

Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday with isolated thunder showers in the afternoon Tuesday. High both days 90-95. Low both nights 80-85. Lake Leon level was 71.00 Tuesday.

THE RANGER TIMES

LAKE LEON
"A FISHERMAN'S PARADISE"

SEEKING COMMUNITY BETTERMENT SINCE 1919

RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1956

PRICE FIVE CENTS

TIMES SPANKED, REASONS GIVEN

Continue Investigation In Local Baby Case

Law enforcement officers, not one of which condones abortions, are continuing their investigation into the case involving the finding of a premature baby's body in a trash can in the rear of the J. C. Tenney company and Western Auto store in the 100 block of Ranger's Main street, Friday, Aug. 31.

If, and it is just that—if an abortion was committed it is in violation of the law and punishable by statute.

If it was a "miscarriage" or an act of God that would be a different story. But, the leaving of

the body in a trash can is a crime. Officers moving carefully, are conducting an investigation covering all angles of the case—and as one high official said—"we are going to be sure before we do anything that must be done."

Rumors of all kinds were flying thick and fast in Ranger at press time Tuesday, however, they were unfounded, and until a release is given the newspapers nothing can be published as facts.

The body of the infant was found by city sanitation workers as they made their rounds Friday morning. It was wrapped in a pink

sat in pillow cover and stuffed in a shoe box. It had been unconsciously dumped into a trash can.

Funeral services for the remain were conducted Saturday morning.

It was requested by the officers that rumors be kept down as it only hampers their investigation. Each and every lead or rumor must be run down, whether it is fact or fiction—imagination leads to a lot of extra work and allows the trail to cool.

Cooperation with the law enforcement bodies may well prove to be a deciding factor in the case.

Bobbie Culpepper Fund Nears \$780; One Day Remains to Go 'All Out'

The Bobbie Culpepper Fund is showing signs of increased progress although somewhat slowly. With only one more day to go—Wednesday—the fund was roughly half the goal at press time Tuesday.

With the sights set at \$1500—needed by the game little champion in her fight to regain health—roughly \$780 had been realized at edition deadline. While several promises have been made, contributions to the fund cannot be counted until they are in the hands of the committee.

Bobbie Culpepper, for whom the fund was founded, is the youngster who is waging a battle against ill health. She has had 11 major surgeries in the past 22 months and must now go to Central hospital, Boston, Mass. for her twelfth.

The petite nurse and her grandparents have fought illness alone and in silence until finances are exhausted. But with the need urgent for this major operation and Dr. Ovar Swenson as the surgeon recommended by local and Dallas medical men as the man to do the job help is needed by the family and Ranger and surrounding towns have rallied to the cause.

But the rally has fallen short, and with two days to go the 30-year-old mother of a son, Pat, 7, help is urgently needed.

This 12th major operation is for ileostomy repair. This is the operation that may again put Bobbie on her feet. A return to a happy, normal life, where once again her smile will

brighten the outside world—not just her sick room. Bobbie must leave Ranger early Thursday morning. She will go to Amon Carter field where she will be put on a plane to Boston.

Unable to travel alone, she will be accompanied by an aunt who must of necessity remain with her while she goes through her fight for the twelfth time—this one the attractive brunette must win.

Contributions to the Bobbie Culpepper Fund may be made to Mrs. J. B. (Opal) Craig, 613 Breckenridge road or left at the editorial desk of the Ranger Times. Contributions should be in the hands of the committee by 4 p.m. Wednesday.

All right, Rangersites, start digging and DIG DEEP!



THEY NEED OUR HELP!

IT'S TIME TO FACE FACTS

We shouldn't have to keep reminding adults of their responsibility for keeping children safe in traffic—but we do.

The need is obvious when the national safety council reports more than 2000 children killed and 140,000 injured each year in motor vehicle accidents.

Admittedly, the heedless actions of many child traffic victims thrust them into dangerous situations. But even in such cases, adults must accept the blame.

By their very nature, children are excitable, heedless and unthinking. We, as adults, know this. Yet, somehow, we expect every child to realize instantly that an automobile is a deadly monster if he strays into its path. We expect the child to know more about stopping distances and speed than most drivers know themselves.

