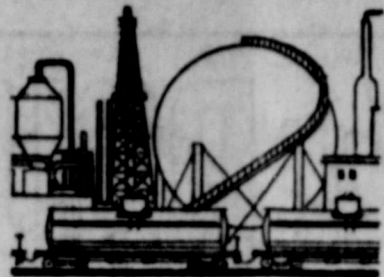


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IN CASE YOU didn't notice, there was quite a drop in the temperature here in a 12-hour period — from 4 p.m. Wednesday to 4 a.m. Thursday the mercury went from 73 degrees to 28 degrees — a 45-degree spread.

The spring-like weather of the past few days was real delightful. Perhaps the new cold wave will subside without damage to fruit trees and early gardens. It's getting almost too late to freeze, isn't it?

MANY HAPPY RETURNS to the following Rangerites who will be celebrating birthdays during the coming week: **SUNDAY**—Cindy Clements, Trey Frazier, Nandy Loie. **TUESDAY**—Patricia Camacho.

WEDNESDAY—Janey Johnson, Duane Hutchins, Benny W. Harris.

THURSDAY—Lauranne Rippy, Larry Wilhelm, B. R. Christmas.

FRIDAY—Jan Watkins, Jean Ann Rogers, Calvin Ainsworth.

SATURDAY—Jim Tom Garrett, Larry Don Williamson, Mike Kitchens.

THE LATE and loved Sailor Byas was given a fine tribute on the front page of the March issue of Lone Star Gas Company's "Blue Blaze."

Titled "BLUE BLAZE WRITES '30' FOR A BELOW-ED REPORTER," the editorial said:

Sailor Byas was something special to Lone Star people everywhere.

Those who knew him personally took a double pleasure in reading his monthly Blue Blaze column of salty comments about people he knew around the system and in Ranger. Those who didn't know him personally, got a reading acquaintance and a reflected feeling of affection for him from those who did. An affection for Sailor and his lovable humor "rubbed off."

Blue Blaze editing will never be the same now that he is gone. Through Lone Star careers of four editors, Sailor Byas has been a blythe spirit and a shining light that never went out. At times the light dimmed a bit. Like when form letters were sent to correspondents suggesting careful editing of copy for factualness and grammar. Sailor took this reporter letter as a personal affront. He quit writing for a spell. But the editor soon convinced him the letter was not meant for him. Thereafter, he got only personal letters and his writing went on unimpeded by editorial restrictions.

He wrote about people he knew, chiding most those who

Garrett Resigns Principalship For Post At Gorman

Charlie L. Garrett, Ranger High School principal since 1963, has been appointed superintendent of the Gorman Public Schools effective July 1.

Garrett has been associated with the Ranger school system for 12 years, and submitted his resignation to the board of the Ranger Independent School District. His current contract runs through June 30, 1966.

Prior to becoming principal in 1955, Garrett had served as a classroom teacher for one year and junior assistant principal for one and one-half years. He came to Ranger from Carbon where he had been principal for eight and one-half years. Garrett has been in the teaching profession for 29 years and all his classroom service has been in Eastland County Schools.

A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Garrett of Carbon, Garrett received his bachelor of science degree from Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, and later was awarded his master of education degree from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Garrett and his wife, Mrs. T. B. Garrett of Carbon, received his bachelor of science degree from Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, and later was awarded his master of education degree from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Funeral Rites Held For Mrs. Emily Riddell

Funeral services for Mrs. Emily Riddell were held at 10 a.m. March 16 in the North Dallas Baptist Church in Dallas with Rev. Robbie J. Harris and Rev. D. J. Lawrence officiating. Graveside services were held at 3 p.m. in the Macedonia Cemetery in the Lacasa Community with the Rev. W. G. Etheridge officiating. Restland Funeral Home of Dallas was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Riddell died March 15 in Dallas. Her husband, John M. Riddell, preceded her in death in 1943.

Survivors include one son, Rev. Gerald Riddell; one daughter, Mrs. W. W. Lawton; one brother, Claude Gold; four sisters, Mrs. R. E. Harfiston, Mrs. E. P. Newsome, Mrs. Bill McAllister, and Marion Graham of Stawn; seven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

JUST for fun

Child: "Mother, why has Daddy lost all his hair?"

Mother: "Your father is a hard-working man and thinks a lot."

Child: "Well, why do you have so much hair?"

Mother: "Be quiet and eat your dinner."



CHARLIE L. GARRETT

from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

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Commission Okays Reduction In Residential Rates By Texas Electric During Thursday Night Meeting

The Ranger City Commission, in regular session at City Hall Thursday night, approved a voluntary reduction in electric service rates in the city by Texas Electric Service Company.

However, no action was taken regarding renewal of the utility firm's franchise for a 30-year period.

The company is presently operating in the city under a franchise granted in 1919. This franchise expires on

Mar. 1, 1969. Other cities served by TESCO in this area—Eastland, Breckenridge, Graham, Gorman, De Leon and Carbon—have granted similar franchises in recent years.

In the new franchise proposal, the company would increase its payments to the City of Ranger from 2 to 3 per cent of its revenues from the sale of electricity within the city.

In Thursday night's action, the City Commission approved principal changes in rates

applicable to residential customers, additional promotional features to encourage increased residential use in the winter months, and the addition of a new rate for all-electric homes.

All residential customers using more than 65 kilowatt-hours in a month will be benefited. These proposed changes in residential rates will result in a reduction in excess of 5 per cent in the annual revenues from customers of the Company on residential rates.

No electric service bills will be increased by the revised Schedule of Rates.

