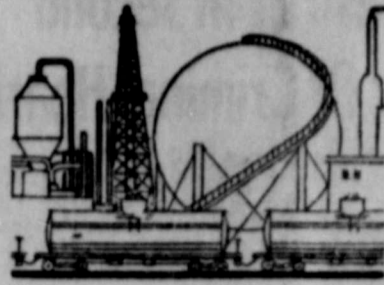


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Jaycee's Annual Rodeo Is 'BIG' Success Here

Brave souls, several hundred of 'em sweltered the 101-degree weather Thursday afternoon to witness the parade which officially opened the Seventh Annual Jaycee Rodeo in Ranger.

One hundred - seventy-two horses, with as many riders were joined by motor vehicles, bicycles, lawn mowers, a chuck wagon and the Shetland pony hitch to form the "mile of color" advancing along Main Street in Ranger at 5 p.m.

Entered in this event were six riding clubs with San Angelo winning first place, Cisco, second and Palo Pinto, third.

Parade entries were announced over the speaker system provided by Pear Corp. of Mineral Wells.

Thursday night Results
JAYCEE GUESTS on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Miller and sons of Columbus, Ga. Following their surprise "arrest" in the afternoon, they attended the rodeo parade and performance and were overnight guests at El Rancho Motel.

In the Thursday night competition of the rodeo Darrel Shinkard of Cleburne scored tops in bareback riding with 55 points.

Top honor for Thursday night's calf roping contest ended in a two-way tie between Tommy Bacon of Cisco

and Royce Kitchens of Cisco with a time of 10 seconds flat.

Bobby Tankersley of O'Brien had a time of 12.1 for second place in calf roping while Tom Dudley of Comanche took third place with a time of 12.9.

A three way tie resulted in the second place position for bareback riding. They were: Monty Elms of Salado, 49; Bob Nixon of Eastland, 49; and Mike Hendrix of Winters, 49. Third place was taken by Bill Wilfong of Palo Pinto with 42 points.

In the Cowgirl's Barrel Racing the winners went to Marie Hilton of Bowie with a time of 17.73 seconds. Placing second was Lora Wise of Stephenville with 17.81 and placing third was Shirley Jackson of Ranger with 18.1.

Only one rider in the wild bull riding qualified in the Bull Riding Thursday night. Taking a good ride was a cowboy from Kyle, Texas. The rider, Prater Gibbs, took a score of 56 points in this event.

Friday Night Results
Special guests of the Jaycees on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griner and family, 1315 S. Concord Main, Glendora, Calif.

The couple and their three children, Lessa, 13, Robert 7 and Richard, 5 years of age,

were accorded the "red carpet treatment" for which Ranger in general and the Jaycees in particular are quite famous.

Shirley Jackson of Ranger took first place honors in girls' barrel racing Friday during the second night of the rodeo.

Bareback bronc riding: 1. Gaylon Smith, Arlington, 56; 2. Larry Slayton, Fort Worth, 49; 3. Shannon Wright, Ranger, 45.

Tie-down calf roping: 1. Jimmy Griffin, Fort Worth, 10.4; 2. Tony Youkum, Mineral Wells, 10.5; 3. Phillip Munday, Walnut Springs, 11.

Girls' barrel racing: 1. Shirley Jackson, Ranger, 18.24; 2. Connie Wilkinson, Newcastle, 18.41; 3. Lora Wise, Stephenville, 18.82.

Dick Landers of Fort Worth won the steer dogging event Friday night with a time of 6.8 seconds. Placing second was Scott Umphrees of Ft. Worth with 11.5 and Rusty Dodson of Robert Lee with a time of 13.9.

Two riders in the bull riding event qualified. David Elms of Salado scored 46 pts. and Roy Don Hoising scored 40 points to end the show Friday night.

The new Rodeo Queen of 1969 was to be announced during the final performance of the rodeo Saturday night. All winners of each riding event were to be presented belt buckles for their efforts in the rodeo.

