

Building Program At Ranger College Moving Forward On Fast Schedule

New Officers Installed By Lions Thursday Noon



JAMES TOWNZEN
Lion president

Around Town...

by
Dwaine Dennis

The Fourth of July—annual observance of this country's willingness to fight and die in the cause of freedom—is on the verge of its yearly blood bath for less ennobling reasons.

While in 1776 early Americans poured from their homes and out of the hills to fight for independence with meager arms and little preparation, the coming holiday will see Americans, with the greatest amount of vacation equipment ever assembled, rush to the highways with an insatiable desire for speed, undertake frightening travel schedules with no more sleep than a combat infantryman would get in a forward post, and batter their way to a staggering waste of lives and untold hours of misery.

In addition to the traffic crashes, a number of other hazards confront these happy vacation combat troops. Drownings now number 6,400 a year in the U. S., and firearms fatalities reach 2,200 with more than a fair share happening during the Fourth of July holiday period.

These suggestions are offered for a safer, saner holiday:

Don't overload (with sun, food, drink—or in a boat).

Don't show off (on a diving board, with a snake, playing ball or on the highway).

Don't push (hiking, swimming, boating, or your endurance).

Relax—that's what you're taking a vacation for.

Don't over exert yourself in any (Continued on page two)

New officers were installed Thursday by Ranger Lions and a new fiscal year was started for the local civic club. President for this year will be James Townzen.

H. R. (Pop) Garrett of Eastland, International Counselor of Lions International was installing officer, and gave the oath to the new officers.

Officers other than Townzen installed were: first vice president, Gene Townsend; second vice president, Dr. Theodore Nickles; third vice president, David Allsup; secretary-treasurer, W. H. Clarke; tall twister, C. E. Ikeler; Lion tamer, W. J. Sipes; and chaplain, Wilson Guest. Directors named were D. C. Arterburn, Gene Funderburg, and George McAulay. Holdover directors are C. E. Ikeler and Dr. Charles Gann.

Garrett, in installing the new officers, told members that Townzen was the Boss Lion now and he was carrying the ball. He said that the state was wiped clean for 1960-61 and the achievements and progress of the club was now up to the new president. Townzen will appoint committees at a later date, to be led by his vice presidents.

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New Stop Signs Installed By Police Dept.

The Ranger Police Department has placed several new stop signs within the city limits of Ranger and Police Chief Bob Patterson asks that the public observe the new traffic markers for their own safety.

He said that if the traffic signs are ignored and an accident occurs, a ticket will be issued to the violator. Patterson went on to say that 98 per cent of the time a person is held liable if an accident results from running of a stop sign. More signs will be erected by the department in the near future.

New stop signs that have been erected recently are at intersection of Homer and Pine Streets; Mesquite and Rusk Streets; North Austin and Wayland Road and Young Street.

Slow signs have also been placed around the Little League Ball Park.

SUNDAY DEVOTION

Where to Turn for Aid? "Christ Is the Answer"

By BOB ESTES
Pastor New Hope Baptist Church
When Life Tumbles in—What Then?

When life tumbles in—is the name of a famous sermon, but in reality life does tumble in quite often. Have you ever tried to keep a combine going? More often than not combine crews are shut down for repairs. Have you ever started on a vacation thinking that everything was in order then start to pull away from your drive way and something goes wrong. This is real life!

Combine repairs and car trouble are not half as serious as other matters. Sickness, sorrow, death and disease sometimes come as often as time payments. What is the answer? What is the reason for all of this misery?

begin to ask questions. Is there any help from any source? Is there any succor? Is there no balm in Gilead? and the answer comes ringing clear as an evening bell from the Scripture, "I will not leave you comfortless."

Jesus Christ in concluding the Great Commission finished that daring and challenging commission by saying, "And Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

When your life seems to tumble in, where do you turn for aid? Christians ought to be able to sing with the songwriter,

"We have an anchor that keeps the soul, Steadfast and sure while the billows roll, Fastened to the Rock which cannot move, Grounded firm and deep in the Saviors love."



MAIN STREET IMPROVEMENT—Pictured above is the newly completed sign built by the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger. The sign covers a vacant lot between the Association office and another building. Addition of the sign has greatly improved the appearance of Main Street. (Photo by Capps Studio)

Final Rites Set Monday For Mrs. Wilson

Mrs. Willie Maude Wilson, 79, formerly of Ranger, died in Houston at 5:30 p.m. Friday.

Born in Coryell County near Gatesville, March 24, 1882, she had been a resident of Houston for the past seven years and prior to that had lived in Ranger most of her life.

Mrs. Wilson was a member of the Ranger First Methodist Church.

Funeral services will be held Monday, July 3, in the Ranger First Methodist Church with Rev. W. A. Flynn, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Evergreen Cemetery with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge.

Survivors include one son, William John (Bill) Wilson of Houston; one brother, Henry V. Davidson of Ranger; one sister, Mrs. Clem Ratliff of Artesia, N. M. (Continued on page 2)

Directors Name Manager for Lone Cedar

Board of Directors of the Lone Cedar Country Club announced today the appointment of Richard Brown of Longview, as new manager of the Country Club, located on the shores of Lake Leon.

Brown will come to Lone Cedar from the Pine Crest Country Club at Longview where he was assistant manager. He is a graduate of Oklahoma A & M at Stillwater, Oklahoma and majored in club and hotel management.

He is married and has one daughter, of school age.

Rep. Scott Bailey Speaks To RJC Summer Students

State Representative Scott Bailey of Cisco spoke to the sophomore government and freshmen English classes at Ranger Junior College Tuesday evening, June 27. He was introduced by G. W. Hart of Eastland; a student of the government class.

Mr. Bailey discussed the organization of both the Federal and State government and then conducted a question period for the students. Mr. Jim Lewis, instructor of the government class, feels that Mr. Bailey's talk which was well received, was of great value to the students.

Mr. Bailey was accompanied to Ranger by Mr. Richard Moore of Cisco.

\$31,800 Dividend Declared

The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger distributed mid-year dividends on Friday, June 30.

First Federal paid \$31,873.48 in dividends at the current rate of 4 1/4 percent interest. The Association now has a total of 521 savings accounts.

A report from the Association indicates that since January 1, assets have increased approximately \$175,000. Assets of the Ranger institution have now reached the approximate total of \$1,780,000.

Ranger to Close For July 4th

Almost all private businesses and all public buildings in Ranger will be closed up tight for the fourth of July holiday.

No public observance has been announced. Most people will rest or go to the lake, since it is only a one day holiday.

Search Continues For Cisco Killer

Search for the killer of the Cisco Church secretary, who was beaten and stabbed to death in her home either Wednesday night or early Thursday morning continued Saturday, but officers weren't giving any clues out if they had any.

