



See What We Mean?

By RAY SWINDELL

THERE ARE scores of societies across the nation that advocate the preservation of this or the prevention of that against what have you, and all, in one way or the other, carry some benefits.

PERHAPS THE most popular one in the United States at present is the Humane Society, a group organized for the prevention of cruelty to animals. And that includes all living creatures except homo sapiens.

WE NOTED an Associated Press story dateline Littleton, Colorado, where a group of high school children had "wrongfully lofted high into space" a mouse. This was done by a rocket constructed by a group of school children.

THE SOCIETY immediately cautioned Littleton school authorities against the use of live animals in rockets.

ITS NO SECRET that man is the ruling animal on this earth simply because he has a thumb and fore-finger. Man is more intelligent.

SO, IF MAN is more intelligent, why is it he has not created a society for the prevention of cruelty against man.

EVEN BETTER a society for the prevention of cruelty against poor unfortunate newspapermen. We kind of think that type of society would go over big.

In all probabilities, local residents will get a chance to see some local youngsters perform on television in April.

Homer Perry, director of Teen Town, told us he had written a letter to WBAP-TV in Fort Worth requesting that April 4 be set aside as the date for a group of teenage youngsters to appear on "Teenage Downbeat."

The Fort Worth station requests that thirteen couples, 26 teenagers, be present. And they must be there 30 minutes before they are to be televised. Since travel time is involved, April 4 was picked as the date since school will be dismissed for the Easter holidays.

Picking the 13 couples will present a problem. Perry told us that he plans to get three or four local residents to serve as judges and have the teenagers to "audition" for the right to go to Fort Worth.

We think that is an excellent idea.

All this talk about pay television is certainly getting around. In the event that it does materialize, we are wondering what the cigarette companies, cosmetic industries, and what have you, will do.

Congress has the thing under debate now. And last year U. S. Federal Communications Commission filed 73 volumes of testimony on the subject.

Most of the people who advocate "pay television" are shouting, "give us a chance."

It all boils down, it appears to us, as a method of Congress to collect more taxes.

The following appeared in Cheer, a monthly publication, full of wit and humor.

Man Wanted: A man for hard work and rapid promotion; a man who can find things to be done without the help of a manager and assistants.

Man who gets to work on time in the morning and does not hamper the lives of others in an attempt to be first out of the office at night.

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A man who does not pity himself for having to work.

A man who does not suik for an hour's overtime in emergencies.

A man who is cheerful, courteous to everyone, and determined to make good.

This man is wanted everywhere.



MORRIS GEORGE Heads Highway Committee

Chamber of Commerce Series

C - C Group Works On Road Paving

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the thirteenth in a series of articles dealing with the various committees set up by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. The chamber has 14 committees all working together for the benefit of Ranger and the citizens of Ranger. It is hoped that through these articles, the people of Ranger will have a better understanding of the chamber of commerce and its functions. The articles were written with the cooperation of Wilson Guest, president of the chamber, and Rip Galloway, chamber manager.

Of primary importance to the highway committee of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce is the paving of Farm Road 2461 from Lone Cedar to and across Lake Leon Dam and join Farm Road 2214 south of the lake.

The committee promoted the paving of the farm road from U. S. Highway 80 south to Lone Cedar. At present, it is the hope of the committee that the state highway department will take over the continued paving of the farm road.

In August, 1957, members of the committee appeared with a group from Eastland before the state highway commission in Austin.

Mothers March Tagged Success

The Mothers March of Dimes, conducted Thursday night in Ranger, was declared a success by Mrs. Calvin Lipkin, chairman of the drive.

Sponsored by the local 1947 Club, the drive is held annually.

Mrs. Lipkin said that the amount of money collected from the drive had not been counted but she expected it to be done within the next few days.

She added that some houses were missed. If you desire to contribute, you may bring your money to the Chamber of Commerce office on Main Street.

Members of the 1947 Club and scores of volunteers participated in the drive to raise funds for the fight against polio.

Seven Families Welcomed Here By Local Group

Seven welcome letters this week were mailed to newcomers of Ranger by the newcomers committee of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. It was noted today.

The committee is composed of five local men who endeavor to make new residents welcome here.

New residents of Ranger in recent weeks are Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith, who recently opened a radio repair shop; Mr. and Mrs. Don Greer, Ranger College student from Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, college student from Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Travis McDaniel, associated with the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company from Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cartwright, one of the owners of the Early Dawn Oil Company, of Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pate, manager of the Browder Oil Company. Mrs. Pate operates Jodie's Cafe. And Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tipton, associated with the Lone Star Gas Company here.

The newcomers committee is composed of F. P. Bradsher, J. A. Bates, Rev. Ralph Perkins, Gaston Dixon, and A. N. Larson.