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Allen, Candidate For Water Commissioner, Presents Statement

Robert L. Allen, candidate for Commissioner, Place 4, in the coming city election to be held Tuesday, April 6, Friday issued the following statement regarding his candidacy:

"In announcing as a candidate for water commissioner, I wish to state that it was my own decision and not the decision of any special group or clan.

"I am making no promises to any one and if I am elected as your water commissioner I wish to say that I will try at all times to work for the benefit of you, the water consumers.

"I also will cooperate with the other members of the commission and will support improvements as may be suggested for the betterment of our city.

"I have always had the attitude in the past to let some other Ranger citizen serve you in this capacity. But after giving it serious consideration the thought occurred to me that I am no better than any other Ranger citizen and should devote part of my time to public service like those who are serving you now and who have served you in the past — without any remuneration other than the satisfaction of being a public servant

and working for the best interests of my community and my fellow citizens."



ROBERT L. ALLEN



CALVIN BROWN, owner of Ranger Lumber & Supply, poses proudly with championship trophies won by bowling team which his firm sponsors in the Thursday Night League at the Fiesta Bowl in Eastland.

Young Farmers To Meet Mar. 22

Eastland County Young Farmers will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday, March 22, in the Eastland Ag room at Eastland High School.

The program will be on irrigation in the Eastland County area by the Soil Conservation Service.

Everyone who is interested is invited to attend.

Calvin Brown, owner of Ranger Lumber & Supply, poses proudly with championship trophies won by bowling team which his firm sponsors in the Thursday Night League at the Fiesta Bowl in Eastland. At left is a sponsor's award certificate from the American Bowling Congress, in the center a big team trophy and at right an individual championship trophy won by Ronald Bush, a member of the team. Other ace bowlers on the team are W. J. Stone, T. M. Temple, Rodney Thurman, Gene Bagwell and Holman Bagwell.

IT'S WANT-AD WEEK

REQUIRED READING
Everybody Reads
WANT-ADS

(SEE AD PAGE 6)

Lions View Film On High School Dropouts

Twenty members and four guests attended the noon luncheon and meeting of the Lions Club Thursday at the Ranger Junior College cafeteria.

A new member, Harold Turnipseed, was welcomed to the Club. Visitors included Charlie Garrett, Duke Dixon, Ted Alford of Healdton, Okla., father of Kenneth Alford, and Mr. Turnipseed.

Charles Arnett, president, Ernie Haby, first vice president and Don Yarbrough, secretary - treasurer, attended a Zone meeting in Cisco Tuesday night.

A nominating committee was set up to nominate new officers for the coming year.

Don Yarbrough was in charge of the program which was a film on high school drop-outs entitled "Adults in a Hurry" by the J. I. Case Manufacturing Co., manufacturer of tractors and other heavy equipment.

Gilliam Named to E.C. Water Board Post This Week

Glyn Gilliam, president of Commercial State Bank, Ranger, has been appointed to the Eastland County Water Supply District board of directors.

Appointment was made during the board's regular meeting Thursday afternoon in Ranger.

Gilliam will serve out the unexpired term of W. F. Creager, former Rangerite who

recently moved to Kaufmann. During other action, the ECWSD directors heard a discussion of coming changes in the line carrying water from Lake Leon to the City of Ranger.

The new cloverleaf interchange of Interstate Highway 20 — to be erected in the vicinity of present Highway 80 west and the farm to market highway which goes to Lake Leon — will necessitate relocation of a 12-inch line.

A representative of Fries and Nichols, consulting engineers retained by the Eastland County Water Supply District, discussed the change with the directors.

The Fort Worth firm will make a recommendation for re-location of the line. The change, after okayed by the ECWSD board, must also be approved by state and federal agencies.

Funeral For W. M. Weber Held Friday

Funeral services for William Martin Weber, 79, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Killingsworth Funeral Home with Rev. Avery Sullivan, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Weber, resident of Ranger since 1918, died at 11:59 p.m. Wednesday, March 17, in the Ranger General Hospital.

Born Jan. 18, 1886 in Scotland, Illinois, he married Ruth Florence Ford, Dec. 23, 1909 in Paris, Illinois. He was a retired truck operator, having operated his own truck here for a number of years.

Survivors are his wife and one son, Forrest C. Weber of Odessa.

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BSU Enjoys Mexican Dinner Monday Night

The Baptist Student Union members of Ranger Junior College enjoyed a Mexican dinner last Monday night at the home of Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, co-sponsor.

Ken Heffner presided at a devotional period following the dinner. James Dye of Graham spoke briefly on "Students Incorporated," and Rickey Bridgewater read the Scripture. Richard Herweck, program chairman, initiated a series of discussions on denominations.

Present were Joe Soiley, Nancy Isel, Billy Wheeler, James Dye, Richard Herweck, Ken Royal, Ken Heffner, Terry Lutz, Rickey Bridgewater, Thomas Griffith, Damon Hipp, Mrs. F. E. Langston, Miss Sanya Sullivan, and Mrs. Hamrick.

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MEMBERS OF COUNCIL of Girls' Dormitory at Ranger Junior College. Left to right — Delores Smith, Fort Worth, north wing representative; Nancy Cantrell, Irwin, Pennsylvania, secretary-treasurer; Paula Clemens, Decatur, president; Naomi Bradford, Ranger, vice-president; and Jane Spears, Clyde, south wing representative.

SPOTLIGHT On the RJC Faculty

This week's Spotlight is focused on a member of the staff, Mickey Kitchens, Maintenance Supervisor of Ranger Junior College.

A 1940 graduate of Strawn High School, he not only played football, but was also in the band. In 1941 he joined the Army-Air Force and served in the European Theatre Operation in England.