Mrs. Florence E. Hussey, her body ripped and torn by 14 stab wounds, was murdered by someone who officers say, "really hated her" or by a "maniac."

Eastland County has been swamped by law enforcement officers, news reporters, and rumors since the story broke Thursday. A team of the Department of Public Safety experts from Austin completed an inch by inch search of the home Friday and returned to Austin to investigate their findings. It is hoped that fingerprints may break open the baffling case.

Friday night, law enforcement officers were kept on the alert by jittery Cisco residents who turned in several calls of possible violence. None occurred. There were not many doors left unlocked in the town last night.

Officers weren't discounting that a woman instead of a man may have committed the crime. (Continued on page 2)

Ranger Students To Attend Twirling School

Eight students from Ranger have been accepted for the 1961 summer band and twirling school at McMurry College, July 16-29. Students from Ranger who have been accepted so far include:

Pat White, Dorothy Ann Oliver, Sandi Halbrooks, Donna Drennon, Celeste Scott, Linda Ward, Sissy Blackwell, and Linda Hutton.

Enrollment is continuing, a new final count should run between 300 and 400 students, Dr. Raymond T. Hynum, director, has announced.

The McMurry Band School faculty includes some of the top band directors in the West Texas area in all phases of music, including twirling.

Students participate in two public concerts during the two-week school. Their course of instruction includes both band work and section training on individual instruments.

Free Fish Fry At Lake Leon Boat-Tel Tues.

It was announced today that Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lockwood of Ranger would be managers of the all new Lake Leon Boat-Tel. The Boat-Tel will have their grand opening on the Fourth of July.

A free fish fry will kick-off the opening celebration at the new Lake Leon installation. The fish fry will be held at noon Tuesday and will continue until 2 p.m. A spokesman said that everyone was invited to the fish fry and also to look over the new facilities.

The motel units are all air conditioned and a picnic ground is open to the public, along with fishing from the dock. A 16-unit boat dock has also been completed and now ready for use. Boats, bait and staple groceries will also be available to patrons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood will make their home at the lake.

Assets Are Increasing Each Year

The building and improvement program at Ranger Junior College is proceeding according to schedule. Work has been under way since June 1 on enlarging the college library and on redecorating the girls' dormitory. The foundation has been laid for the new wing to be added to the library which will give an additional 1,000 square feet of space to the library and work of redecorating and refurnishing the main reading room will proceed as soon as possible. Plans call for paneled walls, new light fixtures, new tile floor covering, new book shelves, and new reading room furniture. Also, in addition to the usual work and storage rooms, a microfilm viewing room is planned.

Satisfactory progress has been made on redecorating Mary Frances Johnson Dormitory for girls. In addition to completely redecorating and refurnishing the living room, the dormitory rooms are being repainted and refurnished. Plans also call for complete brick-veneering the building.

Work will begin this week on the decoration of the main building. It will be repainted throughout, and new tiling will be laid.

This extensive improvement program is being carried out in view of the increase in enrollment expected this fall as indicated by the large number of applications for admission to the college which have been sent in. More early applications for admission have been received to date than in any previous year. In addition to students from Ranger, also applying for admission are students from such Texas cities and towns as Fort Worth, Dallas, Afton, Quanah, Electra, Benjamin, DeLeon, Stamford, Rotan, Richland Springs, Wichita Falls, Haskell, and Eastland. Among out-of-state applicants are one from Indianapolis, Indiana, and one from Bangkok, Thailand, the latter entering from Worcester Academy, Worcester, Massachusetts.

The plaque was acknowledgment to the Ranger store for the excellent record of no customer or employee accidents during the year 1960.

A letter accompanying the plaque read in part, "... you have every right to be proud of your achievements since only 11 of 526 Montgomery Ward stores were able to produce a record of no accidents. We commend you and your employees on your past record and urge you to continue in your efforts in the future, to maintain your premises free of accident hazards. Certainly, your store benefits directly from your accident record because people prefer working and shopping in stores that are safe."

Sooter said, in accepting the award, that all employees of the local store share personal responsibility in accident prevention standards. They do not wait for someone else to remove a potential accident hazard—it is their duty to be in their department for them to take action or to report it.

Rudy Fletcher Buried Thursday At Bullock

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday in the Ranger First Methodist Church for Rudy Bryan Fletcher, 29-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Fletcher of Eastland.

Rev. S. Ross Grace, Pastor of the Methodist Church of May, officiated. Burial was in the Bullock Cemetery, north of Ranger, with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The baby was found by his mother when she went to feed him Wednesday morning. A physician said the death was due to natural causes.

Survivors include the parents; a brother, Richard Blaine; a sister, Belinda Lou; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy L. Wells of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Fletcher of Clifton; five uncles and one aunt.

Funeralbearers were Otis Coleman, Nathan Lindley, both of Eastland, Pat Moseley of Olden, W. O. Gault of Clifton, L. N. Bryan of Ranger, and Glenn Justice of Carbon.

The child was born May 29 at Gorman.

The father is employed by the Southern Farm Bureau Insurance Co. of Eastland.

Gene White to be Stationed in Korea with Army

Gene White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl White, sailed June 13th from San Francisco for Korea where he will be stationed with the U. S. Army.

He joined the Army January 26 in Abilene. From there he was sent to Fort Hood for eight weeks of basic training.

He then went to Fort Sill, Oklahoma for two months of advance training.



THE ETERNALS—Returning recently from Hollywood and recording session at Admiral Records are front row, left to right, Charles Shugart and Butch Owen. Top row, left to right are: Teddie Neeley, Joe Barker, Alvis Rogers and Bill Patton.

Group Returns From Session In Hollywood

On Sunday morning of June 18 the Teddie Bears left Ranger and headed for Hollywood—taking advantage of an opportunity hopefully that it could well start them on the road to fame and fortune in the entertainment field. This trip was not unique in as much as many such groups or individuals have made the same hopeful trip only to have their dreams shattered in the mad scramble to attain the pinnacle of success.

However, they have hopefully spun the wheel of fortune in the recording business and where

it'll stop no one knows. They are now back in Ranger awaiting anxiously the outcome of their trip.

Their trip to Hollywood was made at the request of Johnny Angel who had previously auditioned a number of their songs during a recent visit in this area. Johnny Angel is a recording artist in his own right and he personally felt that the Teddie Bears possessed professional like talent—consequently he arranged an audition for them with the Admiral Record Corp.

During their stay in California they spent several days at the Admiral studios composing, rearranging, and rehearsing a couple of their compositions which had become quite popular with the local fans. Many trial recordings were made in an attempt to produce a satisfactory recording which they and their directors felt would best appeal to the public.

The success of this attempt will be measured in sales and sales will begin just as soon as the record is released which should be within the next three weeks.

