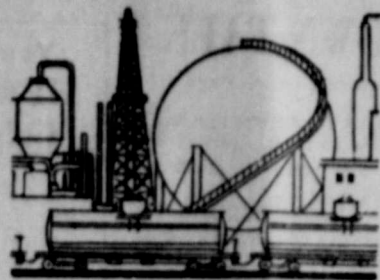


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Plans Complete For Reunion Of Texas U. Exes Tuesday Evening

Oil Belt area ex-students of the University of Texas will hold their annual Texas Independence Day reunion at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday at Lone Cedar Country Club. Ranger Exes will be hosts for the event.

Dean W. Page Keeton of the UofT Law School, a nationally known lawyer and teacher, will be the speaker. A. W. Warford, Ranger, is president of the association and will preside at the dinner.

The program will include a solo by Kenneth E. Alford of Ranger, who also will lead the singing of "The Eyes of Texas."

Introduction of guests will be by the vice presidents — J. A. Bates of Ranger, L. W. Brooks Jr. of Breckenridge,

LOCAL SCHOOL PERSONNEL TO ATTEND TSTA MEETING

Classes at Ranger Public Schools will be dismissed Friday, March 5, due to the Texas State Teachers Convention which is being held in Vernon, March 4 and 5. Local teachers will attend the meeting on Friday.

Named to serve as representatives to the House of Delegates of District VII, Texas State Teachers Association Convention in Vernon are Mr. Duke, Miss Anna McEver, Mrs. Rose Deffebach, and Mrs. L. H. Hagaman, will attend sessions March 4 and 5.

Leon Maner of Cisco, James Paul Shanks of Baird, Bob Upham of Mineral Wells, Fred Douglas of Albany, John Kim-

ble of Gorman and Bill Denard of Rising Star. Virgil Seaberry Jr. of Eastland will give the invocation preceding the dinner which will feature a menu of fruit medley salad, breast of chicken, buttered whole green beans, hot rolls, butter, coconut cream pie, coffee and tea.

Dewey Cox Jr. of Ranger will introduce the distinguished guest speaker of the evening.

New officers will be elected after Mr. Keeton's address. The evening's events will be concluded with a door prize drawing.

Ranger Earns 15% Insurance Credit On Apr. 1

Ranger received its fifth consecutive fire credit, according to a report issued Friday by the State Board of Fire Insurance at Austin.

Fire Chief Charlie Isabell said the city has received a 15 per cent credit for 1965, effective April 1.

In 1961 Ranger received a 5 per cent credit, a 10 per cent credit in 1962, and 15 per cent credits for 1963 and 1964.

The current Ranger credit will make possible reduction in basic fire insurance rates in the 12 months following April 1, Chief Isabell said.

The board rates the state's cities and towns annually according to fire records, giving credits or discounts as rewards for good fire records and debits or surcharges as penalties for bad loss fire records.

Members of Ranger Volunteer Fire Department were called to 103 fires during 1964.

Eighty of the calls were to extinguish grass blazes. Firemen also answered alarms on 11 automobile and truck fires, and the other 12 blazes were on residential and other structures.

Total for the past year was far under the 174 alarms answered in 1963, Chief Isabell said. Grass fires, 120 of them, led the list for that year, and 45 house and barn blazes were reported. Firemen were summoned to put out nine burning automobiles.

For 1962, he said, the total was 102 fires — 79 grass blazes, 17 residential and buildings, and six car fires.

New Manager Assumes Duties At Ward's Store

Harold Turnipseed, formerly associated with the chain's retail outlet at Tyler, is the new manager of the Montgomery Ward Store in Ranger.

He succeeds Felton Huff, who has been transferred from Ranger to Lufkin.

The new manager of the city's largest merchandising institution has been with the Montgomery Ward organization for 16 years. He was at Tyler for three years prior to his recent transfer to Ranger.

A native of McAlester, Okla., Turnipseed has served the Ward chain in Okmulgee, Okla., Newton and Wellington, Kans., prior to coming to Texas.

The Turnipseeds have three sons — Don, 12, Dean, 10, and Jim, 6. Mrs. Turnipseed and the three youngsters will remain in Tyler until school is out in May. Then they'll move to Ranger into the residence formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Creager.

The Turnipseeds are Baptists.

RETURN HOME

Mr. W. B. Emfinger has returned home from Abilene where he has been a patient in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He is reportedly much improved.



'PLANT A TREE FOR ONE YOU LOVE' — Mrs. Jesse W. White, president of Ranger Garden Club plants a pecan tree on Ranger Junior College campus in memory of her father, Benjamin P. Hatton and in honor of her mother, Mrs. Benjamin P. Hatton of Leighton, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. White also planted a redbud in memory of Mr. White's mother, Mrs. E. C. White.

County Commissioners' Expense Allowance Is Still an Enigma

Whether members of the Eastland County Commissioners Court will ever receive their \$75 a month expense allowance checks, which they recently voted themselves, ap-

pears now to be a debatable question. There has been a multitude of opinions and interpretations of opinions on the question and, apparently as yet, no definite action taken.

At last inquiry, no checks for commissioners' expenses have been made. Point in question appears to be whether the pickups provided by the county are, in fact, provided for the commissioners.

The expense item was passed by the court in January, stating in the official minutes that expenses be paid "as is provided" in Article 23500. Question was raised then as to whether that article "provides" expenses in circumstances which exist in this county.

An opinion of the state attorney general was asked, received and interpreted by the county-district attorney to the effect that the article does

not provide expense allowances in Eastland's case.

Indicating that they did not believe all the pertinent information was included in the original request for opinion, the court asked the county auditor to ask for another opinion, stating the information specifically.

So this was done, and the results appear to be the same. The state office once again cited the Hunt County parallel (which was used as a reference point in the first opinion).

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Mrs. Luker, 74, Dies Friday; Rites Sunday

Mrs. Cordia Augusta Luker, 74, died at 5 p. m. Friday in an Eastland nursing home.

She was born Feb. 19, 1891, in Erath County and married Luther V. Luker Sept. 14, 1910, in the Pioneer community. He died May 8, 1939.

Funeral will be held in the Second Baptist Church in Ranger at 2 p. m. Sunday, with burial in Pioneer Cemetery.

Officiating will be the Rev. C. O. (Dixie) Clement, pastor of the Long Branch Baptist Church, and Rev. Robbie L. Hobbs, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Ranger.

Killingworth Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Survivors are three sons, Honer A. of Ranger, L. V. of Eastland, and James Arvol of Ranger; one brother, Elmer McLearn of Ranger; three sisters, Mrs. J. L. (Etta) Stouard of Breckenridge, Mrs. Rove Goode of Ranger, and Mrs. Ulala Squyres of Ranger; two grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

At a political convention, a sign had been erected near the speakers' platform for the benefit of press photographers. It read:

"Do not photograph the speakers while they are addressing the audience. Shoot them as they approach the platform."

Funeral arrangements for Lon Elzo Fisher, 73, are pending at Arrington Hamner Funeral Home. He had been a patient in the Eastland Memorial Hospital ten days before being taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene shortly before his death. He died Friday at approximately 5 p. m.

Born in Oklahoma Territory Feb. 14, 1892, he was a retired farmer and lived in the Morton Valley community. He had been a resident of Eastland since 1955.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Harold Adams of Lubbock; three sons, Bernard of Dallas, Leonard of Midland and Bobby of El Paso; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; three brothers, Ollie of North Hollywood, Calif., Edgar of Phoenix, Ariz., and Oscar of Riverside, Calif.; Calif.; seven sisters, Mrs. Gerty McLesky of Abilene, Mrs. Mamie Tankersley of Eastland, Mrs. Pearl McCullough of Eastland, Mrs. Lola Hammet of Odessa, Mrs. Ina McCullough of Breckenridge, Mrs. Maude Dabbs of Andrews and Mrs. Edna Thompson of Cisco.

