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Henry Dunson Rites Pending In Ranger

Henry M. Dunson, resident of Ranger since 1919, died at 6 p.m. Tuesday in Western Manor Nursing following a lengthy illness.
Final rites are pending and will be announced by Killingsworth Funeral Home.

In this corner, with COLLINS

ANOTHER MEETING of the Citizens Advisory Committee of the Hospital Committee will be held Friday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock in the Conference Room of the First State Bank. This will be a very important meeting of the committee and it was reported that "if anyone knows of a good site for the proposed new Ranger Hospital, let F. P. Brashier know about it." It certainly would be nice if the land could be donated for the hospital.

PRES. BOB BUCK of the Texas Jaycees will hold his Regional Visitation and Forum Feb. 6 in Eastland at 7:30 p.m. in the Jaycee Building on the South Side of the Square, according to an announcement made by State Director Roy Bibberly, of Graham. Every Ranger Jaycee should make every effort to be at this important meeting.

INTERESTED IN learning to play Bridge? According to Roger O'Connor, he and Mrs. Alla Rae Morris, both professors at Ranger College, are giving 2 free lessons on the Bridge game each Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the Student Union Building at the college. Why not contact either of the pros. and enroll in the class, it is a lot of fun... we have tried our hand at playing the game a few times.

BRAD WHITE, Floyd Parks, and Bill Watkins, Ranger High Bulldogs stars have been receiving several offers from large universities lately to play college football. They will most likely make a commitment to one of the schools after their eligibility is complete in high school.

RANGER HAS a voting power of at least \$96, the number registered at the Chamber of Commerce Office, according to secretary, Mrs. Joe Collins.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS—Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell, longtime former residents, now receive the Times at the nursing home in Gunter, Texas. Mr. Bell was in town on business last week... Good food and fine service made a recent lunch at Ranger Junior College Cafeteria a pleasant and satisfying experience... Mr. and Mrs. Jess Weaver will soon transfer their profession of potted plants from greenhouse to front yard where again, 317 Pine St. will be one of the beauty spots in Ranger. A lot of work but a lot of satisfaction, say the Weavers.

GOOD EATS galore are in store for various groups during the Valentine season. Do not forget to enjoy a chili supper at the Church of God on Thursday evening... Ranger Lions will be the first to dine in the beautiful "Ranger Room" of First Federal Building. Plans are complete, even to appointing one member to carry a piano up the stairs... Youth banquets are planned for church groups and the Valentine theme will be carried out in club meetings and school social activities.



SENATOR TOM Creighton, right, was receiving the congratulations of Lieutenant Governor Ben Barnes on important Texas Senate committee appointments when the above picture was made in Austin last week. Mr. Creighton heads the Senate's Committee on Water and Conservation and is a member of some 10 other committees. He represents this district in the Senate. Mr. Barnes, who is from De Leon, took over the Lieutenant governor's post in the January inaugural.

Six Band Members On All-District Jr-Hi Band

Six members of the Junior "Spirit of Ranger" band, under the direction of Richard D. Helmkamp, won seats in the Region VII, North Zone, Jr. High All-District Band Saturday in Dublin. Three other members of the band won first alternate places which means they missed by one point.
Those students winning and the places won are:
1st chair trombone — Robert Halbert
4th chair baritone — Ted Meacham
8th chair cornet — Elaine Butler
17th chair B-flat clarinet — Patty Camacho
8th chair alto sax — Ramona Camacho
4th chair alto clarinet — Donna Nail
1st alto cornet — Donnie White
1st alto baritone sax — Dix-

RJC Faculty To Attend TJCA Meeting

Ranger College faculty members will attend the annual meeting of the Texas Junior College Association Friday, Feb. 14 in the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth, it has been reported.
There will be no classes at the college on that date. All teachers of the junior colleges throughout the state will be attending the meeting, the report said.

Ticket Sales Begin Soon for CC Banquet

Committees for the Chamber of Commerce Banquet to be held on Friday, Feb. 14, have been appointed according to the president, Dr. John Foster.
Foster, who will serve as General Chairman, will be ably assisted by the following:
Program and tickets — Bill Collins; Master of Ceremonies—Glyn Gilliam; Advertising—George Kloss; Door Prizes—F. P. Brashier, Jr.; and Decorations—Mrs. Joe Collins.
Highlight of the occasion will be an address by the famous Ace Reid, creator of "Cowpoke."
Tickets will go on sale within the next few days and will be available at the Chamber of Commerce Office.

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Rites For Mrs. E. Crawford Held Thursday

Mrs. E. E. Crawford, a resident of Ranger since 1918, died at 6:45 a.m. Tuesday in a Houston hospital.
Funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday in Killingsworth Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. R. G. Flagg, pastor of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church of Eastland, officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery.
Haltbearers will be T. C. Wylie, Price Crawley, Morris Newblum, James Ratliff, Willard Swaney, A. N. Larson, F. P. Brashier, Jr. and Seldon Brown.

Bob Pittman To Receive McMurry Degree

Bob Pittman is a candidate for graduation from McMurry College this January. Commencement exercises for the January graduates will be held in conjunction with the spring graduation on May 26.
Bob will receive a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the Abilene college. He is the son of Mr. Jack Pittman of Ranger.

