

Something To Do While It Rains, Anyhow

Rumors Touch Off New Rumors On Leasing

When it's too wet to plow, talking about rumors is as good a thing to do as anything else, apparently, and a lot of questions are being asked and more rumors started as a result of a story in the Times last Sunday to the effect that it was rumored a lot of leasing activity was due to get under way in this area, on account of it was going on feverishly in areas all around here.

Travelers coming through here riding their camels from distant lands say the leasing is following a new gas pipe line coming in this direction from Oklahoma through Wise, Jack and Palo Pinto Counties. The pipeline is actually under way they say, following a two-year fight over the thing, and will probably stop in Palo Pinto County, just short of Eastland, although that is not a cut and dried fact.

Chief operators in the area are said to be H. L. Hunt, Lone Star, and a whole swarm of smaller operators.

It is also said that El Paso Natural Gas Company is building, or getting ready to build, a pipeline from El Paso smack into Eastland County, via Snyder.

As was pointed out in the Times story Sunday, most of the leasing has heretofore taken place outside of Eastland County, but as also pointed out, many of these oil and lease men say that it will reach here eventually.

One prominent petroleum engineer in Eastland County said the story of anybody preparing to drill a 10,000 foot oil well north of here in Stephens County was a fantastic because there were no rigs in operation today that could get through the granite which abounds at the deeper level. Upon hearing this report the Times' original source of information on that tale called his source of information in Fort Worth and was met with official silence on the subject. The Times is now by these leasing rumors just as we are about fish stories, will take all we can get and print them, and not guarantee a single solitary one of them.

Hundreds View Strange Varmint

Purl Hunt said 300 or 400 people had been by his Gulf Station to view the strange varmint he has on display there since notice of the creature appeared in the Times last Tuesday.

Purl said several men, two of whom were from A&M College, had told him the animal was a Nutra, and if that's so, it is supposed to be a very expensive creature bred commercially for furs. But how come the thing here and running wild, folks want to know.

IN FT. WORTH WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Saunders, Gregg and Mrs. E. L. McMillan spent Wednesday in Fort Worth.

THE CHANGING SCENE



RJC Officials Go to Austin; Talk Finance

Legion Auxiliary To Honor Dep't President Sat.

All unit members of the 17th District American Legion Auxiliary and Post are invited to Mineral Wells on Saturday night, February 23, at 7:30, for a reception to be held at the Crazy Hotel in honor of the department president, Mrs. Agnes Bethell, it is announced.

This is the official visit of Mrs. Bethell to the 17th District and all Auxiliary members and their husbands are not only invited but urged to attend.

It is said an outstanding program has been arranged. The affair will be an informal one, and a business meeting will follow the reception.

Hodges Omits One Honor Roll Name

Hodges school telephoned today to say they had accidentally omitted one name that should have been on their Honor Roll published in the Times last Sunday. David Sutton was an honor student with all A's and B's in the Fifth grade. The name was inadvertently omitted when the list was typed for publication. Belated congratulations to David.

Dr. Price Ashton, President of Ranger Junior College, and Joe Dennis and Pete Brashier, members of the Board of Regents, went to Austin Monday to meet with legislative committees discussing future appropriations of money by the state for Junior Colleges throughout the state.

Twenty-seven of the 30 Junior Colleges were represented, making it one of the biggest meetings of its kind held within recent years. The Ranger delegation, along with other college representatives, met with committees from both the House and the Senate who are working on the Junior College financial problem.

A movement has been under way for some time under which the state will contribute more money per student than it now is, and although the final terms of any plan have not been worked out thoroughly, it is felt that more support will be on the way by the time the program is pushed through the legislature.

Many of the college heads, including Dr. Ashton, addressed the committees on the need for greater support from the state, and while all of the legislators are in agreement with the program generally, it is not known as yet just what form the additional support will take.

ATTENDING FUNERAL

Jesse Sutton, musical director of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, is in Quitman today attending the funeral of his grandfather.

Crawford Negro Charged In Wife Slaying

State Rests Case In Eastland Murder Trial

More Clouds Due In Area, Forecast Says

Talented Young Girls Speak At Masonic Banquet

Three talented young ladies, all honor students at the Masonic Home and School in Fort Worth, brought the program Tuesday night at the Annual George Washington's Day Banquet held by the Ranger Masonic Lodge with members of the Order of the Eastern Star as their guests.

Harvey S. Williams, superintendent of the school, brought the young ladies to Ranger for the occasion.

Miss Judy Hendrix, a junior, 16 years of age, from the Yellowhouse Lodge No. 841, Lubbock, gave a talk on "The Masonic Home As A Community."

Miss Helen Cullum, a junior, 17 years of age, from the Justin Lodge No. 963, Justin, Texas, talked on the subject, "What the Home Has to Offer."

Miss Peggy Sales, a junior, 18 years of age, from Myrtle Lodge No. 658, Warren, Texas, spoke on "George Washington, the Mason."

A good crowd attended the banquet including masons and their wives and O.E.S. members and their husbands. Food was prepared under supervision of Morris Newnam and served by members of the Eastern Star.

Fake Shooting May Perhaps Be Overlooked

The fake shooting staged by six confessed RJC students last Wednesday night, Feb. 13, in front of Shorty Varner's cafe, arousing scores of law officers all over West Texas, may perhaps be relegated to the files of forgotten incidents, since no further action has been taken in the case.

County Sheriff J. B. Williams, Texas Ranger Jim Riddle and Police Chief W. G. Pounds were supposed to meet last Saturday and discuss the case but the press of other business has kept them from doing so. The sheriff is now tied up in court in a murder trial at Eastland and may not be able to get away all this week.

Although nobody has said so, indications point to the fact that the case may be overlooked this time. It has been said, however, that any such repetition would go mighty hard on the offenders, no matter who they were.

More clouds and possibly more light rains are forecast for the Ranger and West Texas area for the next two or three days, according to late weather reports, although heavy rains are apparently over for the time being. Farmers say we are having the most beautiful weather they ever saw in their lives.

Even if the drizzles of the past few days have not brought much water with them, they are nevertheless helpful because there is still lots of moisture in them, and the drizzles help to preserve moisture that is already in the ground.

Follow-up weather for the rains has been ideal, farmers say, because there has been no sun to evaporate the rain which did fall and no wind to dry it out.

Several individuals who deal in peanut seed have already begun to scurry around to see if they can find some more as they anticipate a brisk demand for them when the planting season gets under way. Many dealers fear they will not have enough to go around if as heavy a crop is put in as is now indicated.

On top of other moisture falling in the Ranger area this week, another .15 inch was recorded Tuesday night.

High Scoring Honors Lost By James Tull

Freshman James Tull of Ranger Junior College, who has led the Pioneer Conference all season in individual high scoring honors in the basketball race, was nosed out this past week by Bill Klingman of Schreiner.

Klingman now has a season average of 19.3 points per game, while Tull's average for the season is 19.4 points per game.

RJC lost two more skirmishes this past week, dropping one to Tarleton 83-70 and another to San Angelo 73-56.

Dr. Herman Bryan Gets Fellowship

Dr. Herman Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan of Ranger, has received a fellowship from the American Cancer Society, it has been learned here. The fellowship is to be served through the Southwestern Medical Branch of the University of Texas in Dallas, and will last for one year.

Dr. Bryan is a graduate of both Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College.

The State paraded 13 witnesses across the stand Tuesday and Wednesday and then rested their "murder with malice" case against George (Curly) Crawford in 91st District Court in Eastland Wednesday afternoon at 3:40.

This morning Defense attorneys were to put their first of some 15 witnesses on the stand in an effort to save the life of the Eastland Negro. Most of the Defense witnesses are expected to testify as to Crawford's character. The trial was to begin again at 9 a.m.