See The RCA WHIRLPOOL APPLIANCES at RANGER FROZEN FOOD CENTER

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PARENTS REMINDED OF SCHOOL CENSUS DEADLINE

Local residents are reminded that today (Saturday) was the last day they may notify school authorities if their child will begin the first year of school here in September.

Parents who will have children that will start their first year are urged to call the superintendent's office at 11.

G. B. Rush, superintendent, said this applies only to children that will be six years of age before September 1, 1958.

It is necessary for the school administration to know the number to be enrolled in the public schools this fall.

Ranger Garden Club Games Tournney Nears

The members of the Ranger Garden Club are a civic-minded group with many long-range plans for civic improvement.

The project for the club's contribution to community betterment this spring is improvement of the central clubroom of the Community Club House.

The Community Club House, which also houses the Ranger Community Library, is a popular place for club meetings, parties, wedding receptions, dinners, and other types of affairs, as the club room and kitchen are available for use for a small fee.

Because the club room is used by so many people of the community and because so many attend formal functions there many times during the year, the Garden Club thought that others besides Garden Club members would like to have a part in making the Community Club House more attractive.

For that reason the civic and budget committees of the Garden Club planned the games tournament announced for Tuesday, February 11, for the purpose of raising money to buy draperies for the windows of the central club room.

The tickets for the tournament are one dollar, and there will be tables for bridge, forty-two, canasta, checkers, or any other game desired. Play will be progressive and prizes will be given in each division.

The members of the Garden Club hope that all the women of the community will cooperate in making the tournament a success. It will be an opportunity not only to contribute to the drapery fund but also to know one's neighbor better.

Head Count Starts Today

If you plan to be out of town Sunday, you are urged by the Ranger Ministerial Alliance to fill out the card below and leave it on your front door.

The alliance is conducting a religious survey of Ranger and it will take your cooperation to make this census a success.

All of the churches of Ranger, regardless of whether they participate in the census, will have access to the results.

The Ministerial Alliance, composed of pastors of the 13 Ranger churches, pointed out that the census will serve as a near accurate population census.

It has been several years since a survey of this nature has been undertaken in Ranger. And such a project requires the cooperation of the entire population.

The alliance urges you to cooperate in every way to make this survey a success.

C of C Directors, Heads to Meet Tuesday Night

Officers, directors, and members of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce will meet February 4.

Wilson Guest, president of the chamber, said the meeting will be held at the Ranger College cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

He urged all members to be present at this meeting. The public is also invited to attend.

FRIENDLY COMMUNITY RELIGIOUS SURVEY

Survey form with fields for Address, Family Name, Give Name, Member What Church, Local Church Preference, Where Attend, Sunday School.

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NICE WORK—Italian youngster appears taken aback by the tipping loveliness of dancer Wera Tschekova as she arrives at Rome's Ciampino Airport. The two will become better acquainted as they are soon to appear together in a movie called "Marcello the Ballerina and the Almighty."

Local Taxpayers Are Cautioned About Mistakes

Taxpayers in the Abilene area are making the four "all-too-common" errors in their tax returns, according to A. E. Fogle, Jr., of Internal Revenue Service, Abilene. These are:

- Failure to print or write legibly, forgetting to sign, not reporting all income, and mistakes in arithmetic. Fogle continues, "Three out of ten taxpayers who make major arithmetic errors pay too much tax, or select the wrong tax from the tax table."

"Unreported income often stems from bank bearing interest; taxpayers with time deposits frequently overlook the bank credits to their account. Also, we find taxpayers forgetting that some of the money received when they cash E bonds is interest income, if the bond has reached interest-bearing life."

Dependency errors, especially those involving working wives, are "all-too-common" on 1957 returns. According to IRS, some working wives earning less than \$600 file separate returns to get a refund on their withholding tax. This separate filing actually costs the couple money, because the husband cannot claim the wife's exemption.

"These couples," Fogle said, "should file joint returns and when joint returns are filed both parties must sign the joint return."

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Three Students Hurt In Mishap Car Overtakes Near Huckaby This Week

Three Ranger College students narrowly escaped serious injury this week when the car in which they were riding overturned near Huckaby, between Ranger and d Stephenville.

The trio, Glen Schmanke of Topeka, Kansas, Dick Maxwell and Wiley Wynman, both of Austin, were treated at Ranger Clinic for bruises and cuts and were released.

According to word received here, the trio were en route to Ranger from Austin when the car overturned.

State highway patrolmen said that the accident occurred when an unidentified man turned left into the path of the 1955 Ford driven by Schmanke.

Schmanke, according to highway patrolmen, was attempting to pass the man when he turned left.

In an attempt to miss the other car, Schmanke skidded to the left, hit a culvert, and overturned.

Maxwell and Wynman escaped with only cuts from flying glass. Schmanke received a minor cut on his hand. All were released after examination at the Ranger Clinic.

Dr. Price Ashton, president of the college, carried the three students to the clinic.

