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Co., right of way easement F. S. Crawley to J. F. Connell,

Jr., warranty deed. P. S. Crawley to J. F. Connell, Jr., warranty deed.

Ora Lee Martin Cotton, deceas-

Mable Carr Carnes to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed. affidavit of non-production

R. Lester Crossley to Frank R. Continued on Page TWO

### **Phi Theta Kappa** PAGE ONE MUST Absentee voting in the spe

Senate election got underway Eastland County Monday in th County Clerk's office.

County commissioners held a routine meeting Monday, paying monthly bills.

Band Booster Club will meet tonight at the Band Hall. This is the last meeting of the school year and all members are urged to attend

**Pre-School Round-Up** Set Monday The Ranger Clinic has announced that their pre-school and-up will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, May, 15. All children who will enter school for the first time next fall will be given a free clinical and dental examination at this time. Also to be given free is required school-entrance smallpox vaccination. The Clinic wished to stress that this is the only period that the examinations will be given free, and urged all parents who have children preparing to enter school next fall to make plans to attend the round-up.

# Courthouse News Junior College Aid **Group Is Organized**

A group of interested citizens, Jameson Dormitory for girls; 8 with Wilson Guest as chairman, Reconditioning and partially will lead a campaign to underwrite | furnishing W. P. Newell Hall for the building and improvement needs of Ranger Junior College. larging the athletic dormitory to This campaign is part of the pro- include showers and dressing gram for improving all community rooms; 10. Brick-veneering a l facilities. Guest states, "The jun- frame buildings in use on the ior college is an important facet campus; 11. Rewiring buildings community life, and as such it and installing new lighting sys behooves us all to assist in its tems; 12. Paving and adding curbs maximum development. If the peo-United States of America, deed ple of the community aid in this leading to the campus; 13. Razing developent, they are in a sense | frame buildings no longer needed building a greater Ranger, for 14. Paving parking areas; 15. Re-Edwards, warranty deed. Barnsley, Inc. to Harry L. when the college grows, the com-munity grows." conditioning the rental property belonging to the college and 16.

Immediate needs include the fol- Building an archway to carry the

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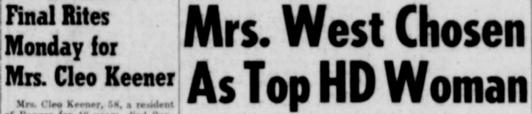
onditioning the main building and plans will be buying new desks and chairs for next issue of the Ranger Times. ooms; 3. Remodeling and reonditioning the science buildi **Final Rites** and adding new science laborator

equipment; 4. Building a fore ed to The Public, proof of heir-ship. language laboratory out of t nodern language laboratory equ nent; 5. Reconditioning the mu E. P. Crawford to The Public, building; 6. Redecorating and refurnishing the college cafeteria

Reconditioning, redecorating and refurnishing Mary Frances



ed with an award as outstanding Eastland County home underway. demonstration club woman by Mrs. Charles Layton. The In the first game of the n outstanding club member this year is a member of the the Indians defeated the Bri Morton Valley Home Demonstration club. She won the 9 to 2 with Phillip Anderson honor in competition with women from the other county home demonstration clubs. (A&C Studio Photo).



day at 6:45 a.m. in Hendrick Mrs. D. J. West of Route 2, stra Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Enstland was selected as the Out-Mrs. D. J. West of Route 2 Istration Association district meet-

Club Woman of the Year from ning committee for county pro-Mrs. Keener had been seriously Eastland County and was present- grams for three years and has at- were Jimmy Battles, Anderson, ill since November. She was born April 8, 1908 in Thurber, and married John F. Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-land, Mr. Keener died last Novem Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Home Demonstration Keener on May 11, 1920, in East-Keener on May 11, 1920 Funeral services were held Mon- for six years.

day at 4 pm. in the First Baptist Mrs. West is a native of East- Morton Valley. She takes an Church with the Rev. J. E. Lamb, land County. She was born and ive interest in her church war reared in Gorman and during her She has also worked with and the Rev. Ralph E. Perkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. high school days she was a mem-ber of the Gorman High School volley ball team. After graduation

Eastland West Ward and James the outstanding club woman were: games on Tuesday and Friday is in Eastland Junior High. Mrs. Mrs. Cecil Collins, Mrs. T. E. nights. West and her family have lived Richard

# Indians And Yankees Win **Opening League Games**

The Ranger Little League sea ! ing them a four run lead. on got off to its scheduled start Southpaw Danny Carr was on the Yankees. Monday night as a capacity crowd the mound for the Yankees, giving Getting hits for the Dodgers viewed the opening caremonies and up three runs on four hits. The wore Bennie Dean Elder with a

ed the Dodgers in the night cap. Jeminez.