If you think that's stretching a point, think back how many times the excuse is used, "I couldn't stop in time" or "I didn't see him soon enough."

Any driver who has run down a child knows the "ifs" that are on his conscience. "If I had been going a little slower," "If I had been more wide awake," "If . . ."

It's time for all adults to face up to their full responsibility for our shamefully high child pedestrian toll. It's time for all adults to adjust their driving, increase their alertness when driving in any area where children may be walking or playing. It's time for all drivers to keep a sharp look-out for children and to be ready to protect them from their heedless behavior when necessary.

It's time for every parent to try harder than ever before to prepare his child for the dangers of traffic . . . by his own teaching and his own example.

Half way measures are not enough; and we still haven't done enough.

We as adults must accept fully and without reservation the fact that we must "be our brother's keeper" when it comes to children in traffic.

It's an absolute minimum requirement for every adult who wants to be able to live with himself!

Daniel by 3343 Majority Wins Runoff Race

The Texas Election Bureau's tabulation as of Saturday, Sept. 1, showed Price Daniel the apparent winner in the gubernatorial election.

TEB showed in its final tabulation, Daniel 698,187 votes, Yarborough polled 694,844 votes, according to the count. Daniel winning by some 3343 votes, called on Yarborough supporters "to accept the decision of the majority and join us in our work for progress and good government."

The final count showed Yarborough picking up 266 votes over the previous count while Price Daniel gained 62.

County Bright Spot in Texas; No Accidents

Eastland county was one of the few bright spots in Texas today as far as a careful driving record was concerned, following a bloody Labor Day weekend.

Highway Patrolman Lee Strawn said this morning that not a single highway accident was reported over the long holiday, and that not a single fatality was recorded in the entire Abilene district.

Strawn credited vigorous enforcement and use of radar units with curbing death on the county's highways. More than a hundred radar speeding tickets were issued in the county.

Texas Nation's Leader in Pecan Tree Production

Pecan trees of all ages on United States farms in 1954 numbered 7,489,457, with 4,580,818, or 61.2 percent in 100 leading counties, according to 1954 census of agriculture figures for ranking counties released today by the Bureau of the Census, U. S. department of commerce. Pecans harvested in 1954 amounted to 28,578,225 pounds, with 16,565,654 pounds in the 100 counties which led in the number of trees.

Dougherty county, Ga., was the leading county in number of pecan trees, with 228,073—3.0 percent of the U. S. total—and was second in pecans harvested with 745,341 pounds. Mitchell, Ga., was second in number of trees with 184,595, and tenth in quantity harvested with 388,439 pounds. Mobile county, Ala., third in number of trees with 121,961, was 14th in harvest with 319,816 pounds. Comanche, Texas, ranked fourth in trees with 109,526, and third in harvest with 606,392 pounds. San Saba, Texas, was fifth in trees with 102,289, and fourth in harvest with 650,912 pounds. Dona Ana, N.M., sixth in number of trees with 107,163 was

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Sheriff's Raid Nets 71 Bottles Of Liquor Here

Eastland county sheriff, J. B. Williams, John Boyd, chief deputy, Patrolman Ed Freeman of the Ranger city police and Bill Reed, deputy, conducted a raid on an alleged bootlegger Saturday evening, Sept. 1, about 9 p.m. in the vicinity of Ranger.

Confiscated by the officers were some 71 half-pints of whiskey, it was reported.

The raid was made at the place of Orly (Slim) Bowen, by nine officers, according to reports.

'Friends' Get State Legals; 'Foes' None

By VIRGIL E. MOORE
EASTLAND TELEGRAM
EDITOR

Reason for the political spanking received by the Eastland Telegram and The Ranger Times, two of Eastland County's largest newspapers, has been explained by Tom Reavley, secretary of state.

Both the Telegram and The Times were snubbed this year when it came time to place legal advertising in the form of proposed constitutional amendments.

ments which are to be voted on in the Nov. 8 general election. Neither of the newspapers, both published by The Times Publishing Co., received any of the advertising. All other newspapers in the county received at least one of the advertisements, and most received two.

In all Reavley handed out \$100,000 worth of such advertising, in the main to "friends" of the Shivers administration.

Contacted in Austin by The Texas Observer, "an independent liberal weekly newspaper," Reavley admitted the advertising had been awarded to "state friends."