Highway patrolmen said the 1955 Ford was a total loss.

R. E. Seal Is Buried Wednesday

Funeral services for R. E. Seal, brother of Mrs. Roy Lane of Eastland, were held Wednesday in Lamesa.

Mr. Seal, a former county resident, died at the age 63. He had made his home in Eastland County for five years in the 1940's.

WEATHER

Weather forecast table with columns for High, Low, Rain, Total Rain for Jan., Total Rain for Year, Forecast.

County School Committee Is Faced With Busy Work In Coming Months

The Hale-Aikin Committee of 24 has approved a "grassroots" study procedure which should yield at least 42,418 separate replies (107 in each county's reports) to questions which the committee believes are pertinent to its state-wide survey of the public schools.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Eastland County chairman, revealed Thursday.

State Representative L. DeWitt Hale, vice-chairman of the committee and co-sponsor with Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr. of the legislation which authorized the public school study, said that he and other legislators plan to make direct use of all 254 county reports in determining what school legislation, if any, may be needed, Mrs. Perkins said.

"Twenty-five thousand copies of the study guide prepared by the Hale-Aikin Committee will be mailed throughout Texas before Feb. 15," the Corpus Christi legislator said. "It will be obvious to all persons requesting and using the 14-page study guide that much research and many group meetings will be needed in each county if the local committees are to fulfill their responsibilities in this study."

Representative Hale said all local committees are invited to send questions of their own choosing to the 167 questions posed by the Hale-Aikin Committee. Facts and opinions about any public school matter, whether local or state, may in this way be brought to the attention of the State Committee.

"In view of the vital importance of our schools, no County Committee should feel unduly burdened by the size and scope of this survey," Representative Hale continued. "The Legislature needs this information. Also, the local boards of school trustees and the average citizen whose votes, taxes, and influence contribute toward the local management and control of their schools need this information."

"The Hale-Aikin Committee is working on the premise that all who act in behalf of the public schools should do so with the assurance that their actions are based upon facts as well as upon the will of the people."

Each County Committee has been encouraged to organize and conduct the study in any suitable manner. In many counties, each school district is making a district study before reporting to the year-long County Committee. Other counties are conducting the study through four sub-committees, one for each of the major study topics of School Program, Teacher Salary, School Construction, and School Finance.

"Regardless of the procedure used, it is important that every school district be fully represented in all the county reports," Representative Hale said. "A full and open discussion of the school needs in each county will provide a sound basis for the County Committee to research and prepare an official report that reflects the public opinion and the school needs of the county."



BEAUTY AND THE BULL—Moody motion picture star Ava Gardner is reportedly conferring with beauticians, doctors and make-up men about removing evidence of a recent disagreement with a fighting shorthorn bull in a private bull ring. Ava, long and avid fan of bullfighting, is shown jousting with a young cow in Madrid, Spain, just before the accident. She says heavy make-up conceals the "dimple" in her face remaining from the reported butting she suffered.

Deaths Are High On Texas Roads

Ranger residents might take note of the statistics in a manual issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety on the number of Texans killed in motor accidents daily.

On an average, 7.13 persons were killed in motor vehicle traffic accidents in 1956 and an additional 395 were injured in 625 accidents daily.

The Texas Motor Vehicle Traffic Accident booklet for 1957 will be printed in April and released at the 1949 traffic conference at Austin.

It is estimated by the department of public safety that the average dollar loss per day during 1956 was just short of two-thirds of a million dollars or just a little over \$455 a minute.

In 1956, there were 3,954,369 motor vehicles registered and 228,832 accidents recorded in the entire state. There were 89,824 rural accidents.

The worst single month for fatal accidents in 1956 was September when 169 were recorded. December with 157, and November with 154 were other highs.

May had the least number of fatal accidents with 104. That total was four less than the number killed in the shortest month of the year, February.

During the year, 543 accidents were recorded in cities with 595 fatalities; 140 accidents were in towns with 178 deaths; 1,027 highway accidents with 1,850 deaths; and 176 on county roads with 196 deaths.

In the breakdown of fatal rural accidents by days, there were 358 killed on Saturday and 328 killed on Sunday. There were 231 deaths on Friday, 194 on Monday, 182 on Wednesday, 159 on Tuesday, and 152 on Thursday.

RAINFALL HIGH DURING MONTH OF JANUARY

Rainfall in Ranger during January topped the amount for the previous period a year ago, but fell far below the record recorded here.

A total of 1.69 inches fell here the past month compared with 1.95 for the same period a year ago. It was .32 inches over the 47-year average but far below the record recorded in 1929 when 3.72 inches were recorded.

Indications are that February will keep pace with January in rainfall. The 47-year average for February is 1.38. Last year, 1.33 inches of rain fell here.

My Neighbors

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FOR SALE: My 1954 Pontiac. Would consider trade in. See Wilson Guest at bank.