The 3-mile strip from 3 miles west of the Erath County line, east to the Eastland-Erath County line, completed.

The 16.3-mile strip from the Eastland Erath County line, east to a point west of FM 4, programmed for purchase of right of way.

Actual construction of the Interstate and Defense Highway System was authorized by the Federal Highway Act of 1956. The proposed program had been under intensive study since 1944.

The Interstate program is financed by Federal grants from the Highway Trust Fund, on a pay-as-you-ride basis derived from special taxes levied on sales of gasoline, tires, motor fuels and oils and the manufacturers' excise taxes on automobiles.

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Granddaughter Of Local Woman Dies At Houston

Funeral services for Mrs. Marcia Daphne Brewer, 41, of Houston, granddaughter of Mrs. Lucy Kendrick of Ranger, were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in Bailey Funeral Home Chapel of Clyde with the Rev. Harold Watson, pastor of Clyde First Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery.

Mrs. Brewer died Tuesday night in the Ben Taub Hospital in Houston after about a three-week illness.

She was born in Clyde, May 22, 1923, and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemper of Clyde. Mrs. Brewer moved to Houston from Clyde in 1932.

Survivors are two sons, Preston, 10, and Jerry, 6, both of Houston; one sister, Mrs. D. J. (Evelyn) Johnson of Caliente, Nev.; her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Kendrick of Ranger.

Mrs. Pulley Attends Gift Show In Dallas

Mrs. D. E. Pulley attended the annual gift show held Sunday February 21 through Thursday, February 25th in Dallas. Various displays of gifts, glassware, jewelry, dishes, and silverware were on display at the Marriott Hotel, Merchandise Mart, and Market Hall.

It was reported that the annual gift show has the largest number of displays in the United States.

Public School Week Being Observed Here

The week of March 1-5 has been proclaimed Public School Week in Texas by Governor John Connally. Special observance of increased emphasis has been marked annually for fifteen years by a Public Schools Week in Texas.

A special invitation is extended to parents of students in the Ranger Public Schools to visit the schools during this period. They may visit any one of the local schools during the day this week to observe the work of the students and classroom procedures.

Wednesday, March 4, parents of students are invited to have lunch with their children at the school cafeterias. Prices of the lunches is 40 cents for adults and 30 cents for children. Parents who plan to eat at the school Wednesday are asked to send their names and money to the school by Monday so that the school may know how many to plan for on that day.

America is only as strong as its schools. In the future, more than ever before, our American way of life will be challenged from abroad and from within. To use the words of Lincoln, "this nation cannot exist half educated and half ignorant." An educated public is essential to the preservation of a free society. This fact was realized by a colonial statesman who said,

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Little League Meet Monday

A meeting of all persons interested in baseball for Little League and Minor League will be held at 7:30 p. m., Monday, March 1, at the Ranger Junior College Cafeteria.

Jasper Williamson, president of the Ranger Little League Baseball organization, said important business will be transacted during the meeting.

Work On Interstate 20 Making Good Progress, Is THD Report

The borders of Texas are shrinking. Not in a physical sense, of course, but in the time it takes a motorist to drive from border to border. This nowhere is more apparent than on the Interstate Highway 20 which extends from the New Mexico-Texas border to the Texas-Louisiana boundary some 816 miles eastward.

At this time approximately 333 miles of the route is already complete and about 166 more miles are under construction.

When the entire route is complete to full Interstate standards — not later than December 31, 1972 — Texas motorists may clip as much as a half day or more from their border-to-border travel time.

Equally significant is the fact that the new route will be several times safer than comparable parallel thoroughfares. A motorist will be able to drive completely across state without encountering a single traffic light or intersection at the same level.

The five-mile stretch from one mile east of Eastland to .8 mile southwest of Ranger is listed in the report as being

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completed, but a footnote explains that the construction of two additional main lanes and a frontage road will be necessary to bring the present Highway 80 route up to full interstate standards.

Resident Engineer R. P. (Buddy) Haun has reported Eastland County Interstate 20 projects progress as follows:

The six-mile stretch from the Callahan-Eastland County line to 1.0 mile west of Cisco, complete.

The 14-mile strip from 1.0 mile west of Cisco, east to 1.0 mile east of Eastland, programmed for construction.

The 5.6 mile stretch from 1.0 mile east of Eastland to

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COLLIE PORTRAIT — A new portrait of the late Judge Turner M. Collie hangs in the 91st District Courtroom on the third floor of the Eastland County courthouse. Unveiled in ceremonies this past week, the portrait of Judge Collie joins that of Judge George Davenport, now retired and living in Fort Worth, behind the bench in the courtroom. Judge Davenport and Judge Collie were the first and second judges to preside in the local court.

WEATHER

SUNDAY — Bismarck, 5:00 rises 5:34, sets 5:52. Moon rises 5:22 a. m. Fishing good. MONDAY — Galois, 5:00 rises 5:35, sets 5:55. Moon rises 5:31 a. m. Fishing fair. TUESDAY — Stormy, 5:00 rises 5:31, sets 5:54. Moon rises 5:31 a. m. Fishing good. WEDNESDAY — Sunny, 5:00 rises 5:31, sets 5:54. Moon rises 5:31 a. m. Fishing good.

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The Week Ahead In Ranger

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MONDAY
Royal Neighbors will meet at the Lodge Hall at 6 p. m. for play practice. All members are urged to be present.

American Legion and Auxiliary members meet at the Legion Hall Monday night at 7 p. m.

TUESDAY
Dutch Club meets at 8 a. m. Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Lois Fyffe at 316 Mesquite Street.

WEDNESDAY
Elks Club meets for supper and social at 7 p. m. followed by a business meeting at 8.

Rotary meets for noon luncheon and program at the RJC Cafeteria.

THURSDAY
Lions Club will meet at 12 noon at the Ranger Junior College cafeteria for luncheon and program.

Jaycees meet at 6:30 a. m. for breakfast and program.

Ranger City Commission meets at 6:30 p. m. at City Hall.

Masonic Lodge, No. 738 will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Masonic Hall. For information call Doyle Gentry, W. M., at MI 7-1566 or Bill Highsmith, secretary at MI 7-3545.

The 1920 Club will meet at the Community Clubhouse at 4 p. m. Thursday for a Texas Day Program to be given by Mrs. Ven O. White. Mrs. Theodore Nickick will review the book *Magnificent Destiny* by Paul I. Wellman.

NOTICE: Helene Thrifty Shop grand opening sale still in progress. Don't miss it. Gorman Hotel, Gorman, Texas. 8

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Lost

LOST: Britain Spaniel, bob-tail, red and white, long haired, answers to name of Ginger. Last seen at Terrell Ranch. Liberal reward. Call Calvin Brown, MI 7-1481. 1f

LOST: sometime Friday night a small brown and white Chihuahua. Anyone knowing its whereabouts please call MI 7-3425. 53-tf

Found

FOUND: Ladies Timex wrist watch, silver stretch band with rhinestones. Found in front of Ranger Junior College Gymnasium after boxing matches Thursday night, Jan. 28. For information phone Imogene Jones, Jameson Hall, Ranger Junior College, MI 7-9363. 1f

NOTICE
Lone Star Producing Company, proposes to sell its Cottage No. 307, located at 409 Bundell Street, in the City of Ranger, Texas along with the Garage and Land on which they are located. The improvements are located on Lot 6, Block 20, being a part of the E. Burger 2nd Subdivision to the City of Ranger, Texas. The venetian blinds and television antenna now in place at this location shall not be included in sale. Sale will be made to the highest bidder for cash. Submit written bids to Lone Star Producing Company, 301 South Harwood Street, Dallas 1, Texas, "Attention", Mr. P. L. Stone. All bids must be received not later than March 15, 1965. Lone Star Producing Company reserves the right to refuse all bids. 53

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FROM SWEETWATER
Wilson Guest of Sweetwater was in Ranger last weekend.