The trial got under way before Judge Turner Collier Tuesday afternoon after the last juror had been selected. Jurors hearing the case, in which the State is asking the death penalty, are George Hollyfield of Gorman, J. D. Clarke of Rising Star, J. A. Fleming of Pioneer, M. M. Joiner of Carbon, C. E. Blackwell of Ranger, B. M. Lusk of Sabanno, E. G. Rebels of Ranger, E. M. Crisp of Rising Star, Joe A. Weise of Nimrod, J. W. Eidsen of Eastland, David Fry of Eastland and Martin L. Clark of Cisco.

Crawford, charged with murdering his wife, sat with his head bowed during most of the trial, chain smoking cigarettes. He wore a grey suit with a green sports shirt. Only once in the trial has he changed the expression on his face. That was when his eight year old daughter was put on the stand. Then Crawford broke down and sobbed for several minutes.

Anna Bell Douglas, a neighbor of the Crawfords, testified that Crawford's wife, Lilly Pearl, came to her house with most of the clothing torn from her body about two weeks before the fatal shooting. She said she had listened at the window of her home as the Crawford's fought next door. As the State's first witness she testified before a packed courtroom. Today there was still standing room only.

The second State witness to take the stand was Ada Evans. She was at the Armstead West home the evening Lilly Pearl was shot to death. She testified that she, Elizabeth Nelson, Gloria West, Lilly Pearl and Anna Bell Douglas were sitting around eating when Crawford came to the house about an hour before the shooting. She admitted she had been offered and took a drink of Heaven and Hill whiskey, but said she didn't see anyone else but Crawford take a drink. "He finished the bottle," she declared, adding, "there wasn't any more." She said her back was burned when she was shot. "pow, pow, pow" she "fell out." Asked what she meant by "fell out" she said, "I didn't even know I was even in the world."

The State's third witness was (Continued on Page 2)

Mrs. Ida M. Beard Buried In Ranger Today at 3 p.m.

Graveside services were held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, today, at Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger for Mrs. Ida M. Beard, 68, a former resident, who passed away Tuesday at Grand Prairie where she had lived since 1944.

Funeral services were held earlier in the day for Mrs. Beard at the Fourth Street Church of Christ in Grand Prairie, with Wesley Mickey, minister of a Fort Worth Church of Christ officiating. Mrs. Beard had been a member of the Church of Christ for 28 years.

Survivors include one son, Wilbur R. Beard of Taft, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Berlin Abraham of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Betty White of Grand Prairie; one brother, J. P. Stephens of Edmond, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Edna Thornborough of Houston and Mrs. Bessie Judy of Ranger; 14 grandchildren; and one aunt, Mrs. Emma Gassett of Wichita, Kans.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1950 and a daughter, Mrs. Madge Jennison in 1932.

It's Muster Day For Nat'l Guard Today In Ranger

Today is the big day in Ranger for the local unit of the National Guard as Service Battery 648th Armn FA Bn., seeks to enlist 10 new members before the end of the day as its quota for Muster Day.

Capt. C. C. Carr and all officers and men of the local unit are working hard for the quota and express confidence that it will be reached.

A high school student may enlist in the National Guard any time after he reaches age 17 and put off taking his six month training until after he graduates. Capt. Carr has stated. After that the six months training is taken at an Army training center and upon its completion the Guardsman returns to his home town to serve out the remainder of his reserve military service in his local National Guard unit.

It reduces the time a young man must serve in the Ready Reserve and opens the way for more rapid promotion, or for appointment to the Army or Air Force Academy.

Sig Faircloth Livestock Co. USDA Approved

The Sig Faircloth Livestock Commission Company, located on Highway 80 East between Ranger and Eastland, is one among about 50 other livestock yards that has been approved by the U. S. Department of Agriculture as carrying out the high standards prescribed by Congress in the Packers and Stockyards Act.

This law regulates the marketing of livestock in the public interest at yards operating in interstate commerce.

"Changing in railroad and trucking make it possible for almost every auction barn to sell to buyers who ship to other states," W. C. Bell, District Supervisor of the Agricultural Marketing Service of Fort Worth, says. "When out-of-state sales are made at a market of more than 20,000 square feet, its operations are a subject to the Act."

This means that the services and facilities must be adequate, that the yardage, commission, feed and other charges must be reasonable, that all livestock be offered on the open market and sold under competitive bidding, that the weighing of livestock must be accurate and that correct accountings be furnished sellers and buyers.

Primary purpose of the regulations is to assure farmers a fair and ranchers of fair treatment at the market place.

Boyce House Said It in 1939 ...

The following article was written as a guest column by Boyce House 18 years ago and appeared in the 20th Anniversary Edition of the Ranger Times in June, 1939. At the time it was written, Mr. House had been gone from Ranger for several years, and he was looking at the city from the standpoint of a non-resident. We hope you take the time to read every word of it. The article follows:

By BOYCE HOUSE
Ranger was the scene of the biggest boom the United States has ever known — and though the curtain fell on that boom nearly 20 years ago, Ranger can still make the great rush pay dividends. The tourist crop is the biggest in the country — even more valuable than the wheat or cotton crops — and tourists like to visit places with a picturesque past. And where can you find a town that crowded more adventure and a nd action, riches and romance into the short span of three and one-half years than Ranger did?

The world near with the fame of Merrin in Baptist Church, whose members were offered a million dollars, according to tradition, for a lease on the cemetery and their rejection of the offer was immortalized in Will Farrell's poem, which declared: "Merrin is not

for sale."
The world heard, too, of the "Millionaire Gob"—Sailor Perkins a young farmer who was serving in the World War when a gusher and then another and another on his land gave him nearly enough money to have bought the battleship aboard which he was serving at \$30 a month. The fame of the sled which was used for ferrying passengers across Ranger's muddy Main street spread throughout the land.

Ranger should keep the memory of these colorful events alive. There were others equally striking if not so well known: The three-cornered duel in which three bullets were fired and three men were killed; the daylight holdup of the Oklahoma Cabaret and the gun battle through the streets; the banker-operator who was offered \$50,000 simply for his photograph, and the city judge who set a precedent by punishing a man for murder in Ranger inflicting a \$25 fine!

Ranger skyrocketed from a vil-

lage to a city of some 30,000. Such famous figures as Tex Rickard, Rex Beach, John Ringling, Jess Willard and Jake Hamon played important parts in the drama. And though these notables no longer figure in the life of Ranger, the city still numbers among its inhabitants several who have that elusive quality which is known as "color." Among them are Jack Rapp, who has shot more oil wells than any other man in history and who set off a 2000-quart shot of nitroglycerin, the biggest shot ever known; Shorty Woods, who holds the world's record for loading an oil field boiler on a wagon; Fire Chief Murphy; Jim Ingram, a policeman during the boom, who retired recently as police chief, to name a few.

And if you'll lounge around the Gholson Hotel you'll hear some tall tales from drillers who have spent 30 or 40 years in the industry, all telling of record-breaking events in Ranger.

"But we don't want to live in the past," perhaps someone will object. Other towns have capitalized on their history—Natchez, with

its memories of steamboating days; Galveston with its stories of Jean LaFitte; New Orleans with its history of ante bellum plantation owners, the battle which Andrew Jackson won in the War of 1812, and the race between the Natchez and the Robert E. Lee; and Tombstone, onetime mining center, with its annual "Hellorado Week."

Besides, if there are tourists attracted to Ranger, there will be a chance to gain new residents because they will see the advantages and opportunities which Ranger can offer today.