The recordings were made under the direction of Johnny Angel and a specially trained director of Admiral Records. In the opinion of the directors the recording has a very good beat, high quality sound, and has great sales potentiality. In other words, "Forever And A Day," a slow vocal, and "Please Be My Love," a fast vocal, should go far. However, the Teddie Bears are keeping their fingers crossed and will wait for the public to pass judgment in the form of record sales.

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Wards Receives Safety Award Plaque for Year

W. C. Sooter, manager of the Ranger Montgomery Ward retail store, received a "Safety Merit Award" plaque for the local store recently.

The plaque was acknowledgment to the Ranger store for the excellent record of no customer or employee accidents during the year 1960.

A letter accompanying the plaque read in part, "... you have every right to be proud of your achievements since only 11 of 526 Montgomery Ward stores were able to produce a record of no accidents. We commend you and your employees on your past record and urge you to continue in your efforts in the future, to maintain your premises free of accident hazards. Certainly, your store benefits directly from your accident record because people prefer working and shopping in stores that are safe."

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Grass Fire

The Ranger Volunteer Fire Department made a run to a vacant lot adjacent to the Ranger Peanut Company building Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

No damage was reported and the firemen left the fire burn itself out to help prevent possible future damage from another fire.

County Citizens Urged To Observe Sane Fourth

City, state and county law enforcement officers issued a plea today to Eastland County motorists to drive with extra caution during the Fourth of July holidays.

The Texas Department of Public Safety has warned that considering previous holiday experience in Texas, indications are that 25 persons will meet violent death in Texas on the Fourth.

In a joint announcement law enforcement officers in Eastland County pointed out that this county has enjoyed one of the safest half year in modern history. During the first six months of the year not a single traffic death has been recorded. Five persons died on county highways last year and nine were killed in 1959.

The DPS statistical services manager, N. K. Woerner, estimates that 11 persons will be killed in traffic accidents during the 24-hour period, that five will be victims of homicide or suicide, and that nine will die in drownings and other types of fatal accidents.

The department's purpose in conducting such an operation is to focus public attention on the fact that holiday driving is more dangerous than usual because more vehicles are on the highways as well as to compile data which is vital to the constantly-changing problems of traffic supervision.

In addition to the "Deathwatch", the department will augment the regular Highway Patrol force with some 150 uniformed patrolmen from the Motor Vehicle Inspection and License and Weight services.

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Call MI 7-1101 to place your order for Job Printing or office supplies. Ranger Times.

NOTICE: Peaches are getting ripe. Good deep freeze and canning peaches. Freeman Orchard, 10 miles southeast of Ranger, 1 1/2 miles off of Farm Road 571. Telephone MI 7-1040.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Stated meeting Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A. F. & A. M., 7:30 p. m. Thursday, July 6. Examinations in all degrees. All members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

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Around the Town—

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Know what you—a n d e very member of your family—is doing. Remember the Fourth will range from a one-day holiday to a four-day holiday. Don't make it a permanent one.

Earl Lebrado of the Globe Clothiers not only remembers the forthcoming July 4th holiday as Independence Day, but as a special day for all cats.

Last Fourth of July Earl and his children were in their backyard shooting fireworks, when he walked a stray cat that Earl had been trying to get rid of for some time. It seems that Earl just couldn't resist the temptation of tying a large firecracker to the cat's tail and lighting it. The urge overcame his better judgment and he did just that.

The only trouble with the procedure was the fact that the firecracker had a short fuse

and went off just as Earl was ready to turn the cat loose. When the explosion occurred, the cat turned on Earl with all four feet moving like mad and did a fast take-off from his arm and shoulder. Of course the cat's claws were digging deep as he made his rocket-like take-off. Earl's arm and shoulder was badly scratched and a n d besides his shirt was torn to shreds. Earl says that from now on he will think twice before tying a short-fused firecracker to a cat's tail.

Rev. Ralph Perkins brought the Rotary Club program Wednesday, and in his remarks on communism, he said that if the communists ever took over the United States the lawyers and police officers would be the first people to be liquidated.

Attorney Dewey Cox Jr., was at the meeting and after hearing the statement, he was observed reaching for his ice tea glass and taking a long cool drink.

However—lawyers and police officers will not be the only ones

on the death list if we, the people, don't wake up to the fact that the communists mean business—we'll all be annihilated.

You've probably noticed the large number of personals and other news the Times has been running since we switched to semi-weekly operations. We've had more than ever before in our last few issues, b u t we would like to have even more. Give us a call at MI 7-1101 or 7-1102 when you have visitors or any other news.

Group Returns—

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 sales. Unfortunately the record will not bear the name of the "Teddie Bears" because it has been learned that this name has already been copyrighted by another group. Therefore, another name will appear on the record selected by the Ranger group—The Eternals.

During their Hollywood visit The Eternals were accorded a most friendly welcome and were pleasantly surprised at the wonderful hospitality extended them by those with whom they were associated. Moreover, they announced that they owe a great deal of thanks to the people of Ranger and of this area for their wonderful support, both morally and financially, which made this opportunity possible.

Johnny Angel plans a trip here in the near future to help promote the sale of their record and he hoped that the recording would be greatly accepted and sales would result because sales at the local level could easily spur national buying.

One thing is certain, whether the record sells or not, Teddie Neesley, Bill Patton, Charles Shugart, Alvis Rogers, Butch Owens, and Joe Barker will have gained a world of experience and at present they're floating on cloud nine, anticipating their solid gold Cadillac to haul their band instruments in. Never-the-less, the people of Ranger are proud of the boys and certainly wish them all the luck in the world.

Plea of Guilty Is Heard In County Court

Royce Edward Pence entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated in Eastland County Court Wednesday and was fined \$50 plus \$33 cost of court.

Three other new charges have also been lodged in the County Court docket. Clifford Allen Leach is charged with driving while his license was suspended and Otto Gafner faces charges of aggravated assault of a woman and aggravated assault with a motor vehicle.

Drive Underway To Air Condition State School

A drive to raise funds to air condition Abilene State School is being made with a goal of \$14,000 set.

There are 14 patients at the school from Eastland County out of a total of 1,700 residents. Plans call for buying evaporative coolers for 34 wards on the campus. The school is state supported, but funds for this type purchase are not available.

Donations can be sent to the Abilene State School Volunteer Council, Box 451, Abilene, in care of Mrs. Stanley Smith.

Final Rites—

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 and a number of nieces and nephews.

Palbearers will be Lloyd Bruce, V. V. Cooper, Lester Crossley, Buford Anderson, Jess Weaver, Charles Bobb, Sam L. Kirkpatrick and L. N. Bryan, all of Ranger.