VISITS PARENTS
Tommy Smith, a student at North Texas State University was home over the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. The Smith's daughter, Janice, of Fort Worth, was also home.

FROM SMU
Miss Shellenie Scott, a student at SMU in Dallas, was home over the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott and family.

Beverly Dudley Vo-Ag Teacher Here Since 1949

Beverly Dudley, Jr., Ranger High School vocational agriculture instructor and advisor of the local chapter of Future Farmers of America, has nearly two decades of experience in the educational field.

A native of Ranger and lifelong resident of this community, Dudley is a graduate of Ranger High School, Ranger Junior College, and received a B.S. degree in agriculture education at Texas A&M University, College Station, in 1942.

Dudley enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps that same year and spent four years with the fighting leathernecks during World War II. He served with the famed First Marine Division and saw combat action at Guadalcanal and in other hot spots of the Pacific. Dudley was discharged as a captain in 1946.

After returning to civilian life, he engaged in farming for a short time and served for three years as an instructor in the Veterans Vocational Farm Program in Ranger.

He assumed the duties of vocational agriculture instructor in Ranger High School in 1949 and has continued in that position since.

He is married to the former Miss Hazel Harrell of Eastland, and the couple has one daughter, Teresa, who is a Junior High student.

VISITS PARENTS
Jimmy Drennan, a student at the University of Texas was home over the weekend with his family, the J. D. Drennans.

District Ministers Hold Workshop
Methodist ministers of the Cisco district attended a general workshop held Friday and Saturday at First Methodist Church here, according to Dr. Wayne Reynolds, district superintendent.

Visiting ministers registered at the Victor Hotel Friday afternoon prior to the opening session at 2:30 p. m. The conferences were for the purpose of sharing ideas and plans to carry out the theme "One Witness in One World," Dr. Reynolds said.

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RJC Cagers Lose Pair In Playoffs At Temple

The Wranglers of Cisco Junior College lost to Wharton JC for the second time this season Friday night in the finals of the Texas Junior College Athletic Conference tournament at Temple. The score was 88-67.

Ranger Junior College, also one of the four finalists, lost their bid for 3rd place to San Antonio JC by a score of 77-67.

Both Cisco and Ranger, the north zone winners, respectively, received telegrams at Temple Friday inviting them to participate in the Region Five tournament at Amarillo March 4-6. The teams will leave Wednesday for the North Texas city.

The loss to Wharton was only the second setback for Cisco in 31 games this season and, ironically, both were to Wharton. The large crowd of Cisco fans felt that the Cisco team had some bad breaks, although they conceded that Wharton has a fine team.

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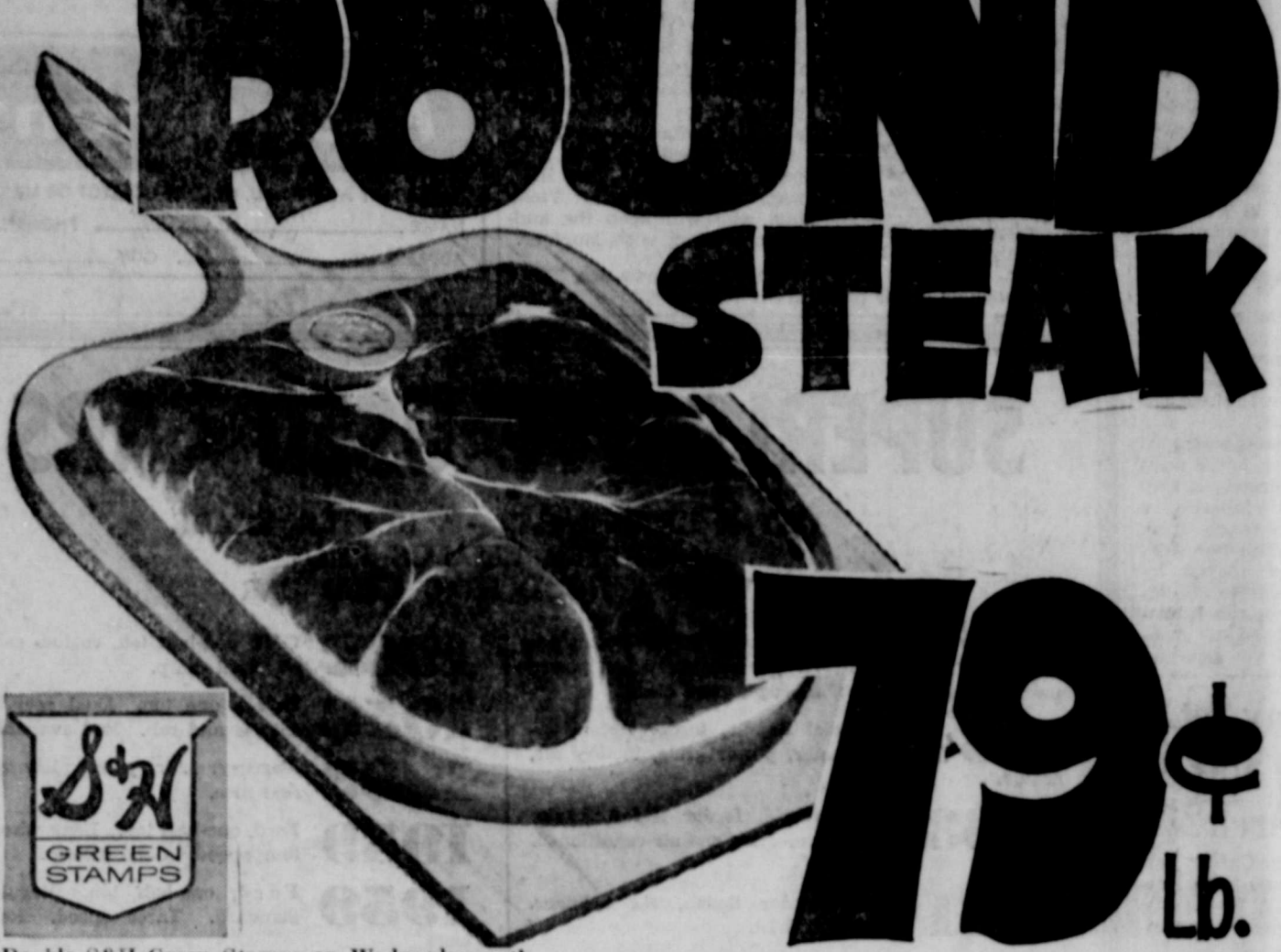
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Comanche Electric Co-Op Announces Capital Contest

All expense paid trips to the nation's capital city will be awarded to winners of an oratorical contest was announced this week by Bill Parks, manager of Comanche County Electric Cooperative.

The contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1965. Mr. Parks said. Winners will join winners of similar contest sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas on the first annual Texas Electric Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D. C. All expenses of the 11 day trip beginning June 4, will be paid by Comanche County Electric Cooperative, Parks said.

Each entrant will be required to give a 3 to 5 minute talk on the subject "Rural Electrification — Good for all Americans" and answer one or more of the 50 questions asked by the judges. The oratorical contest will be judged on the basis of (1) knowledge of subject — 40%; (2) speaking ability — 30%; (3) poise — 10%; (4) personality — 10%; and (5) appearance — 10%.