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Richard Spindle Will Preach At Nazzarene Church

Richard Spindle will bring the message in the morning worship service at the Church of the Nazzarene, Spindle, who is to devote his life to Christian Service upon his graduation from high school, plans to enter Bethany Nazarene College in Bethany, Okla., next fall. Services Sunday will climax the annual Youth Week activities. The morning worship services begin at 10:45. Sunday school begins at 9:45 a.m., under the direction of J. L. Jones, superintendent. The lesson this Sunday is taken from the International Sunday School Lessons and deals with the subject, "The Privileges of Church Membership." There is a class for every age. Youth services begin Sunday evening at 6:30. Two training courses are being conducted. The senior group is studying "A Brief Life of Paul," and the younger group is using the text book, "The Golden Stairs."

The evening evangelistic service begins at 7:30, with Rev. Bill Vaughn, pastor, bringing the message.

Announcements For Eastside Church of Christ

Robert L. Craig, preacher for the Eastside Church of Christ, Straw Road and Young St., announces for his sermon subject Sunday evening, "Can We Preach the Truth and Leave Everyone Alone?" The evening service will begin at 6:30. Other services for the week include a Bible study Sunday morning at 9:45 with classes for all age groups; morning worship and preaching service at 10:45; Wednesday evening Bible study at 7:30; and a ladies Bible class Thursday morning at 9:30. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

Services Set Church of God

The following is the weekly schedule of services for the Church of God, Straw Road and First St. as announced by the pastor Rev. J. C. Atkins. Sunday School 10 a.m.; Morning Services, 11 a.m.; Evening Evangelistic, 7 p.m.; Y.P.E., 7:30 p.m. Wednesday; and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Friday.

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Christian Science

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From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will be read the following (494:10): "Divine love always has met and always will meet every human need. It is not well to imagine that Jesus demonstrated the divine power to heal only for a selected number or for a limited period of time, since to all mankind and in every hour, divine Love supplies all good." The Golden Text is from I John (4:7): "Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God."

Weekly Schedule For St. Rita's Catholic Church

The following is the weekly schedule for St. Rita's Catholic Church: Holy Mass every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. Evening devotions on Sundays at 7 p.m. Study club for the high school students Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7:45 p.m. Study club for the Junior College students Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Religion class for the grade school students at 6:30 p.m. Thursday. Rev. Fr. Boemans, pastor of St. Rita's Catholic Church, is always available to give information and to explain the Catholic faith to those who want to know more about it. This information is given without any obligation whatsoever and without prejudice against any other religion.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY

Second Baptist Announcements

The Second Baptist Church, Commerce and Pine, welcomes you to attend their Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. Sunday. The lesson deals with church membership. Following the Sunday school you are urged to remain for the morning worship service at 11:00 a.m.

Training Union will begin at 6:15 p.m. An invitation is extended to all who would like to learn how to be a better witness for Christ. Following the Training Union you are invited to the evening worship service, which begins at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. Ed L. Scarbrough, pastor, said, "In a world such as ours every man needs a refuge. We invite you to come to the refuge of God in His church. Here you can find peace, fellowship, and freedom from the anxiety of our age. All who do not have a church home in Ranger are invited to attend the Second Baptist Church."

Merriman Baptist Announcements

The following is the weekly announcements for the Merriman Baptist Church. Sunday school, 10 a.m., church services, 11 a.m., evening service 7:30 p.m., Wednesday night prayer meeting at 8. Rev. Jack Waizer will be the preaching. Everyone is welcome to attend these services.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

We Invite You To Hear These Messages

11:00 "Honoring Jesus" Pastor John 16
7:30 "Jacob's Home" Pastor Genesis 31

Special Music at all services
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The First Baptist Church

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Christian Science Lecture Slated For Breckenridge

Christian Science, its triumph over atheism and idolatry will be the topic of Christian Science lecture to be given Thursday evening, February 6 at 8 p.m. by Robert S. Van Atta, of Rochester, New York, it was announced today by the Christian Science Society of Breckenridge, Texas.

Van Atta, who is on tour as a member of The Christian Science Board of Lectureship, will speak at The Woman's Forum, 1804 W. Walker Street at 8 p.m. The lecture is open to the public without charge. Mr. Van Atta's subject will be "Christian Science: Its Triumph Over Atheism and Idolatry."

An engineer for a number of years, Van Atta served in an engineering capacity at one time on the Panama Canal and on railroad construction in Bolivia. He later was an aeronautical engineer with the Army Air Corps. He has been a student of Christian Science since 1913, is an experienced public practitioner of Christian Science healing, and has been a Christian Science lecturer since 1946.

VISIT IN FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. David Pickrell and son attended the Fort Worth rodeo Saturday. Sunday they attended the wedding of Miss Marjorie Pearson and Jerry Simmons in Hutto.

