation in the movement.

Mrs. Grace Reed, superintendent of the hospital reported that arrangements had been completed for the vaccination of about thirty pupils of the Douglas School, and that the work would be done within the next several days. This project was recommended by the Auxiliary.

Announcements were made of several new magazines being sent to the hospital by special subscription of clubs and individuals.

The group also voted to place a Christmas tree at the hospital and plans were made to care for same. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins donated \$10.00 to purchase tree decorations.

Mrs. Earl Conner invited the Auxiliary to meet in her home, 515 South Seaman at 3 p.m. Wednesday, January 27th.

The membership was well represented at the coffee the reporter said.

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Gary Wingate Arrives in Okinawa Tuesday

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Young Wingate sailed October 19th from Parks AFB, Oakland, Calif., after having spent a twenty-one day leave here with his parents.



INTRODUCING MONA KAY WRIGHT

Mona Kay, seven-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wright, 307 South Dixie, has already developed that bashful smile and that look in her eyes. If we are any kind of prophet Mona will set many a boy's heart on fire in the next several years.

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Chevrolet Dealers Spotlight New Trucks

Typical of completely re-engineered Chevrolet trucks making their 1954 model debut at dealer showrooms this week is the three-quarter ton (5500 GVW) stake, on which dual rear wheels are automatic transmission, improved comfort and now available. Loading height has been lowered and floor area between stakes increased. More horsepower in each of three new engines, greater durability through sturdier construction, optional convenience are among Chevrolet truck advances.

Lt. John Hancock Arrives in Pusan, Korea

Lieutenant John Hancock, son of Mrs. Mary Hancock of Eastland arrived in Pusan, Korea, November 16th.

Young Hancock is with the Korea Military Advisory Group, and writes his mother that he thinks he is now permanently settled for the duration of his service. He has been more than 50,000 miles in his travels with the Army. He visited here with his mother in August before starting his overseas journey.

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Eastland Woman Will be on TBTU Program

Mrs. Pat Crawford of Eastland will be among those appearing on the program of the sixty-third annual Texas Baptist Training Union Convention when it meets in Fort Worth Nov. 26-28.

The convention will open at 9:45 a.m. Thursday morning with a keynote message by Dr. J. Ralph Gram, of Lubbock. A Thanksgiving sermon, "With Christ There is More in the Word," will be preached by Dr. H. H. Hobbs of Oklahoma City. The opening session will be held at the Will Rogers Auditorium.

Twelve sessions during each afternoon will require the use of several Fort Worth buildings and churches including the Jewish Synagogue. More than 10,000 messengers are expected for the convention, according to Dr. T. C. Gardner, director of the state Baptist Training Union Department in Dallas.

One of the highlights of the three-day convention will be the selection of state winners in better speech, sword drill, handwork, Bible memory, Bible story telling, choir, and rhythm band contests during the Saturday morning session.

State winners in both the Young People's Better Speech and the Intermediate Sword Drill contests will represent Texas at either Ridgecrest, N.C., or Glorieta, N. M., site of the two Southern Baptist assemblies, during next summer. Winners in all contests will receive ribbon awards.

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Zeta Pi Chapter Meets In Home of Mrs. Goode

Mrs. Bill Leslie, president, presided Mrs. James R. Edwards who talked on "Awareness of Blessings" Tuesday evening at the meeting of the Zeta Pi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, in the home of Mrs. John T. Goode, 108 East Conner Street.

Taylor Studio Presents Two In Recital

Mrs. A. F. Taylor joined other music teachers, members of the National Music Teacher's Association of Brownwood in their presentation of pupils of elementary grades in recital Monday evening, Nov. 23, at the Denman Music Hall in Brownwood.

Eastland Junior Music Clubs Win District Honors

George Ann Bennett represented the Beethoven Junior Music Club and the Taylor Studio Saturday, when presented on the fine arts program at the TFCM district convention's Junior Day, in Abilene.

Two Bobcats Trapped By Government Man

Two bobcats hit the dust in Eastland county this week. R. L. Musgrave, government trapper, brought two of the cats to Eastland Tuesday afternoon.

WRIGHT--

(Continued From Page 1) loans are granted by the VA does not permit any fees to be paid to a so-called "middle man" to assist him in obtaining a direct loan. It does, however, permit paying rea-

sonable fees for closing the loan such as title examination, insurance, record fees, etc. The VA pays direct to the closing attorney, fees for his service in preparing the deed of trust and note and the actual closing of the loan. The inno-

cent veteran who pays a fee to anyone referred to above may jeopardize his future benefits with VA. Our Parting Thought: "Even a turtle gets nowhere until it sticks its neck out."