Interested young people may obtain an official entry blank from their school or the Eastland office of Comanche County Electric Cooperative. The deadline for submitting entries will be March 5, 1965, Parks said.

As participants in the Texas Electric Cooperative Youth

Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D. C., where they will spend three days visiting places of historical interest and seeing the nation's government in action.

On Wednesday, June 9, the Texas group will meet more than 600 students from 10 states for a program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association and the Rural Electrification Administration. The program will feature presentations by officials of these organizations and other Washington personalities and Washington personalities and Washington personalities.

The eventful day will end with a charter cruise down the Potomac which will include entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 11 day agenda will be visits to the following: George Washington's Mount Vernon home, Arlington National Cemetery, the U. S. House, the Department of Agriculture, the Smithsonian Institute, the U. S. Printing and Engraving Bureau, the Lincoln Memorial and other places of interest.

CANCER MEET SET
Officials of the Eastland County Cancer Society will meet at 7 p. m. Thursday at the White Elephant Restaurant in Eastland, Chairman Sam Kimmell of Cisco has announced.

Farm And Ranch Land Prices Up Again In Texas

COLLEGE STATION—Texas farm and ranch land prices reached a record high of \$94 an acre in 1963. This, said Boyd Andrews, Extension resource development specialist at Texas A&M University, was an increase of 10 percent over the average price in 1960.

He added that a recent study by the resource economics section of A&M's Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology points out other interesting facts. Due to the vast differences in soil types and locations, sale prices ranged from \$20 to over \$1,000 per acre.

While land prices moved upward, the net farm income was declining. Thus requiring a larger investment for a smaller return. A popular view expressed to the study group was that the low net farm income does not justify the existing high land prices, Andrews said.

But a closer look at the dominant sources of demand for agricultural lands may help explain the situation, the specialist added. First, he said, the average net farm income can be misleading. Many farmers and ranchers receive a far greater return than the average indicates. This group is capable of adjusting rapidly to incorporate technological advances and financially able to bid up the price of land to gain a larger economic sized unit. The strong demand for strictly agricultural land comes almost entirely from this group, Andrews said.

Another important source of demand for agricultural land is from industry and urban developments. In many areas of Texas industry is expanding and using large acreages of agricultural land and pushing prices upward. Urban centers are spreading out and taking up more and more land and highways are also taking their share, the specialist said. These intensive uses of land exert great influence on land prices, the study noted.

A third important source of demand comes from urban dwellers. These buyers are interested in using land for agricultural purposes as well as for homes, week-end farms and for recreation.

These demand sources for land are the dominant forces in the Texas land market and are not expected to change in the near future, Andrews concluded.

'They Went Thataway' Is Olden Senior Play Friday

Mrs. Elizabeth Vaught, sponsor of the Olden senior play, and the seniors extend a cordial welcome to the public to attend the play which will be held on March 5 at 7:45 p. m. in the Olden gymnasium. Ticket prices are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

The approaching play is entitled "They Went Thataway" and has a simple, ranch setting with wonderful characterization, novel situations and crisp dialogue.

Charlotte Pelham, portrayed by Dianna Garner, is the wistful, appealing heroine. A city girl, Charlotte inherits a Rocky Mountain ranch from her late uncle. With her sidekick, Lil Bower, played by Glenda Fox, Charlotte decides to go into the dude ranch business; operating on a shoe-string, they find the sledding

very rough. Then, into Charlotte's life enters Freddy Buck, an impetuous master of ceremonies, who talks her into hiring him as a cowboy, a job for which he has no qualifications at all. Freddy is played by Eddie Thomas.

Other characters in the play are Elmira Spring, an heiress from the East, played by Sue Renfro; Waxy and Slug, a couple of "tired" business men. Waxy played by Jerry Hooper and Slug, David McGraw; Sue Castle adds a flair as a Hollywood glamour girl, portrayed by Vernice Baird; and the Indians, Joe Chuckwagon, played by John Hopper, and Princess One Blossom, played by Cheryl Yielding, who will keep the audience howling with laughter.

Be sure to come see, "They Went Thataway."

Career Day Set At Rising Star School March 2

The program for Career Day at Rising Star High School on Tuesday, March 2, features a number of prominent Eastland County residents. It will be an all-day affair at the high school.

County Supt. O. L. Stamey and R. B. Golemon of his office assisted with arranging the meeting. Charles B. Hamilton of the Texas Teachers Association, Austin, will be among the speakers.

The various fields for study and the speakers were listed as follows: Medicine, Dr. Charles Ballew, Cisco; Law, W. B. Wright, Cisco; Veterinary Medicine, Dr. John W. Foster, Ranger; Secretarial Training, Jean W. Mason, Jr., Ranger; Civil Service, Mrs. Margie Johnson, Johnson, Eastland; Music, Kenneth Alford, Ranger.

Law Enforcement, Sheriff L. E. Sublett and Patrolman Dan Nowlin, Eastland; Vocational Trades, L. E. Jenkins, Cisco; Pharmacy, Lloyd McGrew, Cisco; Home Economics, Mrs. Mary Moore, Stephenville; Science, A. D. Albert, Ranger; Psychology, Bob Whitaker, Abilene.

Texas Car Theft Problem Grows

DALLAS — The theft of 20,000 automobiles in Texas during 1965 coupled with widespread "stripping" of automobile parts and accessories will add up to a record \$10 million economic loss, according to C. C. Benson, manager, Texas Division, National Automobile Theft Bureau.

Mr. Benson forecast that the continued theft of late model cars, which would later be sold with false serial numbers and titles, would continue to be a major law enforcement problem. Of equal importance, he said, would be the theft of high performance motors, transmissions and other expensive parts from type automobiles.

"If some way could be devised to keep youngsters out of stolen vehicles, the car theft problem could be cut by two-thirds in Texas. Statistics show that 60 to 65 per cent of all persons arrested in stolen vehicles are under 18 years of age," Mr. Benson said.

Distribution Dates Announced

Dates for distribution of USDA Surplus Food in Eastland County for March have been announced by Representative J. W. Elder, Sr. as follows:

Monday, March 8 — Eastland, Olden and Ranger.
Tuesday, March 9 — Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona.
Wednesday, March 10 — Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

The food will be distributed at the Eastland Welfare Center, 301 South Mulberry Street, in Eastland.