First Baptist Announcements

"Honoring Jesus" will be the theme used at the morning worship hour by Rev. Ralph Perkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Sunday school begins at 9:45 a.m.

Sunday afternoon the church will cooperate with the city wide religious survey. The intermediate choir will meet Sunday afternoon. At 6:30 Training Union will meet in their departments.

The pastor will bring the evening message on the theme, "Jacob's Home." Rev. Perkins said, "The Bible will throw a lot of spiritual light upon our problems that are created because we are not Bible readers. God's people will not look for excuses, and there are too few reasons for failing to attend God's house on His Holy Day." The nursery is open for the children during all services.

Church of Christ Announcements

The Church of Christ which meets at Mesquite and Rusk Streets invites the people of Ranger to attend any or all services of the church on Sunday, Feb. 2.

There are classes for all ages in the Sunday school, which begins at 9:45 a.m.

At 10:45 a.m. the preacher, Lonnie Brannan, will speak on the subject, "The Brases Serpent." The sermon topic at the evening worship, 7:00 p.m., is "The Destiny of Man."

Wednesday night the lesson will be taken from Genesis 12, 13.

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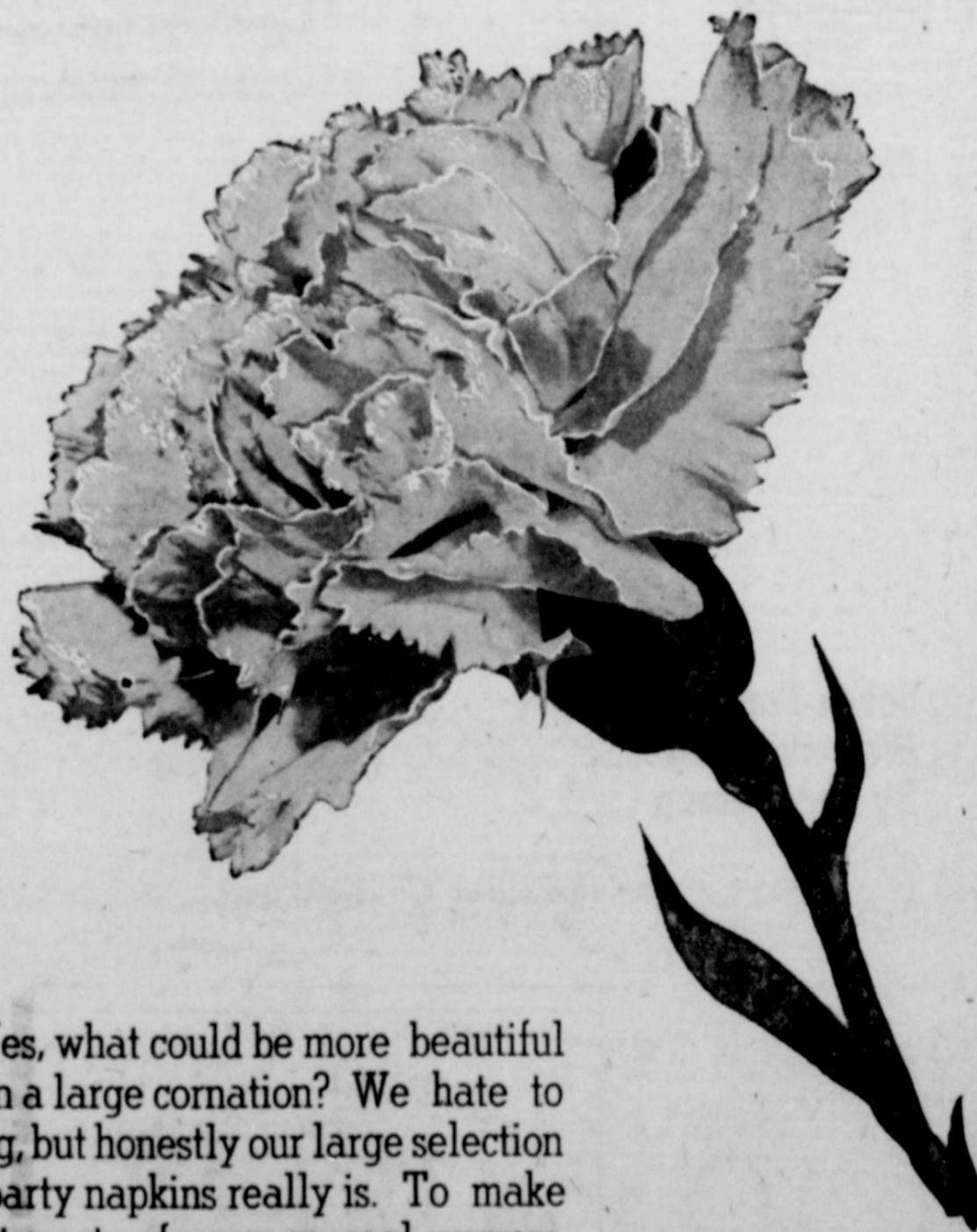
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Pearson-Simmans Vows Read In Hutto January 26

Miss Marjorie Pearson of Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Pearson of Hutto, and Jerry Simmans of Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alver A. Simmans of Ranger, were married in a double ring ceremony at 6 o'clock p.m. January 26 in the Hutto Lutheran Church at Hutto.