Funeral Services Held Friday For Joel M. Pratt

Joel Marion Pratt, 79, resident of Ranger for the past 32 years, died Wednesday at his home, 511 Melvin St., following a short illness.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday in Killingsworth Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. K. C. Edmonds, Baptist minister, officiating. Burial was in Desdemona Cemetery.

Born in 1890 in Clinton, Ark., Mr. Pratt was a retired laborer.

Survivors include his wife of the home; three sons, Earl of Springdale, Ariz., Paul of Denver, Colo., and Floyd of Ann Arbor, Mich.; three brothers, Yez Pratt of Salem, Oregon, John Pratt of Sweet Home, Oregon and Henry Pratt of Corona, Calif.; two sisters, Minnie Bray of Scottsdale, Ariz. and Myrtle Moody of Bentonville, Ark., and six grandchildren.

Palbearers were H. I. Peppers, Reed Campbell, Jack Bearden, Tom Hickman, Neal Stevens, Calvin Ainsworth, and H. G. Adams.

Funeral Services For Bobbie Cox Set Today at 2

Funeral for Bobbie J. Cox, a native of Ranger, will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in East-side Church of Christ with the preacher, James Gaston, officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Mr. Cox died at 5 a.m. Thursday, July 10, at West Jefferson Hospital, New Orleans, La. Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Vickie; one son, Dean; two stepdaughters; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cox of Ranger; two brothers, Walter E. Cox of Eastland and James G. Cox of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. R. D. Mace of Breckenridge and Mrs. W. T. Hagar of Ranger.

Riders To Compete In Cycle Races at Ranger

Chestnut's Cycle Center, 111 So. Austin St., announces it's second Annual Line Run to be held Sunday, July 13, at Ranger.

According to a brief description by Ranger cycle dealer Donnie Chestnut, the Line Run appears to be to cyclists what the rodeo is to a cowboy and the event promises to be a continuation of thrills of the past three days.

Contestants will assemble at Willows Swimming Pool at 1 p.m. and follow directions along country roads past such roadways as "Coon Trail" and "Cactus Corners." Four place trophies will be awarded. There is no admission charge and the sponsors are not responsible for accidents.

Chestnut anticipates the same interest that was shown last year and promises thrills galore for participants and spectators. This is an event wherein you can't lose, you will have fun and you may win a trophy.

Revival Begins Today At Local Church of God

A series of evangelistic services will be conducted at the Church of God of Prophecy, beginning Sunday, July 13, & continuing through Sunday, July 20, according to announcement of the pastor, Rev. Oscar Newdiger.

Bringing messages during the revival will be the Rev. J. C. Stewart of West Virginia. The pastor will direct the music for services to be held at 7:30 nightly with regular schedule to be observed on Sunday.

Area residents are cordially invited to attend these services.

New History of County Released This Week

TEXAS: A Historical and Biographical Survey." By Pearl Ghormley. Rupey Publishing Co., 1725 E. 38th St., Austin, Texas. 397 pages. Illustrated with dust jacket. \$9.50.

As the title suggests, this is a survey report of Eastland County, its history and its people, written by one of its native daughters.

Like an ice cream cone on a hot summer day, there's just not enough of it — and perhaps there just never could be. But Mrs. Ghormley has done a good job of taking the first steps.

The county's history is told vibrantly through the primary source materials available, including the "Langston History" and the "Cox History" plus a good number of other fine sources. Going to the source, Mrs. Ghormley did extensive interviewing last year and searched newspaper files throughout the county as well as probing the official records, telephone directories, church rolls, and best of all, family records.

The book is well-organized, and one can but regret that there isn't more of it. The author, a Cisco native, did all the towns in detail, with the exception of Eastland, which she elected to cover lightly when she discovered that two other historians are working on history in that town.

Naturally, most space is given to Old Rip in the East-

Originator of Ranger Library Dies in Midland

Every constructive movement has had to be set in motion by a few dedicated citizens. This was especially true of Ranger's Community Library which was organized by Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin.