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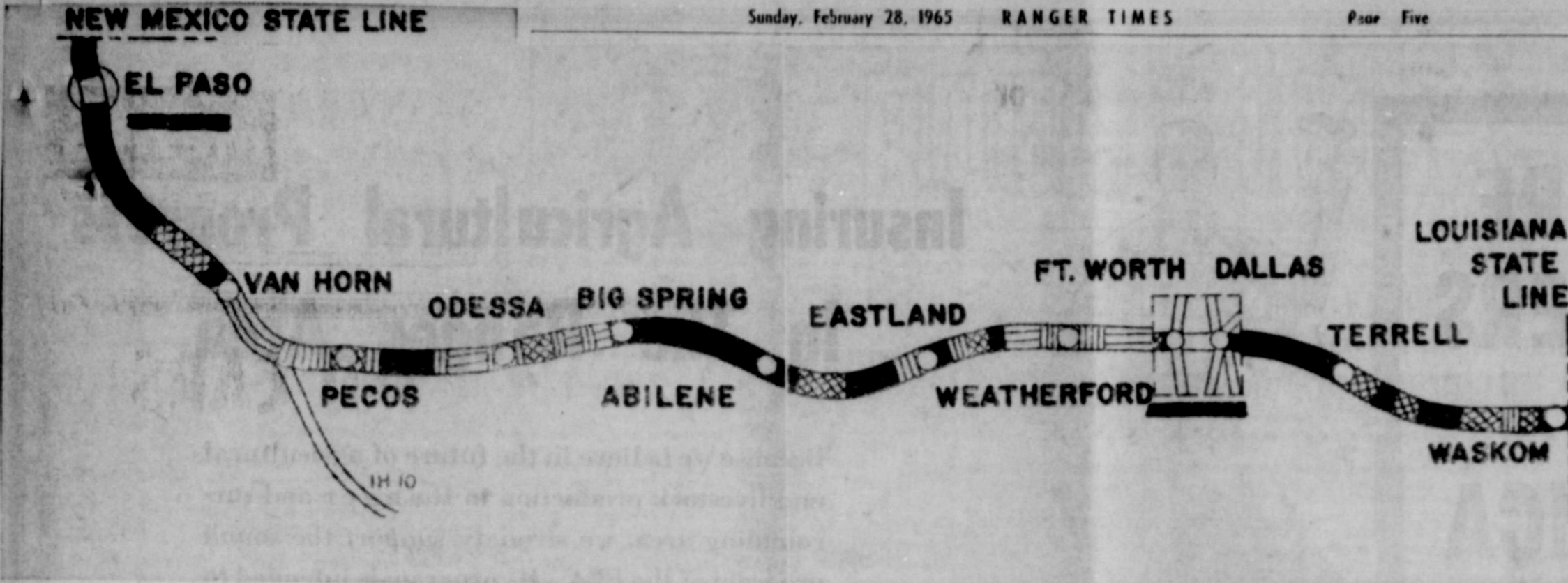
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The Federal Government shares 90 per cent of the annual Interstate construction cost from the Highway Trust Fund; the state provides the remaining 10 per cent from Texas Highway Department revenues. Maintenance also is from state revenue.

The 41,000-mile Interstate system links 90 per cent of the nation's cities having populations of 50,000 or more, and all state capitals but one — North Carolina.

Although it will comprise only about two per cent of the nation's entire highway system, the Interstate is expected to carry 20 per cent of the nation's total traffic volume.

Users of the Interstate system virtually already are being rewarded for more than its annual construction cost by economic benefits derived from its use. Motorists are expected to "save" \$11 billion annually from use of the Interstate when it is completed in 1972.

Total cost of the 41,000-mile project was estimated at approximately \$40 billion in 1961; however, "up-grading" of design standards to meet anticipated traffic demands of 0 years from now are expected to increase this figure by some \$5 to \$6 billion. The Texas portion will cost approximately \$2.5 billion.

When completed, motorists will be able to drive the Interstate system from coast-to-coast and from border-to-border without encountering a single traffic light or intersection at grade level. It is estimated that 8,000 lives will be "saved" annually through travel on the Interstate, and the relief of congestion on parallel routes.

The Texas Highway Department is right "on schedule" with construction of the Interstate. Approximately 1,400 miles of Interstate is presently "under wheels" in Texas. First construction was principally in the urban area to relieve the most critical vehicle congestion and to limit the cost of right-of-way which constantly is increasing in value, especially in the metropolitan area.

Sometime in 1965 Texas will have completed more miles of Interstate highway than any other state will build altogether, excepting only California. This means that at least sev-

COMPLETION LEGEND

SOLID BLACK — Completed as multi-lane divided highway.

CROSS-HATCH — Under construction.

VERTICAL LINES — Programmed for construction.

HORIZONTAL LINES — Programmed for purchase of right of way.

en years before scheduled completion of the Interstate system, Texas will "cut the ribbon" to open to travel in excess of 1,623 miles, total Interstate mileage for Illinois. Only California will build more Interstate Highways — 2,173 miles. That goal is not too far away.

Ensign McKelvain In Flight Course

PENSACOLA, FLA. — Feb. 5 — Navy Ensign Burrell R. McKelvain, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McKelvain of Route 1, Moran, Tex., graduated Jan. 29 from Pre-Flight School at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

During the four-week training, he studied aerodynamics, mathematics, physics, naval orientation, navigation, engineering, leadership and other subjects essential to becoming a naval officer.

He will now undergo further flight training at Pensacola.

OLDEN WATER

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will be initial fee and monthly water bills. There will be no property mortgages under the FHA loan, and no tax of any kind is possible under this plan.

The city of Eastland recently agreed to sell the proposed system water from its 14-inch line which runs through Olden, from the Lake Leon filter plant.

An earlier idea to include a filter plant into the original water system was never considered because it would have required a monthly minimum of some \$7.50 per customer, which was known to be too high.

Other agreements will be made with those persons in Olden who already own their own water meter, it is reported.

COMMISSIONERS
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District - County Attorney Perry T. Brown has stated in a review of the second opinions:

"It is my understanding that Eastland County furnishes such vehicles for the use of its county commissioners. If such be the case, Article 2350c does not authorize the payment of traveling expenses to its county commissioners."

Mr. Brown interpreted the first opinion similarly.

He further stated:

"I am not expressing an opinion as to the salaries which should be paid to the commissioners, but only to the Attorney General's opinion and what I consider a clear statement of the law as stated in Article 2350c with reference to traveling expenses of commissioners in counties where commissioners are furnished with pickups or automobiles."

Section 6 of the article in question reads as follows: "The provisions of this bill shall apply only to those automobile, truck, or by other means providing for the traveling expenses of its commissioners, while on official business within the county."

It is held conceivable that the court could mandamus check-making and check-signing county officials into district court and ask them to show cause why such expense checks should not be written. However, there has been no comment on this.

And its possible that the court could, by resolution, decide to use their personal vehicles on county business, which would change the circumstances surrounding expenses considerably.

LIONS CLUBS MAKING PLANS FOR DISTRICT MEET IN MAY

ABILENE — Lions District Governor James McCracken and representatives of the five Lions clubs in Abilene have completed preliminary plans for the May 1 District Convention to be based at the Starlite Motel in Abilene.

Deputy District Governor James Wheeler, president of the Elmwood West Lions Club, is serving as convention chairman, with Mrs. Wheeler heading up the activities planned for the ladies. The five Abilene clubs have each accepted specific responsibilities for portions of the convention operations.

The Abilene Lions Club, under Fred Henry, will be in charge of properties, decorations, finance, and protocol. The Cactus Lions, headed by James F. Armstrong, will handle the Pre-Convention



PICK ME A WINNER — James Stewart, Fabian, Glynis Johns, Billy Mumy and Cindy Carol try to pick a winning horse from the racing form in this scene from "Dear Brigitte," 20th Century-Fox comedy at the Majestic Theatre. Set in a San Francisco houseboat community, the cast also includes Ed Wynn in a guest role.

4th County EC-65 Seminar To Study 'Industrial Financing'

"Money" will be the topic of discussion for the fourth EC-65 seminar to be held in Gorman at the Brown Jug Cafe beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 4. EC-65 is the industrial development pilot project being sponsored by Eastland County civic leaders and the Texas Industrial Commission.

This fourth seminar will be in "Industrial Financing." Experts in the field of finance from around the state will be on the program in Gorman.

W. Randall White, loan specialist for the Small Business Administration, will discuss the programs of his federal agency. Mr. White is a retired Lt. Col., ESMC, a former industrial and management consultant, and a former marketing and financial specialist for the Small Business Administration.