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Student Body To Sponsor Movie Here

The student body of Eastland High School in cooperation with the Majestic Theatre are sponsoring the showing of a screen attraction, Thursday, Dec. 10.

Cage Workouts Next Monday

Eastland High School basketball practice will get underway Monday, Coach Carrol Shelton said Thursday.

Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Russell, 211 West Patterson are the parents of a daughter, born at 5:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Eastland Memorial hospital.

Greetings to All...

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Eastland Music Study Club To Present Concert

The Eastland Music Study Club will present as their Christmas present to the Eastland music lovers a free concert at 3 p.m. December 6th, at the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Art Johnson, chairman, announced.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Gattis and new son, Mark Renfro of Fort Worth, are the Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Mae Gattis, Eldress M. Gattis family and Mr. and Mrs. James Ward.

Mrs. Robert Childress and children, Danny and Barbara, Mrs. Dan Childress of Abilene, were the guests here Monday in the Harold Courtney home.

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Cases Submitted

3057 J. C. Irwin, Jr., et al vs. Mattie Tollett, et al. Throckmorton

3059 C. L. Nelson vs. Danigna Tool & Supply Company. Stephens

3061 Yates Harwell, et al vs. The State of Texas. Brown

3062 Texas Christian University et al vs. Charlie Burgett, et al. Palo Pinto

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3063 Larry Blackmon, et al vs. Leon H. Stanley. Stephens

3064 Col-Tex Refining Co., vs.

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3067 T. A. Uphaw vs. C. L. Heroworthy, Jr. et al. Stonewall

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3068 Vera LaNave vs. R. D. Hinkson, et al. Palo Pinto

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3072 Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc. vs. Hoyt L. Agnew. Coleman

3073 Texas Employers' Insurance Association vs. Everett C. Stone. Scurry

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3073 J. Marvin Hunter, Jr. vs. Charles Leathers. Calahan

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3075 D. K. Woolbridge vs. J. J. Bower, et al. Shackelford

3076 E. W. Guest, et al vs. Pearl D. Guest. Bizzell, et al. Stephens

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3080 Farmers Mutual Ins. Association of Erath County, Texas vs. M. B. Gilbreath. Erath

3081 Alvin Earl Sanders vs. L. N. Ellison, et al. Jones

NEWS FROM CHEANEY

Young men who are studying for the ministry at Abilene Christian College, were again speakers at both Cheaney and Alameda churches on Sunday. Lloyd Ash conducted the services at Cheaney, and services at Alameda were in charge of Glenn Padon. Orville Miller was song leader at Alameda.

The ROT Tuckers were visitors at Alameda Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Love.

Visitors at Cheaney Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Blackwell, Cynthia and Billy of Odessa; Mrs. Cora Love of Lubbock.

Mrs. Moore Eastland of Fort Worth, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blackwell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neiger attended church at Cheaney and visited with their children, the Curtis and Jack Blackwell families.

The Dick Weekes family of Comanche, the Ben Freemans, and the Tom Kloughs were Sunday dinner guests in the Hatley Deas home.

Mrs. Mary Tucker is spending several weeks here with her children, Betty Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker. She spent the summer in New Mexico with Tom



Yvonne Wyman and Sterling Hayden find love in a scene from 'Wagon Wars', dramatization of Edna Ferber's Pulitzer Prize novel, "So Big," which opens Friday at the Majestic Theatre.

and Shelby Tucker and family. Ranger indicated rheumatic fever.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yancey spent the week end in Fort Worth with their sons, J. T. and J. L. Yancey. Betty Jean Yancey visited Darlven Wasson while her parents were gone.

The Garland Davises of Ranger, visited her daughter, Mrs. Monroe Alsworth and family Monday night.

Mrs. Lamar Perrin carried their daughter, Barbara, to Gorman Saturday for a check-up at Blackwell's hospital. Previous check at

Schedule Of Services At First Methodist

Rev. Jackson C. Oglesby, pastor of the First Methodist Church, released the following schedule of services for the coming week.

Sunday at 9:45 a.m., Church School for all ages, C. G. Stanchcomb, Jr., Superintendent.

10:59 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon, "A Wise Way" by the pastor.