Mrs. McLaughlin died recently in Midland, Texas, and our public library might be thought of as a memorial to her. Aided by a few interested citizens, enough money was raised to start a library. Carried on by Mrs. McLaughlin's enthusiasm and hard work, it became a model for small town libraries.

Pueblo and Ranger Plants Of Lone Star Are Struck in Wage Dispute



A HEARTY WELCOME awaits Lt. Bill Logan of the U. S. Navy, when he arrives home in Ranger. Shown in the picture at left is Lee Ausburne and Paul Ausburne, at right, Nephews of Lt. Logan and sons of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cox, Jr. of Ranger. The Lt. has been stationed in Vietnam for the past 12 months. Times Staff Photo

The Pueblo gasoline plant, 12 miles northwest of Cisco, and Plant No. 3 of the Lone Star Pipe Line division at Ranger, were on strike this week as part of a walk-out in a dispute over wage and fringe benefits affecting all gasoline plants of the Lone Star Gas Company, according to information Saturday.

James A. Agnew, contact man at the Pueblo plant for Local No. 4-478 OCAW, Ran-

ger, representing the workers, said that 10 of the 15 men at Pueblo were on strike and that a picket line had been established.

The plant, he said, was being operated by five men, three workers, one of them a union member, and two supervisors, who were crossing the picket line.

During the strike a temporary change in the superintendency of the Pueblo plant has been made with J. D. Smith, recently transferred from Oklahoma, being replaced by Alton Redwine, who has had more experience in strike handling, Agnew said.

Mr. Redwine, contacted at the Pueblo office told the Cisco Press, that he was not authorized to make any statement concerning the strike.

The extent of the strike at the Ranger pipe line plant was not learned Saturday, but the telephone at the plant did not answer.

According to information to Eastland County Newspapers, all of the gasoline plants in the Lone Star transmission division, including Pueblo, Gordon, Springtown, and Trinidad and the pipe line division were involved.

Other plants in the company's organization were not affected.

Agnew told a reporter that the company's original offer of a three per cent increase in wages had been rejected by the union on the basis that it did not equate with the cost of living increase. Other demands of the union for fringe benefits involving hospitalization and other items, were likewise in dispute, he said.

A hearing was reportedly held before a federal wage mediator in Dallas. But no information available Saturday morning, on the outcome of the hearing.

The strike began Thursday, Local 4-478 of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers represents company employees at Ranger, where the local headquarters are located; Pueblo, Gordon and Breckenridge.

In this corner, with **COLLINS**

NOW THAT the rodeo is over, ditto driver ed, little league, many vacations and family reunions, younger members of the household will be prone to pose the question, NOW WHAT?

Frankly, we have no suggestions to offer. We'd like to turn thumbs down on anything that involves work, and that just about rules out everything. So, how about doing nothing, just for a change? Stage your own rest-in, sleepathon (easier said than done), those wonderful weekends to simply take off your shoes and stay at home, easy to prepare meals served on disposable dishes — a dozen things one could mention. The actual work necessary to creating this delightful state of you'll need the rest, that is, if you aren't too tense to relax and go to sleep.

VOLLEY BALL teams of the Church of God of Prophecy and Second Baptist Churches met in two games this week with the latter winning in both Team I and Team II efforts.

POOR FISHING is reported by James Johnson at Lake Leon. "They're just not biting," said Johnson. We offered the hot weather or phase of the moon as possible reasons for "finicky fish."

DANCING FEET at Rodeo Dance seemed to favor "Frauline," Paul Jones routines and "Poor Ole Calijah." The Notables, with George Narris, really do their thing with those and many other appropriate numbers.

WE BELIEVE that statistics (if available) would prove that more grandchildren attend Ranger Rodeo each year than the previous one.

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Ranger Industrial Development Teams Receive Certificates

Members of the Ranger Industrial Development Team were awarded Certificates of Achievements by Carl B. Hulsey Jr., president and chief executive of Texas Electric

Service Company, at a meeting Thursday morning, July 10, in the Ranger Room of the First Federal Savings and Loan.