Cub Scouts of Pack 10 Has Blue, Gold Banquet

The Cub Scouts of Pack 10 held their annual Blue and Gold Banquet Monday evening at 6:30 in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist. Seventy-five Cubs and their parents were present for the event.
The meal for the gathering was furnished by the parents of the Cubs, which consisted of Hamburgers, potato chips, coffee, tea, and cake. Rev. B. Thomas Tribble, pastor of the church and Institutional Representative, offered the invocation. A. B. Halbert, Pack Committee Chairman, welcomed the guests. Halbert also named the Cubs who are to receive various Cubbing awards. Those to receive the awards are: Mark Bethany, Gary Newdigger, Danny Tribble, Allen Tibbels, Dwayne Crawford and Billy Paul Harris.
Ken Pair, Cubmaster, named several of the Cubs who to receive the advancement awards: Bobest Award, Jackie Gentry, Cody Jones, Scott Tibbels; Wolf Badge, Jay Rogers, Scott Tipton and Scott Tibbels. Jackie Gentry will receive a Denner Badge along with Jay Rogers, who will receive the Asa Denner Badge.
After the recognition of the

Seventh Grade Students Will Be Given TB Test

Seventh grade students of Ranger Junior High School will be given tuberculosis tests, according to announcement of Supt. James R. Clark.
The tests, a part of the state-wide program of testing, will be given in the High School Building on Monday, Feb. 10. The tests are free to all students whose parents sign a written permit.

Supt. James Clark Discusses Bill On Consolidation Of Schools

Range Anns Ground Flying Queens In Big Action Here Monday, 41-33

The noise and uproar in the western part of the state Monday night was coming from the Ranger Junior College gym, where the Range Anns produced the win of the year by defeating the Wayland Flying Queens. The tragedy is that most folks don't realize how big a victory it was. The Range Anns have already demonstrated superiority over other junior college teams. Their stiffest competition will come from four-year schools—and Wayland is one of the best in the country.
It's been a foregone conclusion that the Flying Queens will be the team to beat in the national tournament this spring, and they smothered the Range Anns by fifteen points in their first meeting. Unfortunately, however, the Range Anns forgot to read the press clippings saying that they were to get trounced again. The result was an eight point victory.
The halftime score was tied at nine-all, but the second half was all Ranger. The locals raced to a ten point lead in the third quarter, and hung on for their final margin of 41-33. Brenda Jacobs led the well-balanced scoring attack with eleven points, Sue Ann Magee pitched in nine, and Angie Lowrance contributed seven. Helen Westbrook and Carol Prybila turned in super defensive jobs at the visitors' end of the court, especially noteworthy when one reads that the lowest number of points the Flying Queens ever scored was twenty-eight.
Before the game started, one of the visitors remarked that

Petit Jury Called Monday, Feb. 10 In 91st Court

District Clerk Roy Lane announced the petit jury panel set to meet in 91st District Court at 9 a.m. Monday, Feb. 10.
Called are:
From Eastland: Kenneth Hill, N. L. DeFord, Don M. Doyle, Russell Hill, Varge Daniel, G. T. Ford and Jack Cagburn.
Ranger: Guy Cooper, Pat H. Collins, G. D. Pallas, Floyd Caraway, Joe A. Dennis, Joe E. Collins, Mrs. J. B. Blackwell, Mrs. Ruth Franklin, O. L. Cantrell, Mrs. James R. Clark Sr., Bill Eyley, Mrs. Verne Lee Brown, Thomas M. Fox Jr. and T. C. Fambro.
Gorman: D. D. Jackson, Paul Norris and H. E. Brooks.
Carbon: J. E. Jackson, D. C. Hughes, Mrs. M. L. Maynard, J. E. Horan, R. H. Reed and E. V. Stacy.
Rising Star: C. P. Brown, Cecil Carter, Mrs. Mary Cook, H. C. Bowers, M. H. Chambers, Mrs. J. S. Anderson, Robert Butler, W. R. Allen Sr., H. N. Jones and Mrs. Roy Acker.
Crosby: Mrs. C. W. Carey, Don E. Box, Paul T. Ford, H. T. Claborn, Billy J. Ray Jr., J. D. Collier, Leo P. Cagle, Mrs. E. E. Adley, Wayne Brock and W. W. Cherry.

Rangers Lose Close Game To Murray State

Murray State came, saw, and conquered, but they went back to Oklahoma knowing that they'd played a basketball game. They left the RJC gym Monday night with an 85-76 victory, but the game was a lot closer than the score indicated.
The visitors took the floor justifiably proud of the fact that they were rated one of the top ten Jucos teams in the nation. They were happy to escape to a victory. An inspired RJC team, hampered by lack of height, weak reserves, and the loss of two stalwarts during semester break, played superb basketball all the way. Ranger led at the half 40-38, and led by as many as nine points at one time. With less than three minutes left, RJC led by one point, 73-72, but then the roof fell in. Gene Knolls, the Region's leading scorer, fouled out after working for 32 points against the tall visitors. The Rangers seemed to give out, and were outscored 13 to 3 in the last few minutes.
Following Knolls' 32, Hal Greer produced 18 points and some valuable board-work; Greg Hunter and Ernie Clapper turned in solid performances at both ends of the court. Tudy Villa, a basketballer who hadn't even thought about basketball until two weeks ago, popped in six points and his third outstanding defensive game.
Although nine points doesn't look very close, the Rangers played poised and perfect basketball up to the last against one of the best teams in the country. The tall and talented Oklahomaans won out on simple strength, but the Rangers did themselves proud.