The Observer put it this way: "In keeping with the old political patronage plan, Reavley admits he put the knife to political opponents of the Shivers administration by not giving state legal advertisements to politically unfriendly publishers."

The newspaper went on to declare that, "Reavley . . . confirmed that some publishers' opposition to the Shivers administration had been the deciding factor against their receiving any of the ads in question. However, he declared, such cases have been held to a minimum."

"Reavley went on to explain that the statutory powers of the Secretary of State on the matter were 'very broad' and there is 'nothing illegal about selecting a man's friends' for awarding such advertising. He said in cases where he had to choose between what he termed a 'state friend' and someone who had been 'outspoken opposition,' with 'everything else being equal,' he had, 'of course,' selected the 'friend.' He added:

"I don't believe that this will come as a surprise to many people and I doubt that it will be charged for a 'long time' to come."

Ben Erzell, editor of the Canadian Record, another newspaper which got the snub treatment, had this to say about the situation:

"Although the state law requires that the Secretary of State have all proposed amendments to the state constitution published in a newspaper of general circulation in every county in the state . . . with the obvious intent that the newspapers so chosen in each county should offer the widest possible circulation and readership . . . such publications are more often handled at the discretion of the governor in power, or the state legislators . . . as political plums to be handed out to the faithful, or a political punishment to be withheld from those newspapers which have earned official displeasure through their independent editorial policies."

In a front page column Aug. 26, the Telegram reported: "The Telegram this year didn't receive a single one of the constitutional amendments which, by law, must be published in some newspaper in each county. They are published and paid for by the State. Two years ago, and in the past, we have always received our share of the business, but not so this year. Every newspaper in this county—including the smallest, the Carbon Messenger—received some of the amendments, except the Telegram and The Ranger Times, our sister paper."

"Now maybe there was no politics involved. But when two of the largest newspapers in the county are snubbed, well . . . we kinda got to wondering."

Reavley told The Observer that he felt the whole plan of legal publications should be changed. He said he felt that instead of legal publications several thousand pamphlets should be printed and distributed to the county clerks to be handed out to anyone interested.

The Telegram and The Times have one question to put forth to Mr. Reavley ourselves: Who, sir, would print the pamphlets? The Mission Times.

Mrs. Wilkins Is Buried Monday

Funeral services were held here Monday morning at 10 a.m. for Mrs. G. B. Wilkins of Midland.

Mrs. Wilkins, a former resident of Eastland, died last week in Midland, Hamner. Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements with burial in Eastland cemetery.

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Texas farmers will receive more than 23.8 million in payments for land placed in the soil bank acreage reserve program. Bob Cherry, extension economist, says that a total of 63,672 agreements were signed in Texas before the July 27 deadline.

Under the acreage reserve program, farmers are paid for each acre of land retired from the production of basic crops up to a specified percentage of their allotments. The program is designed to aid soil improvement and reduce surplus production, points out Cherry.

Farmers of the nation have signed agreements covering approximately 10.7 million acres while the 63,672 agreements signed in Texas, cover 1,970,255.3

acres. The 3-10 of an acre represents the acreage taken out of tobacco.

Cherry says 14,708 wheat agreements covering 1,066,390 acres and with payments expected to reach \$6,193,574 have been signed in Texas. Texas cotton farmers signed 49,322 agreements put 865,654 acres of cotton allotments into the acreage reserve and if they comply with all program requirements, can expect to receive \$17,020,420 in government payments. Peanut producers (Continued on Page Two)

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TWO OTHERS ONLY—Walter Williams, 113, of Franklin, Tex., is one of three Confederate Civil War veterans still alive. Albert Woolson, last member of the Union Army, died recently at the age of 106.



WHOSE PICTURE ARE YOU DIALING?—The hear-and-see telephones of the future aren't far away any more. Floyd K. Becker, a Bell Telephone Laboratories engineer, demonstrates a successful model of a picture-phone system. A two-by-three-inch screen and small transmitter, left, are the principal components of the system, which uses only one extra telephone line on the customer's premises. It will be possible to dial a caller's picture like an ordinary telephone call. Bell engineers have transmitted recognizable pictures between New York and Los Angeles.