6:15 p.m., The Intermediate Methodist Youth Fellowship subject will be "Why Be Thankful" led by Sue Day. The Senior Methodist Youth Fellowship subject will be "Service of Thanksgiving" led by Richard Jones.

7:00 p.m., Evening Worship. Song service led by Mr. Wendell Siebert and the Youth Choir. Sermon, "How to Use Sunday" by the pastor. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will have a social hour immediately after the evening service. Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Steffen will be hosts.

Monday, 8:00 p.m., the Woman's

Society of Christian Service will be Circle Day. Sikes Circle will meet with Mrs. Frank Casleberry; White Circle will meet with Mrs. O. M. White; Collie Circle will meet with Mrs. Earl Bender.

Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock the Bible Study will be led by the pastor.

The choir will rehearse at 7:30 under the direction of Mr. George Pladsoe.

The Commission on Education will meet at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, immediately following the Bible Study.

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Methodist Women Meet Monday For Luncheon and Program

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service and of the Lamplighter's Circle of the First Methodist Church met Monday at the church for a 12 o'clock luncheon, under the chairmanship of Mrs. W. F. Davenport. Mrs. A. E. Cushman gave the invocation. During the business session, announcements were made of the circle meetings. The Mable White

Circle will meet Monday, Nov. 30th at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. O. M. White. The W.S.C.S. Christmas dinner party, honoring their husbands, was announced for 7 p.m., Dec. 7th, at which time Lynn Landrum of Dallas will be the speaker. Mrs. R. C. Ferguson gave the devotional, using as her theme "Thanksgiving." Mrs. J. C. Oglesby gave a report on the recent district meeting held in Breckenridge, at which she and Mrs. A. E. Cushman, were delegates. Mrs. Frank Sparks directed a playlet entitled, "A Sower Went Forth" and sang a solo, "Stranger of Galilee" accompanied by Mrs. Donald Kinnard.

Those taking part were Meses. Hubert Jones, Jack Frost, Don Pierson, and Virgil Seaberry Jr. The white linen laid tables were beautifully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums. Present were Meses. T. M. Johnson, M. B. Titworth, H. L. Hassell, Davenport, Ferguson, James Horton, J. A. Doyle, Cecil Collings, J.-A. Caton, Henry Van Geen, L. C. Brown, O. M. White, W. P. Leslie, Ina Bean, A. E. Cushman, Sparks, Kinnard, Oglesby, Turner Collier, A. E. Taylor, Frank Crowell, B. O. Harrell, Howard Brock, F. L. Bleck, C. G. Stinchcomb, Jones, Thura Taylor, N. C. McCamey, Seaberry, Frost, Pierson, Richardson, Miss Loretta Morris, and a guest, Mrs. Carl Butler Jr. of Bryan.

Church... Society ... Clubs

Baptist Women's Missionary Union Meet This Week In Circle Groups

Members of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday in circle groups in the homes of members. The Business Women's Circle met in the evening at the home of Miss Christine Garrard, 608 West Commerce.

Lola Laney, president, presided over the business session during which the group planned a Thanksgiving basket for the needy. They also elected Mrs. Hannah Lindsey as WMU advisor.

Announcement of the next meeting, Dec. 14, in the home of Mrs. Eugene Green, was made.

Mrs. Roy Young gave the Royal Service program entitled, "Advance Through Suffering in Korea." Mrs. Tom Amis and Miss Laney gave the opening and closing prayers.

A refreshment plate was served during the social hour following the program.

Present were Meses. Ita Parrish, Francis Zernial, Marvin Hood, Hazel Sullivan, Young, Amis, Green, W. G. Garrard, Misses Laney, Allean Williams, Betty Jo Carroll and Florence Barber.

The Virginia Buddin Circle met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. A. D. Carroll, who was assisted in entertaining the group by her daughter, Miss Betty Jo Carroll.

Mrs. H. F. Vermillion gave the opening prayer, and presented the lesson, "Let's Listen."

Mrs. Frank Lovett, chairman, presided over the business session. A Thanksgiving basket was planned. Next meeting of the group is to be hosted by Mrs. A. C. Cartledge, Monday, Dec. 14.

A salad plate was served during the social hour following the program.

Present were Meses. Don Daniels,

J. W. Wallace, C. C. Street, Vermillion, Miss Ida Chandler, Meses. Mary Copeland, John Williams, Jim Drake, A. W. Cartledge, Frank Lovett, and Mrs. Jess Taylor of Odessa, a visitor and the hostess.