Billy Graham Film To Be Shown at First Baptist

"I'm Talking About A Jesus Who Belongs To Asia" is the title of the Billy Graham film to be shown in the sanctuary of First Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 9.
The film is the latest production of World Wide Pictures and follows the famed evangelist and his team to evaluate, vibrant Japan. In glorious color, the background provides a contrast between the Orient of travel posters and the indescribable paradox of modern Tokyo.
For ten eventful days, the Graham Tokyo Crusade permeated the World's city, where Christians make up less than half of one per cent of the population. Prior to the crusade, there were only 16,000 Christians in Tokyo, yet total attendance went well over the 200,000 mark! This international crusade was probably the largest ecumenical Christian effort in Japanese history.
The film features a 1,500 voice choir under the direction of Cliff Barrows, singing familiar hymns in Japanese, and a personal word of witness from English Pop star Cliff Richard and the American League's Bobby Richardson, as well as an address by the famous evangelist.

Locals' Relative Dies in Snyder

Fred Moffett of Snyder, formerly of Ranger, died Friday morning at Snyder.
Funeral services were tentatively set for Sunday afternoon in Snyder.
He was an employee of the Texas Co. and an elder of the Church of Christ at Snyder.
Survivors include his wife; one son, Charles Moffett of Midland; one brother, D. O. Moffett of Ranger; and three sisters, Mrs. Porter Woods, Mrs. J. E. Underwood, and Mrs. Resnie Cramer, all of Eastland.

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Bill Introduced Monday To Raise Teachers' Pay

A bill was to be introduced Wednesday in the Texas State Legislature to put all school districts in Texas into county-wide districts and the same bill rewrites all the school laws to a large degree, Supt. James R. Clark of the Ranger Schools told the Ranger Rotary Club at their Wednesday noon meeting.
Bills were introduced Monday to raise teacher salaries and to improve their retirement benefits. News releases state the minimum base pay would be more than \$1,000 during the next two years and the average increase estimated at about \$1,900. The pay scale is the same as provided in the Governor's Committee report partly but the increases vary. This particular bill is not connected with the Governor's Committee report but is sponsored by the Texas State Teachers Association and Sen. A. M. Akin Jr. of Paris who introduced the bill. Rep. George Hinson of Mineola is the House sponsor.
Using a copy of the proposed bill sent to him earlier by State Rep. Burke Musgrove, Clark told the club that the bill proposes to put all the present school districts in Eastland County into one county-wide district.
The Act provides that within 30 days from the effective date of the passage of the Act, the State Board of Education shall distribute to the chairman of the local board of trustees of all school districts and the superintendent a list of the proposed districts to be combined.
The proposed reorganization would become effective June 15, 1971. "The State Board of Education shall direct the superintendent of the district with the largest average daily attendance in each county affected by the proposed plan of reorganization to call and to chair a joint meeting of all..." the act reads.
The purpose of the joint meeting shall be to nominate

eight qualified voters who are broadly representative of the county to serve as members of a county reorganization study committee.
These names will be sent to Austin where the State Board will select five of the nominees to act as the study committee.
Then the new group will organize and hold public meetings about what they propose. They might propose for school districts in other counties to cross county lines and join them and this would be possible if approved by the State Board of Education, Clark explained.
The County Judge would then set a date in April, 1971, for the purpose of electing 7 school trustees of the new district and the judge would supervise the election.
On June 15, 1971 the new boards would take office and all existing districts be absorbed by the new district along with their debts, assets and teachers employed and other employees as well.
At the first meeting of the new board a new name shall be selected for the new district.
The bill does not propose to close any school. The new trustees would have that power but the chairman of the Governors Study Committee, Leon Jaworski, a prominent Houston attorney, states that it would be up to local boards and the proposed bill does not mention closing any schools. Jaworski believes in many cases existing high schools would continue to operate but under administrative assistant titled man instead of a superintendent as he is now called.
In the new school district as proposed by the Governor's Committee, teachers would have 10 hours off each week to prepare work, grade papers and study. Aides would handle playground and lunchroom assignments. This would begin in 1971-72.
Teachers would have to be notified by March 1 if their contract was not to be renewed. Teachers could not break their contract after July 1 without losing their Teachers Certificate.
Teachers would get 5 days sick leave per year which could accumulate and which would follow them wherever they taught just as their teaching service is now recorded and sent to schools where the teachers move to. This would begin Sept. 1, 1970.
Kindergartens would be a part of the new school district with pre-kindergartens coming in a few years.
Teacher aides are included in the bill with starting pay of \$300 per month for 10 months for high school graduates who are employed.
A documentary stamp tax of 50 cents is proposed on every deed of \$100 or more. The tax would be a minimum of 50c where the value exceeds \$100 and 50c for each \$500 in value or fractional part thereof.
The County Clerk could buy these stamps at 25 per cent discount with the different going to the County as pay for its trouble and work. Other tax methods are also proposed.
The school census each year would be abolished and the State would use sampling techniques which will develop the needed census data.
It is not believed that the

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The church and its pastor, Rev. Avery J. Sullivan extends to residents of Ranger and the surrounding area, an invitation to experience this astonishing display of faith, as contemporary as tomorrow morning's headlines.