In 1954, a year after being released from duty, he married the former Ruth McCain. They now have four sons: Melton 10, Jerry 8, Micky Wayne 7, and Randy 5. Mr. Kitchens, after being employed by the Riverside Trailer Sales in Brownwood, came to work in Ranger Junior College in January, 1960. He is a member of the Ranger Volunteer Fire Department and is the acting superintendent and song leader of the Sunday School Department of the Church of God.

Mr. Kitchens believes that RJC is not only a nice college, but also a thriving college. Within a year or so he believes it will have to build and expand even more.

Campus Life

Monday, March 15, brought the first hint of spring to the RJC campus. As everyone knows, spring turns a young man's fancy to... what else? Baseball, ping, and just generally enjoying the warm weather. Monday found the residents of Ranger Hall and Newell Hall doing what the average college student does in warm weather, hanging out in second floor windows, throwing a baseball around, and running around in shorts and no shirts. There was also an unofficial contest between the two boys' dorms to see which could out-blast the other with stereos set in the windows.

There is also a report that several girls indulged in sunbathing on that beautiful Monday morning back of the girls' old dorm.

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Introducing The 1965 RJC Rangers

This is the second in a series of articles introducing Ranger Junior College baseball players. This week we are featuring Tommy and Gary Barker, Donald Daniels, and Clifford Bradford.

Tommy Barker, catcher and outfielder, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Barker, Sr. of Electra. Tommy is a 1964 graduate of Electra High School, where he played football, baseball, basketball, and tennis. He is majoring in business administration. Among some of his hobbies are tennis and playing the guitar.

Donald Ray Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Daniels of White Settlement, is a 1964 graduate of Brewer High School, where he played football and baseball. A catcher, Donald is majoring in physical education and his hobbies are hunting and skiing.

Clifford Bradford, son of C. W. Bradford of Dallas, is a 1964 graduate of North Dallas High School, where he participated in football, baseball, basketball, track and tennis. An outfielder, he is majoring in history and minoring in physical education.

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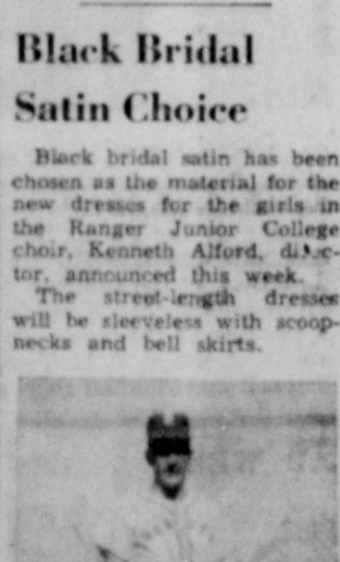
Gary Barker, Tommy's oldest brother, graduated in 1961 from Electra High, where he played baseball and basketball. Gary is majoring in business and minoring in history, and he plans to finish his education at North Texas State University. He is an outfielder on the baseball team. His hobbies are hunting and fishing.

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Masquers Meet, Vote To Begin Play Rehearsal

The Masquers met Wednesday evening at 8:00 in the science lecture room. President Ken Royal presided.

The club voted to change its regular meeting night to Tuesday in order not to conflict with stage band practice on Wednesday evening.

The group decided to start rehearsal on "Books and Crooks," a three-act play scheduled for performance this spring.

Tryouts will be held and the cast chosen at the next meeting.

PERSONALITY OF THE WEEK



NANCY CANTRELL

The Ranger Junior College Journalism class has chosen as "Personality of the Week" Nancy Cantrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Cantrell of Irwin, Pennsylvania.

A freshman elementary education major, she is a graduate of Norwin High School in Irwin, where she was a member of the Library Club and was a welfare agent. Her hobbies are fishing, boating, and swimming.

Nancy, who calls herself a "Yankee Texan," approves of Texas wholeheartedly. She thinks weather is much nicer here than in Pennsylvania. She also believes in "southern hospitality." "The people are much friendlier," she states. She is a strong supporter of RJC and plans to come back next year. Her campus home is the girls' new dormitory, in which she takes much pride.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell spent last weekend in Coahoma with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love and family. While there they attended the senior play in which their granddaughter, Martha Gail, had a part.

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GARY BARKER

JOE ED DOOLEY IS ELECTED CAPTAIN OF RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE'S BASEBALL SQUAD

The Ranger Rangers have elected their captain for the 1965 baseball season. He is Joe Ed Dooley, a sophomore letterman from last year's team and this year's second sacker.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dooley of 10214 San Lorenzo in Dallas, Joe is a business major and plans to complete his education at Southern Methodist University.

Baseball has been a part of Joe Ed's life since he was just a youngster. Little League and Pony League took up his pre-teen and first teen years.

Dallas Bryan Adams High School, which Joe Ed attended, added much to his baseball career. Lettering three years, Joe led the Bryan Adams Cougars to the city title

College Golf Team In Action Next Tuesday

The Ranger Junior College golf team will play its next match at Lone Cedar Country Club Tuesday, March 23, against Hill County Junior College golfers.

Representing Ranger will be Jack Taylor, James Lamar, and Joe Soiley of Fort Worth and Martin Barrow of Andrews.

Matches scheduled for the Rangers are as follows:

March 23 — Hill County Junior College, here.

March 25 — Tarleton State College, here.

March 27 — Temple Junior College, here.

March 30 — Hill County Junior College, here.

April 5 — Tarleton State College, here.

April 8 — Temple Junior College, here.

April 27 — T.W.C. Freshmen, here.