James C. Hestand, manager of the Breckenridge Chamber of Commerce, will tell "How Breckenridge Used the New Industrial Development Internal Revenue Ruling." Mr. Hestand attended Yale University and has been the manager of the Chamber of Commerce in Anson, Dumas, Mineral Wells, and Pasadena. He was Director of Industrial Development for the Mason City, Iowa, Chamber of Commerce. He was Executive Vice President of the Home Builders Association of Abilene and West Tex-

as before moving to Breckenridge. "Industrial Financing" will be the topic of Mr. N. W. Mittenhall of Mittenhall & Son in Dallas. Mr. Mittenhall is a graduate of the University of Texas, a past president of the Texas Mortgage Bankers Association and presently chairman of TMBA's industrial development committee. He is also regional vice president of the conventional loan committee of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America.

Bill R. Shelton, general manager of the Wichita Falls Industrial Development, Inc., will talk on "Local Industrial Foundations." Mr. Shelton is a graduate of the University of Texas, served with the Industrial Economics Research

Division of Texas A & M University, and was assistant executive director of the Texas Industrial Commission. He now heads one of the largest industrial organizations in the state with assets of over one million dollars.

Harry Clark, executive director of the Texas Industrial Commission, and Larry S. Milner, community coordinator of West Texas for TIC, will discuss "State Wide Industrial Financing."

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Noise can rob us of sleep, make us tense and jumpy and decrease our general efficiency. A continued exposure to noise may make us more susceptible to accidents by cutting down our ability to discern sirens or shouted warnings.

What's to be done about our noisy society? Many industrialists have already taken steps to sound-proof work areas in noisy factories and issue ear plugs or earmuffs to workers.

The rest of us who are plagued by the day-to-day noises of a busy world and family can do something, too.

If you plan to build or buy a home soon, check with the contractor; he'll be able to offer suggestions to cut down on noisiness in your home.

If you are already settled in your home, remember the noise problem if you make any additions or changes.

One simple step costs nothing and can be used in almost every home to combat the noise problem. Set aside a room or an area as a "quiet place." Study your house or apartment to see which part of it can most easily be cut off from the majority of noise. Put your TV, stereo and other noise-makers in the opposite end of the house.

Such a quiet place won't completely solve the ever-growing problem of noise, but it will go far toward cutting down on family tension and giving the ears in your family a rest.

Who would ever think noise could be a health hazard? Health experts definitely think that excessive noise can be a detriment to health.

We can no longer confine this problem to industry, factories and airports; homes are quieter today.

Bigger and noisier appliances are being crammed into homes. We have more extensive heating and cooling systems, more TV and hi-fi sets, more of just about everything that adds to the general supply of everyday noise. And if these marvels aren't enough, our children are playing "shoot'em up" or the latest pop record.

Modern home design with its spaciousness and smooth, hard surfaces is no help. Popular decorating materials such as glass, stone, brick, paneling and vinyl floor covering reflect sound waves instead of absorbing them.

Browsing With Beverages

However you serve it — with shortcake, on ice cream or all by itself in a sauce dish — frozen fruit tastes best if it's thawed in its sealed container. It also has better color. Texture is best if you leave a few ice crystals in the fruit.

You can thaw frozen fruit any of three ways — in the refrigerator, at room temperature, or in a pan of cool water. How long it takes depends on the method you choose.

A 1-pound package of fruit packed in syrup will take 6 to 8 hours to thaw in a refrigerator. You can shorten the time to 2 to 4 hours if you leave the package at room temperature on your counter top. And for hurry-up thawing — ½ to 1 hour — place the container in a pan of cool water. One thing to remember, though. Unsweetened fruit takes a little longer to thaw than sirup or sugar-sweetened fruit.

Don't leave pets' water or food dishes where they can catch a spray.

Do remove their water and food dishes — and them — before you spray a room. Remove birds, bird cages, aquariums and fish bowls, too.

Primroses can cause a rash on some people similar to that from poison ivy. Handle them with care.

If you have leftover thawed fruit, cook it. Cooking helps the fruit retain its color and prevents fermentation.

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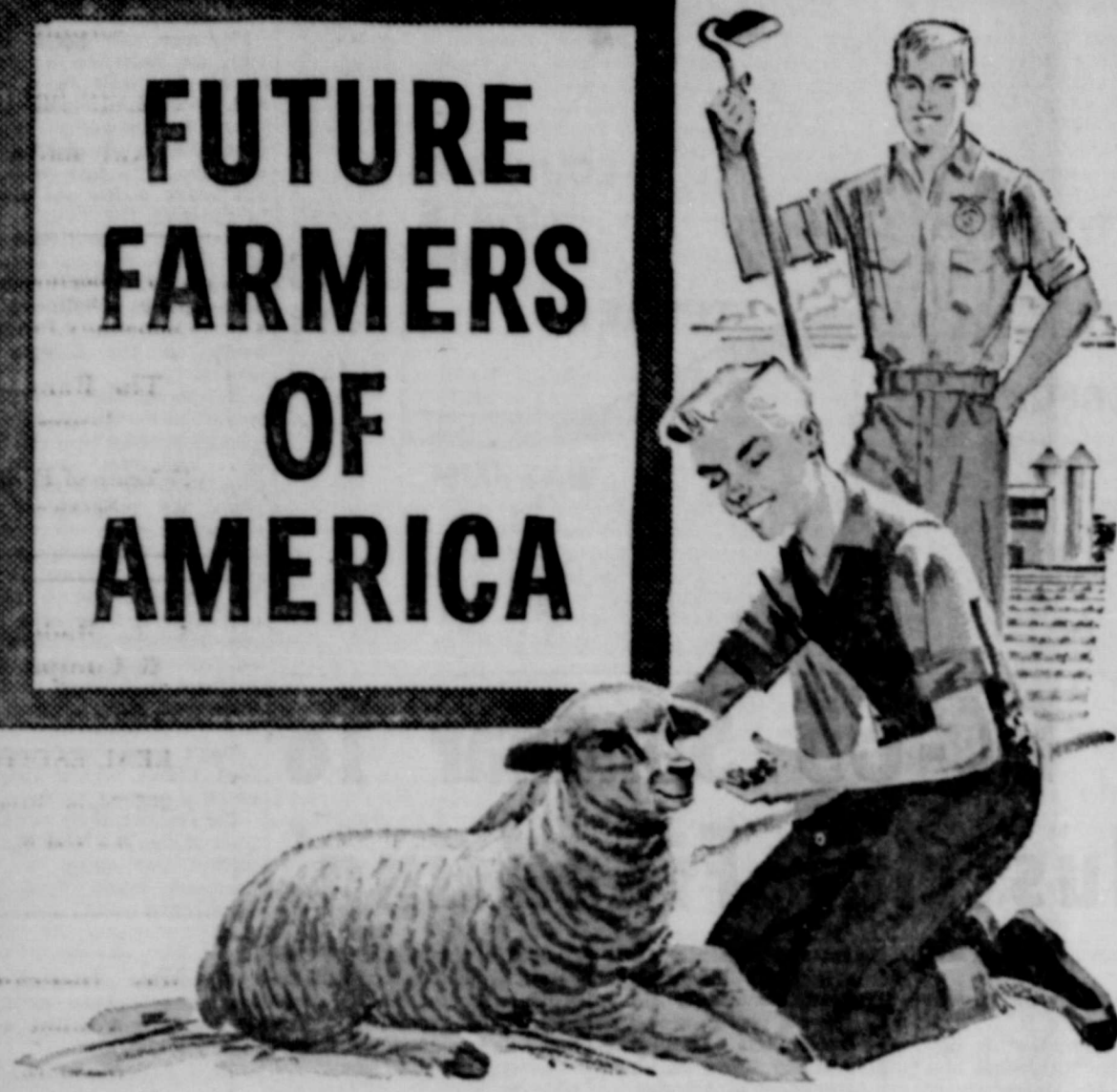
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7. To participate in worthy undertakings for the improvement of agriculture.
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PHI THETA KAPPAS ANNUAL INITIATION CEREMONY IS HELD IN DORTHA LINN'S HOME