Mrs. Jerry Simmans

The Rev. Peter Nelson read the nuptial vows. Music was presented by Mrs. P. S. Gustafson, vocalist, and Mrs. James Clark, organist. Musical selections were "I Love Thee," "Grieg," "The Lord's Prayer," and Lohengren's "Wedding March."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal wedding dress fashioned of candlelight taffeta. The bodice was cut in deep points to the front and back, and the edge finished in a hand rolled cord of taffeta.

The full skirt of taffeta extended to the back into a chapel train. A wide fold of the taffeta looped in the back of the skirt to create a bustle effect.

Her fingertip veil of imported silk illusion fell from a small hat of tulle scalloped at the edge and outlined in seed pearls and iridescent paillettes.

Mrs. Everett Lidell of Georgetown was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Martha Joyce Schonerstedt, Temple; Carolyn Wright, Houston; Billie Funk, Dallas; and Mrs. John Southwell, Edinburg.

The bride's attendants were gowned identically in aqua taffeta. The bodices were cut in points at the waistline with a fold of turquoise taffeta circling the neckline in front and extending over the shoulders to form draped down the back into a big bow with the ends caught into the hemline skirts. A band of the turquoise taffeta covered their hair lines.

Don Lee of Denton served as best man. Ushers were Jack Waymon, Bob Lively, Elliott Bilhart, and Jim Springer, all of Austin.

The bride's mother wore a charcoal grey dress of Ancil fallie. Mrs. Simmans, mother of the groom, wore a navy blue crepe dress. Both wore corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in Parish Hall in Hutto. Following a brief wedding trip, they will be at home at 4201 Stark Place, Austin.

Mrs. Simmans attended the University of Texas, where she was a senior music education major. She was chaplain of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, an upper class advisor, a Blue Bonnet Belle, finalist, and a finalist in the "Ten Most Beautiful" contest. The groom is a senior business administration major and a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity.

Rehearsal Dinner A rehearsal dinner was given by the parents of the groom on Saturday night at the Hitching Post in Austin, for the wedding attendants and the bride's parents.

Other courtesies included: a dinner Sunday, Jan. 12, at the American Cafe in Taylor, given by Miss Martha Joyce Schonerstedt and honoring the bride and groom; a miscellaneous shower for the bride at Alpha Chi Omega House in Austin January 11; a miscellaneous shower at Hutto January 12; a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Tom Bryant at Taylor January 19; and a pantry shower at Alpha Chi Omega House in Austin January 18.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during the loss of our brother. We wish to thank each one for the beautiful flowers and for the food. May God be with each of you. The Family of John O. Kimbrough

Child Welfare Club Meets With Mrs. Saunders Gregg Wednesday

The Child Welfare Club met Wednesday, Jan. 29, in the home of Mrs. Saunders Gregg. Members present were: Meses. Marshall Jolly, M. L. King, P. M. Kuykendall, Al Larson, C. E. May, Sr., E. L. McMillan, Charles Milliken, John T. Roberson, J. P. Morris, L. R. Pearson, Dave Pickrell, James Ratliff, and guests, Mrs. E. E. Crawford of Ranger and Mrs. Reba Veach of Fort Worth.

Due to the absence of the president, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, the business meeting was conducted by Mrs. C. E. May, outgoing investigating chairman. Mrs. May reported on the items purchased for the filling of the Christmas baskets, and the amount the club spent in preparing them. During a general discussion of business matters, it was agreed upon by the club members to open the old clothes room once a week in order to move the clothing there and give the needy an opportunity to pick items of clothing. The date of opening each week will be announced in the newspaper by the president.

Mrs. James P. Morris presented the nominating committee's recommendations for new officers. The list of new officers was unanimously accepted and they are as follows: President: Mrs. James Ratliff; first vice president, Mrs. Marshall Jolly; second vice president and chairman of the investigating committee, Mrs. Leroy Pearson; secretary, Mrs. Dave Pickrell; and treasurer, Mrs. Blanche Murray.

The treasurer presented the following financial statement for the year:

Table with 2 columns: Disbursements and Amount. Items include Groceries (\$216.19), Supplies (6.05), Shoes (21.95), Clothing (8.27), Milk (School Children) (7.62), Utilities (5.57), Drugs (7.55), Travel Aid (24.00), Christmas Baskets (138.75), Total Disbursements (\$435.94).