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HITS and MISSES

By ED JOHNSON



Some time ago I was called upon to act as best man at a wedding of two very good friends. Now I suppose I have two less than before—however, I have never had an excess, in my memory. Nevertheless, here is an account of it.

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leather belt. They fell away to the tops of his highly-polished shoes, ending in a two-inch cuff. They were carefully creased and he wore them with the air that he knew it would be the last time he ever would wear the pants of that family.

In the lapel of his coat was a white carnation boutonniere, and I could not but help thinking how much better it would have been had it been a lily. A white handkerchief peeped from the breast pocket of the coat and it was a forlorn sight, it is probably the last new one he will ever possess.

As the minister intoned the death-knell, I began to feel that double duty would be necessary on my part. The collar of his shirt began to wilt, the crease to fade from his trousers and he even turned green around the gills—it was a death sentence, pure and simple.

Old Sky Pilot kept on in a monotone and the poor fellow kept growing noticeably weaker. But from deep in his reserves he pulled the necessary material fortitude to remain upright until completion of the sentence.

As the life sentence was being passed I glanced at the luscious young cupcake at his side and then at the Battle-axe he was acquiring for a mother-in-law, and so help me, I could not but wonder that if, in a few years, the "blushing bride" would develop into just such an old hag.

It would appear that the doomed man would make a dash for liberty. But this last hope was denied him as last came had a death-hold on his arm—there was no way of getting out of it. All I could see looking at Old Battle-axe was a head shaped like a cash register and dollar marks of eyes. With a grimly determined look, she was between her new meal ticket and the door. Never a chance for him to make his escape back to bachelorhood—he was doomed, and knew it.

Old groombride, she was present you know, had on some kind of an outfit that looked as if it had been two grades lower in fabric it would have been burlap. A hunk of gauze was slung around her head in some outlandish fashion. They called it a veil of illusion. It was an illusion, all right. It pretty well concealed her features, perfectly camouflaged for the occasion.

She had better keep it handy to wear when she prepares the morning coffee—it may be well to hide the gooey mess that the night creams will leave on her flesh and also the conglomeration of bobby-pins, curlers, and what have you, that tend to keep her so-called beauty from fading. How can a guy stand a mess like that?

At the reception Old Battle-axe stood by in a corner and flinched each time someone would help themselves to a drink or a tiny delicacy that no one really wanted. But never fear, Jerry

Wayne, you will pay, as continue to pay. Old Battle-axe and cupcake will see to that.

There is no hope for him. He is roped, bulldozed and hog-tied. And to think that I was partly responsible for it all—I was the dope that introduced them first.

About the next time he wears a new suit he won't now anything about it—he'll be in his casket.

Old groombride will be waiting each payday for his check and Battle-axe will be standing by to see that she gets it. Ah, fate is there no justice? Or is it that he, too, has been sipped to the abattoir? Now he will be bled, and bled white. All for the sake of marital happiness.

Well done and good luck, Jerry Wayne and Mary Elizabeth. You are both going to red it—especially the former.

The smart girl ever tries to sell a man ideas—she gives them to him.

RJC Rangers began their pre-season workouts last Saturday. First game is with Harris junior college, Sept. 15 at Breckenridge.

Those who feel it is all right to tell white lies soon go color blind.

Friday night Sept. 7—Merkel at Merkel for a season's opener of the Bulldogs.

Girls aren't wasteful they save up an all-time to burn up a new boy friend.

Texas-

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first in quantity harvested with 3,556,465 pounds.

The top 9 counties in number of peacocks in 1954 were distributed as follows: Texas, 42; Georgia, 22; Oklahoma, 20; Alabama, 7; Louisiana, 4; Mississippi, 3; Florida and New Jersey, 1 each.

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Now-

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of the state signed 3,195 agreements covering 33,905 acres for which they will receive \$396,415. Only 74 acreage reserve agreements were signed by rice growers in Texas on 4,286 acres on which they will receive \$219,487. The single tobacco grower by reducing his allotment by three-tenths of an acre and putting the reduction in the soil bank will receive \$102.

The economist said the largest number of acres put under acreage reserve agreements was in the Panhandle district and in the districts immediately to the south and east of the Panhandle. Extension district 8 in central Texas and district 10, south-central, were other areas of heavy sign up.