The steel derrick on Main Street is an excellent bit of atmosphere. The Chamber of Commerce could well issue a piece of literature that emphasized the tourist appeal of Ranger. Rail and bus lines could be urged to make Ranger's romantic past known to their patrons.

A billboard could be placed on each of the highways entering the city, telling the story briefly, so that tourists would halt in Ranger—and incidentally patronize the cafes, filling stations, hotel and tourist camps, as well as any other of the

businesses.
And the climax of all this effort could be an annual homecoming—a three-day affair with bands, a parade, addresses by prominent officials, football, a rodeo, and perhaps a re-enactment of some of the most exciting scenes of those stirring days. In 1937 and again in 1938, such a homecoming was held; a running start therefore has been made and, after one or two more celebrations—which need not be expensive—these could become an institution that would become nationally famous and would draw many thousands of visitors.

Why do vast numbers of travelers stop each year at Langtry? Because Judge Roy Bean used to hold forth there as the "Law West of the Pecos." All there is today are the old frame building which was once the "Jersey Lilley Saloon," the postoffice — general store and a few adobe houses.

But the tourists who visit Ranger will be amazed to see, not a 'ghost town' of the oil fields, but a thriving city of modern schools, fine churches, well stocked stores, a progressive citizenship, a steady pay-

roll yet from the oil and gas activities, farming, poultry, sheep and goats in the surrounding territory, and the hope which experienced oil men declare to be well-grounded that some day another great Ranger oil field will be opened up by the discovery of a deeper pay.

And thus endeth the House article, much of which the Times can endorse today, more especially about taking steps to stop tourists cold as they drive through Ranger. The word "Ranger" is known all over this country, and with a very few inducements thousands of tourists would stop here for a little while at least every year, just to say they had stopped in Ranger. That old oil derrick would help more than anything else, with the words "Welcome to Ranger, Site of the World's Greatest Boom." That was as much a Ranger trademark as the capitol dome at Austin or the Alamo at San Antonio.

The Times also thinks the last paragraph in House's story makes mighty pretty reading and we like to go along with what he says.

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WHAT'S...

COOKING?

By NORMAN WRIGHT

If you folks have noticed anything radically wrong with this column lately, just lay it down to our new office. They have stuck us off in sawny new quarters done up in knotty pine, built-in cabinets, new floor coverings and a dash of new furniture, and we feel so snooty we can barely stand staying in here with ourself.

What's more, we can't find a thing. Time was when we knew just how far down to dig through the debris on our desk to find something, and could put our fingers right on it, but now that it is all scientifically filed and stored away and indexed we're practically out of business. We haven't the slightest idea in the world where anything is. We just sit here and gaze at all of this vast area where nothing is in sight, and wonder how on earth to start getting out the next issue.

Please come and visit us sometimes, but be sure and pull off your shoes at the door.

If this year 1957 SHOULD turn out to be the year when the region around Ranger made a crop, we don't know whether we could stand it or not. Everybody would feel so lousy right we would have a hard job containing them. With all that money floating around, happy days would really and truly be here again.

Of course, as somebody has pointed out, looking at this rainfall now is much like looking at a month-old foal and saying the colt was going to win the Kentucky Derby three years from now, but nobody can deny that the prospects for a harvest are better than they have been at any time in the past seven years.

The fact also remains that we have actually received 6.59 inches of rain here within the past 60 days, and 2.09 inches since the first of the year. Even this present wet spell we are in is supposed to last for another five days, according to the weathermen.

According to the magazine Nation's Business, which knows everything there is to know about the nation's business, the price tags on everything in America are going to change between now and Easter. Can you think of anything you need to buy? A new pair of nylon hose, a new coat? Some new shirts and trousers? A new mattress? A new room cooler? A new lawn mower? A five-cent chocolate bar? If any of it is available you had better get it now because it will cost you more before Easter rolls around. Get it now even if you have to pay down on the stuff in order to hold it at the present price, and then pay it out some way or other.

According to the magazine, nothing will escape the new price tags.

In this day and age which, as a matter of undisputed fact is under a Republican administration, we are living in the most expensive year mankind can remember. Every bite you eat, every garment you put on your back, every service you buy, everything that affects your life, costs you more money. You pay more taxes, your

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Weather Reports

Partly cloudy to cloudy and mild Thursday and Friday with chances for widely scattered showers. Low Thursday night near 45. High Friday in the 60s.

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Crawford Trial-

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Elizabeth Nelson. She testified that all the women took a drink before Ada Evans arrived. She said George came in and asked Lilly Pearl if she was ready to go home. She quoted Mrs. Crawford as saying she wasn't going home with George, saying, you have already said you don't want me, "you want Corliss Mae."

saying when she heard a "pop, pop, pop" noise she looked out the window. Then, she said, she saw Lilly Pearl slump over in her chair and asked, "George, are you shooting Lilly Pearl?"

She testified that Crawford threatened his wife after Lilly Pearl said she had to go home. "If she (Lilly Pearl) doesn't go home with me she ain't going home in a taxi or with anybody else," Mrs. West quoted the defendant as saying.

The State's sixth witness was Shannon Daugherty, a neighbor. He testified that Crawford came to his house "just about dark with a gun in his hand." He said George handed him the gun, telling him to call the police. "I've just shot Lilly Pearl," Daugherty said he turned the gun over to Sheriff J. B. Williams.

Dr. H. J. Bulgerin testified that Mrs. Crawford died at the result of "an extreme loss of blood" caused by six bullet wounds. He said one shot entered the back of the

woman's right arm and went out the front. Two slugs lodged in the left chest after entering the body from the left, he testified, another entered the left hip and two others the right hip, all from the back. Howard Upchurch, funeral home director, described the wounds in the same manner, saying he removed two slugs from Mrs. Crawford's riddled body.

The State's ninth witness was Sheriff Williams. He testified he found nine bullet hulls at the West home and recovered two slugs, taking the hulls, the slugs and the 32 automatic Crawford allegedly gave to Dardy to the Department of Public Safety Crime Laboratory in Austin. While Williams was on the stand the State marked "a voluntary statement," taken from Crawford on the night of the shooting as exhibit 7 and had it identified by Williams, who witnessed the statement.

Fred Rymer of Austin, fire arms examiner with the Crime Lab there, then testified that the bullets recovered from the dead woman's body and the shell casings found at the West home were fired by the gun the defendant surrendered to Shannon Daugherty.

Carrie Faye Crawford, eight year old daughter of the Crawford's, then was put on the stand. She said she saw her father fighting her mother, recalling that he threw her out the door, kicked her, and pushed a broom stick against her neck, thus choking her.

Asked by Defense attorneys on cross examination if she got along with her father and if all her brothers and sisters did she said, "Yes Sir."

Joe Nussle, district attorney, then read parts of a statement allegedly signed by Crawford on the night of the killing. The "confession" stated that Lilly Pearl had been gone from home about 10 days. He told how he went to the West home and how he fired the shots into Mrs. Crawford's back.

Defense attorneys then read the remainder of the statement into the records. In one part he said "I guess I just lost my head" and in another said she jumped up and reached for something on the table.

Vivian Jones was the final state witness. She testified she was with Lilly Pearl when she died in the hospital. The Court sustained a Defense objection to testimony she attempted to give as to what Mrs. Crawford said just before she died. With the jury absent during arguments by the State to have the testimony admitted, Mrs. Jones recalled that Lilly Pearl said, "I love George Crawford. Why did you do it George Crawford?"

Aiding Nussle as special prosecutor is Frank Sparks. Defense

Now You Can See Why It Was Nominated For The Academy Award



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What's Cooking-

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share of the public debt is bigger, and there is a demand for still more taxes all around you. Every new set of officers brings a new set of taxes. We often wonder if the end will ever come, because we reached our end in paying them a long time ago, but somehow or other we have shelled out more and more and got along with less and less, and paid them.