After adjournment of the business meeting, guests were ushered to the beautifully appointed tea table, for refreshments where Mrs. Pearson presided at the silver tea service. The hostess for the next meeting will be announced later.



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Women's Activities

February 3 The Teen Town Mothers' Club will meet Monday evening at 7:45 at the Club House. Mothers of children belonging to Teen Town are invited to become members of this group.

February 3 The WSCS of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday, February 3, in circles as follows: Circle No. 1, Mrs. W. M. Brown leader, will meet at 3:30 p.m., with Mrs. H. A. Tunnell; Circle No. 2, Mrs. J. A. Johnson leader, will meet with Mrs. Gaston Dixon at 3:30 p.m.; Circle No. 3, Mrs. C. E. May, Sr., leader, will meet with Mrs. J. T. Killingsworth; and Circle No. 4, Mrs. James Townzen leader, will meet with Mrs. Roscoe Hopper at 9:30 a.m.

February 4 The 1947 Club will meet Tuesday, February 4, at 4:00 p.m., with Mrs. W. P. Watkins as hostess. Mrs. Charles Milliken will be in charge of the program.

February 4 The Columbia Study Club will meet with Mrs. C. E. May, Sr., Tuesday afternoon, February 4, at 3:00. All members are urged to be present.

February 6 The 1920 Club will meet at the Community Club House Thursday, February 6, for the annual business meeting.

February 6 The Dorcas Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. J. F. Byas Thursday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. Members and associate members are urged to attend.

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AROUND RANGER COLLEGE CAMPUS

By Ranger College Journalism Class

Personality of the Week
by Doris Nabers

Receiving the honor of being c'osen Personality of the Week at Ranger College this week is Charlotte Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucene Clark of Mosquero, New Mexico. She has a twin brother, Charles, who is a freshman at Ranger College.

Miss Clark is a sophomore majoring in elementary education and plans to attend Eastern New Mexico University or New Mexico A. & M. after her graduation from junior college. Teaching is the profession she has chosen as a career.

This young lady is outstanding on the Ranger College campus. She was selected Football Sweetheart by the Rangers last fall, and she was freshman girl favorite in the 1957 Ranger.

She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, national honorary scholarship society; the Masquers, dramatic club; the Debs, social club; and the Rope and Spur, rodeo organization. She is both a Ranger and a cheer leader and is serving as one of the lieutenants of the Rangemans this year.

She is an asset to the college choir, and in addition to singing, she plays the piano and the organ. As a further example of her

popularity, the Rotary Club made her its sweetheart this year.

Traditionally speaking, Charlotte may be described as a true blonde with an effervescent personality. Her friendly disposition is one of her finest characteristics. She is admired not only by people on the campus but also by everyone else who knows her.

She is the niece of Mrs. F. P. Brasler, Sr., of Ranger.

Me. and Mrs. Lucene Clark of Mosquero, New Mexico, visited Charlotte and Charles Clark Wednesday.

Seven Ranger College students of last semester have transferred to senior colleges this semester.

Doris Nabers, George Boynton and Keith Hodo have entered Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, New Mexico, where the boys have football scholarships.

Gilbert "Butch" Kalinec has left Ranger College to attend Southwest Texas State College in San Marcos, where he has received a football scholarship.

Mrs. Jean Eaton, manager of the bookstore, is commuting to Howard-Payne College in Brownwood, two days a week.

Mark Sheffield has transferred to Texas University in Austin.

Bobby Don Nicholson has received a football scholarship to Sul Ross College in Alpine, Texas.

Paul Reynolds has transferred to Austin College in Sherman, Texas, where he has a football scholarship.

There are many new faces on the Ranger College campus. Among the new students are the following: Tommy Parrott, Woodson; Patsy Abies, Eastland; Gary Lee Bailey, Anson; Ralph Brooks, Ranger; Opal Elsie Cox, Breckenridge; Jack Crouch, Dublin; Dean Faulkenberry, Loop; Max Freeman, Dalhart; Merle Gilland, Breckenridge; Dan Greer, Abilene; David Half, Albany; Jackie Hutchinson, Lubbock; Jim Miller, Strawn; John Stuard, Breckenridge; and Charles Wolf, Cleveland, Ohio.

There are four new students enrolled in the College Journalism Class: Gail Bagley of Rusk, Donna Blackwell of Crane, Wanda Payne of Carbon, and Merle Matlock of Breckenridge. The group is enthusiastic in making plans for improving and adding interest to

RANGER CHURCH ATTENDANCE*

Reported By Pastors

Church Participating	Sunday School		Worship Services		Extra P. M. Meetings**
	Enrollment	Attendance	Resident Membership	A. M. P. M.	
Assembly of God	25		24		
Church of God	65	58	63	43 41	
Eastside Baptist	111		120		
First Baptist	521	285	580	222 104	139
First Christian	55	38	85	74 28	10
First Methodist	258	162	361	164 103	14
Second Baptist	243	126	243	137 98	79
Pentecostal		68		64 48	

* This is not to compare churches, but to reflect the importance of individual membership loyalty of Ranger citizens.