VISITS IN RANGER

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Briley and children of Odessa are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spud Summers and other friends and relatives in Ranger.

Rotary Speaker Tells of World Conditions

Rev. Ralph Perkins was the speaker at the Rotary Club Wednesday at noon. He made three points in the talk—our world, our work, and our way.

He said our world is standing at the cross roads. Freedom or enslavement, Democracy or paganism, Christianity or godless communism. Today our world has the 20 Megaton Bomb. Equivalent to 20 million tons of T. N. T. Piled high like a mountain it would be 4 times as high as the Empire state building. To carry this amount of T. N. T. it would require one million trucks carrying 20 tons of T. N. T.

Rev. Perkins emphasized that our way may be compared to this illustration: A man milked a pail of milk, on the way to the house he spilled it. Looking at it disgustingly, shrugged his shoulders and walked away. Indifferent as to the end results of "no milk in the house."

The second man did likewise, a pail of milk and on the way to the house spilled the milk. Cursing, raving, kicking the pail, showed his attitude. He too had given vent to his feelings and walked away. No milk in his house.

The third man with his pail going toward the house spilled his milk. Dusting the milk from his clothes, picking up the pail, went to the water faucet, cleaned the bucket and went back for another pail of milk. His attitude was certainly different from the other two. Our way of life is and cannot be, one of indifference, nor temper tantrums, but one of the right attitude.

Our work is already cut out for us, he said, and we either sink or go to work in our churches for The Lord Jesus Christ. We maintain our Democracy and our Freedoms or we perish at the hands of the communist.

In conclusion Rev. Perkins remarked that there can be no room for "fear, or frustration or fanaticism." The remedy, each one of us working to preserve our "four basic freedoms."

Calvin Brown introduced Rev. Perkins as he was program chairman for the day. Eighteen members and one visitor was present.

New Officers—

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 members could not have been performed. In conclusion, he said "let's give the new officer the same kind of assistance for the new year, and Lionism will continue to grow in Ranger."

Search—

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 Mrs. Hussey's brutally slashed body was found by Rev. Jesse E. Castle, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cisco, where she was employed as secretary. He went to the home to see about Mrs. Hussey after she failed to report for work and didn't answer telephone calls.

The body was found lying face down in a pool of blood in the living room of her home and was clad in a night gown.

Dr. Charles H. Ballew said the death was caused by a stab wound in the throat. The wound was one of about a dozen found on the body. She had been stabbed numerous times on the arms, chest and in the back.

The Baptist pastor went to his secretary's home to seek an answer to why the usually prompt 53-year-old woman had not turned up for work. Spotting her car in the driveway he first tried the front door, then went to the side door when he found the front door was locked and he could get no answer. The side door was shut but was not locked. He called again, then entered the house.

What the minister found set off the most sensational murder case ever recorded in Eastland County. Lights were burning in the living room and the TV set was still turned on. When he discovered the body he immediately phoned police.

Heading the investigation are Sheriff Lee Horn, Police Chief S. E. Parkinson, Texas Ranger, Gene Graves and County Attorney Earl Conner.

Dr. Charles H. Ballew, called in by officers, said the woman had not been raped. He attributed death to the wound in her neck.

Bruises on the woman's head led officers to believe she had also been hit with a heavy instrument, probably a flower pot which is missing. Sand from the flower pot and several flowers were on the floor near Mrs. Hussey's body.

Police found bloody shoe prints in the kitchen, hall and a bedroom. Footprints were also found on a window leading to a carport.

Mrs. Hussey had lived in the house at 501 West Sixth Street for just a few weeks although she had made Cisco her home for about 10 years. She had served the church as secretary for four years.

The house is directly across the street from the Presbyterian Church parsonage and Rev. Edward E. Mulliner, pastor said he was in his study until 9 p.m. and did not see any lights in the Hussey house when he went home. Mrs. F. P. Curry, a near neighbor, took Mrs. Hussey some fruit about 7 p.m. Wednesday and talked to her until about 8 p.m. when Mrs. Hussey went to prayer meeting. After the church service Mrs.

Hussey reportedly talked for about 15 minutes by telephone with Mrs. E. J. Poe, who worked with her at the church. That brought the last time she was known to be alive up to 9:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Mrs. Hussey was probably killed between then and 5 a.m. Thursday. Her watch was stopped at 5:15.

Robbery was ruled out as the motive quickly by officers since the woman's rings and some \$50 in cash weren't taken.

Mrs. Hussey was a divorcee and lived alone in the frame dwelling. Her ex-husband, now remarried, and a son, Pat, 21, were notified of her death in California where they now live and they left immediately for Cisco.

Funeral Services For W. S. George Slated Sunday

Funeral services for W. S. George, a resident of Eastland for 16 years, will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the Hamner Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck, pastor of the Church of God, officiating.

Mr. George died Friday at Eastland Memorial Hospital. He was a retired Magnolia oil well driller.

Born May 2, 1883 in Lake View, Ore., he moved to Eastland 18 years ago from McCamey. He married Stella Satterwhite June 27, 1940 in Oklahoma.

Members of the Men's Fellowship Bible Class of the First Christian Church will serve as pallbearers.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Miss Grace George of Glendale, Calif., Mrs. Nan Roach of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Marjorie Vise of Phoenix; four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Emmerich of Redlands, Calif., Mrs. Charles Thompson of Santa Rosa, Calif., Mrs. Zellar Schmalin of Santa Rosa and Mrs. Marie Arnold of Sacramento, Calif. and three grandchildren.

Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery under direction of Hamner Funeral Home.

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Ethel Johnson Presides at Lodge Meeting

Rebekah Lodge met at 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 27 with Noble Grand, Ethel Johnson in the chair. Routine business was transacted

and sick reports were given.

There will be no meeting July 4 due to it being a holiday. The next meeting will be July 11. Officers will be installed and refreshments will be served.

Six members attended the O.R.R. Circle meeting at Eastland last Friday night.

The penny prize was furnished by C. E. Bell and won by Vergie Brown.

Those Present were: C. E. Bell, Ethel Johnson, Clara Ivy, Eula Blackwell, Sudie Strong, Ruby Greer, Vergie Brown, Laura Todd, Laila Effert, and Ruby Smith of Weatherford, who is a member of the Ranger Lodge.

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NEWS FROM DESDEMONA

Scott Lemaster is now quite improved following an attack of infection of the eye. Mrs. Lemaster has had an attack of gall bladder trouble.

Jim Grimshaw's mother, suffering a stroke early Saturday and was rushed to the Gorman hospital by way of ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wittie and Jan of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lemaster have been here with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lemaster for the past week.

Mrs. Herc Ficklen and children, Molly Bess, Jack and Robert of Dallas spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown.