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This bill, if enacted by the Legislature, provides among other things that the district has the power to issue bonds to provide funds for the acquisition or construction, or both, of necessary buildings and equipment for hospital purposes and to levy taxes at a rate not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100 valuation of all taxable property in the district to support the bonds issued and the maintenance and operating expenses of the district.
HOWEVER, the bill requires the approval of a majority of the qualified property tax-paying electors of the district voting at an election called for that purpose. The bill prohibits, after the adoption of the district, all municipalities or political subdivisions from the levy to taxes and the issuance of bonds and other obligations for hospital purposes or for providing medical care within the boundaries of the district.
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We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all of our friends, neighbors and relatives for the food, flowers and a host of other acts of sympathy shown us at the passing of our loved one. These kindnesses will always be remembered by us.
The Family of
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We are deeply grateful to our many friends and neighbors who helped us in so many ways during our recent illness, both at home in Ranger General Hospital.
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The Week Ahead In Ranger

THURSDAY
12:05 — Lions Club, Bryans Steak and Coffee Shop.
2:30 p.m. — Dorcas Class, First Baptist Church, home of Mrs. Frank Arrendale.
3:30 p.m. 1920 Club, Community Club House.
7:30 p.m. — St. Rita's Altar Society.
MONDAY
3:00 p.m. — Ladies Prayer Group, First United Methodist Church.
3:30 p.m. — WSCS, First Methodist Church, business meeting and program.
TUESDAY
9:00 a.m. — LWW, Church of God.
1:45 p.m. — Ladies Bible Class, Merriman Baptist Church.
2:30 p.m. — Mary - Martha Class, First Methodist Church, home of Mrs. Thelma Lynn.
5:30 p.m. — Boy Scout Troop No. 10, First Methodist Church.
7:00 p.m. — Ranger Rebekah Lodge.
8:00 a.m. — Dutch Club, home of Mrs. E. F. Arterburn.
WEDNESDAY
7:00 a.m. — Methodist Men's Prayer Group.
10:00 a.m. — Ladise Bible Class, Mesquite and Rusk St. Church of Christ.
12:05 p.m. — Rotary Club, Bryan's Steak and Coffee Shop.
4:00 p.m. — New Era Club, Community Club House.
7:00 p.m. — Bible Study, First United Methodist Church.

Special Course Is Planned For Scout Leaders

A special "Timber Tag" training course for all men involved in the Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting, or Exploring programs of the Boy Scouts of America will be conducted during February and March by the Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, Council Leadership Training, Chairman Wade Andrews announced this week.
"This is the second such training course offered in Comanche Trail Council," Dr. Andrews said. "The staff are all outstanding volunteer

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County 4-H Riding Club Has Organizational Meet Jan. 25

The Eastland County 4-H Horse Riding group met Saturday, Jan. 25, at the Eastland County Sheriff's Posse Arena. The business meeting was conducted by Jana Jeter, vice-president. Items discussed were names for the Riding Group, activities for the coming rodeo and parade uniforms. A committee was formed consisting of Scott Miller, chairman; Suzanne Harbin, Karen Plowman, Lana Arrington and Susie Carter to choose a name for the Riding Group. Tommy Pope, adult leader, gave a program on showing horses at halter. The remainder of the meeting was spent riding barrels, flag races and western pleasure. There were 19 members present and participated in the project activities. The next meeting will be held Saturday, Feb. 8, at which time a program will be given by a local veterinarian on parasites in horses. Members will practice the usual activities and pole bending. All interested 4-H members or prospective members are invited to attend, it was announced.

NATIONAL DEFENSE IS THEME OF JANUARY DAR MEETING PROGRAM

The Charles Crawford Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution met on Monday, Jan. 27 in the home of Mrs. Guy Morris, it was reported. Mmes. H. A. Bible, P. G. Berry and Mrs. G. E. Berry of Brownwood were co-hostesses with Mrs. Morris. The meeting opened with all members repeating the Lord's Prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, the American's Creed and the singing of the National Anthem, accompanied by Mrs. Alex Spears on the organ. During the business session, presided over by Mrs. Joe Clements, regent, delegates were elected for the state conference which will convene in Fort Worth on March 17-19 and the Continental Congress which will meet in Washington, D.C. on April 14-19th. It also voted in the business session to accept a book entitled "What Proudly We Hail" written by Maymie K. Krypt from Mrs. C. B. Rust. The book will be presented to the Cisco High School Library. This meeting was the chapter's annual national defense meeting. Mrs. Robert Stewart gave a very informative and challenging talk on the subject, "Are We Second Rate People in a Second Rate Land?" Mrs. Stewart asked the question, "Will not the sands of time for freedom run out of the American people do not recover from their state of apathy?" She mentioned many ways that Americans today are ignoring the wonderful heritage handed down from the founding fathers. "We are too apathetic when our very lives are at stake because we do not want to become involved," she said. "The American people have taken so much and given so little." Mrs. Stewart concluded her talk by asking the members to sincerely answer the question "Are we not letting ourselves become a second rate people in a second rate land?" Refreshments were served from a beautifully appointed table to the following members: Mmes. Joseph M. Perkins and Pat Crawford of Eastland, F. E. Harrell, Alex Spears, T. C. Williams, C. B. Rust, Joe Clements, J. E. T. Peters, Robert Stewart, Celia McCrea and the hostess, Mrs. Guy Morris, all of Cisco; co-hostesses, Mmes. H. A. Bible, P. G. Berry and G. E. Berry of Brownwood. Mrs. C. E. Terrell, a member of the Fresno Chapter in Fresno, Calif., was a guest. Mrs. Terrell is a sister of Mrs. Joe Clements and she and her husband are spending the winter in Cisco.