And at the same time, farm income is lower than at any time since 1946. Our prestige abroad is a joke. In our foreign policy we are like a blind man looking in a dark room for a black cat that isn't there. We wonder how many people are still proud of what they sent to Washington several years ago, as well as more recently?

We understand that several organizations in Ranger are considering sponsoring the Free Chest X-ray Survey that is conducted from time to time by the State Health Department, but somebody had better decide who is going to do it so there will be no misunderstanding.

If we want the survey to come here it will be absolutely necessary for some sponsoring organization

attorneys are Earl Conner Jr. and Allen Dabney.

Baby Sunfish Caught, Weighs Only 200-Pounds

Word from the Texas Game and Fish Commission this week says that a "baby" sunfish, weighing 200 pounds, beached itself near Corpus Christi this past week and was found dead.

Bob Kemp, assistant director of the Commission, said it is the first authenticated record of an ocean sunfish being seen dead or alive anywhere along the Texas Gulf Coast.

Kemp described the fish as "peculiar looking", saying it looked like the head of one's fist, with a small mouth, no tail, a couple of fins, and greyish white in color.

Ocean sunfish ordinarily occur in deep water where they feed on jelly fish, and Kemp said it could not be determined what caused the 200 pound "baby" to become stranded.

Cisco Raising Industrial Fund

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce is in the midst of a fund-raising drive to accumulate a bank account to be used for the purpose of attracting additional new industry to the city.

The drive is taking the form of pledges from various business leaders to be paid in small monthly installments over a two-year period.

Soviet Atomic Battery

The Russian newspaper, "Moskovski Komsomets" has reported that Soviet scientists are working on an "atomic battery" to power automobiles and motorcycles, says Electrical World, McGraw-Hill publication. The paper said such a battery, filled with strontium, had been created, but that it was too weak to move a bicycle. However, Russian scientists are working on a "more powerful" battery, and claim it will be on the market within the next few years.

TV Patrols Plant

A television quiz emceed by a plant guard allows only visitors with the right answers inside the gates of a chemical company at Freeport, Texas, according to Chemical Week, McGraw-Hill publication. The closed-circuit-TV is part of the plant's protection system. On duty after four p.m., the TV camera and a microphone serve as eyes and ears for a patrolman in the plant's main office.

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to meet in Eastland with the county health officer, Dr. E. R. Townsend on Tuesday, Feb. 26. The meeting will be at 11 a.m. in the Texas Electric Company meeting room.

It has been some three years since the survey was made in Eastland County, and every town in it should take advantage of the opportunity while it is available, lest we have to wait another three years for a survey. If the x-ray pictures indicate that any person has any sign of TB, they are notified immediately so that treatment can begin before it is too late.

Lacasa Lines Mrs. D. B. Raney

The people of Lacasa Community enjoyed a pie supper at the club house Friday night, Feb. 15. Progressive 42 was played and a cake presented to the ones winning the most games.

After fellowship and the 42 games, pie and coffee were served to approximately 40 people.

There will be another social at the club house next Friday night, Feb. 22. At this event, Joe Lynch Jackson will show movies of his elk hunt in Colorado. Everybody is invited to come.

Saturday morning the Intermediate and Junior girls of New Hope Baptist Church met at the church with Mrs. D. B. Raney to organize a Girls Auxiliary. Five girls and one visitor were present.

The following officers were elected: Frances Veale, president; Ann Raney, secretary; Peggy Leonard, vice president, and Nancy Veale, treasurer. The chairman of different committees will be selected later. The next meeting will be Saturday morning, Feb. 23 at 9:30 at the church.

The brotherhood of New Hope Church met Saturday night. They did some work on the church building.

Saturday morning the Intermediate and Junior Sunday school and Training Union classes and several visitors met at the church and went from there to Cisco for a picnic and skating party. The pastor, Jackie Taylor, and wife and Mrs. W. R. Leonard were the sponsors. Those attending besides the sponsors were Charles and Nancy Veale, Ann Raney, Portia Truesdale, Peggy and Roy Allen Leonard, Jimmy Caraway, Billy Jack Pockrus, Linda, Suzanne and Rodney Mitchell, Rusty Robinson, George Graham, Brady Goodin, Jackie Eddleman, Mary Lou Tiarks, Charlotte Boone, and Eddy Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Howton spent Sunday in Fort Worth with their son, Lloyd Howton and family.

The annual celebration of the birthday of Jack Pockrus will be held Sunday, March 3 with a dinner and religious service to follow. All are invited.

Nina Stanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stanford, and Farrell Buchanan were married in Odessa, February 8. They will make their home in Snyder.

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Mrs. Neal Edwards ... marries Friday

Anna Jean Whitten, Neal Edwards United In Candlelight Ceremony

Eastland First Baptist Church, the daughter of Mrs. David H. Whitten, 601 North Hillcrest, Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Edwards, 606 South Connelley, Eastland, are parents of the groom. Wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Jimmy Young, organist, and Charles W. Jones, Decatur,

soloist who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The candles were lighted by Jack Whitten, brother of the bride, and Ray Edwards, brother of the groom.

Miss Betty Nell Jones was maid of honor. She wore a waltz length dress of shrimp taffeta with bateau neckline and a pink taffeta pleated cummerbund and sash that fell to the hem. She carried a cascade arrangement of pink gumbelias and wore pink shoes and head dress. Sisters of the bride, Mrs. Ansel Fortenberry, Decatur, and Mrs. E. L. Smith, Jacksboro, were bridesmatrons. They were dressed identical to the maid of honor.

Joe Muirhead was best man. Ansel Fortenberry and Denny Pukes, cousin of the groom, served as groomsmen and ushers. David Whitten, brother of the bride, also ushered.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law E. L. Smith, wore a floor length gown of white, scalloped lace and tulle over satin. The lace bodice featured a Peter Pan collar with tiny lace covered buttons down the front and on the long pointed sleeves. The bouffant skirt of tulle and satin was accented by an overskirt of scalloped lace. She carried a yellow throat orchid surrounded by a shower of white velvet maiden hair fern and stephanotis on a white Bible. The Bible was presented her by the Y.W.A. of the First Baptist Church before her marriage.

Her waist length veil of illusion fell from a tiara of pearlized orange blossoms. The tiara was the one worn by her sister in her wedding. Her only jewelry was the gold bracelet her grandfather gave her grandmother on their wedding day. She also wore the traditional blue garter and a penny in her shoe.

Mrs. Whitten chose for her daughter's wedding a navy blue suit with matching accessories and a white carnation corsage. Mrs. Edwards wore a gray lace over taffeta suit with matching accessories and an orchid carnation corsage.

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. Members of the houseparty were Jane Jordan, Marianne Myrick, Dixie Day, Ellen Whitley, Barbara Dalton, Betty Westfall, Barbara Hightower, Mavis W. D. Dukes, J. R. Hill, Ola Eldredge and Frank Lovet.

The young Mrs. Edwards wore away a fitted suit of baby blue wool with pearl and rinstone collar and matching accessories. Her corsage was the orchid from her wedding bouquet. After a short honeymoon in Austin and San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards

will be at home at the Hillside Apartments after February 18.

The bride will be graduated from Eastland High School in May, where she is a member of the Co-Ed Club and president of Tri-Hi-Y. The bridegroom will be graduated from Ranger Junior College in May also, and plans to enroll in East Texas State Teachers College in Commerce next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, parents of the Groom, were hosts to the rehearsal dinner Thursday night in the fellowship hall of the church. The table was centered with a large arrangement of gladioli. Twenty-two attended.