An error and two

The introduction of managers,

sponsors and players began at 6

Mrs. Fannye Matthews an engrav

ed plaque in appreciation of what her husband, Marcus Matthews,

lid for the Little League program. Mrs. Matthews then threw

, and Billy Ainsworth a single for

the Indians defeated the Bruves in Yankees scored their eight runs double, Rudy Mendoza, Jerry Wat the opener and the Yankees down- on six hits collected off of Ramon son and Joel Jiminez, each mak ing singles.

Bobby Daskevich and Jimmy Thursday night's games will see Crossley led the hitting for the the Dodgers playing the Indians o.m. The League then presented Yankees, each getting two hits. in the first game at 6:30 p.m. and Daskevich hit a double and a the Braves trying the Giants. This single and Crossley got two sing-les. Dowell Hartsfield got a double they drew a bye on opening night

### Is A Fishing Rodeo **Bad for Lake Leon** An Editorial By Gene Townsend

Many people have asked, "Why didn't the Fort Worth Anglers Club hold their fishing rodeo at Lake Leon this year?'

There has never been any definite reason given why they didn't hold the rodeo at Lake Leon, but from what information we have been able to gather, the reason they didn't come to Lake Leon was because they were not invited.

Why weren't they invited? Again, there hasn't been any official statement released. Unofficially, the reason is due to the Fort Worth Angler's Club being an advocate of legislature to eliminate lake boating and fishing licenses. And that the members of the club that participated in the rodeo were allowed to fish for two days free of charge at the lake while the rodeo was in progress. And, that it was fishing the lake out.

If this is actually the reasons for the Anglers Club not being invited back to Lake Leon to hold their rodeo, then Lake Leon and the towns in the area have been done an injustice.

The Anglers Club not being invited back to the lake will not have any bearing on their backing legislature to eliminate boating and fishing permits.

The two days of free fishing would not near pay for the many thousands of dollars worth of publicity that the fishing rodeo gave Lake Leon. And two days of fishing by some 300 fisherm

will not fish out a lake the size of Lake Leon.

If the rodeo was bad for Lake Leon, why would it be good for other lakes. The Anglers Club didn't have to beg for invitations. Most areas jumped at the chance to get the rodeo. In fact the Fort Worth Anglers Club held a two day qualification fishing tournament at Lake Cisco over the past weekend.

For the past two years, 1959 and 1960, during the month preceeding and during the actual rodeo, Lake Leon was one of the hottest lakes in Texas, publicity wise in the Fort Worth Star Telegram. Every weekens there were stories of Fort Worth anglers making good catches at Lake Leon. Many hundreds of anglers made the trip from Fort Worth to the lake to fish. Each weekend some of them spent dollars in Ranger and at Lake Leon

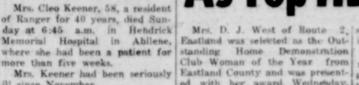
### **Tells of Trip to Carlsbad** Cavern By Mike Herrington Phi Theta Kappa members of Ranger Junior College have re--

turned from their visit to Carlsbad Caverns National Park in New Mexico under the sponsorship of Mrs. Marjorie TheBerge. For several of the group it was

their first trip, but for others it was their third or fourth trip. All peciative

of the courtesy extended

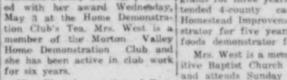
out for twenty seconds-a short eternity-to show the true cave



officiating.

Burial was in Evergreen Ceme-tery under the direction of Kil-tery under the direction of Kilof the group were especialy ap- lingsworth Funeral Home. Elliott's lege in Abilene and, after finish- standing woman Funeral Home had charge of ar- ing at Draughns, she worked for with seven other ladies.

them by the park rangers. Through the compliments of the park sup-erintendent, O. W. Carlson, the student group was admitted free of charge.



the mound, giving up two runs four hits. Anderson went the f six innings for the Indiana an was in trouble only one time as t raves got a rally going in the its gave the Braves their two

### in the third inning. Anderso out 12 batters Kenney leading batter in the game

getting two base hits. Strawn' other hits were by Blakney a double and Jackie Wilson with Mrs. West has been on the plan-ning committee for county pro-

Gayle Blackwell, O. J. Caraway and Randall Hale, all singles. In the second game of the nigh the Yankees routed the Dodgers 8 to 3 with a big first inning, giv