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The Revival in the First Baptist church is off to a good start with several additions and with good

attendance. Jackie Fryar will direct the music both night and morning. The young people are asked to be present for choir each night at 7 p.m. The Brotherhood is serving breakfast each morning from 6:50 to 7:15, followed by a song service and a message by the pastor. Tuesday night the pastor will bring the message, "Crucifying an

Innocent Man." Christianity has more to offer because it has given more—"The Son of God," in the "Death of Jesus." Wednesday morning the pastor will bring another parable, "The Growth of the Kingdom." Wednesday night, the message, "Who Has Sinned—this man or his parents?" Thursday morning another parable, "Overcome the Evil of Life."

The pastor is bringing messages that will strengthen the lives of both Christian and non-Christian alike. Come and enjoy these gospel messages. The nursery is open for all the services.

VISITING FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Leslie Jones Sanders has as her house guests her daughter Deanne Sanders of Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Vivian Perkins and a daughter arrived in Ranger the first of the week and Mrs. Perkins left Thursday for Tulsa, Okla., to visit with her parents. Deanne will return to Los Angeles next week. She is a student in the University of California.

VISIT IN WICHITA FALLS

Sue Cook, Stevie, and Beverlie Pharis spent the weekend in Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ewing.

THANKS FOLKS, WE GOT ELECTED —

... and it's a nice tribute to be favored with the confidence and good-will of one's neighbors and friends. Getting elected, however, may apply to business as well as politics. I doubt if we could get very far in a political race, but when it comes to making quality abstracts a host of customers far and near have for more than 33 years favored us with a vote of confidence, and still do. And for that we are deeply grateful.

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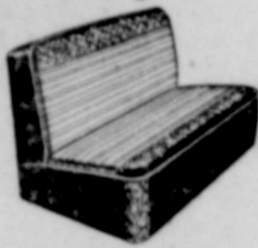
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Mrs. Jesse Mitchell Miner . . . weds Friday

Betty Joyce Robinson and Fort Worth Man Marry In Day Rites

Miss Betty Joyce Robinson became the bride of Jesse Mitchell Miner of Fort Worth Friday night in the First Christian Church in Eastland. Rev. Roy M. Turner, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Miner are parents of the bridegroom.

The altar was decorated with greenery and a triple arrangement of white gladioli in white floor baskets, flanked by white tapers in Swedish steel candelabra and green palms. The choir rail featured an arrangement of white gladioli on a background of greenery. A Swedish steel Pre Dieu completed the altar decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a sleeveless, fitted lace bodice over taffeta. The high neckline was featured with a row of scalloped lace above tulle. The skirt of gathered tulle was fashioned with peaks of chantilly lace which flared out into scallops over pleated tulle at the bottom, and was worn over hoops and crinolines. She wore silver metallic heels.

Her shoulder length veil of tulle was caught to a scalloped cornet embroidered with pearls. The above length with the harp. Both are sisters of the bridegroom. Other members of the house party were Misses J. W. Cooper, Curtis Koen, I. A. Scott, T. Weaver, L. W. Dalton, E. J. Turner, Guy Craig, A. K. Garrett, C. Poe, W. M. Coppock, Elton Simpson, R. H. Latham, E. K. Henderson and Maurice Dry.

A graduate of Eastland High School, where she was a member of the Co-ed Club, the bride is a senior student at North Texas State College in Denton. Miner graduated from Carter-Riverside High School in Fort Worth and attended North Texas State College. He is presently employed at Convoir in Fort Worth after serving two years in the Marine Corps.

With a veil of lace covered buttons, carried a Bible arrangement of white carnations accented with shower of white satin and pearls.

Mrs. Weaver sang "Because of 'Lord's Prayer'" accompanied by Miss Helen Taylor on organ.

James L. Rogers of Harlingen as her sister's only attendant. She wore a peach colored tulle dress with a round neckline set in with a strip of matching net. The fitted bodice and gathered ballerina skirt featured a pleated cummerbund of matching taffeta and ruffles. Peach net mitts featuring taffeta covered buttons and a crescent arrangement of white carnations loops of satin.