Mrs. Ruth Craig has announced arrival of a granddaughter, who was born June 20th, in Arlington. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDonald of Kermit spent one day and night last week with the Pugh Gutherys.

Mrs. Ethel Keith and Mrs. Nancy Partain attended the Partain reunion Saturday and Sunday held on Lake Leon. Forty-six attended.

Visiting with Ethel Keith and mother during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Partain of California, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mad-fux of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Muck Keith of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Wilcoxson of Odessa and their families.

The Robert Abels of Oil Center, N. M., the Robert Mearns of Arlington and Mrs. Stell Joiner were visitors in the R. H. Abel home.

Miss Sue Deitz of Lubbock is spending this week with the W. W. Wordens her mother, Mrs. Flossy Deitz was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald White of Ballinger were here Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. J. N. Abernathy and family.

Lt. Col. Preslar To Retire From Air Force June 30

Lt. Col. Sanford D. Preslar, U. S. Air Force, of Ranger, will retire from military service on June 30, 1961. Colonel Preslar's last duty station has been Wilkin Air Force Station, Shelby, Ohio, one of the supply installations under jurisdiction of the Air Force Logistics Command, at Dayton, Ohio.

A graduate with honors from Ranger College in 1933, and the Air Force Command and Staff College at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., in 1951, he will retire with 23 years service, approximately 9 of them overseas. He wears the Bronze Star Medal.

He and his wife, the former Oriana Cosatt of Fort Worth, have two children, Sanford D. II, who is married and lives in Ranger, and Layne E., who lives in Odessa where he will reenter Odessa College next fall.

Colonel Preslar's mother, Mrs. Cora Preslar, resides in Ranger.

Three Arrested Here Wednesday

Ranger Police Chief Bob Patterson reported that two women and one man were arrested late Wednesday night for being drunk in public and disturbing the peace. One was charged with being drunk in public and disturbing the peace and the other two were arrested on the drunk charge. Two paid fines totaling \$31.40 and the other was released.

Patterson also said that anyone caught throwing beer or liquor bottles on public streets or highways in Ranger would be taken before the City Corporation Court.

He asked that the citizens be on the look-out for the violators of this law and to take the license number of the car and then report it to the Police Department. Quick action will then be taken by the department.

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Mrs. Myrtle Reid had all her children together last week. They are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Martin and son, Eddie, of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Reid of Alvin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Townsend and sons, Bruce and Cliff of Baton

Rouge, La., also two sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Brownlee, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tilly and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Lesley, all of De Leon and a sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williamson of Wichita Falls.

Misses Bessie and Ann Rainey left with the Mack Keiths for an extended visit.

Mrs. W. T. Yardley and sons were here part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Beulah Williams and grandmother, Mother Kay.

The Floyd Moores had all their children and grandchildren home the past weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Irving, of Nashville, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Junior Moore of Benbrook, and Mr. and

Mrs. Virgil Brannan of Seagraves.

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Sunday School Dept. Outlines New Programs

The First Baptist Sunday school department outlined plans for the coming year. The regular Officers and Teacher planning meeting was well attended by all departments.

Supt. R. V. Robinson presided over the meeting and presented the following plans and dates. July 9-23 the church will conduct a city wide "spot census". Members living in the areas of the city will seek information of people who live near by as to their church membership, and the church of their choice.

Preparation work for the January School was set for Aug. 9-16. Promotion and the close of the church year will be on August 22th.

Mrs. Richard Henderson spoke on "the lines of communication" between the general S.S. officers, the department and the classes. These lines are kept open through faithful and regular attendance upon the weekly planning meetings.

and in a thorough knowledge of the entire church program. Departmental officers, class teachers, and class officers, to be effective must know and cooperate with the entire church program and the Sunday school activities. The pastor presented the Objectives for 1962: (1) Soul winning; (2) S. S. enrollment gains; (3) Additional workers; (4) Standard S. S. classes, a n d departments; (5) Awards and diplomas.

Adult 2 department was the only department that had representation from each of the classes. Wilson Guest is superintendent, and Mrs. Rains is associate superintendent. Young people's department followed with four out of five of their classes having representation. The Extension department had just about 100% representation of officers and visitors. Mrs. L. E. Mitchell, supt. Mrs. W. A. Reuver, assoc supt. and Mrs. Tom Lang, sec.

Visitors were introduced from Abilene, Wheeler, Dallas, and Ft. Worth.

Eastland Nursing Home to Hold Open House Today

Open house will be held at Green Acres Nursing Home for the aged in Eastland Sunday (today) from 2 until 4:30 p.m.

Green Acres, located just back of the Eastland Post Office on N. Daugherty Street, opened its doors last week. The home is under the supervision of Mrs. June Bunch.

The enterprise is established in the building, which formerly was the old Payne and Lovett Hospital.

Under the ownership of Mrs. Bunch and her husband, Ronald, the building has undergone a complete renovation.

Hospital News

Mrs. Florence Roan, Cisco, medical.

Enice Toone, Ranger, medical. W. C. Harris, Ranger, surgical. Ed Marsh, Ranger, medical. Mrs. Emma Green, Ranger. Mrs. Myrtle Smith, Ranger. Elmer Abernathy. O. W. Edwards. Roscoe Hopper, Ranger, medical.

Mrs. R. J. Holmes, Ranger, medical.

A. J. Owen, Ranger, medical. Mrs. Nat Faircloth, Eastland. Mrs. Doris Morton, Eastland. Mrs. J. C. Daniels, Eastland, surgical. Mrs. V. W. West, and baby boy, Mingo. Mrs. Mary Boyette, Olden, surgical. Mrs. Cindy Duncan, Ranger, medical.

Dismissed: Mrs. S. L. Williamson, Ranger. Mrs. W. E. Simpson, Ranger. Mrs. S. W. Day, Ranger. Grover Baker, Ranger.

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Miss Joyce Joyner, Joe Young Wed in Double Ring Ceremony

Miss Joyce Joyner became the bride of Joe Morris Young in a double ring ceremony performed in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, Ranger.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Willie Joyner, Ranger, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young, Ranger, are the parents of the bridegroom.

The vows were read by Rev. Brooks, pastor of the Second Baptist Church.

Miss Kay Hopper was maid of honor and Jerry Singleton was a best man.

The bride wore a white linen sheath dress with beige accessories. She carried an orchid corsage and she also carried out the tradition of something old, new, borrowed and blue.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the home of the bride's mother.

The couple are both graduates of Ranger High School.

After a short wedding trip, they will make their home in Midland, where he is manager of the M. System.

Second Baptist Church

One of the two ordinances of the church will be observed by the Second Baptist Church this morning at 11 o'clock service. The church will partake of the Lord's Supper in commemoration of the sacrificial death of Jesus Christ. The pastor will bring a brief message on "Why Does Christ Eat with Sinners?" at the morning worship.