Third Session Of Bible Study Held by WSCS

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met in the third session of the Bible study conducted by Mrs. Herman Boyd, Monday afternoon at the church.

The Spiritual Life group met prior to the society meeting. The opening song was "Oh Spirit of the Living God" and the opening prayer was led by Mrs. E. H. Mills.

Mrs. Pat Thomas discussed, "What Was the Mission of the Early Church?" The main thought was reconciling the world unto God through Christ. The message of Ephesians was church unity as a condition of reconciliation. The message from Colossians is on the supremacy of Christ. The charmed word for Christians and the solution for the world's ills is Love.

Mrs. Boyd spoke on space for Christ's work and for all the world and not a chosen few. She conducted a round table discussion — thought for Christian word discussion and the manner of different personalities.

The meditation by Mrs. Boyd was the Living God. Closing prayer was led by Mrs. A. Robinson.

WMU Meets for Mission Study

The WMU of the First Baptist Church met for mission study Tuesday morning at the church. The lesson was taken from the mission book, "Home Missions USA."

Those having parts on the program were Mmes. C. B. Pruet, Walter Arterburn and Tony Lewis.

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Rho Pi Chapter Of Beta Sigma Phi Has Meeting

Members of Rho Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met in the home of Mrs. Fred Lamb recently for a regular meeting and program.

Mrs. Dwaine Dennis gave an interesting talk on "Color, Form and Fragrance of Gardens."

Miss Inez Harrell presided over the business meeting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Dennis, Norman Huffman, H. H. Oliver, Dorothy Crossley, Miss Harrell, Miss Norma Mills, Miss Eva Mills and three guests, Miss Melba Creager, Mrs. Audrey Rose and Mrs. Evelyn Bagwell.

PLEASE PHONE 224 and give us your news items. They will be of interest to others, and we always appreciate your calling us.

All Vets Invited To American Legion Dinner

The American Legion of Ranger wishes to invite all veterans of the area to attend a dinner at 7 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 22, in celebration of George Washington's birthday. This invitation includes families of the veterans and a family is requested to bring covered dish, pies or cake.

Cub Scout Den Has Meeting

Den 6 of the Cub Scouts met in the home of their Den Mother, Mrs. John Swinney, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Garrett Hise assisted and Mrs. Roy McCleskey furnished refreshments.

The following attended: Richard Herweck, Daryl Swinney, Butch Seymour, Rickie Thomas, Bob McCleskey, Bob Barnes, G. A. Hise and one visitor, Ralph Smith.

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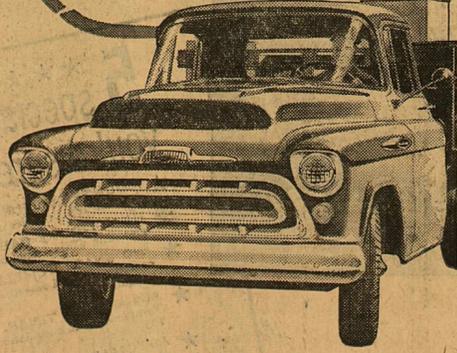
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Hospital News

City, surgical.

Mrs. Letty Herrington and Patricia Callager are new patients in the West Texas Clinic.

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital are Mrs. C. F. Chesnut, Ranger, medical; Mrs. Phyla Taylor, Ranger, surgical; Mrs. Beauford Riordan, New York

Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shubert of Strawn are the parents of an 8 pound 6 ounce girl born at 9:45 p.m. February 20 in the Ranger General Hospital.

Merriman Bible Study Meets

Ladies of the Merriman Baptist Church met for their weekly Bible Study Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. S. Vinson.

The opening prayer was led by Mrs. G. D. Falls. The devotional was taken from

the 40th chapter of Genesis. Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Falls, Bonny, Rodgers, J. W. Vinson, Jack Walker, C. J. Cole, A. E. Dawson, Ruby Ainsworth, Joe Eschberger and Mrs. Vinson.

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Large Crowd Attends Music Club Concert

More than 200 persons attended the concert presented by the Eastland Music Study Club Sunday, Feb. 17, at the First Methodist Church, in Eastland.

Duo-violinists Billye Beall Wendland, and her husband Wendland, of Dallas, assisted by piano accompanist Sarah Heron Baker, also of Dallas, performed a variety of enjoyable numbers which included J. B. Loeillet's "Sonata in D Major." Loeillet was born in Ghent, Belgium, in 1653, and died in 1728, and his compositions mainly featured the Chamber and Harpsichord types. "Sonata in D Major" was in four parts, consisting of the Largo, Allegro con fuoco, Grave, and the Allegro con brio. This selection could be termed as "Classic" in nature.

Following this selection, the trio gave a scintillating rendition of "Four Silhouettes" by Paul Juon. Juon was Russian, but lived most of his life in Paris, and was a contemporary of Ravel. Juon was born in 1872. "Four Silhouettes" was also in four parts, consisting of the Idylle, which was modern in nature; the Conte Mysterieux, which had a haunting melody; the Intermezzo, which consisted of a short interlude; and the Danse Grotesque, which, as its name implies was very fast and furious in nature.

A brief intermission followed the Danse Grotesque, after which a pleasing rendition of J. M. Leclair's "Sonata in A Major" was performed by the two violins without piano. This sonata was in three parts, consisting of the lively allegro; the sweet and melodious Sarabanda Largo; and the closing allegro which began as a slow dance, but picked up tempo toward the close.

As their final selection of the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Wendland played a suite of four parts by Maurice Moszkowski. Beginning with the brilliant Allegro energico, the selection progressed to the slower and sweeter Allegro Moderato; and, then to still slower Lento assai. The final part was the brilliantly-light Molto vivace. Moszkowski, the composer, was born in Germany in 1854 and was a pianist-composer. Among his more noted works are "Symphonic Poem", "Jeanne d'Arc", also several

al operas, piano compositions, and songs.

The scene of the concert, the First Methodist Church, was beautifully decorated with floral arrangements of white gladiolus and fern, situated so as to accentuate the occasion.

Ushers at the Church were Barbara McCullough, Alice Frasier, Gretchen Haley, Carol June Hilliard, and Mitzi Davis, all pupils of Mrs. F. L. Drago.

Prior to the concert, invocation was given by Al Lotspeich, director of the choir of the First Methodist Church, and instructor in music at Ranger Junior College.

The presiding officer of the Music Club at the church was Marene Johnson-Johnson.

After the recital, artists and friends met at the Woman's Club House for refreshments of fruit punch and cookies. Presiding at the guests' register was Miss Marjorie Van Hoose. Mrs. Allen D. Dabney-greeted guests at the door. Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins poured the punch.

The clubhouse was beautifully decorated with floral arrangements from The Flower Shop, throughout. The serving table was covered with a lovely maderia cloth, with a center piece of white gladiolus and stock, with two tiers of blue candles at either end.

The table of honor was set with an arrangement of pansies on a pastel cloth and candles. An artistic candelabra also adorned the piano.

Eastland Music Study Club members present and signing the register included Mmes. Marene Johnson, Allen D. Dabney, Donald Kinnaird, Johnny Hart, Marvin Hood, Joseph M. Perkins, P. L. Parker, Grady Pipkin, A. F. Taylor, Don Russell, Margurite Welch, F. L. Drago, A. W. Cartledge, Frank Sayre, and W. E. Brashier, and Miss Marjorie Van Hoose.

Out of town guests were from Dallas, Temple, Midland, Blackwell, Putnam, Cisco, Ranger, Austin, San Angelo, Gorman, Carbon, and DeLeon.