### Minor League **Play Starts** Tonight at 6:30

The Ranger Little League minors will begin play today at the the Little League Park with the first

game beginning at 6:30 p.m. Two games are scheduled for of charge. The walk through the Caverns, taking three and a half hours, cov-ered a little less than four miles. At the lowest point, 829 feet be low the surface, the lights went out for twents, and V.A. Bidley, all of Breckenridge opening night with the Rangers

for the Cubs are Hollis Windham,

Wallace Johnson and Charles Ar-

Ricky Bryan, Steve Lilley, Victor

Huerta , Lynn Lucky, Eugene Keith, Stephen Campbell, Jackie

Bass, Charles Bass, Billy Ander-

son, Wayne Sharpe, Gary May,

Richard Sledge, Jimmie Hamilton.

Elva R. Rogers and Jack S. Rob-

inson. Players include Gary Lind-sey, Robert Lindsey, Eddie And-

The Rangers are managed by

The Colts are managed by W.

Eaton and Rickey Williams.

The Pirates are managed by

### **Cub Scouts Plan Fort Worth** Trip to Zoo

The Cub Scout Pack 34 met May 5 for their monthly pack meeting and saw a film on Avia-tion and 26 awards were present. To be Celebrated Here Held Monday For ed to members of the Pack. theme for next month 18

Indian Lore and Mrs. Bill Ander-son, den mother of Den 2 and Wayne Simpson den mother Mrs. of Den 4 will be in charge of the program for the next meeting.

Plans were made for the Pack to take a trip to Fort Worth to the zoo on May 27, The cubs and their parents will leave the Meth-



atmosphere of total darkness utter silence with the exception of the sound of occasional dripof the sound of occasional drip-ping water. The group role the In Ranger elevator to the surface at the conlusion of the tour. usion of the tour. Impressions were varied, but the During April six girls and four boys making the

trip made the following comments The Ranger City Police Depart-about the trin: The Ranger City Police Depart-ment reported a total of six trafabout the trip:

otel was very nice, and we receiv- ies. ed very good service. The trip For the first four months of ing. through the Caverns was more in- 1961 there were a total of 21 teresting and informative than my automobile accidents in Ranger,

two previous trips as we were with a total damage estimate of placed at the front near the guide, \$7,148.87, and six injuries pointed out many things of Continued on Page TWO

this year. Soil Stewardship Week Funeral Services

**Six Accidents** 

tee of Home Demonstration Con

Sandi Taylor: Everything about the trip was enjoyable. Thanks to pretty weather, everything we 11 automobiles with a total dam-club and she was also elected a unned to do turned out well. Our age of \$1,645.00, and two injur- delegate to the Texas Home Demonstrative Association state meet-

In previous years Mrs. West has twice been the council dele-gate president of the Morton Valley Club, a Leader of Homestead There has been no fatal injuries. Improvement, twice on the year-book committee, on the Triple E Committee and the alternate delegate for the Texas Home Demon-

M. A. Justice, 74

ton. Mrs. Layton presented Mrs. in Morton Valley for 10 years. During the past year, Mrs. West with her award at the tea. West has been secretary-treasurer After the award a program on of the Morton Valley Home Dem- Hawaii was given by Sharon Hawaii was given by Sharon nett, managers, and players are onstration Club, treasurer of Hame Sayre, a 4-H club member. Home Demonstration Council chairman of the Finance Commit-

### Elks Club to **Sponsor Dance** Saturday Night

ersn, Oscar Hutchins, Jackie Mel-The Ranger Elks Lodge will ton, Dickie Williams, Tommie sponsor a benefit dance at the Bott, Dwight Vinson, Allen Rob-National Guard Armory Saturday, inson, Ricky Henson, Gary Willingham, Mike Labredo, Daniel May 13 at 8 p.m. The Teddie Bears will provide Dunson, Terry Lee Rogers.

the music for the dance. Proceeds from the dance will be ased to benefit the youth of Ran-are James Brown, Terry Falls, Raymond Goswick, Bobby Sipes,

Admission will be 75 cents. The

Stephen Cooley, Bernie Yancey, Rickie Hatfield, Billy Guess, Kerr public is invited to attend. ny Poynor, Gary Poynor, Jimmie Blackwell, Mike Campbell, Pat Campbell, Larry Walker, Clinton

**Guilty Pleas In** Liquor Cases Are

By SCS PERSONNEL Soil Stewardship Week will be celebrated this coming week by local churches as well as by churches throughout the nation. Either this Sondar we have in America. So great Either this Sunday or in the im- has been the productivity of our 65 years, were held Monday at 3 Court Monday and was fined \$100 mediate future most of our local land that many are even disturb-pastors will bring messages of ed by our abundance. Yet and can Ausburne, Mike De Los Santos and Jones paid a total of \$256 in pastors will bring messages of warnings against our selfish use of the land God has allowed us in terration starvation can invert an invert one can travel in countless other regions of the land God has allowed us of the world and find rampant terration starvation can invert Bennie Hughes.