Sunday evening's services begin with Training Union for the whole family at 6:45 p.m. This is followed by the evening worship services at 7:45. The pastor's topic will be "Out running the Champions." This is a continuation of the series on Christ's Sermon on the Mount as recorded in Matthew 5, 6, and 7.

The church's weekly schedule of activities includes Women's Missionary Union meeting at 3:00 p.m. Monday at the church. The G. A. groups are meeting at different times and these will be announced. Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m. marks the weekly Royal Ambassadors meeting at the church. At the same time the Sunday School teachers and officers will be meeting in preparation for the next Sunday's work. At 8:00 Wednesday night the church will meet in regular monthly church conference to receive reports from the various organizations concerning the work accomplished in the month of June.

All are cordially invited to attend the various functions of Second Baptist Church throughout today and this week. If you do not yet have a church home in Ranger, we invite you to prayerfully consider uniting with us, serving the Lord in our church.

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WEEKEND GUESTS

Week end guests in the home of Mrs. Ella White are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bill Dreinhofer and daughters, Susan and Dana of Heidelberg, Mississippi, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dreinhofer, Arthur and Freddy of Agua Dulce.

Also visiting Mrs. White are Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Vann De Pute of Detroit, Michigan, who have returned to Ranger after a visit in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dreinhofer, Jr.

VISITS PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS

Mrs. T. V. Vaughn and children of El Paso are visiting in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shirley.

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Monday, July 3

Teen Town's Mother Club will meet Monday, July 3 at 7:30 p.m. All mothers of teenagers are urged to be present.

Thursday, July 6

The Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday, July 6 at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. F. E. Langston for a social and business meeting.

Friday, June 23 thru Sunday July 9

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Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ryan, Mrs. Julia Freeman, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Freeman, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Freeman, Abilene.

First Baptist Announces Wed. Night Schedule

The First Baptist Church office will be closed on July 4th, but will be open on Monday and Wednesday. There are no services scheduled for the 3rd and 4th.

The regular Wednesday evening services begin at 6:15 p.m. for choir rehearsal and Sunday School planning is at 7:15. This Sunday School planning is of vital importance to the well being of the enrollment of the entire church program. Teachers and officers from departments and classes receive many valuable and important matters that their classes and members need to know in order to be a part of a spiritual organization serving the Lord.

The mid-week hour of prayer and testimony gives each member an opportunity to voice their love for the Master and to tell of the wonderful things that Christ has done for them.

The music program will enrich and thrill the souls of everyone. Great is the spiritual power of Christian music, under the direction of Christian men and women.

The nursery will be open for the small children during all services.

Remember, "Only Christ Makes Life Complete." Come worship with us.

First Baptist Church

"The Real Meaning of July 4th" will be the pastor's theme for the 11 o'clock worship service at the First Baptist Church. The spiritual power within the compatriots who wrote the "Constitution", is the essence of our freedom today. If we maintain the spiritual power then we will be properly motivated to make the necessary sacrifices that are at present with us, a spokesman of the church said.

The evening worship at 8 will find the pastor's theme, "Recognizing Jesus." Special music will be presented at both services. There are eight departments meeting for Sunday school at 9:45 each Lord's day. A class and a department maintained by Christian leaders who are really concerned about the Lord's work. Bring your family to Sunday school and then worship with them at the regular preaching hour.

Training Union meeting in the same departments on Sunday night at 7 P.M. and directed by trained personnel will provide for each member of your family. Take a scripture tells us, "remember the Lord's day and keep it holy." We need to worship God, in His house on his day: Remember "only Christ makes life complete."

Our Nursery is maintained by trained supervisors. Come worship with us.

Church of Christ

Services for Sunday at the Mesquite and Rusk Church of Christ begin with Bible Classes at 9:45 a.m. The morning worship follows at 10:45.

Evening worship starts at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday afternoon the Ladies Bible Class meets at 2 p.m.

Mid-week Bible Classes are at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday night.

A cordial welcome is extended to everyone.

An invitation to listen to religious questions and answers program on KERC at 8:30 a.m. each Sunday morning is extended to everyone.

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

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MISS WILMA HELEN SMILEY

Miss Helen Smiley to Become Bride of Al Tune II Sept. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Chester K. Smiley, 6112 S. Bowie, Amarillo, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wilma Helen to Thomas Alvin Tune II, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alvin Tune of Ranger.

CCC Co. 835 To Hold Reunion In New Mexico

Ex-members of CCC Co. 835 and their families will hold their 3rd annual reunion at Silver City and Mimbres, New Mexico, July 11, 12th and 13th.

Company 835, the first all Texas Company of CCC was organized May 19, 1933, at Camp Bullis, Texas, and the Company established Camp Sully at Mimbres, New Mexico, May 24, 1933, under command of Lt. B. Colson of Fort Sam Houston, July 1, 1933, 50 residents of the camp area were enrolled in to the Company.

This company built many miles of road and phone lines in the Gila National Forest. The reunion is sponsored by CCC Co. 835 Ass'n with headquarters at Rt. 2, Box 18-D, Weatherford, Texas. A group of men from Eastland County served in 835. Ben Salter, Reginald Blakney, and Albert O'Donnell served from Ranger.

Assembly of God Church

Thelma Hostetter is pastor. The Assembly of God Church, 206 Young Street, meets at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday for Sunday School. The morning worship hour begins at 11.

Christ's Ambassadors meet from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. on Sunday evenings. The evangelistic service follows at 7:45.

Mid-week services are held each Wednesday evening at 7:45.

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Miss Margaret Reese, Tommy Daniel Wed in Goldthwaite

The First Methodist Church of Goldthwaite was the setting Saturday evening, June 17, at 8 o'clock for the wedding of Miss Margaret Ona Reese of Goldthwaite and Tommy Clint Daniel of Dallas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Reese of Goldthwaite, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Daniel of Goldthwaite.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. B. McCrary before an altar decorated with a background of palms and wrought iron tree candelabras which held arrangements of gladiolus, chrysanthemums, asters, and stock entwined among white cathedral candles. The chancel rail held garlands of soft ferns.

Traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. Thurman Head, organist, who accompanied Johnny Milnor as he sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of candlelight peau de soie fashioned in princess style silhouette with a portrait neckline and bracelet length sleeves. The pleated skirt which was appliqued with aleon lace and seed pearls, swept into a chapel train. Her tiered illusion veil was held by a lace comb. She carried a cascade bouquet of lily of the valley, and pearl drops showed.

Coffee Honors Mrs. Duke Dixon Thurs. Morning

Mrs. Duke Dixon, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Dixon, was honored Thursday morning with a coffee in the Dixon home to acquaint her with the people of Ranger.