The Delta Tau Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa held its annual initiation ceremony Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the home of Miss Dortha Linn, sponsor of the chapter. Those inducted into the chapter were Gary Barker, Electra; Naomi Bradford, Cookie Falls, and Lloyd B. Gary, all of Ranger; Paula Clemens, Decatur; Bob Molloy and Joe Solley, Fort Worth; and Mrs. Patsy Hennis, Ranger. Refreshments were served from a table laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow and white chrysanthemums. Joe Ed Dooley, Dallas, president of Delta Tau, was in charge of the initiation, which was ended by a candle-lighting ceremony after the initiates gave their pledges. Guests attending the initiation included Dean Ernes Haby, A. B. Halbert, Mrs. W. C. Bradford, Miss Nancy Coody, Miss Sanya Sullivan, Mrs. David B. Allsup, Billy Wheeler, Dale Fruge, and Carlton Webb.

CAMPUS QUIZ

The Campus Quiz this week concerns entertainment. Students and teachers were asked to name their favorite T. V. programs and give a reason for choosing it. The varied taste of RJC students are shown by the following responses. What is your favorite T. V. program? Why do you like it? Jack Taylor a sophomore from Ft. Worth says he likes "Man from U. N. C. L. E." because it is so unusual. Louis Stroud, sophomore from Devine, says he likes "Shindig" because of the entertainment it produces. Michel Moore, sophomore from Rock Island says he likes "Mighty Mouse" every Saturday, because this type of movie keeps him feeling young and spicy. Berry Martin, sophomore from Houston says "Bonanza" is his favorite T. V. program because he likes western stories and he especially likes the characters. Gilbert Martinez, a freshman from Chorus Christi, chose "Bat Masterson" because of its realism. Albert Leal, also a Corpus Christi freshman, likes "Perry Mason" best because of its suspense. Don Coulson freshman from Fort Worth says his favorite program is the "Flintstones" because of its variation of subject matter. Chuck Brazeel, sophomore from Graham, likes "Divorce Court," because it is frank and down to earth. Terry Logan, sophomore from Graham says "The Edge of Night" is his favorite program because of its action and excitement. Edwin Ehler, a sophomore from Rock Island, likes "Singing Time in Dixie" best because it is inspiring on Sunday morning. James Dye of Graham chooses

PERSONALITY OF THE WEEK

This week the Ranger Junior College journalism class has selected as "Personality of the Week," Kennard Bolt Royal, who comes from Schenectady, New York. A 1961 graduate of Pascal High School in Fort Worth, he is very active in student affairs at Ranger Junior College. He is the president of Masquers and treasurer of the Radio Club and is active in Baptist Student Union; he also helped coach the Boy Scouts who played basketball during half-time of the RJC basketball games at home. When asked what he likes to do most, Ken said that he likes to travel. He has traveled through forty states, and has been in Canada and Mexico. He also likes to read and to write poetry. His major is physical education, and he plans a coaching career when he finishes his education. es "The Adams Family" it is so different from other programs. Mrs. Phyllis Shinn, assistant business manager, says she likes the "Fugitive" because supposedly it is a true story, and it is interesting. Mrs. Mary Covington, administrative assistant, says she likes "Perry Mason" for the simple reason she liked his books. Miss Sanya Sullivan, head of student personnel, prefers "Mr. Novack," because as a teacher she likes to see what problems other teachers have, and because it is very interesting and well produced. David B. Allsup, biology teacher, says he prefers "Fugitive" also because the fugitive is always running, getting caught, and then getting away again.

So It's Just the Thing To Be A 'Copycat'?

BY PHILIP MORA
More and more often success in life linked with "conformity."
We all realize that there is a certain class stratum by which one is ranked and filed according to his behavior and that there is a great movement going to "act like" whatever it is one would like to be. The possibility of everyone's possessing individual qualities which make them important, if not downright likable, is something rarely realized in our time. The "success" must possess a wide variety of talents, the most important of which is flexibility. What it is fashionable to be changes from day to day and is as fickle as the status seekers who chase blindly after it. If a person actually enjoys keeping up with the modern trends, that is all well and good. However, if you really hate the latest dances, would rather walk than drive, and honestly think that a rocking chair looks silly in a contemporary living room, don't give up hope yet. Chances are that being an individualist may just be the up-and-coming thing. We need people who can think for themselves, and those who conform too easily or too much rarely do.



RJC DIXIELAND BAND — Left to right, Mike Shultz of Houston, Al Laughlin of Fort Worth, Peggy Neeley of Ranger, William Clinton of Houston, Howard Stirling of Houston and John Pearce of Houston.

Campus Life

There are nine new boys in Newell Hall this semester. First is James B. Bennett, a freshman from Crockett, Texas. In Crockett he attended Crockett High School. He is a member of the Ranger Junior College. Clifford Bradford from Dallas, Texas is a freshman at RJC this semester. He is majoring in physical education and history, and plays on the baseball team. Donald Ray Daniels from White Settlement, Texas, also plays baseball and is majoring in physical education. Joe Bob Taylor, a physical education major from Dallas, is also a member of RJC baseball team this spring. Mike Elliott from Houston is a member of next year's football team. He attended Jesse Jones High School in Houston. Herman Salazar, another Houstonite, also plays football. He plans to attend a senior college after he finishes at Ranger. In addition, three athletes moved from Ranger Hall to Newell Hall at mid-term. They are Tony Bill, a sophomore track letterman, and two basketball players, Otis Wolfinger of Houston and Davis Morse of Dallas. At mid-semester three new boys moved into Ranger Hall for the final semester. One is Wayne Williamson from Dublin, who is a transfer student from Tarleton. He plans to make physical education his major. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williamson of 222 Harrell Street, Dublin. Another is Larry Wharton from Fort Worth. He attended Brewer High School, where he was active in several sports. Larry plans to major in physical education and minor in history. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Wharton of 2509 West Drew, Fort Worth. Teddy Roberts, also a Tarleton State transfer student, is from Throckmorton, Texas. He plans to enter the coaching field. Interested in sports, he participated in baseball, football, and track while in high school. Teddy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roberts of Throckmorton.

RJC Dixieland Band Popular Musical Unit

"Here comes the band!" This is the cry heard each year about this time as the Mardi Gras comes up in New Orleans. Here, where jazz is king, is where the "Dixieland sound" originated. The predecessor of modern jazz, Dixieland music became popular with people of all classes throughout the nation. Ranger Junior College has within its music department a Dixieland band made up of regular members. This year's members of the Dixieland band are William Clinton, trumpet; Howard Stirling, clarinet; John Pearce, trombone; Mike Schultz, bass — all graduates of M.B. Smiley High School in Houston; Peggy Neeley, tenor sax player from Ranger; and Al Laughlin, from Polytechnic High School in Fort Worth on drums. Last year the Dixieland band played for several banquets and luncheons throughout the area. This year's group is now available for performances. Anyone interested in a program is invited to contact Mr. Roger C. Martin or one of the members of the Dixieland band.