The certificates were for

completion of a team training program conducted by the Area Development Division of Texas Electric Service Company with the cooperation of the Texas Industrial Commission.

Captain Jack Mooney To Be Guest Speaker For Ranger Jaycees July 15

Captain Jack E. Mooney, who is the holder of the nation's highest award for valor and who was the recipient of two Purple Hearts while serving in the Vietnam jungle last year, will speak at 7:30 p.m., July 15, to the Ranger Jaycees in the Ranger Room of the First Federal Savings and Loan. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Captain Mooney is now a member of the Army National Speakers Program, an extension of the Army Speakers Program which has provided Army speakers on request for public platforms for several years. The program provides audiences with an opportunity to hear the first hand experiences and observations of recent Vietnam returnees.

He was with the 9th Inf. Div., stationed in the jungle area near Bearcat, south of Long Binh, and the rice paddies near Bion Pluoc in the Delta. As a scout platoon leader for the 2d Battalion (Mechanized), 47th Infantry, he spent much of his tour in Vietnam looking for or in direct confrontation with the Viet Cong.

Captain Mooney earned the nation's third highest combat award, the Silver Star, two awards of the Bronze Star with "V" device for valor, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with "V" device, and two Purple Hearts, during his tour in Southeast Asia.

As a member of the 36th Separate Infantry Brigade of the Texas National Guard, Captain Mooney attended the Infantry Officer's basic course at Fort Benning, Ga., in April 1967. He entered active duty in July and served as operations officer of the Infantry Drill Sergeant School at Fort Polk, La., for the remainder of the year.

He went to Vietnam in January 1968 for a 12-month tour. He is now assigned to Headquarters Co., III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas, while participating in the Army National Speakers program.

Captain Mooney is a member of Sigma Delta Chi professional journalism fraternity, past member of the Kiwanis Club and Jaycees of Temple, Texas. Before entering the Army he was a newsman for Temple Daily Telegram.

The certificates certify that the team member has completed the training program and is "recognized for interest in his community's program for economic progress."

Primary purpose of the Industrial Development Team is to develop a skilled and competent leadership group that can successfully sell the advantages of the Ranger area to prospective new industries.

The training program was conducted to help the team in compiling data useful in this effort. It consisted of seven meetings of about two hours each. The first six meetings were conducted by Bob Browder of Texas Electric Service who discussed techniques of gathering, analyzing and presenting data about the community. This includes information about community conditions, government structure, taxes, site, and zoning, utilities, labor supply, construction and insurance, financing, transportation, and available resources and services.

The seventh session, conducted by Jim Heath, industrial development consultant for the Texas Industrial Commission, gave team members an opportunity for a realistic experience in making a presentation to persons simulating industrial prospects.



HAPPY CAMPERS Kenneth Henson, left, grandson of Mrs. Helen Britt, and Stanley Ray Crawford, son of Mrs. Judy Gerald, leave Sunday for a week at Camp Hoblitzelle near Midlothian. The camp is operated by the Salvation Army of which Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall is local chairman. The boys will return to Ranger July 26.

Officers for the coming year will be elected during the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary to be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, July 14, at the Community Club House, according to announcement of Mrs. J. H. Powell, president. All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

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9:00 a.m. — LWBB Church of God
1:45 p.m. — Boy Scout Troop No. 10, First Methodist Church.
2:00 p.m. — WMU, Second Baptist Church.
5:30 p.m. — Boy Scout Troop No. 10, First Methodist Church.
6:30 p.m. — World War I

WEDNESDAY
7:00 a.m. — Methodist Mens Prayer Group.
12:05 p.m. — Rotary Club, Bryan's Steak and Coffee Shop.
7:30 p.m. — Elks Club.
THURSDAY
12:05 p.m. — Lions Club, Bryan's Steak House.

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91st District In Second Week Of Criminal Hearings

The 91st District Court will enter its second straight week of hearing criminal cases Monday, July 14.