YOU HAVE A PHONE and so do we, No. 224. Call us about any news you may run across. Always happy to hear from you.



Miss Nancy Brown to be April bride

April Wedding Set for Nancy Brown, Polston

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Brown of Olden announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Nancy Jane, to Charles Alton Polston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polston of Ranger.

The couple will have a small wedding in the home of the bride-elects parents in April.

Miss Brown is a student at Olden High School. A graduate of Ranger High School, Polston is presently in the U. S. Navy at San Diego, Calif.

Young School P-TA To Sponsor Film

The Young School Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a film, "Human Growth and Reproduction," which will be shown Tuesday, February 26 at 10 a.m. at the Tower Theatre. This film is especially for mothers of girls in the fifth and sixth grades of Hodges and Young schools.

Fifth and sixth grade girls will be allowed to see the film if they are accompanied by their mother. Junior High and High School girls will see the film Tuesday afternoon.

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Women's Activities

February 21

The 1920 Club will meet Thursday afternoon, 3:30 at the Community Club House. Roll call will be gardening tips. Mrs. T. J. Anderson will be leader and Mrs. C. E. May Sr., and Mrs. J. S. McDowell will be on the program.

February 21

The AAUW will meet in the home of Mrs. L. L. Bruce with Mrs. A. P. Thomas Jr. as hostess, Thursday evening at 7:30. Roll Call will be My Secret Desire and Mrs. R. L. Hamrick will speak on Interesting and Unusual Occupations.

February 22

The Eastland County Council Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, February 2, at the home of Mrs. Lavern Carroll, 114 South Miller, Rising Star.

February 25

The Willing Workers Class of the First Methodist Church will have their monthly covered dish luncheon on Monday night, Feb. 25, at 7. Hostesses will be Mrs. B. S. Dudley Jr., Mrs. Walter Daniels and Mrs. Arthur Deffebach. The hostesses will furnish the meat and members are to bring a covered dish.

February 25

The WSCS will meet for the fourth and last session of the Bible study Monday afternoon at 3:30.

February 27

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday, 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Vernon Deffebach with Mrs. W. A. Lewis as co-hostess. Mrs. E. R. Green will be leader. The program will be given by Mrs. Lee Russell on the Prayer is Power and Mrs. L. L. Bruce, who will speak on Bible Personalities. There will be an election of officers.

February 28

The Rho Pi Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lottie Bonney. A one minute talk by each member on "The Loveliest Spot I Know" will be given.

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LOOK WHO'S NEW



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuehler of Bangor, Maine, have announced the arrival of a baby girl, Pamela Sue. Pamela weighed 7 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces and was born February 14. Mr. and Mrs. Kuehler are both former students of Ranger Junior College. Mr. Kuehler worked at L & J Supply Co. while attending college here.

HERE OVER WEEKEND
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into base course construction, they estimate, would form 500 conical piles, each the size of the largest pyramid, Cheops. With the paving material needed, it would be possible to bury all Manhattan under a 17 foot layer of concrete and asphalt.



Mrs. John F. Riggs . . . marries Saturday

Miss Jane Hart, John F. Riggs Are Married In Saturday Rites

In a double ring ceremony Saturday at 3 p.m. Miss Jane Hart, daughter of Mrs. Lawrence Hart, became the bride of Dr. John F. Riggs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Forest Riggs, Sr. The vows were read by Rev. Frank B. Neff, Jr., professor at Trinity Univer-

sity in San Antonio and Rev. Eugene Surface, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church where the wedding took place. Baskets of white gladiola decorated the church. On the communion table, a brass cross was accented by brass candelabra holding white tapers.

Given in marriage by her brother, Walker Hart of Lamesa, the bride wore a waltz length gown of white imported French chantilly lace over bridal satin. The long line bodice featured a bateau neckline and long tight fitting sleeves ending in a point over the hands. Her matching lace veil was attached to a beaded tiarra. A gold cross made by the groom was her only jewelry. She carried a white orchid atop a white Bible.

Miss Janeil Day was maid of honor. She wore a powder blue dress of nylon sheer with bateau neckline and shemmbund that ended in a fold in the back. Her mitts and hat were of matching material. She carried yellow roses.

William Winkleman of San Antonio was best man and ushers were Bob McGinnis of San Antonio and D. N. Klassen of Abilene. Musical selections were presented by Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, pianist and Mrs. Howard Gill, soloist. Before the wedding Mrs. Kinnaird played "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach, "Etud" by Chopin, "O Perfect Love" by Barnby and "May the Grace of Christ Our Savior" by Stainer. Mrs. Gill chose as her solo, "My Heart Ever Faithful" by Bach. The bridal party entered to the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin by Wagner.

For a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico, the bride chose a soft tan wool flannel suit with brown accessories. The couple will be at home in San Antonio until August when they will move to Garden City, Kansas where the groom will begin dental practice.

Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Members of the house party included Miss Jo Ann Lochte of Austin, Miss Tawita Hernandez of San Antonio and Mmes. Don Hart, Tom Wilson, Carl Johnson, J. H. Hart, Jack Gehmany and L. A. Scott.

Mrs. Riggs is a graduate of Eastland High School and Trinity University in San Antonio and at present is employed as assistant in Christian Education at Los Angeles Heights Presbyterian Church in San Antonio.

A graduate of Garden City High School in Garden City, Kansas; North Texas State College and the University of Kansas City Dental School, Riggs is a captain in the Dental Corp at Brooks Air Force Base in San Antonio.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landis, Miss Margaret Wyatt, Lela McGitte, Peggy Catherhead, Tawita Hernandez, all of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. David Karthouser, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hodgkins, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wheat of Fort Worth; Miss Greta Barnett, Miss Doris Albright of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Briggs of Brownwood.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY

Group Training School Reaches New High Wed.

The Group Training School, sponsored by the Sunday School Department of the Cisco Baptist Association, reached a new high in enrollment and attendance Wednesday night. Five churches have representation. Teachers are having a wonderful experience in the newest methods in Bible teaching.

At 8 p.m. Wednesday the school assembled in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church and after congregational singing led by Mr. Lee Russell, accompanied at the piano by Miss Anice Locke, and at the organ by Miss Marinell Shockey, the Rev. Mr. Ed Scarbrough, pastor of the Second Baptist Church brought the message on the theme: "Ambassador's Credentials."

Necessity, New Hope No. 3, Eastside Baptist Chapel, Second Baptist and First Baptist Churches had a representation at the services. The school will continue Thursday and Friday nights. Those who have not attended will find it very profitable to make even the closing two nights.

The Elementary Department of Training Union is providing for the children. Special classes are being held for the Juniors, Intermediates, Young People and Adults.

The time is 7 p.m. to 8:30. The Nursery is open for bed babies.

Parents, Youth Invited to Sat. Youth Crusade

The Saturday evening Youth Crusade continues to grow in interest, and fellowship. A variety of programs are provided by Jesse Sutton and the Youth Committee. The programs usually begin at 7:30 p.m. and close with refreshments and singing.

The Youth Crusade combines the Sunday school and Training Union groups from the Intermediates and Young People's departments. For more than five years the Saturday night program has been conducted for the interest of the Youth of the Community. Always a wholesome, clean, inspirational fellowship. All Youth has found a welcome.

A most gratifying record has been attained by the group who has remained faithful to Youth Crusade. The First Baptist Church and the Youth Committee feel that they have made a lasting investment in the Youth of the city, because of the wonderful results that are known to youth and adult alike.

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WE APPRECIATE our readers calling in their news. Please call us often. Our number is 224.

Fashion Wears Spring Cape



Capes wrap a portion of the fashion picture for springtime. Full cape, left, and cape shape, right, are typical examples of the style.