RJC RANGERS
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ny Sellers had 22, Harry Gunner 14 and Frank Biggers 13. In the first game Friday night, Ranger got out front for the first ten minutes but San Antonio got busy and took over the lead with a 47-36 margin at half-time. The battle-weary RJC boys held on and were only 10 points behind at the final whistle. A good delegation of Ranger fans also attended the game. During the first round of action Thursday night, Cisco Junior College handily defeated San Antonio Junior College, 108-74, and the Rangers dropped a close 77-74 duel to Wharton Junior College. Wharton was paced by James Burks who hit 21, and Rich Brennan got 14 and Gene Smith 12. For Ranger, Bob Hughes had 18, David Nolan 17, Oscar McClendon hit 13 and Jerry Chamberlain got 12. Wharton-Ranger
WHARTON (77) — Farrar 10 2; Melgenna 2 2 6; Burks 7 7 21; Brennan 6 2 14; White 3 3 9; Canelo 3 3 9; Brooker 0 4 4; Smith 5 2 12; Totals: 27 23 77.
RANGER (74) — McClendon 5 3 13; Nolan 7 3 17; Cooper 3 0 6; Hughes 7 4 18; Chamberlain 6 0 12; Bond 1 0 2; Dooley 1 4 6. Totals: 30 14 74.
Halftime score: Wharton 40, Ranger 38.
July average temperature in Eastland County is 83 degrees.

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SENDS RADIOACTIVE ISOTOPES FOR RJC CHEMISTRY CLASS

The chemistry department of Ranger Junior College has received approximately \$50 worth of radioactive isotopes for the use of the chemistry class. These isotopes came to Ranger free of charge, the cost being paid by the Atomic Energy Commission. The only condition placed on this grant is that how and when each isotope is used, it must be reported to the A.E.C. in Washington. Also used by the department is approximately \$1,000 worth of equipment, including geiger counters, a cloud chamber and the materials needed for the taking and development of X-ray plates. The chemistry class, under the supervision of Mr. A. B. Halbert, is using these materials to determine the effect of radioactive materials on plants and animals. "This field," states Mr. Halbert, "is fast becoming a required part of first year college chemistry."

SPOTLIGHT On the RJC Faculty

Mrs. Mary Covington has been selected by the journalism class of Ranger College for this week's spotlight on the Faculty. Mrs. Covington, a native of Jacksonville, Florida, is a graduate of Andrew Jackson High School there and received her B. S. degree from Florida State College in Tallahassee. During her undergraduate days she was a member of the Beta Sigma Pi. Mrs. Covington has visited just beautiful and interesting states as New York, Mississippi, Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, Vermont, as well as the District of Columbia. The thing that attracted her to Texas was the unusually friendly, casual people. Texas was the only state she visited which she liked well enough to stay. She came with her husband, Dalton Covington, to Ranger in 1953. He is the superintendent of the Lone Star Gas Company. She, a former traveling records analyst for tuberculosis control of the Florida State Board of Health, began teaching business courses in Scranton, near Cisco. In her spare time she did graduate work in Hardin-Simmons University. This is her second year as secretary to the president of RJC and teacher of shorthand in the business department. Mrs. Covington is enthusiastic about RJC, believes it has a bright future and is pleased to be a part of that future. Her namesake, a cousin, Mary Jean Turner from Sanford, Florida, will enroll at Ranger Junior College this September. She is a member of the First Christian Church, Ranger, which she serves as secretary.



MRS. MARY COVINGTON

The Right To Be A Rebel

The right to be a rebel is the right not to follow the crowd. It is the right to be unconventional. It is the right to be ourselves in every way. What freedoms are more important than to think, act, and speak for ourselves, to make our own judgments, and to have our own values? When we do as everyone else does, when we think and act like everyone else, we are throwing away an important freedom. We are putting ourselves into chains which limit our abilities and prohibits the deep satisfaction of being independent. All progress has been a result of someone's thinking for himself and acting on his own. One example is Christopher Columbus' discovery of the New World. There are many other examples. Just look around at all the inventions of our modern day. Each new invention and each discovery was brought about by a rebel who chose not to do what everyone else had done. The truly great man is one who does not follow the crowd but instead uses his own mind to guide his actions. Sometimes it is very difficult to be a rebel. It is hard at times to be a minority of one. Sometimes we must stand alone — our own decisions and convictions against the mindless mob. Accepting the difficult and hard-to-do, however, is one of the first steps in becoming a good rebel. Everyone must make a choice between becoming a follower without a mind or of becoming a person possessing a new, different, and imaginative mind, capable of forming his own opinions. We in America enjoy this great freedom more than people of other countries. The United States, which was brought about by rebels, is a strong country and will continue to be strong as we retain the freedom to be ourselves and as long as we put to use the right to be individualists—the right to be rebels. A variety of perennial cotton native in Africa grows in tree form to a height of 12 to 20 feet.

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Society News

SOCIAL EVENTS — CLUBS — CHURCH GROUPS

METHODIST WSCS CONTINUES STUDY ON BOOK OF GENESIS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at the church February 22, at 3:30 p.m. for the third study of the book of Genesis.

Mrs. Barker Hosts Workers

Mrs. R. E. Barker was hostess Tuesday to the workers of the First Baptist Church Extension Department.

Mrs. Ervin Teaches Bible Class Lesson

The Ladies Bible Class of the Mesquite and Rusk Church of Christ met Tuesday morning at 9:30.

Miss Kindle Feted With Coffee Tuesday

Miss Mary Helen Kindle of Dallas, bride-elect of Arthur Cullen Sanders III of El Paso, was feted with a coffee at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Marion A. Thomas, from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, February 23.

Child Welfare Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Don Yarbrough

Mrs. Don Yarbrough entertained members of the Child Welfare Club Wednesday, February 24, in her home for their monthly business meeting.

Miss Kindle Feted With Coffee Tuesday

Miss Mary Helen Kindle of Dallas, bride-elect of Arthur Cullen Sanders III of El Paso, was feted with a coffee at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Marion A. Thomas, from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, February 23.

Helen Dawley Hosts Xi Zeta Nu Chapter

Xi Zeta Nu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, February 23, in the home of Helen Dawley.

World Day of Prayer Set At FCC, March 5th

The annual World Day of Prayer Service will be held this year on Friday, March 5, at 2 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Christian Church.

SCHOOL WEEK

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"A nation cannot be both free and ignorant." To know the dangers that work around the world we must know the magnitude and diversity of the two hundred billion people on this planet;

Tawankalola Campfire Girls Get Honor Beads At Ceremonial

The Tawankalola Group of the Ranger Campfire girls held their first ceremonial at the Methodist Church, Wednesday, February 24, at 4 p.m.

Merriman Ladies Bible Study Meets Tuesday

The Ladies Bible Study of the Merriman Baptist Church met Tuesday at 1:45 p.m. at the church.

MRS. GERALD DUGAN FETED WITH GIFT TEA AT BAIRD

Mrs. Gerald Dugan of Ranger, the former Beckye Griggs of Baird, was honored with a gift tea recently in the home of Mrs. S. L. McElroy of Baird.

NEW ERA CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. W. D. R. OWEN

The New Era Club met Wednesday, February 24, in the home of the hostess, Mrs. W. D. R. Owen of Eastland.

TSTA MEETING

Following meeting of the House of Delegates of Oilbelt District on Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in Wilberger Memorial Auditorium, Empire Room, locally elected delegates and approximately 25 classroom teachers, administrators and other school personnel will attend general sessions on Friday, March 5, at which Dr. John H. Furby, internationally known lecturer, author, and world computer, will be speaker.

Mrs. A. L. Murrell Gives Review For Columbia Study Club Members

The Columbia Study Club met February 23 in the home of Mrs. J. P. Morris, 427 Pine Street, at 3 p.m.

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Mrs. John T. Roberson and Mrs. C. E. May, Sr. presented a program on the theme "The World at Large" at a meeting of the 1920 Club Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. E. Matthews.

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