Hostess were Meses. Arthur Deffebach, Vernon Deffebach, Beverly Dudley, Jr., Bill Calhoun, Guy Cooper, and Jettie Ballenger of Gordon.

Miss Joan Dixon presided at the registry book. The table was centered with a magnolia blossom.

Mrs. Ballenger presided at the coffee service. Centering the table was an arrangement of daisies.

Appointments of silver and crystal were used.

Approximately 50 guests called during the morning.

Miss Ethel Adams was called to Fort Worth Friday morning due to the death of her nephew, John A. Weaver.

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First Pentecostal Church

J. E. Lamb, pastor

The following is the schedule for the First Pentecostal Church, announced by J. E. Lamb, pastor. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and is followed by the morning worship at 11 a.m. Evangelistic services begin each Sunday evening at 7:45 p.m. Mid-week services begin on Wednesday at 7:45 p.m. The Ladies Auxiliary meets on Tuesday afternoons at 2 p.m. The Young people meet at 7:45 p.m. on Friday nights.

The annual daily Vacation Bible School will begin June 5 and continue through June 9. All youth is cordially invited.

GO TO CHURCH

Weekly Schedule For St. Rita's Catholic Church

The following is the weekly schedule for St. Rita's Catholic Church.

Mass every Sunday at 8 a.m. and Benediction at 5:30 p.m. Religious classes for grade school students at Parish Hall every Monday at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 7 p.m. the Newman club meets at the Parish Hall, followed by choir practice at 7:45 in the church. Thursday evening mass is at 7 o'clock.

Confessions will be heard every Saturday evening from 6 till 7 o'clock and before all Masses.

Discussion meetings are held at the rectory every first and third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Joseph L. Van Winkel, pastor of St. Rita's is always available to give information about the Catholic Church.

Everyone is welcome to attend religious services at St. Rita's.

Fundamental Baptist Church

Rev. Jack Walker, pastor of the Fundamental Baptist Church, 830 Strawn Rd., makes the following announcements.

Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. followed by the morning worship at 11. The evening service begins at 7:30 p.m.

The Wednesday evening prayer meeting begins at 7:30 p.m.

Church of God Announcements

Rev. A. J. Fox, Jr., pastor of the Church of God, Strawn Road and 1st Street, gives the following schedule of services.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. followed by the morning worship service at 11. The evening worship service begins at 7 p.m.

The Y. P. E. service begins at 7:00 Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting is held at 7:00 p.m. Friday.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Recreation equipment has been purchased for the young people.

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Massengill To Receive Top Award

An Eastland Future Farmer of America Chapter member will receive the state's highest FFA award at the organization's state convention in Dallas July 19.

Don Massengill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Massengill has been named as a candidate for the Lone Star Farmer Degree, Hugh Brown, vocational agriculture teacher at Eastland High, has announced.

Don has been active in FFA work since 1958 and has had numerous projects. To be eligible for the honor he first had to earn the Degree of Chapter Farmer, had to complete two years of vocational agriculture, have an outstanding program of supervised farming plus a number of other requirements.

Not more than two percent of all members in the state can receive the high degree.

Final Rites Wed. For Mrs. Hardin

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carter attended the funeral of Mrs. Carter's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. C. Hardin of Levelland Wednesday. Mrs. Hardin developed pneumonia after having surgery last Saturday. She was 41 years of age.

Mrs. Hardin is survived by her husband, R. C. Hardin, and two sons, David, 16, and Donald, 11.

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Harmony Baptist Church

Bill Penland, pastor

Harmony Baptist, the church with a friendly welcome and old time Gospel preaching from the Bible, welcomes you to its services.

Harmony Baptist Church will begin Sunday School at 10 a.m. with worship services at 11 o'clock with the pastor bringing the message. Training Union begins at 7 p.m. with evening preaching at eight.

Joe Matthews is music director Wednesday evening midweek service is held at 7 p.m. with Bible study and prayer.

Nazarene Church

Bobby Ferguson, Pastor

Rev. Bobby Ferguson, pastor of the Nazarene Church of the Nazarene West Main and Oak Streets, gives the following schedule of services.

Sunday School meets each week at 9:45 a.m. Mrs. Burt McGraw is Sunday School superintendent. The morning worship service begins at 10:45.

N. Y. P. S. begins at 7 p.m. each Sunday evening, followed by the evening worship service at 7:45.

Prayer meetings are held each Wednesday night at 7:45.

Merriman Baptist Church

C. N. Ellis, pastor

Sunday School Superintendent of Merriman Baptist Church, C. N. Ellis, makes the following announcements.

Sunday School meets at 10:00 a.m., and morning worship is at 11 a.m. Evening worship begins at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting is at 7:30 p.m.

C. N. Ellis is pastor.

Christian Science

How obedience to the law of God opens the way to freedom will be explained Sunday at Christian Science church services.

Among Scriptural passages to be read in the Lesson—Sermon entitled "God" is one from Psalm 119: "Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes; and I shall keep it unto the end. . . . And I will walk at liberty: for I seek thy precepts."

Man's right to freedom is also brought out in selections from "Science and Health with key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy which will include: "Discerning the rights of man, we cannot fail to foresee the doom of all oppression. Slavery is not the legitimate state of man" (p. 227).

First Methodist Church

Warren A. Flynn, Minister

Sunday Morning Worship — 10:50 a.m. Church School — 9:45 a.m.

Beverly Dudley, Supt.
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Wednesday Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

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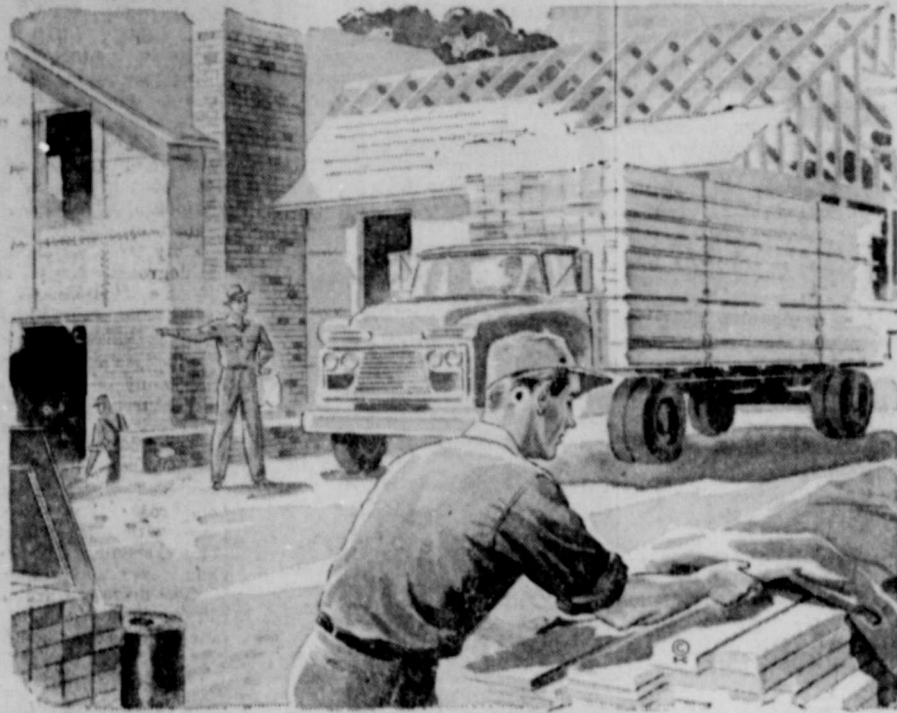
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Vice President Named by T-P in Fort Worth