DESIGNERS are readying capes and robe shapes for midday to wear this spring. At left, three-piece wool ensemble in navy and red is inspired by the traditional matador's costume. Slim-skirted sheath is topped by a brief, fitted bolero jacket in red and full-length cape of the same material, completes the costume. At right, a beige Italian silk linen costume features a short-cut cape. It tops a belted sheath with square neckline and hip-pegged skirt.

ATTEND BANQUET

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison attended a Gulf banquet at the Winsor hotel in Abilene, recently.

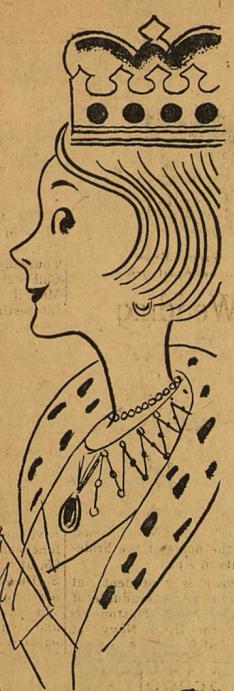
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Denman Burns to W. E. Tyler

deed.
Bartlett Petroleum Company to K. H. Kottick, assignment of oil and gas lease.
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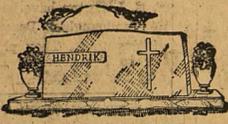
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W. E. Cooper to Sub-Surface, Inc., oil and gas lease.
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R. W. Cade to First State Bank, MML.
R. W. Cade to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust.
Jessie F. Chapman to Standard Oil Company of Texas, oil and gas lease.
W. F. Creager to John Earl Hatton, release of deed of trust.
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E. P. Crawford to Charlie B. Wood, release of vendor's lien.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to R. M. Earnest, extension of deed of trust.
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F. C. Eaves to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed.
John L. Ernst to Milton H. Perry, warranty deed.
Eastland National Bank to George O'Neill, release of vendor's lien.
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First Federal S&L Assn. to L. A. Lowrance, Jr., release deed of trust.
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John Earl Hatton to The Public, proof of heirship.
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Taber, Coleman & Carr Drilling Company to J. B. Morton, Jr., release of oil and gas lease.
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Bertie Wood to Joe R. Urice, oil and gas lease.
J. A. Westmoreland to J. O. Gowan, warranty deed.
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INCOME TAX AIDS

One of a Series of 12 Articles Prepared by The Internal Revenue Service

This is the eleventh in a series of 12 articles prepared by the Internal Revenue Service to assist taxpayers in avoiding errors that cause "Pre-Refund Audits" which delay tax refunds for many taxpayers. Today we are listing eight common reasons for the Internal Revenue Service having to adjust tax returns:

1. The taxpayer incorrectly included the cost of the land in the amount on which he computed depreciation. Land is not depreciable.

2. When property is converted from personal use to business use, the basis for depreciation is the lower of the cost or the fair market value of the property at the date of its conversion.

3. Contributions are not deductible as business expenses.

4. Business expenses must be substantiated when the return is audited.

5. Employee's portion of the social security taxes and the employee's income tax withheld is not a business expense, as such, since they are included in the amounts deducted as wages.

6. Federal income tax withheld from a taxpayer's salary and Federal estimated income taxes paid do not constitute business expenses. They are taken into account as a prepayment credit against his income tax liability.

7. Casualty losses are not taken into account in determining the amount of the self-employment income that is subject to the self-employment tax.

8. The gain or loss incurred on the sale of property used in the trade or business are not taken into account in determining the amount of the self-employment income subject to the self-employment tax.

Thousands of taxpayers made errors like these that required an audit of their tax returns. Study your tax instructions.

In the final article, we will present the errors taxpayers make in claiming casualty losses.

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Bubba Everett Wins Air Flight

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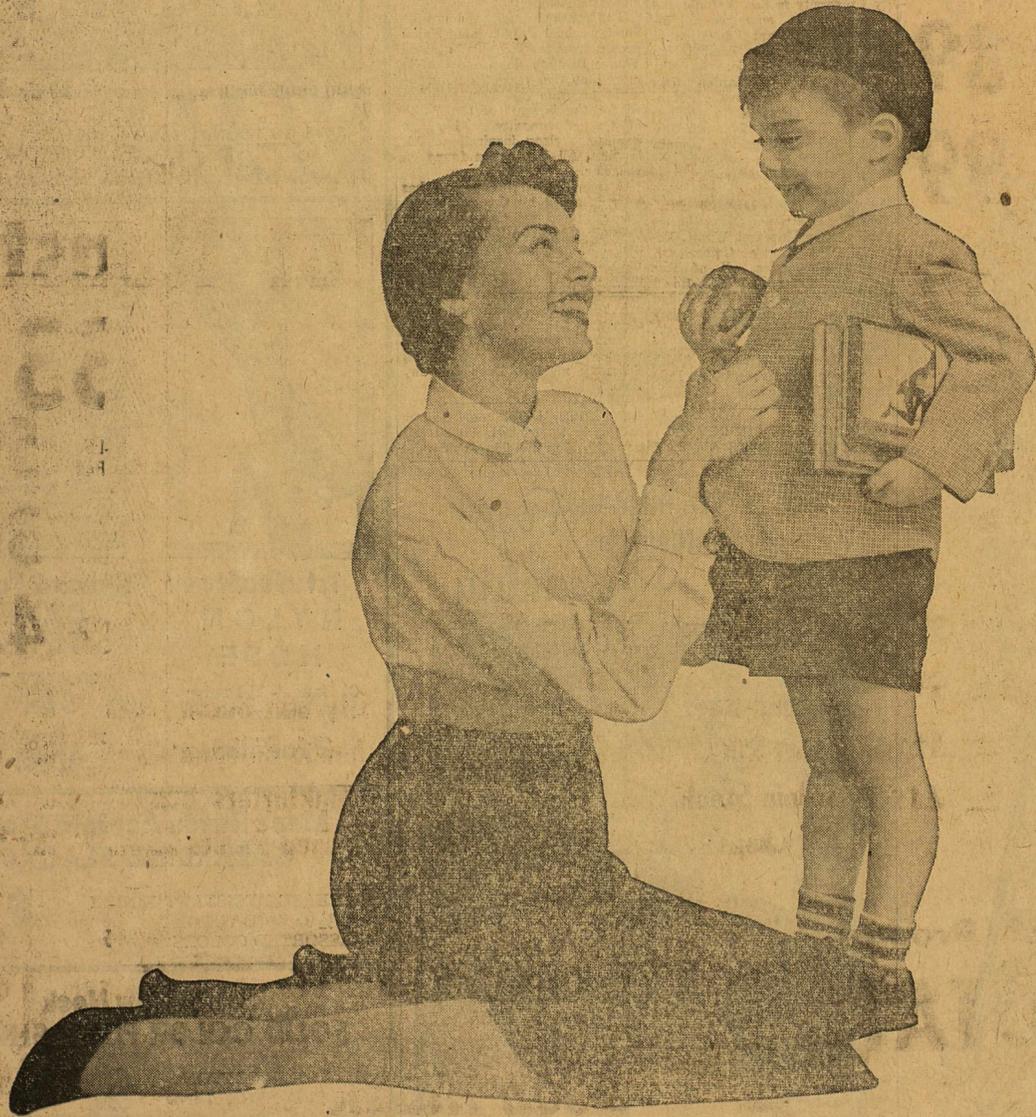
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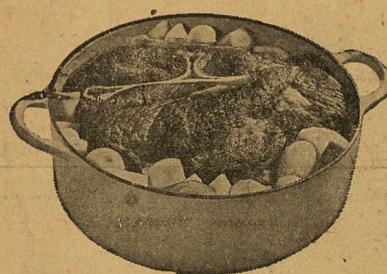
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Ranger Times
Dear Sir:
I am trying to dampen your enthusiasm, and we do not have a thing against our new U. S. Senator, and I don't think we could improve on him too much as men go, and I realize we could do

a lot worse, but to make a long story short and to bring out a point so many people have overlooked, let me suggest that you show me a better way to spend our tax dollars than for the privilege of selecting our representatives by balloting.
I had ten to one rather use our tax dollars to support an election than to send that money to save

some defunct socialist regime from going on the rocks, or to support some eggheaded crack-pot scheme of the bureaucrats in Washington who become absolutely beserk when it comes to spending other people's money.