The Josephine Holmes Circle met in the afternoon in the home of Mrs. Roland Koch. Mrs. E. N. Scott, presented the Lesson Study, "Let's Listen" by H. C. Goerner.

Mrs. Warren Chapman, chairman, presided over the business session and announced that the circle would join other circles in their meeting at the church next Monday in the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer program.

Present were Meses. Wayne Brock, Charles Laton, Gene Boney, E. N. Scott, Chapman, a guest, Mrs. Melvin Rathaal, WMU president, and the hostess, Mrs. Koch.

The Morgan Circle met in the home of Mrs. M. A. Treadwell, who also presented the lesson study.

Mrs. E. C. Watson, chairman, presided over a business session, which was followed by a tea.

Mrs. Bob Perkins poured from a beautifully appointed table decorated with yellow and bronze chrysanthemums. The hostess assisted in the serving of cookies and nuts.

Present were Meses. M. L. Campbell, V. L. Red, W. W. Carney, Perkins, F. A. R. Morgan, Frank Sayre, J. W. Grimes, Watson and the hostess, Mrs. Treadwell.

County Federated Clubs Meet On November 21st

A report of the recent Texas Federation convention held in Austin was given by Mrs. A. J. Olsen of Cisco, Saturday, Nov. 21, at the regular session of the Eastland County Federation of Clubs, which met in the Woman's Club and Library, at Rising Star.

Committee chairman appointed by the president, Mrs. C. W. Malby, are: Welfare, Mrs. W. H. Davis, Deedemona; Recreation, Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield, Carbon; Education, Mrs. L. L. of Eastland; County cooperation, Mrs. Mildred D. Crow, H. D. Agents, of Eastland.

Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland, presented a book, "Fire in the Ashes," by Theodora H. White, to the club library, autographed in memory of the mother of Mrs. Lexie Dean Robertson, long a beloved club member. Mrs. Perkins is also Federated Counsellor, and named the Restoration of Independence Hall and Aij to Our Indian Tribes as state projects for the next administration of the Texas Federation Womens Clubs, headed by Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene.

Miss Lura Allen, Rising Star, sang "Together" and "Sundown" accompanied by Mrs. Ray Nunnally, followed by a dramatic interpretation of the book "Rebecca," given by Mrs. J. B. Shannon, of May, Texas.

Coffee, cookies and mints were served from a rose lace covered table, centered with an arrangement of bronze mums and small pom poms. Appointments were in crystal and silver, with silver coffee service. Mrs. Olice Sones poured.

Club representatives attending were from Eastland, Cisco, Deedemona, Cheaney and Rising Star.

Eastland Members Host DAR Luncheon In Perkins' Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, 1921 South Seaman was the scene of a Thanksgiving luncheon Monday carried out in the Vermont tradition. Red, white and blue carnations decorated the table, lent a patriotic touch and added to the setting for Mrs. Perkins' review of Dorothy Canfield Fisher's "Vermont A Tradition".

The occasion was the November meeting of the Charles Crawford Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Other hostesses were Meses. A. F. Taylor, and Frank Castleberry.

Mr. Perkins displayed several old clocks and talked on the history of his collection, which is his present hobby.

Misses Helen Taylor and Alice Cushman of the Taylor studio presented background music by McDowell.

Mrs. Yancy McCrean, Regent, presided over a business session following the program.

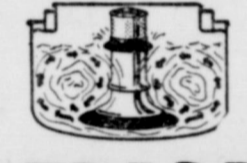
Others present were Meses. Frank Harrell, W. W. Wallace, W. C. McDaniel, McCrean, Grace Reed, and Gladys Berry, Cisco members, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Ranger. Guests were Mrs. Robert Perkins, Eastland, Mrs. Leslie Seymour, Ranger, and Mr. Perkins.