May 2-4 — Conference Tournament, Houston.

as an all-city infielder, his senior year. Winning the city title gave him his biggest thrill in sports.

Joe keeps active during the summers by playing in the Dallas Amateur League for the Dallas Tigers.

The purple and white open the conference race in Hillsboro on March 23 with Hill County Junior College.

Council Will Sponsor Road Block For MOD

J. T. Wisener, president of Student Government of Ranger Junior College, announces that the Student Council will sponsor a road block from 10:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 24, for the March of Dimes.

This is a yearly project of the RJC Student Council, one in which all students are asked to take part.

CAMPUS QUIZ

Do you think the United States should expand the war in Viet Nam or withdraw its forces completely?

This question was asked on the RJC campus this week with the following replies:

Lewis Stroud, Devine,—"Expand it."

Sterling Pike, Duncanville,—"I think we should go blow North Viet Nam off the map. We're not getting anywhere like this."

Gary Davis, Houston,—"I think we should withdraw."

Donny Bell, High Island,—"I think we ought to expand it."

Ginger Gooden, Colorado City,—"I think we ought to stomp the heck out of them."

Sherrill James, Brownwood,—"I think we should expand."

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RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE Stage Band in rehearsal. First Row — left to right — Howard Starling, saxophone; Peggy Neeley, Ranger, saxophone; Billy Wheeler, Fort Worth, saxophone. Second Row — Al Laughlin, Fort Worth, drums; Dale Wibbert, Del Rio, trumpet; Gary Davis, Houston, trombone; John Pearce, Houston, trombone; Third Row — Mike Schultz, bass; Jeff Richard, Fort Worth, trumpet; William Clinton, Houston, trumpet; Bobby Owen, Ranger, trumpet; and Harvie Chaney, Houston, trumpet.

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March 26 Is Deadline For Feed Grain Signing

Friday, March 26 is the final date to file intentions to participate in the 1965 Feed Grain Program, according to County Office Manager, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service (A. S. C. S.) Jesse Meredith. He also stated that April 5 is the last day to release peanut acreage that will not be planted.

Meredith reminds producers that winter legumes planted under the 1964 ACP program must be left on the land until April 15, 1965 before plowing under. Rye cover crop planted for wind erosion control must be left on the land until after the blow season or until the land is prepared for spring planting. Rye or winter legumes planted under ACP program may not be harvested in any manner.

Producers with domestic cotton allotments that are smaller than the effective allotment are reminded that to be eligible to participate in

domestic price support payments, intentions must be filed by March 26, 1965, Meredith stated. Producers interested in cost-share on approved conservation practices must file a request before beginning the practice. When the practice is completed, sign and return the application for payment, which will be furnished when practice is approved.

Fruit Crop Not Believed Seriously Hit

Hope exists for Eastland County's fruit crop after the temperature dropped into the low 20s Thursday night and Friday morning.

Naturally, there are reports of scattered individual fruit damage where single trees had blossomed out, it is reported, but the larger orchards aren't believed far enough out to have been damaged.

The mercury dipped to 21 in Eastland and Cisco, and was recorded at 20 in Ranger; and Gorman had a 23-degree low.

Earliest bloomer traditionally is the apricot and not many of these trees had put out, it

is believed.

As temperature climbed Friday to above freezing by noon, thoughts were whether another sudden drop, say about April 1, which could conceivably be the "Easter snap," would in deed, damage the county's fruit potential.

Consensus appears to be that enough trees hadn't bloomed out yet to have been seriously, across-the-county disastrous to fruit, although many individual trees undoubtedly bore black, black blooms Friday.

Temperatures dropped to 18 degrees early Saturday morning for the lowest reading of the present cold wave.

WIN BRIDGE HONORS

Mrs. E. L. Graham and Mrs. R. A. Bearman were winners of the Eastland County Special Event held during the past week at Lone Cedar Country Club. They were awarded a first place trophy.

Players participating were from Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, Gorman, Stephenville, Brownwood, Coleman, San Angelo, Breckenridge, Graham, Straw and Abilene.

Spirits is a general term used for drinks containing at least 40 per cent alcohol.

Broom corn is a grass from which brooms and clothes brushes are made.

Cutting Horse Meet Set For March 28 In Eastland

The next cutting meet of the West Central Texas Cutting Horse Assn. will be held Sunday, March 28, in the arena of the Eastland County Sheriff's Posse, according tooley Cotton, secretary-treasurer.

The Eastland show will be the second one since directors voted to add a new novice-ovice class and to permit a contestant to ride two horses in the two classes.

Books will close at noon for the Eastland show. The working order follows: \$1,000 novice, \$500 novice, any rider, \$500 novice-ovice, \$250 novice-ovice and open.

Malcolm Jernigan and Robert Terring are to be the judges.

Saturday's Meet

In Saturday's cutting at the Gage Indoor Arena, Wichita Falls, Hollywood Lin, owned and ridden by Gayle Borland of Hereford, won first place among 19 horses with a total score of 144. Minor Johnson and S. A. Wheeler were judges.

Miss Del Rio, ridden by Sonny Perry and owned by Circle K of Dallas, and Show-

down Mitzzy, ridden by John Israel and owned by Thompson Israel of Hominy, Okla., tied for second and third money with scores of 142.

In the \$1,000 novice event, 15 horses entered, Marion's Ann, ridden by Perry and owned by Circle K, topped the field with a score of 143. Showdown Mitzzy and Senior Tom, the latter owned by Sonny Knutzen of Akron, Colo., and ridden by Dad Blue scored 141 points to tie for second and third.