District Judge Earl Conner said cases set for the week include David C. Schoenrock, Johnny Lee Williamson, Fred Weldon Stokes, James D. McDaniel, Raymond Eugene Eubanks, Leroy Mangum, Kendall W. Seabourn, Leola Dobbs, Robinson, Bobby Joe Pennington, J. R. Veazey. Last week, three cases were tried, two were continued, and one defendant entered a plea of guilty.

Prospective jurors are: R. L. Kinser and J. W. Ramsey, both of Gorman; Vernie Long, Miss Tommie June Sharp, Marvin Hutto, and Jarl D. Cagle, all of Olden; Jimmy Warren and H. A. Tyrone, both of Carbon.

John H. Webb, Leamon Martindale, John C. Penn, Carlton Brown, F. S. Boland, Mrs. Lois Blaine, W. C. Tickner, Paul D. Butts, Oren Crowder, R. W. Berket, Paul W. Harper, Gene A. Agnew, and Milton Endebruck, all of Cisco.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Many Happy Returns to the following Rangerites who will celebrate birthdays during the coming week:
Sunday — Rickey Vinson, David Dixon, Arthur Camacho, Jr., Kelly McDonald, Shane Rogers.
Monday — Rhonda Reid, David Eaton, Mrs. R. V. Mathers, Johnny Camacho, Lolene Traylor.
Tuesday — Patsy Helms, Darla Franklin, Mrs. Carl Lammus.
Wednesday — Clyde A. Grimes, Toni Cherry, Debra Kay Simmons, Dick Jones.
Thursday — Dick Brasher, Louise McGee, Karen Squyers, Dickie Hatton, Mrs. Belle Hindman, Bill Guess, H. B. Weathers.
Friday — Nanny Thompson, W. H. Gay, Bobby Owen.
Saturday — Paul Sullivan, Larell Nicks, Thana Walton, Richard Helms, Gary Newberry.

Congratulations to these couples who will observe wedding anniversaries this week:
Monday, July 14 — Mr. and Mrs. Richard Helms.
Wednesday July 16 — Jack and Mary O'Neil.

TIMES parades the Pirates, Little League ball team, were honored on Wednesday evening at a party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tipton. Sponsors were Pirate coaches and their wives, Messrs. and Mrs. Mar Jones, Ed Hull and H. R. (Pete) Tibbels.

The group enjoyed hamburgers, ice cream and games of baseball. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Randle Rogers, Karla Hull, Jack Hull, Ronny Bloodworth, Vickie Bloodworth, Kelly Jones, Kay Jones, Cody Jones, Donna Tibbels, Alan Tibbels, Sue Tipton, Scott Tibbels, Ramon Huddleston, Clark McNabb, Eddie Hamilton, Charles Nash, Larry Dobbs, Mark Dobbs, and Tim Hatfield.

Times First 50
Financial statements of Ranger's three banks (Sept. 12, 1919 issue of Times) indicate a "come easy, go easy" attitude toward money. In spite of a large working population and good wages, assets of the local banks were as follows:
Farmers And Merchants — \$2,672,058.81; First National — \$2,680,552.76; Texas Bank & Trust Co. — \$709,993.32.

These figures indicate that there was much money leaving Ranger or else much investment in building. We see ample evidence of the latter, with pictures of construction of such buildings as P&Q Realty Bldg. at Main and Austin; Terrell Bldg. at Risk and Walnut; Marston Bldg., Main and Marston and Home Laundry at Walnut and Austin.

A Two-column picture on a full page ad told how Col. Rufus L. Lackland was developing Lackland Addition; V. V. Cooper, Sr. invited people to buy lots in the addition which bore his name and the sales slogan "come where it's high and dry." Kerley and Van Winkle were agents for lots in the new Hedges Oak Park Addition.

Ranger Chamber of Commerce, organized in 1918 with 300 members, became a member of West Texas Chamber of Commerce in 1919 when membership had increased to 722.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends of Robert A. Hannah, who went home to be with his Saviour, Friday, July 4th, Jr. Ranger General Hospital.