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Mrs. Pat Collins Is Hostess For Circle 1 Meeting on Monday, Feb. 3

Circle No. 1, WSCS of First United Methodist Church, met at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 3, in the home of Mrs. Pat Collins.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. David Allsup with prayer offered by Rev. Thomas Tribble. Minutes of the last meeting were read and treasurer's report submitted by Mrs. Bess Brinneman, who stated that a few pledges had not been paid up to date. A Cheer Fund was collected and used to purchase flowers. It was suggested that the group send cards to Mrs. Vena Whitely, mother of Mrs. Joe Frances, former Ranger resident. Mrs. Whitely is in Room 26A, Eastland Hospital.

The program "The Now Prophets" was presented by Mrs. George Kloss, assisted by Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, E.

H. Bobo and O. R. Criswell. Mrs. K. S. Head was welcomed as a new member of the circle.

The hostess served refreshments to Meses. Nora Roush, Bess Brinneman, Stanley McAnelly, E. H. Bobo, Walter Daniels, David Allsup, O. R. Criswell, George Kloss, Charles Smith, K. S. Head and Rev. Tribble.

Mrs. D. Pickrell Honored With Shower Friday

A surprise pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Duke Dixon on Friday evening, Jan. 31, honored Mrs. David Pickrell, Jr.

Co-hostesses were Rita Wilson, Gwen Arnett, Sue Cherry, Jean Foster, and Sarah Moorehead.

After gifts were opened, the group enjoyed games and refreshments of cake squares decorated with confection infant requisites, fruit punch, salted nuts and mints.

County Red Cross Receives Note of Appreciation

The Eastland County Chapter, American Red Cross, is in receipt of a letter from James A. Boyd, Field Director, expressing appreciation for ditty bags made by members of the Martha-Dorcas Class and American Legion Auxiliary of Ranger and sent to service men prior to the Christmas holidays. Mrs. G. A. Fyffe gave direction to this project.

The letter reads as follows: "We are writing to express appreciation for the ditty bags sent by your chapter to this office (San Francisco) for distribution to troops in this command and surrounding areas for the Christmas holiday."

The ditty bags arrived in good condition and efforts expended by you and those cooperating with your chapter in assembling the bags were well rewarded. We have heard many favorable comments regarding the contents and the thought behind the ditty bag program and are sure you will undoubtedly be receiving letters of appreciation directly from some of the men who received the ditty bags.

May we add our word of appreciation to you and all who have so unselfishly of their time and efforts to ensure that the fighting men in Vietnam did not go unremembered by the people back home this Christmas. Our best wishes to your chapter in the year ahead and again — Thank you — for a job well done."

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton were in Cross Plains Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones. The occasion celebrated Mrs. Jones' 72nd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Gibson of Fabers and Mrs. Leona Gibson of Gordon were Sunday guests of Mrs. Frank Arrendale.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Chas. P. Ashcroft were Mrs. Cleo Ervin and daughter, Linda of Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cagby, Oliver and Cecil of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Baughman, Charles and Chris of Conroe.

Mrs. Mildred Williams was in Fort Worth last week for a visit with her daughter, Glenda Raines, and to attend the Fat Sock Show.

Mrs. Jimmy Haver and children of Fort Worth are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hamilton and son, Don Allen of Okemah are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Woods.

Look What's Happening to Religion Is Theme of Monday's Meeting

Circle No. 11, WSCS of First United Methodist Church, met Monday afternoon, Feb. 3, in the home of Mrs. Glyn Gilliam.

Mrs. W. A. Robinson, circle chairman, led the group in prayer and presided over the business session. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Fourteen members have pledged \$299.00 of which \$230.00 has been paid. There were 40 visits made to sick and shut-ins and 24 cards mailed.

Mrs. Beverly Dudley, Jr. presented the program "Look What's Happening to Religion." She stated that the old familiar methods of missionary work are not enough for the world of today and told of some of the experiments being undertaken by the church. In her devotional, she

read scriptures from the 25th chapter of Matthew and the 12th chapter of Romans.

A refreshment plate of cake and coffee was served to the following members: Meses. T. L. Thompson, Chas. Ashcroft, W. A. Robinson, P. M. Kuykendall, Frank Williamson, Beverly Dudley, Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Glyn Gilliam.

Sherry Sullivan Honored with Bridal Shower

Miss Sherry Sullivan, bride elect of Ronnie Dee Singleton, was honored at a gift coffee in the home of Mrs. F. P. Brashier, Jr., on Saturday morning, February 1. Co-hostesses were Meses. Jesse White, James Clark, R. V. Robinson, W. H. Gay and George Williams.

Mrs. Brashier welcomed guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Avery J. Sullivan and Mrs. Doyle Singleton of Copperas Cove, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

An arrangement of hand-made blue glass flowers graced the registry table where Meses. Janie Clark, Verganna Goswick and Karen Mince presided.