Robert W. Hines was named executive vice-president of Texaco Pacific Coal and Oil Company, it was announced following a meeting of the company's directors by H. B. Fuqua, board chairman.

Hines, who joined Texas Pacific in 1954, as assistant manager of production, became production manager and a member of the board of directors in 1957. He was named vice-president, production, in 1959, which post he has held since that time.

Eugene T. Adair, T-P president, said Hines would continue to supervise the company's production activities in addition to his administrative duties as executive vice-president.

Card of Thanks

I want to thank everyone, especially Dr. Mims, for their kindness in the passing of our loved one, J. G. Cassell. May God bless and supply their every need.

Mrs. J. G. Cassell and family
Ranger, Texas

Donald Fyffe Named Manager At Stamford

Donald Fyffe, a business supervisor for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Lubbock, has been appointed manager for the company at Stamford with headquarters in Sweetwater. Norman Stuckey, district manager at Abilene announced recently.

The district includes Hamlin, Anson, Roby, and Aspermont. He is the son of Mrs. G. A. Fyffe of Ranger, and he lives in Sweetwater with his wife and a daughter, Jeanne.

Eddy Howton Kills Copperhead

Eddy Howton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Howton Jr., of Ranger, killed a 28 inch copperhead snake at his home Wednesday. Eddy saw the snake coming from under their house. He ran inside the house for a .22 rifle, then returned to shoot the snake in the head.

Scout Troop 15 Holds Charter Review Thurs.

Committee members and scoutmasters of Troop 15, sponsored by the First Baptist Church Brotherhood, met Thursday night for a Troop Charter Review.

Members of the committee were informed that Troop 15 registered last June 30 with 14 boys and at the close of the fiscal year Thursday night, a total of 34 boys had been in scouting during the year. Three Courts of Honor were held by the troop last year with 27 boys advancing at least one rank and they received 186 merit badges.

Two new committee members, Dr. W. P. Watkins and F. P. Brashier Sr. were introduced and assigned duties for the new year. Other committee members are Pete Brashier, chairman, Rev. Ralph Perkins, institutional representative and Leonard Arterburn and Lee Russell.

Joe Galtbreath, Comanche Trail Council executive, and scoutmasters Dwaine Dennis and Aaron Howton were also in attendance.



The boy goes fishing with his Dad and a boat feels on adventurous kinship with Huckleberry Finn. Despite his age, he'll mature for a while in man-to-man associations with his father. These are the incidents he will remember long after other activities of his childhood become faded memories.

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A lunch ashore or on the water will add a great deal to his enjoyment, because a boy's stomach never seems to stay filled for long.

If the fishing trip is extended to an overnight camp-out, it will double his enjoyment. It will also give him experience in more of the common sense practices that go with the love of the outdoors.

Experiences shared with his father on solitary excursions are likely to be some of those longest remembered by the growing boy. He'll want to make it a regular habit — perhaps for life.

LACASA LINES

The Herringtons visited at Stephenville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Flowers of New Mexico visited in the Herrington home Saturday.

Mrs. James Raney and son, Jimmy, and sister, Linda Whiffen of Austin spent Wednesday through Saturday visiting in the D. B. Raney home.

Mrs. A. O. Templeton is home from the Ranger General Hospital where she had surgery.

Turney McCleskey is home from a Fort Worth Hospital where he had surgery.

Duke Stanford reports that his granddaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wallace, came home from an Abilene Hospital Thursday and is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Gailard McGowan attended the reunion at Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Newnam and Hazel of Breckenridge attended Sunday morning church services at New Hope Baptist Church and visited Mrs. Cordia Lambert.

The Junior and Adult Training Union Classes of New Hope Baptist Church had their planning meeting in the Robert Bradford home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barsley returned this week from a visit to relatives in West Texas.

VISITS HERE

Spending the summer in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ervin is their grandson, Don May of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Also visiting in the Ervin home is their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Leath and children of Hereford. They will remain for a visit until after the fourth of July.

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June 22, 1941

Evangelist Lee L. Hamre of Abilene will conduct a revival at the Church of the Nazarene. Known as the Fiery Frenchman the evangelist has conducted revivals in nearly every state in the nation.

E. E. Freyschlag was chosen chapter chairman of the Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross. Other officers chosen were Jack Frost, vice chairman and Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell, war relief production chairman. H. J. Tanner gave a report on the local disaster work.

June 22, 1951

Delegates elected by the American Legion Auxiliary to attend the 17th district convention in Breckenridge July 7-8, 1951 were Mrs. Con Hazard, Mrs. H. C. Croom and Mrs. R. E. Johnson.

Jack Waddington, Ranger, who will enter North Texas State College in the fall is employed for the summer as a Senior Clerk in the office of the Gindler Corporation at Clinton, Indiana.

The annual reunion of the Owen family was held Sunday, June 17, 1951 at the CIO Hall. It was in honor of Rev. A. J. Owen who has been a citizen of the community for 30 years.

June 29, 1941

One new wildcat and an out-post to the Carbon pool, both in Southern Eastland County, were announced with filing of locations at the railroad commission office in Abilene.

June 29, 1951

Motley's Grocery and Market said today that they were proud to be able to present their enlarged and newly decorated grocery and market for the approval of the public.

June 29, 1951

Mrs. Katie White, who lives at 300 Hunt St., celebrated her 67th birthday, Sunday, June 24, 1951 in her home. Mrs. White is the former Katie Parrish and has lived in this community all her life.

UNDERGOES SURGERY
Word has been received that Mrs. P. C. Long, who has undergone surgery in All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth is getting along nicely.

VISITS IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Fred Bennett and children spent last week end visiting in Fort Worth with her sister, Joleen Bell and her brother, Stanley Bell.

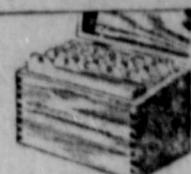
VISITS MOTHER AND SISTER

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