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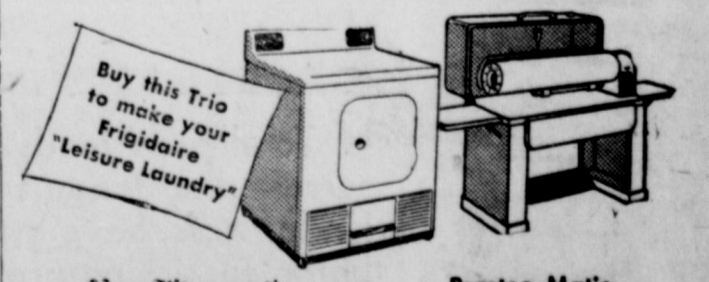
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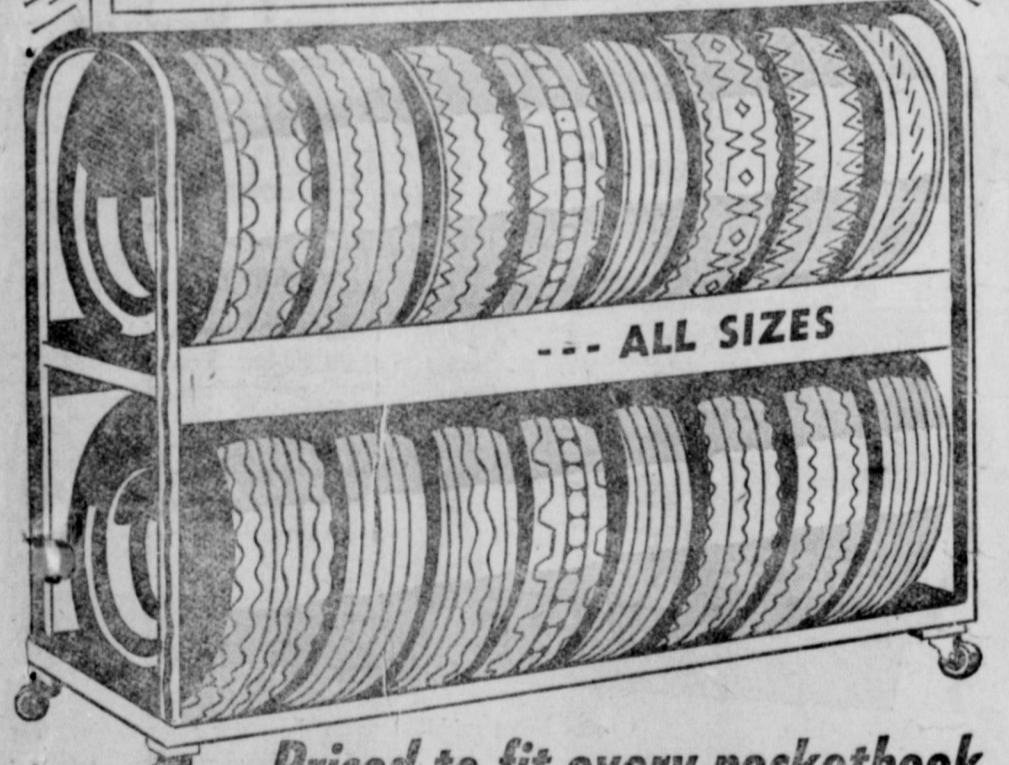
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A group of friends honored Charles Foster, Dan Wright, Leon Mmes. A. J. Gaines and Jack Harp when they entertained Thursday evening with a stork shower in the home of Mrs. F. A. Phillebaum, 705 West Patterson.

Other hostesses were Mmes. Vernon Lewis, Harold Courtney,

Charles Foster, Dan Wright, Leon Fowler and Marian Cummings.

A white and yellow color theme was used in decorations of the home and of the refreshment table. Mrs. Courtney presided and poured, assisted by Mrs. Wright, who served the white cake squares.

Eastland County Women Attend Council Program

Mrs. J. S. Turner of Flatwood, and Mrs. Bill Tucker of Cheaney, attended the Achievement Day program of the Brown County Home Demonstration Council Friday, Nov. 20, in Brownwood.

The meeting was held in the conference room of the Coca Cola Co. Mrs. Tucker was invited guest of the Council, to give the national

convention report, held in Boston, Mass., in September.

The afternoon program also included annual reports of club activities and the state convention report of Brown county delegates who went to Galveston.

Each local club exhibited an arrangement for Christmas decoration, suitable for mantle, table, or hallway, original in design and construction. These arrangements, using candles, silvered native grasses, cones, figurines, holly and native foliage, in its many hues and colors, made a beautiful display.

H. D. Clubs Hold Achievement Day Program

Educational exhibits of the various Home Demonstration clubs highlighted the county-wide achievement day program, held in Eastland Nov. 18. These displays carried out the methods in canning vegetables, refinishing furniture, insect control, simplification of housecleaning, proper lighting in the home, first aid, green and yellow vegetable cooking, also living room planning and home seed boxes.