The tea table was laid with a blue and white cross stitch linen cloth and centered with a large arrangement matching that of the registry table. Appointments were silver. Hostesses served assorted breads, muffins, fruits, cheese tidbits and coffee.

For the occasion, the honoree was wearing a long-sleeve frock of light blue wool with harmonizing accessories and a white glabella corsage.

The wide selection of household gifts were attractively displayed to sixty guests who called during the appointed hours of 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.



MRS. GERALD DAVID PUCKETT

HOWTON-PUCKETT VOWS SAID JAN. 25

Marriage vows uniting Peggy June Howton and Gerald David Puckett were pledged at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, January 25 in Northside Baptist Church of Weatherford with the pastor, the Rev. Joe B. Griffin, reading the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Aaron E. Howton, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald David Puckett, all of Weatherford.

Joe Pete Miller of Fort Worth was organist. He presented nuptial selections and accompanied Mrs. Bill Miller of Weatherford who sang "Twelfth of Never" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Peggy Howton was her sister's maid of honor. Mrs. Edith Howton of Bryan, sister-in-law of the bride was bridesmaid and Cheryl Puckett of Weatherford, sister of the bridegroom was bridesmaid. Flower girls were Pam and Robin Puckett, sister and cousin of the bridegroom. Candles were lighted by the bridegroom's cousins, Lisa and Kelly Puckett and Chad Puckett, also cousin of the bridegroom, was ringbearer.

Alton Shields of Weatherford was best man; groomsmen were Eddy Howton of Bryan and Guy Resener of Weatherford. Ushers were Richard Church, Richard Harwell and Mike Sims, all of Weatherford.

The bride was married by her father, the bride wore a formal semi-fitted A-line gown of peau de soie which she made on Vogue Couturia Design. The yoke and three-quarter length bell sleeves of beaded lace matched the chapel train attached to back yoke. She carried a white Bible troveed with orchids.

A pearlized headdress held her double-tiered veil of illusion.

Bridal attendants wore ear-to-ear-length gowns of red velvet with white rose trim and white gloves. They carried nosegays of red roses.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother chose a blue-gray ensemble worn with black accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a yellow knit tunic suit with matching accessories.

Reception followed in Fellowship Hall of the church. Members of the houseparty were Meses. Milton Gibson, Jr. and Mrs. Willie Cantwell, Jr.

Misses Diane Causbie, Nita Hinshaw and Donna Dobbs. For a wedding trip to Dallas, the bride chose a red wool two-piece suit with black leather trim, worn with black accessories.

The bride and bridegroom attended Weatherford Junior College. He is currently enrolled in University of Texas at Arlington where he will continue his studies. He is also an employee of Gibson's Discount Products of Arlington. They are at home, Border Apartments in Arlington.

Those attending the wedding from Ranger were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bargley and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron E. Howton, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cantwell, Johnnie Cantwell, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Bargley and James Brown.

Governor Report . . . (Continued from Page 1)

bill has much chance to pass, Clark told the Rotary Club, as few senators or representatives say they are for it, including the Governor and the Lieutenant Governor.

This new district would cost more money, Clark said, but provisions are made to prevent excessive rise in local taxes and to graduate them over several years.

Clark's plan for the abolished, as it would under the proposal, he would receive severance pay at state expense equal to one year's salary to the extent that his salary was paid by state and/or local funds. He could not be employed by the new district during that one year though.

The proposal also would abolish the office of County Superintendent of Education, now held by O. L. Stamey. Provisions are made for severance pay for that office also.

Laws pertaining to school buses, finance, a stamp tax, on documents to help finance the proposed bill, the school census, many other things are covered in the bill since it rewrites or modifies most of the existing school laws.

One of the costly items is the proposed raise in teacher pay, Clark said. Beginning teachers would draw \$600 per month for 18 months or \$6,000 annually compared to \$4,734 for nine months.

A bill introduced in the Senate Monday though would pay the teachers even more, Clark said, and the Senate has already gone on record as being for that bill, which is sponsored by the Texas State Teachers Association.

The Governor's Report bill provides that teachers may not be forced or coerced to join any organization and neither may they be denied the right to participate in political affairs in the community, state or nation.

All teachers would be employed under either a "probationary contract" or a "continuing contract." Teachers under contract could not be discharged without a hearing by the trustees and then only

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Thursday — Marlin (Turk) Luffin, Leo Ausburn, Ricky Hatfield.

Friday — Patsy Hamilton, L. D. Sharp.

Saturday — Mary Joy Wilson.

Congratulations to those couples who will observe wedding anniversaries this week: Monday, Feb. 3 — Mr. and Mrs. David Dunson.

Tuesday, Feb. 4 — Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wheat.

Saturday, Feb. 8 — Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood.

for reasons specified by the law.

Districts that do consolidate would receive "incentive aid" which is designed to encourage consolidation.

To defray the cost of consolidation, the bill provides for a tax rate over the state at 21 cents for each \$100 of full market value in 1970-71 and shall be graduated one cent each year until it reaches 30 cents, provided that the rate may not increase by more than five cents per year for any district.

The bill as proposed in the Senate Wednesday contains 97 double spaced pages of legal size paper.