** MYF, CYF, Training Union, etc.

the Ranger College column. Also they are planning several special feature articles.

The bookstore, which is under the supervision of Jean Eaton, is a place of interest on the campus of Ranger College.

Books used in the classes are sold at the bookstore, and supplies such as paper, pencils, ink, stationery, and art supplies are available. In addition to books and supplies coffee, doughnuts, and candy are sold.

The bookstore also provides a game room for those who care to play ping-pong, pool, shuffleboard, or dominoes.

It is located on the northeast corner of the Ranger College campus in the building which was formerly used by the college as a cafeteria.

Assisting Mrs. Eaton are Wanda Payne and Ronnie McPherson.

To Observe 62nd Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Shell, 501 Mesquite, will observe their 62nd wedding anniversary Sunday, February 2.

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CLYDE L. GARRETT
- County Clerk**
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Road blocks will be set up on U. S. Highway 80 and other roads in and around Ranger, it was stated.

The campaign is the college's part in the annual dimes campaign. Prizes will be offered to those who donate to the drive. Donators will be asked to fill out cards. A drawing will be held later.

An electric blanket, electric coffee maker, and other prizes will be awarded.

Nurse Training Offered By VA

Increased opportunities for advanced education and training now are offered nurses by Veterans Administration, the agency reported today.

VA said the opportunities include leave and financial assistance to selected nurses for attending universities, in addition to in-service training for management and supervisory positions, hospital training in nursing specialties, orientation programs for all nurses entering VA, and opportunity to attend nursing institutes and workshops throughout the nation.

The comprehensive educational program conducted at all VA medical stations during fiscal 1957 to provide for training and advancement of VA nurses on an individual basis is being expanded in fiscal 1958, VA said.

VA nurses selected for university training may be provided tuition and salary, or salary only, or leave without pay, depending on the university program undertaken. During the fiscal year ending

Hospital News

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital are: Mrs. Ann Scott, Cisco, medical; Tommy Alford, Jr., medical, Eastland; Janet Hart, Eastland, surgical; Mrs. James T. Witt, Ranger, surgical; Weldon Leonard, Ranger, medical; and Pauline Castro, Ranger, medical.

NEWS FROM DESDEMONA

Several people here have been on the sick list with colds and flu like past week.

Mrs. Tommy Irwin of Nashville, Tenn., and two children are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore, also the Jr. Moore's of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with the Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. Humpy Duke of Lamesa spent a few days last week with his parents, the Rufus Dukes. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis made a business trip to Waco this past week.

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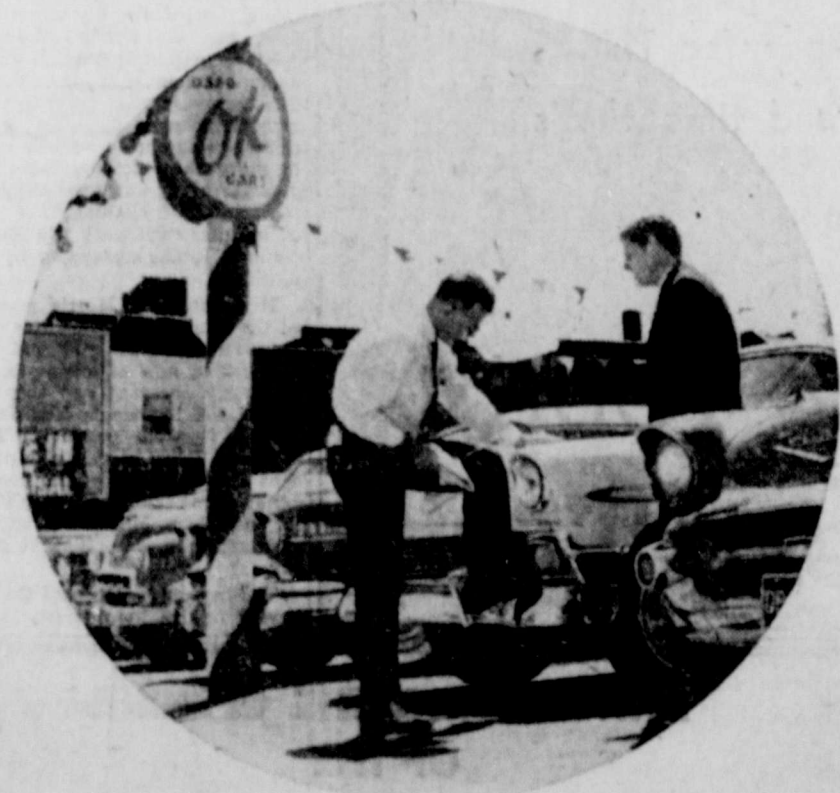
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