Dutchess Lady Wins

In the \$500 novice, any rider class, 18 horses were entered and the winner with 142 points was Dutchess Lady, owned by D. L. Powell of Seymour and ridden by James Powell. Second was Butcher's Poncho, ridden by Glenn McWhorter and owned by Billy Gene Crowder of Fort Worth, with a score of 137.

In the \$500 novice - novice class Billy Wynn of Joy rode his own horse, Miss Blue, to first with a score of 137. There were 14 horses entered. Second was Bubble's Red, owned and ridden by Delwin Burch, Graham. The score

was 136.

In the \$250 - novice - novice class, 12 entries, Pistol's Shorty, ridden by Jerry Belew and owned by Dr. E. F. Meredith, Olney, scored 139 points for first. Second was Swen Sir 28, ridden by Jodie Vance, and owned by Circle K Stock Farm, Dallas, with a score of 137.

CALF ROPING SUNDAY

There will be a calf roping program at 1:30 p. m. Sunday at the Sheriff's Posse Arena in Eastland, according to an announcement. There will be no admission charges.

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TOP STEER — Reggie Underwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Underwood of Route Two, Gorman is the proud owner of the Grand Champion steer of the 1965 Eastland County Livestock Show. "Apache" (as Reggie calls him) was in the heavyweight division and won first place in that class. Reggie purchased his steer from Dr. D. V. Rodgers, a prominent hereford breeder who sells numerous calves to 4-H boys and girls from all areas each year. He also showed two lambs, both of which won sixth place in their classes. The lambs were purchased from Tommie and Bobbie Lee of Route Five, Cisco. A member of the Carbon 4-H Club, Reggie participates in all school sports and is a member of the American Quarter Horse Assn. He is owner of two registered quarter horses. (Progress Photo)

- Lake Leon Briefs -

Bass fishing is getting underway at the lake. Boone Yarbrough and Stubby Warden took four nice ones on Black Jigs, the largest weighing in at seven pounds. R. L. Sorrels and his sons, Curtis and Dale of Odessa, were here last week. Boat motor trouble was an indirect cause of Mr. Sorrels making contact with Lyndell Levens at the Sport Center in time to view a "catch" of rattlesnakes. He was very impressed and rather shook up. I'm sure Eastland County and surrounding places owe Lyndell and the men working with him a "great big thank you" for the fine work they are doing. Crappie fishing is still fairly good, especially for some peo-

ple. Mrs. Law of Ranger seems to have a special knack of catching the big ones.

The water is still cold, but Sunday afternoon brought out some early skiers. However, the first one of the year was on Jan. 13. None were dressed in waterproof suits, just trunks and ski belt.

This reporter took a weekend trip to Glendale, Ariz., last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Tyrone, an uncle. Saw some beautiful country and part of the landscaping in almost everyone's yards includes lemon, orange and grapefruit trees.

The Fort Worth Anglers Club has planned a fishing tournament on the lake March 27-28. We invite each of you out to see these boys in action. They should do well at this time of year, weather permitting, and our fishing news should be better now.

Lt. B. E. Gregg Assigned To AF Unit In Azores

Second Lieutenant Billy E. Gregg, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Gregg of Gorman, Tex., has graduated from the training course for U. S. Air Force communications officers at Keesler AFB, Miss.

The lieutenant is a graduate of Gorman High School. He received his B.S. degree from Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville, Tex., and was commissioned upon graduation from Officer Training School,

Legal Notice

RESOLUTION COUNTY OF EASTLAND EASTLAND COUNTY WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT

On this 11th day of February, 1965, the Board of Directors of Eastland County Water Supply District, convened in Eastland meeting with the following members thereof to wit:

E. B. Pruet, President
Tom Wilson, V. President
M. H. Perry, Director
Chas. Freyschlag, Jr., Director

E. F. Arterburn, Director
T. M. Fullen, Director
James Smith, Director
being present, constituting a quorum, at which time the following proceeding was held:

Chas. Freyschlag introduced a resolution and made a motion that it be accepted. The motion was seconded by T. M. Fullen. The motion carrying with it, the adoption of the resolution revealed by the following votes:

AYES: Seven
NOES: None
Director C. F. Creager absent.

The resolution is as follows:

RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EASTLAND COUNTY WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT, CALLING AN ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING FOUR (4) DIRECTORS OF SAID DISTRICT.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EASTLAND COUNTY WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT:

- That an election be held on April 6, 1965, in Eastland County Water Supply District as created by House Bill No. 888, passed by the Fifty-First Legislature, and as amended by House Bill No. 845 by the Fifty-Third Legislature, for the purpose of electing (4) Directors of said District.
- For the purpose of said election, Eastland County Water Supply District is divided into two election precincts. All of the territory of the District contained in the City of Ranger shall be known as the "Ranger Precinct" and all of the territory of the District contained in the City of Eastland shall be known

as the "Eastland Precinct."

(A) The election in the Ranger Precinct shall be held at the Chamber of Commerce Office in Ranger, Texas. A. H. Powell is hereby appointed as Presiding Judge for said election, and he shall appoint as assistants an Assistant Judge and two (2) Clerks to assist him in holding said election.

(B) The election in the Eastland Precinct shall be held at the Justice of the Peace No. 1, County Court House in the City of Eastland. J. H. Pittman is hereby appointed as Presiding Judge for said election, and he shall appoint an Assistant Judge and two (2) Clerks to assist him in holding said election.

Only qualified voters residing in Eastland County Water Supply District who own taxable property therein, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Mr. J. T. Smith, Mr. L. L. Bruce, Mrs. Tom Wilson, and Mr. M. H. Perry have made application to this Board to have their names printed on the ballot and such application are hereby granted. The ballot, however, shall be large enough to permit the writing in of other names.