Few people give it a chance to pass in full although some amended version might.

Bullock Quilting Club Holds Work Day and Social Monday, Feb. 3

Eight members of Bullock Quilting Club spent a pleasant work day and social period at the Community Center on Monday, Feb. 3.

During the morning hours, one quilt was completed for Margie Lester. The group paused for a snack lunch at noon.

Those present were Mae Miller, O. Al Templeton, Alta Carroll, Margie Lester, Jewel Franklin, Kathlene Maxwell, Opal Wells and Callie Ainsworth.

The Feb. 17th meeting will feature a covered dish luncheon.

Personals

Alvie Allison, music director of Second Baptist Church, Ranger and a student at Tarleton State College toured with the Tarleton ACappella choir to several West Texas towns between semesters. He also attended the Baptist Student Union mid semester retreat on the Howard E. Butt Ranch near San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brummett were in Stephenville Tuesday to attend funeral of Mr. Brummett's niece, Mrs. LaRue Brummett, a resident of Jal, N.M. Mr. and Mrs. Brummett were accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, Bobby Joe and Ruby Brummett of Abilene.



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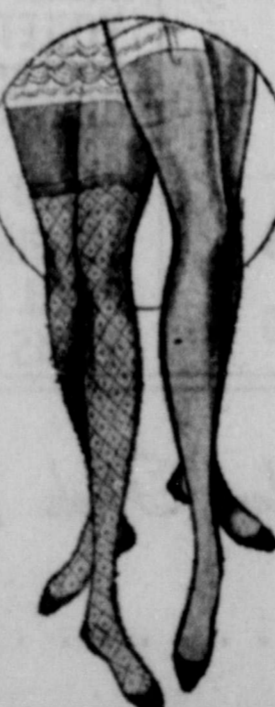
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EASTLAND DRUG

HOSPITAL NEWS

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Pearl Downing.
Cora Fehl.
L. L. Hollander, Cisco.
H. K. Hare, Fort Worth.

Katie Easter, Gorman.
Berda Webb, Cisco.
Henry (Pete) Tyrone, Carbon.

Horace Hitt, Cisco.
Charles Baird, Cisco.
Iva Dobbs.
Venora Williams.
Jessie McClindon.
Jerusha Tucker.
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Abbie George, Gordon.
Julia Havens.
James McGowan, Cross Plains.

Carl Angstadt.
Delsa Reaves.
George Miller, Rising Star.
William Brown, Cisco.
Charlie Johnson.
Waymond Greenwood.
Gertrude Mitchell, Ranger.
Amanda Morris.
Flora Arther.
Beulah Moseley, Cisco.
Ada Franklin.
Eula Justice, Gorman.
Ruth Houser, Gomanche.
Edward Gofor, Olden.
Lucille Stapp, Cisco.
Linnie Knox, Rising Star.
Jesse Reynolds, Cisco.
Annie Wyatt.
Cora Davis.
Vena Whiteley.
Bessie Blue, Carbon.
Frances Burke.
Lupe Anaya, Cisco.
Lela Raspberry, Carbon.
Hubbard Gilbert, Gorman.
Connie Lewis.

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Wednesday morning were:

Mrs. Eunice Nicks.
Mrs. Winnie Pirkle.
Mrs. Daisy Bearden.
Mrs. Jean Jensen.
Mrs. Aline Blackwell.
Robin Barnes.
E. E. Blackwell.
W. N. Bordeaux.
T. C. Shahan.
Tommy Ash.
Cecil Lawford.
Melvin Pardue.

6,940 Register As '69 Voters

Eastland County Tax Collector Edgar Altom announced that 6,940 people registered to vote in the county.

The number is down about 1,500 from last year, when many state and federal office elections were held. Altom said the registration is about normal for a straight year containing mostly local elections.

Altom also announced that his office sold about 200 license plates and handled 37 title changes Monday, Feb. 3, the first day that 1969 licenses were on sale.

Scientists' Topic

"Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold thou art there." These verses from Psalms are part of the Responsive Reading included in the Bible Lesson. Sermons to be read in all Christian Science churches this week. The lesson is titled "Spirit."

Among related passages to be read from the denominational textbook Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy is the following: "Man walks in the direction towards which he looks, and where his treasure is, there will his heart be also. If our hopes and affections are spiritual, they come from above, not from beneath, and they bear as of old fruits of the Spirit."

Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist at Lamar and Plummer Streets in Eastland, begin at 11 a. m. Sunday. All are welcome.

Miss Judy Collins Shower Honoree

Miss Judy Collins bride-elect of James West was honored with a gift tea Saturday, Jan. 25th from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. in the Carbon Home Making Cottage.

Her chosen colors of blue and white were carried out in the table cloth, center piece and refreshments.

The hostesses for the tea included Mrs. Durward Webb, J. L. Little, O. A. Jordan, Claud Boles, J. B. Blaudet, C. A. McDaniel, Howard Gilbert, Jimmy Little, Marcia Webb, Guy Peel, Vern Garrett, E. E. Allison.

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THE TEE BOX

The Lone Cedar golf course 1969 SCOREBOARD is off to a good start with Eagles (or 2 under par) on the par 5 No. 5 by Gene Townsend, Ranger, and Everett Plowman, Eastland, and on the par 4 No. 9 by Richmond Simmons.