Winners in exhibits were: (1) Pleasant Hill, (2) Pioneer, (3) North Star. Scrapbook winner, Word Club. Baskets: (1) Mrs. H. C. Fridge, (2) Mrs. Kincaid, (3) Mrs. L. W. Leach. Furniture: (1) Mrs. Merle Campbell, (2) Mrs. Leach, (3) Mrs. Nix. Canning, (1) Mrs. Whatley, (2) Mrs. Campbell, (3) Mrs. L. W. Tucker.

A covered dish luncheon was spread at noon and guests included Judge Hart, members of the commissioners court, and representatives of the press, Mrs. Art Johnson, Ray McCorkle, and Virgil E. Moore. Also the judging committee, Miss Annie L. Lane, district 8 extension leader and Miss Loretta Morris of Eastland.

Approximately 50 persons attended the regular council session which convened in the conference room of Texas Electric Co., following the luncheon. Mrs. H. C. ridge, presiding, Miss J. Thompson from Texas Electric Co., Fort Worth, demonstrated proper lighting in the home with lamps, right sized bulbs, and general lighting solutions of various problems which are sometimes found in the rural homes of today.

The film, "Survival Under Atomic Attack," was shown as a prelude to plans for Civil Defense the coming year.

The annual Christmas party was planned for Wednesday, Dec. 9, to be in Eastland. Each member will bring a gift she has made. To add to the merriment, each club will present a stunt, song or game. There will be a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward have returned from Dallas, where they visited with Mrs. Ward's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kirkland.

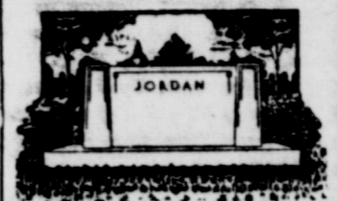
Rev. Higeeger To Address Nazarene Church

Rev. Clarence Higeeger, pastor of the India Home, Okla. Church of the Nazarene, will bring the Sunday night sermon at the Eastland Church of the Nazarene.

Rev. Higeeger, a student at Bethany Peniel College, has been a youth evangelist and singer in Nazarene work for the past few years. He traveled with the Nazarene trio and quartet and has a keen insight of youth of today.

Everyone was given a cordial welcome to attend the service by a church spokesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Satterwhite and sons, Barns and Stephen, of San Antonio, were the guests here Monday of Mr. Satterwhite's aunt, Mrs. Art Johnson and Mr. Johnson. Mr. Satterwhite is the son of Mrs. Martha Satterwhite of Abilene and the late H. O. Satterwhite of Eastland. He is area supervisor of International Business Machines and with his family spent the weekend with his mother in Abilene.



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Eastland Women Attend Meet

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins was one of the luncheon speakers Friday at the district convention of Texas Federated Music Clubs held last week end in Abilene.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor and Mrs. Donald Kinnaird were delegates representing the Eastland Music Study Club.

Mrs. Taylor, president, gave the club's report and Mrs. Kinnaird, club secretary and past president, gave the convention an invitation to have their next district meeting, (fall of 1954) in Eastland.

She also presented invitations from the Eastland Telegram, the Eastland Chamber of Commerce and the Connellee Hotel.

The Eastland women also attended the opera, "Dido and Aeneas" at Hardin-Simmons University, and all the programs and sessions of the convention.

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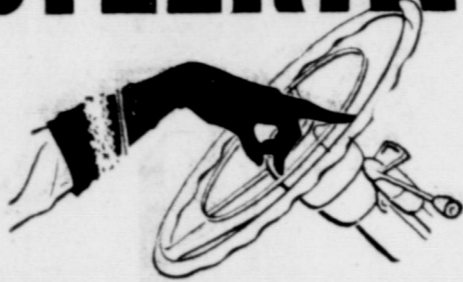
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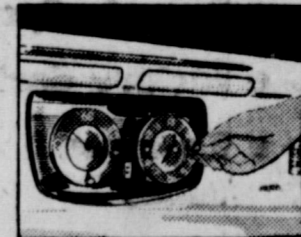
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SOCIAL CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 30th
Lottie Moon Week of Prayer through December 6th.
Rotary Club, 12:15, Connellee Hotel Roof.

TUESDAY, Dec. 1
Lions Club, Fellowship room, Methodist Church, 12 noon.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 2
Music Study Club, 3:30 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins leader.

THURSDAY, Dec. 3
Thursday Afternoon Club, 3 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. Frank Castleberry president.

FRIDAY, Dec. 4
Sub-Deb Club Bake Sale, Christian Church annex.

SUNDAY, Dec. 6
Music Study Club — Presents Free Concert, 3:00 p.m., First Methodist Church.