The ballots for said election shall have printed thereon the following:

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Each voter shall leave in the ballot the names of the four (4) candidates for whom he desires to vote. The four (4) candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected.

No person shall be elected a Director unless he resides in and owns taxable property in the District. No member of the governing body of the City of Ranger or the City of Eastland and no employee of either of said cities shall be elected as Director.

Notice of said election shall be given by publishing a copy of this order in The Ranger Times and in the Eastland Telegram newspapers of general circulation published within said District one time, such publication to be at least ten (10) days before the 6th day of April, 1965.

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TUESDAY
The Volunteer Fire Department meets at the fire station at 7 p. m.
The Columbia Study Club will meet Tuesday, March 23, at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall. Mrs. Leslie H. Hagamen will give a book review.

WEDNESDAY
Elks Club meets for supper and social at 7 p. m.
Rotary meets for noon luncheon and program at the RJC Cafeteria.
The New Era Club will meet at 4 p. m. Wednesday, March 24 at the Clubhouse. Subject for the day will be "Worship". Mrs. W. A. Robinson and Mrs. Ernen Haby will be on the program. Hostesses will be Mrs. Richard Bonney and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

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.

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We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for, during our recent sorrow, every prayer, word of comfort and sympathy. To all our friends and neighbors for the food and beautiful flowers. To the doctors and nursing staff of the Ranger General Hospital, to the ladies of the Merriam Baptist Church for their help. To Rev. Roy, Rev. Hobbs and Rev. Hoyer for their prayers and words of comfort.
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Two Local 4-H Boys Win In Calf Scramble

Two Ranger 4-H Club boys, Larry Don Williamson and Johnnie Cantwell, represented Eastland County in the 1965 Houston Livestock Show calf scramble Friday, March 5, with both boys successfully catching calves.

The calf scramble is a featured event of the rodeo with twenty 4-H'ers and FFA boys from the State contesting for ten calves. Larry and Johnnie each won a \$150 certificate toward a registered heifer, sponsored by Houston business men.

Larry Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Williamson of Route 2, Ranger and Johnnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cantwell of Route 3, Ranger.

The female chimpanzee usually bears a single baby, which reaches maturity in about nine years if a female, and 12 if a male.

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CALF SCRAMBLE WINNERS — Johnnie Cantwell, left, and Larry Williamson, right, won \$150 certificates toward a registered heifer in the Houston Livestock Show calf scramble, March 5.

Mrs. Bratton Found 'Not Guilty' of Murder

Mrs. Susie Maurine Bratton walked out of the Eastland County Courthouse Thursday evening acquitted of the Sept. 30, 1963 slaying of her ex-husband, R. L. Bratton.

The 91st District Court jury took two and a half hours of deliberation Thursday afternoon, declaring the 43-year-old Ranger woman innocent of murder with malice in the rifle death of her former spouse.

The four-day trial had included extensive defense testimony, including that of Mrs. Bratton and the Brattons' daughter, about ill treatment by R. L. Bratton.

Jury foreman Steele Hill of Eastland handed the jury's verdict to Judge J. Frank Sparks at 4:12 p.m. The defense, presented by Eastland Attorney Bill Hart, had rested at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday and the state case, prosecuted by District County Attorney Perry Brown, rested at 9:20 a.m. Thursday. The jury was charged at 11 a.m. Thursday.

Brown told the jury in his closing argument that the woman would never have been indicted had she shot her ex-husband when he first arrived at her home threatening to kill her as she had testified.

"The deceased was as good a man as the defendant was a woman," Brown said, and stressed that Bratton had been shot in the back.

Mrs. Bratton had testified that Bratton had threatened her with death if she tried to leave him. She said they were married in 1943, divorced in 1945, and then entered into a common law marriage until she divorced him in 1961.

TOWN TALK

(Continued from Page One)

lived in "tick, alligator, and mosquito infested" East Texas. "Down in the swamps" he used to say. His boast was always for the "healthier climate" of West Texas.

Sailor got a standing vote at his retirement party in 1958 when Vice President John F. Kennedy asked "how many here" wanted Sailor to continue his Blue Blaze column after his retirement. It was a draft. The company furnished a typewriter at his home to make it easier for him and Blue Blaze gave him the special "On the Byas" headline.

Sailor loved his writing. A friend of his called Blue Blaze only a week before his death to say that Sailor was in the hospital and wouldn't have his column in for the month. The friend added, "Two of his real joys in life are visiting his friends at the Ranger gasoline plant every day and writing his column."

The columnist's name had been in Blue Blaze for many years and many times. A letter on safety appeared in the very first Blue Blaze, dated May, 1929.

Sailor was a kind and gentle man. He was extremely shy but loved Lone Star and its people. He spoke about

HOSPITAL NEWS
The following were listed as patients in Ranger General Hospital Saturday morning:

Mrs. D. C. Singleton, Mrs. W. P. Kelly, Mrs. Cora Arrendale, Tina Hicks, Mrs. C. E. Parrish, Mrs. H. F. Brown, Mrs. Isabell Hillburn, Mrs. Leatha Buckbee, Mrs. Mary Fulum, Miss Eunice Toone, and Mrs. Emma Green.

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Rangers Bow To ACC Nine, 2-0, Monday

After an opening season victory here Monday over Abilene Christian College, the Ranger Junior College baseball team journeyed to Abilene only to have the favor returned with ACC winning 2-0.