So far this year a Hole-in-1 has eluded all golfers although several have come very close.

Schools soon will be thinking about golf meets. Pro Hab Simmons announces that the course will be open again this year to Eastland, Olden and Ranger High Schools and Ranger Jr. College teams.

There are many junior golfers in this area. Since golf requires the complete individual, demands good sportsmanship and can be played throughout life anytime, anywhere, we urge each and everyone to continue their support, and encouragement to these fine young men and their teams.

Aging Committee Meets Thursday At 2:30 p.m.

Eastland County Aging Committee members will meet at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, February 6, at the Farm Bureau meeting room in Eastland.

Miss Minnie Bell, family life specialist, of the Texas Agricultural Extension service staff from A and M University, will work with the group in planning and organizing the Senior Citizen Fair to be held in May.

James Reid of Eastland, Mrs. Dorothy Griffin of Brownwood, and Mrs. Arlin Birt of Cisco will report on the available state financing for a local Senior Citizen Center.

All committee members are urged to attend the meeting.

J. C. SAYS ...



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Report Eastland Auction

Eastland Auction Company reported for January 28: a strong active market; 733 head of cattle, 343 hogs, sold; 182 consignors; 76 buyers.

Prices reported: butcher bulls, 21 to 24.00; stocker bulls, 24 to 34.25; butcher cows, 16 to 20; canners and cutters, 13 to 18.00; butcher calves, 24 to 27; stocker steer calves, light choice, 28 to 41; heavy choice, 25 to 34; stocker heifer calves, 24 to 33; yearling heifers, 23 to 27; stocker cows, 136 to 206; pairs, 165 to 236; butcher hogs, 18.50 to 21; sows, 14.30 to 16.

No Tricky This G.I. ...

An enemy soldier thought he was pulling the wool over the eyes of a Marine squad by playing possum, but a leatherneck from Tennessee knew the backwoods s'unt too well.

Marines of "K" Company, Third Battalion, Twenty-sixth Marine Regiment, were on a sweep during Operation Meade River when they came across a bunker complex. They searched the bunkers and surrounded area.

Private First Class Francis J. Evans, 23, of Rising Star, said, "We found a lot of enemy bodies left from air strikes and artillery fire the night before. I noticed one body laying face down in a hole without a mark on him but kept going."

The enemy must have

though, he had escaped capture but then Private First Class Daris H. Malone, 20, of Route 10, Greenville, Tenn., walked by.

"I saw him lying there, but he was just too suspicious. There wasn't any blood near him. I signaled the patrol on and I stood behind the enemy and watched him. Sure enough, as soon as the patrol had gotten out of sight he started to crawl," Malone said.

The enemy had moved

about three feet when he looked around and noticed the Marine.

"He just looked up at me and smiled because he didn't have a weapon and felt so dumb I guess," Malone said.

After calling his squad back Malone searched the enemy "possum" he had "outfoxed," finding documents and his rank insignia.

CALLAHAN SINGING
Callahan County Singing Convention will be held Sunday, Feb. 9, at the First Baptist Church at Scranton, it was announced by Mr. Ples Ray. Everyone is invited to come and join them.

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Railroads Pay \$28,041 Taxes In This County

Current annual taxes paid to the various government agencies by Texas railroads in Eastland County totaled \$28,041, it is announced by the Railroad Association.

That amount was the county's share of the more than \$10,000,000 the railroads paid in Texas on their right of way

and other property.

The biggest railroad contribution was to the school systems throughout the state. Large sums were also distributed to city, village and county governments and for road and bridge funds.

In addition, of course, was the large total in taxes the railroads' 30,840 Texas employees contributed on their own property. The vast majority of rail workers, many of whom live in Eastland County, own

their own homes.

"I am delighted that nearly half of the taxes paid by the railroads in Texas go to support the schools," said Walter Caven, general counsel of the Texas Railroad Association. "The future of our country upon the education of our youth," he said.

"Recognizing this need for education, many of the Railroads operating in Texas also make scholarships available to a number of students every

Eastland Community 4-H Group Meets

The Eastland Community 4-H Club Food group met Jan. 30, in the Eastland County Farm Bureau Conference Room. Suzanne Harbin gave the program on "Vegetables and Fruits for Picnic Zest and Bread and Cereals For Picnic Pep."

After the program, Suzanne prepared lemonade and oat-

meal cookies for a nutritious snack from the two food groups. Those present were Yvonne Wilson, Jan Maynard, Debra Williams, Becky Miller, Cynthia Claborn, Karen Plowman, Deborah Squires, Robbie Bishop, Gail Swift, Debra Bishop, Jana Ragland, Mary Jane Harbin. Also attending were Junior Leader Suzanne Harbin, Adult Leaders, Mrs. Bob Plowman, Mrs. Betty Claborn and Ken Miller.

Frustration

by Ora Lee Woods

When you would if you could,
And you try, but you can't
That's one thing.

But when you could if you would
And you can, but won't
That's another thing.

I like one thing
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Ground Beef Safeway Club Pak USDA Inspected 2-Lb. Chub \$1.05

Hamburger Steaks Ideal to grill -Lb. 59¢

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Spareribs Pork, Fresh-Frozen, Medium Size -Lb. 45¢

Boneless Hams Wilson Festival *Half or *Whole -Lb. \$1.29

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