And besides, I would like to bet you a good hat that to rule out an election to save money won't lower our taxes or prevent them from raising our taxes this year or the next, and I think it is about time some of our tax money be spent in the interest of the majority of the people for once instead of for minority groups with selfish interests

Mac Chesire
Cisc, Texas

Let Can Opener Be Mag'c Wand In Your Kitchen

By Julia Hunter
Home Economics Director, Lone Star Gas Company

With a little imagination and a bit of daring, your can opener can really serve as your magic wand in the kitchen. Canned foods are packed at the peak of goodness and with ideal methods, so they are delicious just as they come from the can.

However, improper cooking of a canned vegetable can quickly ruin it, no matter how good it was when it came from the can.

Appetites can grow tired of canned vegetables just heated or canned fruit just chilled. Use imagination and that bit of daring to vary ways of serving canned foods. There's many a quick trick to give them new flavors, new importance in menus.

When heating canned vegetables, use this method to retain greatest food value. Drain the liquid into a saucepan. Boil it quickly over a full flame to reduce the amount to about 1/3 cup. Add the vegetable, heat quickly and season. Never throw away the liquid from canned vegetables, for it contains valuable nutrients. If you prefer, it may be saved to use in soups, sauces and gravies, rather than boil it down.

There's no end to the flavorings that blend deliciously with canned vegetables. Try a generous squeeze of lemon juice and a generous dash of dill seed on seasoned green lima beans. Crisp, crumpled bacon, minced onion, a sprinkling of vinegar, a bit of sugar and a dash of salt and pepper dress up green beans. Top seasoned asparagus spears with lemon juice and buttered bread crumbs. Stir sour cream and mushroom pieces into seasoned green peas. A can of cream of mushroom soup thinned with 1/2 cup milk makes an excellent sauce for asparagus. Use cream of celery for peas. Toss hot, seasoned hominy with grated American cheese. French style green beans marinated in French dressing and tossed with onion rings make a crisp salad.

Canned fruits may be made into many colorful and festive salads and desserts.
Mix chopped crystallized ginger with cream cheese, arrange pear

halves on salad greens and heap a tablespoon of cheese in each half. Serve with French dressing. Good with roast chicken, turkey or duck.

Spread pineapple spears with cream cheese, sprinkle with celery seed, arrange in lettuce cups and serve with mayonnaise thinned with liquid from the canned pineapple.

Fold drained crushed pineapple into prepared instant vanilla pudding. Chill and serve topped with toasted coconut. For a richer dessert, fold mixture of marshmallows and chopped nuts in with the pineapple.

Season applesauce with cinnamon and nutmeg and spoon over warm gingerbread or spice cake.

Use whole cranberry sauce instead of apples in your favorite apple crisp recipe.

Fill chilled pear halves with whipped cream and top with shaved milk chocolate candy bar.

For more free information, send a postcard to the Home Economics Department (Lone Star Gas Co., Room 601, at 301 S. Harwood, Dallas, Texas.

Mesquite Trees Cost Farmer \$9 Yearly Loss

College Station—A dead mesquite tree is worth more in economic value than a live one, declares G. O. Hoffman, Extension Range Specialist. A live one, 10 inches in diameter, will use a ton of water to produce a pound of beans. That same ton of water could produce four pounds of good grass! For five cents the tree can be killed and if it isn't, says Hoffman, it could represent a yearly loss approximating \$9.00.

The not-so-busy, not-so-hot winter months are ideal for getting rid of brush and undesirable trees in pastures. Percentage of kill from the 2,4,5-T and diesel oil chemicals is better in the winter and, too, no crops which are harmed by them are growing then, says Hoffman. It's also a lot easier to get close to the brush and give it a better treatment during this time of the year, he adds.

Trees over 4 inches in diameter should be frilled or cut off and treatment applied to the cut surface. After making a frill, spray solution in the ax cut surface until it bubbles out of the frill. When spraying freshly-cut stumps, let some of the solution run down the bark channels to the ground line, advises Hoffman.

Hoffman says kerosene or coal oil is another good oil to use in brush control. For mesquite eradication, mix one gallon of 2,4,5-T to 40 gallons of oil and for oaks use one gallon 2,4,5-T to 24 gallons of oil. Rate of application per acre will depend on the tree size. Cost of application for a 4 inch diameter mesquite is 1 1-2 cents, and 3 cents for an oak. All you need to work with is an ax, a knapsack sprayer, and chemical solution, he concludes.



PUSS-IN-PROOFS—An extra copyreader at the Columbus (Ohio) Citizen carefully scrutinizes papers on the city editor's desk. Editorial workers discovered this cat, named "Nosey," sitting in the basket and looking glum about the general state of world affairs.

Around the Town At Olden
By Mrs. Dick Yielding

The W.M.U. ladies of the Baptist Church met last week at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bud Griffin with 16 ladies present.

Mrs. Pete Rogers met at the church Monday afternoon with the Sun Beams to organize the band.

Mrs. Laura Simer, of Wichita Falls, spent the week end in Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cole and children of Brownfield drove in Friday night to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yielding visited in the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Irvin Harrison in Ranger Sunday afternoon.

Sharon Holliday who had been in the Ranger General Hospital for a week was dismissed last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Smith of Coleman spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIlvain. Mrs. Smith is a granddaughter of McIlvain.

The men of the Baptist Church are doing repair work on the roof of the educational building this week.

Jack Ward, formerly of Eastland and now of Abilene stopped by Olden enroute from Fort Worth last week for a good Olden hair cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herring and children of Brownfield have

moved to Ranger where Glenn is a student at Ranger Junior College.

Mrs. Berry Elliott and daughter, Wilma, have been very ill with the flu this week.

The bright object seen in the sky Monday evening created some excitement. One lady called this writer and said go look in the sky north of your home and see if you know what that thing in the sky is and call us back. The object had been seen earlier near Abilene by some Lone Star men and determined to be a weather balloon.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Brien Sunday were her sister, Mrs. Traett Holder and family from Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls from Abilene.

Edd Mitchell, who had been in the Ranger General Hospital for nearly 3 months has been dismissed and returned to his home in Eastland.

Mrs. Sue Hamelton of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hamelton.

Mrs. Irvin Talley and Mrs. Dick Yielding were visiting in Breckenridge Saturday afternoon.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

All-District Teams Named By 23-B Coaches

Selection of all-District teams in District 23-B were revealed today.

Among the all-district boys basketball teams were Eddie Munn of Olden, Johnny and Bobby Standridge, both of Gorman, and Leon Rogers and Guy Owens, both of Desdemona. Desdemona won the district championship.

Named on the all-district girls edge team were forwards Ann Mangum and Maxine Stacy both of Carbon, and Linda Cloninger of Gorman. Guards making the team were Ruth Rasberry of Carbon, Eileen Barker of Desdemona and Jamie Thompson of Gorman. Gorman edged out Carbon for the title.

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