Both teams played errorless baseball, and no runs crossed the plate until the sixth inning when a walk with bases loaded produced a run for Abilene. Abilene's second run came when a runner scored from second base on a long double by an Abilene hitter.

The Rangers could manage only three hits. One each by Phil Mora, Richard Hooper, and Tommy Barker. They made several threats to produce a run; however, all were snuffed out, leaving the Rangers scoreless.

The Ranger Junior College baseball team went to Odessa Saturday, March 20, to challenge the Odessa College nine to a double header.

Second Baptist To Begin Revival Monday

The Second Baptist Church will begin a week of revival Monday, March 22 with Rev. Ray Hartline, pastor of the East Cisco Baptist Church in Cisco doing the preaching and Lee Roy Duke of Ranger leading the singing.

Morning services will be held at 10 a. m. and evening services will begin each night at 7:30.

The public is cordially invited to attend the revival services which begin at 7 p. m. each evening of the revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Owen had their son Butch home for the weekend. He is a student at North Texas.

his company and his friends in a soft voice but expressed his love best in his writing. If Sailor picked on you in his writings you knew he loved you.

He shall be greatly missed by his personal family and his family at Lone Star.

CONGRATULATIONS TO four Ranger couples who will be celebrating happy wedding anniversaries during the coming week:

TUESDAY—Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Brasher, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. Hale.

THURSDAY—Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Walker.

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COMMISSION (Continued from Page 1.)

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Other proposed changes in rates will reduce bills for some public schools and the minimum bills under the large general service rate.

The proposed rate reduction is a continuation of the long-established policy of Texas Electric Service Company to voluntarily reduce electric rates from time to time as conditions permit.

Bill Collins, local manager for Texas Electric Service Co. attended the Thursday night meeting.

Others present included Mayor Newnam, Commissioners Grover C. McGown, Fred Bennett, George Falls, and Mrs. Avis Jones, city secretary.

CAMPUS QUIZ (Continued from Page Two)

Tommie McIlvain, Houston, — "Expand it!"

Jackie Bridges, Memphis, — "Expand it of course. Stop them now before they get started."

Bobby Owen, Ranger, — "I don't think we should withdraw."

Darryl Wibert, Del Rio, — "I don't think we should withdraw, but I don't think we ought to expand unless we are forced to do so."

Carl Kolvig, Houston, — "Expand it!"

Dee Smith, Fort Worth, — "I think we should expand!"

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Society News

SOCIAL EVENTS — CLUBS — CHURCH GROUPS

MRS. LUTHER GOHLKE HOST TO MEMBERS OF 1947 CLUB

The 1947 Club met Tuesday, March 16, in the lovely new home of Mrs. Luther Gohlke, an inactive member of the 1947 Club. Hostesses were Mrs. Ernen Haby and Mrs. L. R. Pearson Jr.

The president, Mrs. Morris Newnham called the meeting to order and the invocation was given by Mrs. Joe Lenzi. Each member brought a book or books to be donated to the Ranger Community Library. The president made several announcements including the forthcoming Heart O' Texas District Convention to be held in Sonora, Texas, Mrs.

Bill J. Collings will represent the 1947 Club as its delegate to the convention.

New officers for the coming year were elected. They are: Mrs. W. J. Anderson, president; Mrs. L. R. Pearson Jr., first vice president; Mrs. W. H. Marslander, second vice president; Mrs. Ernen Haby, recording secretary; Mrs. F. P. Brashier Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Edwin Lummus, treasurer; Mrs. Edwin Lummus, reporter and historian; Mrs. Bill J. Collings, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Newnham introduced the speaker, Mrs. Luther Gohlke whose subject was "Staying Young." Ann Ratliff demonstrated several helpful exercises as Mrs. Gohlke described each.

The meeting was closed with the reading of the Club Collect by Mrs. W. P. Watkins.

Refreshments of salad, wafers, cake, and coffee were served to seventeen members: Mmes. F. P. Brashier Jr., Morris Campbell, John Foster, Roscoe Hopper, Joe Lenzi; Edwin Lummus, Bill Marslander, J. P. Morris, Morris Newnham, James Ratliff, Jack Umberson, W. P. Watkins, W. J. Anderson, Miss Mary Joy Wilson, and the hostesses, Mmes. Ernen Haby, L. R. Pearson Jr., and Luther Gohlke.

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Engagement Of Shellene Scott Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Scott of Ranger announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Shellene to Mr. Dennis Earl Beach, son of Mrs. H. R. Walker of Dallas and D. E. Beach of Houston. The wedding will take place in July at the First Methodist Church in Ranger.

Miss Scott is the granddaughter of Mrs. J. Shelby McDowell and the late Mr. McDowell of Ranger, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Scott of Murchison. She is a student of Southern Methodist University and a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority.

Mr. Beach is a graduate of SMU, where he was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity. He is now assistant office manager of Arrow Food Products in Dallas.



MISS SHELLENE SCOTT

Mrs. Umberson Is Hostess To Ranger AAUW

Mrs. Jack Umberson was hostess to the Ranger Branch of the American Association of University Women Thursday evening, March 18.

The program theme was "Bridging the Gap Between Science and the Layman." Guest speaker was Dr. Theodore Nicksick Jr., of Ranger Junior College, who discussed "Current Thinking on Perception."

A coffee hour followed the program with Mrs. E. H. Bobo assisting Mrs. Umberson in serving.

Those attending included the following: Mmes. Jettie Ballenger, J. F. Beaty, E. H. Bobo, Walter Daniels, Vernon Deffebach, J. D. Drennan, R. L. Hamrick, R. O. Leach, Theodore Nicksick Jr., George Robinson, Vance Meredith, and Mmes. Sanya Sullivan, Virginia Odom, Frances Worden, and the hostess.