MONDAY, Dec. 7
Baptist Training Union, Cisco Baptist Church.
Las Leales Club, 7:30 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. H. C. Westfall leader.

Christian Women's Fellowship, 3 p.m., Annex First Christian Church.
W.S.C.S. Christmas Dinner honoring husbands, 7 p.m., Fellowship room, First Methodist Church.
Rotary Club, 12:15, Connellee Hotel.
Pythian Sisters, 7:30 p.m., Castle Hall.

TUESDAY, Dec. 8
Lions Club, 12 noon, Fellowship room, First Methodist Church.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9
Home Demonstration Club's Christmas Party, 10 a.m.
Civic League and Garden Club's Christmas Party, 3 p.m., Woman's Club.

THURSDAY, Dec. 10
Eastland High School Student Body sponsors film at Majestic Theater, benefit annual fund.
Alpha Delphian's Christmas Party, 7:30 p.m., Woman's Club.

FRIDAY, Dec. 12
Beta Sigma Phi Annual Christmas Party, 7:30 p.m., A. H. Johnson home.

TUESDAY, Dec. 15
Baptist Worker's Conference, Second Baptist Church, Ranger.
South Ward's Christmas program, 10 a.m., South Ward School.

THURSDAY, Dec. 17
O.E.S. Past Matron's Christmas party, 7 p.m., C. W. Boles home.
Thursday Afternoon Club Christmas dinner, Woman's Club.

MONDAY, Dec. 21
Las Leales Club's Christmas party, 7:30 p.m., Woman's Club, Mrs. Guy Patterson, hostess.

Presbyterians Set Special Service Sunday

Dr. Lemar Cooper, who is a teacher of Theology in the Southern Methodist University of Dallas, will be the guest speaker at a special service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

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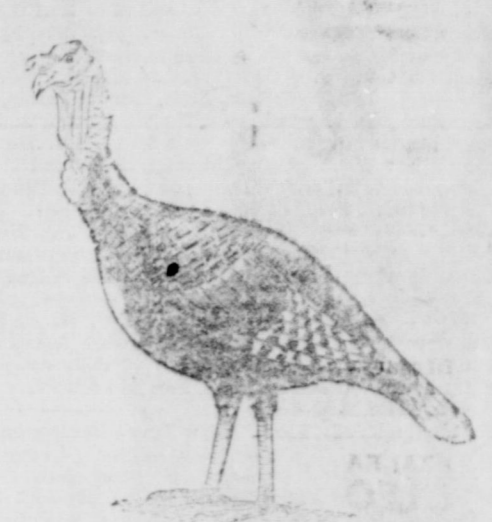
The Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for this week is entitled "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alas Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." "What doth the Lord thy God require of thee, but to fear the Lord thy God, to walk in all his ways, and to love him, and to serve the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul," writes the author of Deuteronomy (10:12).

This passage will be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy (p. 126): "Erring human mind-forces can work only evil unless whatever name or pretense they are employed; for Spirit and matter, good and evil, light and darkness, cannot mingle. Evil is a negation, because it is the absence of truth. It is nothing, because it is the absence of something. It is unreal, because it presupposes the absence of God, the omnipotent and omnipresent. Every mortal must learn that there is neither power nor reality in evil."

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NEWS FROM OLDEN (By Mrs. Dick Yielding)

The Olden boys and girls scored victories over the Putnam teams here last Tuesday night.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Adams were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Noonkester and Mr. and Mrs. Deck of Fort Worth.

The basketball tournament at Huckelby was brought to a climax Saturday afternoon with the Olden boys winning first place trophy and the Olden girls second place trophy. About 90 fans from Olden attended the tourney.

Mrs. Bob Lester was honored with a surprise birthday celebration in her home last Wednesday evening. Birthday cake and coffee was served to Mmes. Matlock, Everett, Cook, Martin and O'Byrne. Her two daughters, Mmes. Smith and Colburn, were hostesses.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Adie Bowers were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baines and Barbara and Dena Sue Bowers, all of Fort Worth.

The school bus left here about 4 p.m. Friday loaded with seventh and eighth graders enroute to the Shrine Circus in Fort Worth. Their teacher, Mr. Baza, drove and Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Baze went along.

Mrs. Leonard Anderson underwent surgery in the Graham hospital in Cisco last week and is doing exceptionally well at this writing.