Words cannot express our appreciation for every act of love and kindness shown him and his family during his illness. To the Second Baptist Church and the members of the Masonic Lodge, to Dr. Watkins and entire staff of hospital; to Bill Guess and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reeves; to Mrs. Mary Aldrich, Mr. and Mrs. Mathena and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell for their helpful assistance to his wife, may we say "God bless you."

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Mrs. Robert A. Hannah and family.

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By OPAL MARSH

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ROYAL NEIGHBORS HOLDS REGULAR MEETING IN CLUB HOUSE ON MONDAY

The regular meeting of the Ranger Royal Neighbors was held at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Community Club House with Elinor Horton presiding.

During the business meeting it was decided to engage a "work day" at the new lodge hall on Tuesday morning, July 15.

The next meeting will be on Monday evening, Aug. 4.

Judge and Mrs. Steve Preslar, Robert and Sam and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Preslar and Kimberley, all of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Weber of Odessa were holiday guests of Mrs. Cora Preslar and Eunice Preslar.

LOCAL RESIDENTS RETURN FROM VACATION TO YELLOWSTONE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eaton and children, Clinton, Sandra and David; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Overstreet and son, Davie, all of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Elrod and son, Danny, of Eastland have returned from a most enjoyable vacation.

The families visited Yellowstone National Park, points of interest in Colorado, Salt Lake City and other scenic stops enroute.

The nine-day trip was much too short to cover all interesting opportunities, the vacationers said.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herrington and family of Buna spent last weekend as guests of his uncle, Max Ohr.

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WINNERS IN 4-H REVUE — Left, Susanne Harbin and right, Caddy Lee, model dresses which won them first places in the Senior and Junior divisions of the Eastland County 4-H Dress Revue July 1.

Food Dates For County Announced

Dates for the distribution of USDA food in Eastland County, to be distributed at the food center, 301 S. Mulberry St., Eastland, have been announced by Leon Clinton, administrator, as follows:

Monday, July 14 — Eastland, Olden and Ranger.
Tuesday, July 15 — Pioneer, Rising Star, Gorman, Carbon, Okra and Desdemona.
Wednesday, July 16 — Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.
Persons who cannot come to the food center on these dates may come on Thursday or Friday, July 17-18, he said.

County Singing Meet At Kokomo Sunday

The Eastland County Singing Convention will be held July 13 at Kokomo. The all-day event will feature a basket lunch.
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PRESCRIPTIONS & GIFTS

The county 4-H Dress Revue was held Tuesday, July 1, at the high school auditorium in Cisco. The colorful red, white and blue theme, "4-H Independents Parade of Fashions" was the setting for 21 girls who modeled the garments they had completed.

The sub-juniors division — ages 9 to 11 — consisted of Glenda Carroll, Diana McCahren, Nimrod; Cynthia Claiborn, Mary Jane Harbin, Karen Plowman, all of Eastland; and Caryn Lee, Karen Moseley and Debbie Wheat, all of Cisco.

The Junior Division was made up of girls 12-14. They were Jo Ann Green, Sicily Heysler, Caddy Lee, Cisco; Jeanette Jackson, Gorman; Becky Miller, Morton Valley; Dolly Moseley, Sherry Whisnant, Olden.

Girls ages 14-19 are Senior 4-H club members. Those participating in the Dress Revue were Kathy Boyd, Lynne Phippen, Cisco; Brenda Browder of Gorman; Suzanne Harbin, Eastland; Cynthia Housel of Rising Star; and Patsy Moseley of Olden.

Miss Suzanne Harbin, first place winner in the senior division, and Mia, Caddy Lee, first place winner in the junior division, will represent Eastland County at the District Dress Revue, Thursday, July 10, in Stephenville. Brenda Browder, Gorman, was a second place winner in the Senior Division and will serve as hostess at the District Dress Revue.

Other winners were Caryn Lee, Cisco, first place sub-junior; Karen Plowman of Eastland, second place sub-junior and Jo Ann Green, second place winner in the junior division.
A reception followed the Dress Revue honoring the girls, parents, and leaders. It was sponsored by the Home Demonstration Clubs of Eastland County.