Ask the Highway 80 service stations, the cafes, the bait houses, and the commercial boat docks at Lake Leon

We cry for promotion of this area-then turn down the biggest promotion that we have. That is the promotion of Lake Leon.

It's bad enough to find out that the rodeo is not going to be held at Lake Leon, but it is still worse to find out that it is being held in Cisco-in our own backyard.

If people get the impression that they are not welcome to fish here, then they may get the impression that they are not wanted at all

## Here and There

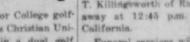
We like Ranger, we realize its prizes for the winners. Invite qualities, we know of its poten- bands from near and far and make tials, we are proud of its colorful it a parade to remember.

past—now lets announce it to the world. Let's let our pride in our town become well known, more Winston Squires and Will Hatton basically, let's let the world know books, poems and movies, Ranger and players include Glenn Wilson, that we are still here. should be on the itinerary of every

Johnny Hill, Douglas Needham, Mike Tucker, Pat Tucker, Eddie Let's send a sponsor from Ran-tourist traveling through this part Thumen Miller, Rusty Squires, Phillip Sanders, David Allsup, Paul Flores, Aurillo Flores, Rudy Flores ger to all the rodeos in the sur- of the state. As Texas has begun in a saddle let's form a riding a drawing card. But, we'll have to group to represent our town at all give them something to see in the way of museums and well labeled historical sites

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Ranger Woman's



these festive occasions, call the group the Ranger Roughnecks.

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### RANGER TIMES, TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1961

AUSTIN REPORT

By SCOTT BAILEY

**REP. OF 76th DISTRICT** 

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### **Court News-**

(Continued from Page One) interest that I had missed before

On Wednesday of last week the to vote for a tax which will place ing as the Carlsbad Caverns is a Paul Abraham to Hiawatha Oil United States of America to United States o

House put in the bill . House put in the bill . After voting the spending the Legislature, not to exceed 30 measure, the House proceeded to days each. The 56th Legislature After Adapter to days each the Special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the Special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to After Adapter to days each the special Sessions to the special the

ney-raising bill designed to required three Special Sessions to Alfred Rogers: On the whole, it

On Wednesday of last week the House of Representatives passed Senate Bill No. 1. This was the spending bill for the next two years which provides for the spending of \$2,513,631,894. (Over two and a half billion dol-ars) and was hotly debated be-fore gaining final approval. The measure had already passed the Senate, but must go back to a free Conference Committee to agree on some changes which the House put in the bill .

Fertig Products vs. Travis B.

Rodney Eugene Duncan and T. A. Utley to E. G. Rice, lease Florence Jean Stroud. Lyle Haily Mace and Norma United States of America to R. Lee Coventon Fawcett. Francis David Raymond and Venita Marie Coats. Bertis Dale Pinson and Patricia Veterans Land Board to R. H. Carrol Jacobs. Haddaway, contract of sale and purchase. Henry Doyle Locke and Mrs. SUITS FILED **91st District Court** 

H. B. Thomason to Bank of application for administration.

Commerce of Abilene, dd.d of MARRIAGE LICENSES trust. C. R. Taylor to The Public, af- Fuentz.

Jessie Lee Hamilton vs. Charles Tullia Wallach, deceased to The R. Hamilton, divorce. Grady D. Jackson, et al vs.

Chas. A. Watson to Toribio O. Brenda Joyce Beggs, et al, damag-

PROBATE Vannes Jenkins vs. Cleatha George W. Taylor, deceased, Jenkins, divorce





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### Ranger, Texas

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(Continued from page one) trust. Kilbourne, warranty deed. R. Lester Crossley to Frank In all, I really had a wonderful R. Kilbourne, warranty deed.

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and the second second	Sugar Land, H. N. Patterson of Taylor and Lawrence V. Dyer of Long Lake Dam. In thei intrest in weather data and mysteries, these Texans fol- low in the footsteps of some of our greatest Americans. It was	1.33

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