Rev. James To Speak At FBC Sunday Morning

Rev. Gordon H. James, assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church of Abilene, will fill the pulpit of the Ranger First Baptist Church Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Avery Sullivan. Rev. Sullivan is in revival services in Desdemona.

Rev. James is an outstanding preacher of this area and the public is invited to attend the worship service.

Rev. Sullivan will fill the pulpit at the Sunday night service.

C.W.F. Meets For Covered Dish Luncheon

The Women of the First Christian Church met Tuesday at 12 noon for a covered dish luncheon and business meeting.

Mrs. Carl Lummus brought the lesson. Mrs. B. G. Pirkie is president, Mrs. O. R. Ervin, secretary and Mrs. Dick Jones, treasurer.

Those present were Mmes. Pirkie, Ervin, Jones, B. S. Dudley, Sr., C. L. Dinamore, Carl Lummus, Erey Wallace, Luna Lane, Browning, Margie Hatton, John Eaves, Bommar, Lucy Scott, and Mrs. Claude Greenlee of Mineral Wells.

Ranger Garden Club Officers Are Announced

State of officers for the 1965-66 year of the Ranger Garden Club are Mrs. Luther R. Gohlke, president; Mrs. Bill Collings, first vice president; Mrs. David Allsup, second vice president; Mrs. Theodore Nicksick Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Ruby Springer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mildred Williams, treasurer; and Mrs. R. V. Robinson, parliamentarian.

FROM NORTH TEXAS
Miss Sandra Allsup, junior at North Texas State University in Denton is home over the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Allsup.

The earliest cast iron amulets are recorded from the 6th

Hypnotism Is Program Topic For 1920 Club

Hypnotism in America was the theme of the 1920 Club Program Thursday, March 18, at the Community Clubhouse.

The Club Collect was read by Mrs. J. Floyd Killingsworth. Mrs. R. L. Allen, program leader, introduced the speakers. Mrs. O. R. Ervin discussed the history of hypnotism, and Mrs. O. C. Warden talked on the modern use of hypnotism.

Mrs. R. L. Hamrick presided at a short business meeting. The club will be represented at the Heart of Texas District convention in Sonora March 22-23 by either Mrs. Saule Perlestein or Mrs. W. C. Lummus with Mrs. Bill Collings serving as alternate. Mrs. Collings will take part on the convention program also.

Mrs. Collings, treasurer, reported that net proceeds from the games tournament given February 25 for the benefit of the 1920 Club Scholarship Fund were \$166.68.

The following members were present: Mmes. Robert L. Allen, A. W. Brazda, W. M. Brown, B. J. Collings, J. B. Craig, O. R. Ervin, R. L. Hamrick, J. Floyd Killingsworth, Saule Perlestein, C. B. Pruet, J. T. Roberson, G. B. Rush, O. C. Warden, Billy Rippy, and Avery Sullivan.

Mrs. Shinn Is Host To Ranger Jaycee-Ettes

The Ranger Jaycee - Ettes met March 16 in the home of Mrs. Phyllis Shinn.

A motion was made by Norma Pendleton to finish the by-laws at the next meeting and Nancy Bethany seconded the motion. A discussion was held to have a called meeting to make plans for an amateur talent show again this year in May. Mrs. Arnett requested that all unsold twist boards be turned in to Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell, Hamlin; Mrs. Bud Stewart, Abilene; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Housson and Mrs. Frank Williamson of Ranger.



SIGN ABOVE on northeast corner of grounds of Ranger High School was presented as a gift to their alma mater by the Class of 1964.



RANGERITES ATTEND FTA convention in Houston recently. Left to right, back row, Bill Matthews, Lee Roy Duke, sponsor, Bob McKeivain. Front row, Alice Hodges and Barbara Dawson, president of the Ranger FTA unit.

History Of The Book Ephesians Is Study Topic

The book of Ephesians was the source of study when the Ladies Bible Class of the Mesquite and Rusk Church of Christ met Tuesday.

The minister, Gary Beauchamp, presented a brief history of the book, stating that it was written by the Apostle Paul when he was a prisoner at Rome. While there, he also wrote three other books, Philemon, Colossians, and Phillipians. The lesson brought out the fact that in Ephesians 3:1, Paul refers to himself as "a prisoner of God" and chapter 4 verse 1, as a prisoner of God.

The key thought in the book of Ephesians was that all things should be gathered together in Jesus Christ. The first three chapters deal with the idea of what this unity should be. In chapters 4, 5 and 6, he has much to say about the part the church should play in securing this unity. Also emphasized was the fact "Christ is God's instrument for securing unity, and the church is the instrument of Christ."

Get-well cards were mailed to Mrs. Luther Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Flossi Parrish, Alvin Rogers, and Mrs. Mary Dooly, all of Ranger; also Mrs. Victoria Smith, Gorman Nursing Home, and Mrs. Edgar Ward, Eastland Memorial Hospital. A congratulatory card was sent to Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wallace on their wedding anniversary. Sympathy cards were sent to Mrs. Lola Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ogdon, Mrs. Ben Sismore, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Hart, all of Ranger and to Mrs. Fred R. Baker, Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin James of Olen.

Those present were Mmes. C. D. Ervin, TOLLIE NORTON, E. L. Brummet, Leila Quinn, Earl Blackwell, H. M. Barton, John Gully, Maggie Heard, Paul Langford, A. G. Langley, Kenneth Brown and Dorothy, Clark Bradford, Grace Wallace, Winston Squires, George Minnick.

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