J.C. Penney, Cisco, awarded fabric to the first place winners in each division, Bray's Department Stores, Eastland and Ranger, gave the second place winners a gift. Word Home Demonstration Club also gave the first place gift.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY, proposes to sell its Cottages No. 191 and 192 situated at the Pueblo Plant, between Cisco and MORAN, TEXAS and also Cottages No. 127 and 128, situated at the Gordon Plant at Gordon, Texas. Sale will be made to the highest bidder and as is bidder will be required to pay 3% sales tax in addition to the bid price and further shall have 90 days to move his cottage, tear up, clean off or otherwise remove all foundation materials including underpinning, leaving said site in a good and workmanlike manner, after he receives a bill of sale. All of the above listed cottages will be available after September 1, 1969. Submit written bids to LONE STAR GAS COMPANY, 301 South Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas 75201, Attention, Mr. Joe M. Scott. All bids must be received by August 1, 1969 to be considered. Lone Star Gas Company reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

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Royal Service Held July 8 at First Baptist

Members of WMU, First Baptist Church, met at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, July 8, for the monthly Royal Service program.

"Ministry to Armed Services" was the topic of the program directed by Mrs. W. A. Lewis, assisted by Mmes. Bill Ellis, W. A. Reuwer and J. B. Houghton.

Mrs. L. G. Kennedy, president, conducted a brief business meeting.

Those attending were Mmes. Wayne Mathews, Bill Ellis, L. G. Kennedy, Avery Sullivan, J. C. Carter, J. B. Houghton, W. A. Reuwer and W. A. Lewis.

Mrs. Criswell Is Hosts for Circle 2 Meet

Mrs. O. R. Criswell was hostess for the meeting of Circle No. II, WSCS of First United Methodist Church, at 9:30 a. m. Monday, July 7.

Mrs. Pat Collins, Circle Chairman, presided over the business meeting.

Program for the day, "The Search for Development and International Justice," was a sabbily presented by Mrs. E. H. Bobo.

The hostesses served refreshments to Miss Electra Pearson and Mmes. J. A. Bates, C. P. Ashcraft, George Kloss, Gaston Dixon, Pat Collins and E. H. Bobo.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Robinson have returned to their home in Bakersfield, Calif. following a visit with their cousins, Mmes. C. L. Mac Levey and Pearl Harrell.

Dr. Ralph E. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hornburg of Abilene were guests of Ranger friends last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jackson of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson of Altus, Okla. were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Falls. The group joined friends for an outing in the Strawn area on July 4.

Circle 3 Meet In Home of Mrs. Daniels

Circle No. III, WSCS of First United Methodist Church, met Monday morning, July 7, in the home of Mrs. Walter Daniels.

Mrs. Glyn Gilliam, chairman, presided. Mrs. T. D. Stewart offered the opening prayer. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Virginia Rayfield, treasurer, reported \$196.00 pledged with \$85.00 paid. There were 44 visits made to the sick and shut-ins and 30 cards mailed.

Mrs. James Morris had charge of the program, "The Search for Development and International Justice." This program was in the form of a "Meet The Press" panel composed of a moderator, an African government leader, an English economist, an American professor. Those taking part were Mmes. Stanley McAnelly, Beverly Dudley, Jr., P. M. Kuykendall and J. A. Johnson.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Alice Landers, Frank Williamson, E. H. Mills, T. D. Stewart, Virginia Rayfield, A. J. Ratliff, Frank Peersall, P.M. Kuykendall, James Morris, Stanley McAnelly, J. A. Johnson, Glyn Gilliam, Orliff Lewis, Bess Brinneman, Nora Roush, Beverly Dudley, Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Walter Daniels.

Mrs. D. L. Fyffe and daughter, Jeanie, of Lubbock, are visiting with relatives in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. King were weekend guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. M. Browning of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Pounds of Arlington were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. W. G. Pounds.