Mr. Pelton of Fort Worth was best man and usher Johnny Ray Pritts and Jim Smith, both of Fort Worth. At her daughter's wedding, Robinson chose a navy lace gown with pink accessories and a carnation corsage. The bride's mother wore a white lace dress with matching hat, turquoise accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Jim Fuller presided at the reception in the Woman's Club and Mrs. George B. Smith of Fort Worth. Both are sisters of the bridegroom. Other members of the house party were Misses J. W. Cooper, Curtis Koen, I. A. Scott, T. Weaver, L. W. Dalton, E. J. Turner, Guy Craig, A. K. Garrett, C. Poe, W. M. Coppock, Elton Simpson, R. H. Latham, E. K. Henderson and Maurice Dry.

For traveling, the bride chose a black sleeveless sheath dress with three-quarter length sleeves matching bolero of black and aqua. Her accessories were black and aqua and she wore a white carnation corsage from her bridal bouquet.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Miner were host and hostess at a chicken supper Thursday evening, following the wedding rehearsal, at Kline's Chicken Shack on Highway 80.

The table held pink centerpiece arrangement of pink and white flowers surrounded by two hurricane lamps. Gifts were given to each member of the wedding party by the bride and groom following the invocation given by Rev. Roy Turner.

Those present were the bride and groom, their parents, Mrs. James Rogers, sister of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller and children, Jana and Jimmy, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, Rev. and Mrs. Roy Turner, Helen Taylor and Jana Weaver.

Women's Activities

September 6 The Seminar meeting of the WSCS of the Cisco district will meet in Olney at the First Methodist church Thursday, Sept. 6. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. and call to order at 10 a.m. The meeting will close at 3 p.m. Those planning to go are to contact Mrs. A. W. Branda. The group will leave from the church at 7:30 a.m.

Barbeque Dinner Held At Lake Leon

The following enjoyed a barbeque dinner and swimming party at Lake Leon Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox, Mrs. W. T. Haggar, Deloras and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mace, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mace, Norma, Gail, Robert, and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox, Sandra, Eddie and Danny of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cox and Vickie of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Day Mace, Shirley and Mick of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Arty Mace, Linda Sue and Janis of Knox City; Don Smith of Abilene, and Julia Chambers of Breckenridge.

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Gail Mace Honored On 10th Birthday

Gail Mace was honored on her 10th birthday, Aug. 27, with a party given by her mother, Mrs. Jack Mace, at their home.

Games of bingo and bubble gum contests were held with prizes being given to the winners. A talent show was also held. Refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch were served to the following: Tanya Lawson, Geneva McGee, Billy Gene and Ella May Cozart, Sandra Tibbels, Carolyn Matthews, David, Terry and Sharon Sutton, Nadine and Douglas Rainey, Tommy and Donald Fonville, Robert, Larry and Norma Mace, Gail and Mrs. Mace.

LOOK WHO'S NEW



Sgt. and Mrs. Daniel DeGennro announce the birth of a daughter, Gina Loma, born Aug. 17 at Tripler Army hospital, Honolulu, Mrs. DeGennro is the former Myrlene Parks of Ranger.

The DeGennros have two other children, a girl and a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Medley of Ranger are the parents of an 8 pound, 4 1/2 ounce boy born at 5:35 a.m. Sept. 4 in the Ranger General hospital.

Odell Bailey and family of Fort Worth visited his son, W. W. Bailey of Ranger and another son, Norman W. Bailey and family of Midwest City, Okla., Saturday.

SPEND MONDAY AT LAKE LEON

A fish fry and boating was enjoyed Monday at Lake Leon by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dempsey and Audrey Fay, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Browning of Jal, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Halbrooks and Sandra, Bernet Galley and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Browning.

SPEND WEEKEND IN COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dennis and Jo Ann of Lubbock spent the weekend in Colorado, where they visited Pikes Peak, Garden of the Gods, Cave of the Winds, Cheyenne Zoo, Seven Falls and Royal Gorge.

HOSPITAL NEWS



New patients in the West Texas clinic are F. L. Turpin, Oden; Edward Marchlewski, Strawn; Mrs. Dick Blackwell, Ranger.

New patients in the Ranger General hospital are: Mrs. L. D. Stevenson, Fort Worth, medical; Mrs. T. K. Jackson, Ranger, surgical; David Weekes, Ranger, medical.

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