Mrs. Gladys Yielding and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greer of Eastland visited relatives and friends in Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Campbell entertained a group of young people in their home Sunday afternoon. The group sang songs, popped corn and made candy. Those present were Miss Arzel Brock, Wanda Yielding, Billie Holliday, Dorman Anderson and Ted Wilson.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kelley last week were her two sisters, Mrs. B. W. Raines and Mrs. Steve Gledian both of Cisco.

Week-end visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Brock were Mr. and Mrs. James Branch of Megargle and Mr. and Mrs. Ira

Wainscott of Weatherford.

Mrs. Dick Yielding and Mrs. Cap Norton of Coleman have returned from a visit with friends in Blue Grove, Henricita and Wichita Falls.

Mr. W. R. Rice enjoyed the company of his two sons and their families in his home here over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Rice and girls of Llano and Emmatt Rice of Santa Anna visited him.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Griffin were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ruth of Archer City and Mr. and Mrs. Goode and daughter of Wichita Falls, her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dodson and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holliday and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ruth and boys, all of Ballenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett and Shirley Matlock were among those who went to the Shrine Circus.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Highsmith of Cheaney were recent visitors in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Fox and family.

Mrs. Trav's Rease received word Sunday of the passing away of her step-mother, Mrs. Pearl Crosby of Lamesa and Mrs. Dorothy Elmore of Baird visited the Rease home Monday and other calls was Mrs. Ruby Ash of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dorris enjoyed the company of their son, Leo, and family of Dallas this week-end.

A recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Pittman was his sister, Mrs. Willie Napier of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simms were in Fort Worth visiting relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Wanda Yielding spent last Thursday night in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Gordon Woods, in Eastland.

All the young people of Olden are asked to go first to prayer meeting at your respective churches each Wednesday night and then go to the Baptist church to practice the Christmas cantata. They will practice each Wednesday evening from now until Christmas.

Rev. Alford Nelson has announced that over a hundred have been in Sunday School for the past two Sundays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lester of

Big Spring spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Turpin.

Mrs. Lillian McMinp has been in Kermit visiting her children for the past two weeks.

Miss Sue Day and Eddie Munroe were chosen Queen and King by the student body to represent Junior High in the annual coronation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler Jr. and diLna and Mike spent the week end here with Carl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler Sr. Other visitors were Don Butler and Mrs. Jimmie Butler of Eastland.

Mr. J. J. Hammett has returned from a visit with his sister in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Phillips of Hamlin recently visited her mother, Mrs. Willie Bockman.

R. H. White of West Olden is very ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theibert Jones were visiting in Olden Monday.

The Community night program Monday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. One of the outstanding numbers on the program was Dr. Treadwell playing his musical saw.

MOORE— (Continued from Page 1)

Day Ray of Miami was burned and injured in a fall from his porch in just a matter of minutes but he still figures he was lucky. He fell asleep while smoking and awoke with his clothing in flames. In the resulting confusion he fell off the porch, landed on a water faucet and broke it. The stream of water put out the flames.

Seymour Korn unfortunately did not get to see the safety parade he had helped arrange for the Junior Chamber of Commerce in Washington. As Korn made a last-minute checkup of a float, an artificial tree fell over and bopped him on the head. By the time the doctors had fixed him up the parade was over.

And don't get to laughing too hard brother. Just think back over the past year. You too, may be a member of the boner club. Remember—have a safe Thanksgiving; so you will have something to be thankful for tomorrow. And don't forget to pay thanks for what you do have.

SCOUT COURSE TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 27

The North District Junior Leaders Training Course will be held at Ringland Lake Nov. 27, 28 and 29, John Morris, Boy Scout field executive, said Tuesday.

The course will start at 9 a.m. Friday, Morris said. The closing time is 4 p.m. Sunday. Jackie Merrill of Breckenridge will act as assistant scoutmaster and Morris will be scoutmaster. Each Scout attending the course

will act as a patrol leader for part of the time he is there. Instructors for the course include G. L. Smith of Eastland, compass and mapping; Bill Wilson of Breckenridge, signaling; Bill Jessop of Eastland, campfires; Rev. J. C. Oglesby, of Eastland, church services; and Wendell Siebert of Eastland, song services. Jackie

Merrill will help in setting up the model campsite. He will also conduct the Adventure Trail which will be held the last day of the course.

Morris said visitors were welcome to come out for any part of the course they would care to see. He issued a special invitation to all troop committeemen.

Scoutmasters were asked to be present Sunday to act as judges for the Adventure Trail.

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