Mrs. Wynelle Surles, the former Oleta Pounds of Ranger, is a surgical patient in Methodist Hospital, Dallas, and is reported to be resting comfortably.

Mrs. D. E. Pulley spent last weekend in Pittsburg, a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell and family.

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- Folgers COFFEE lb. 69c

- FOOD KING - 6-oz. Can GRATED TUNA 25c

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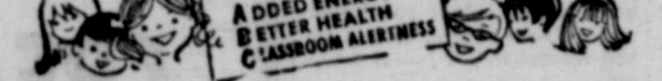
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Lesser Cornstalk Borer Is Threat to County Peanuts

The Lesser cornstalk borer, a destructive insect of peanuts, is now active in many Eastland County peanut fields. County Agent De Gordon reported finding infestations in the Gorman and Rising Star areas July 10. He said full grown larvae were found in most fields. The hot dry weather is a favorable condition for the cornstalk borer.

The county agent says this insect cost peanut farmers thousands of dollars in 1967, but was less destructive last year.

Gordon says each producer must make a decision whether or not to control the cornstalk borer. If borers have been a problem in the past it would be advisable to apply insecticide. Many times the infestation remains low when the peanuts are irrigated.

The cornstalk borer is found around the base of the peanut plant. The most noticeable sign is silken tubes or in the roots and stems of the plant. Their color is bright green to turquoise with brown stripes across the body.

The insect must be controlled by applying insecticides before pegging. Diazinon, Parathion, or DDT may be applied as spray or granules. Gordon says to apply granules in a 12-14 inch band directly over row and work into top few inches of the soil. For application, he suggests using two spray nozzles per row so that the lower stems and a 6-8 inch band of soil covered on each side of the row.

***HOSPITAL NEWS**

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Saturday morning were:

Mrs. Beulah Maner
 Mrs. Cora Walker
 Mrs. Patsy Patterson
 Mrs. Lena G. Patterson
 Mrs. Alice Woodard
 Mrs. R. L. Edwards
 Mrs. Mollie Schaffner
 Mrs. Barbara Zimmerman
 Mrs. Louise Trippett
 Mrs. Onis Littlefield
 Mrs. Raymond Boyd
 Mrs. Kathaleen Nowak
 Mrs. J. F. Moseley
 O. R. Gaffner
 C. A. Campbell
 Ben Patterson
 Marion Goforth
 Jesse Sager
 Joshua A. Ridling
 Curtis Blackwell
 Raymond Boyd
 T. I. Collins
 A. G. Craven
 Willie W. Woods
 Simmie Kellum.

The following persons were listed as patients in Eastland Memorial Hospital Saturday:

Edgar McCollum
 Rose Goode, Ranger.
 Lillie Wrugg, Cisco.
 Esther Williams
 Ouida Van Hoy, Corsicana.
 Joe Petree, Cisco.
 Curtis Williams
 Charlene Thackerston, Olden
 Johnnie Haynes
 Jimmy Parrigan, Carbon.
 Bascom Roberson
 A. L. Bralley, Cisco.
 Howell Sledge
 Granville Jones
 Jesus Elizaldo, Cisco.
 Addie Baggett
 Katie Easter, Gorman.
 Zettie Parrack
 Suvie Gaska
 Juanita Jessup
 Edna Shambarger, Cisco.
 Alfred Ogle, Ranger.
 Lillie Ogle, Ranger.
 Anna Reich, Cisco.
 Maude Dabney
 Florence Taylor, Cisco.
 Reva Horn
 Nannie Carney
 Beulah Moseley, Cisco.

GRAHAM HOSPITAL
 Patients in Graham Hospital Saturday morning were reported as follows:

Mrs. H. P. Hennington
 Mrs. Blanche Townsley
 Mrs. C. P. Ault
 Carl Lamb
 Mrs. A. J. Davis.

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WELFARE OFFICIALS SPEAK 'FOR' AMENDMENT NO. 5

Leo Thames of the Eastland County Welfare Office said Monday that the success of the state welfare system in Texas depends upon the outcome of the August 5 special election.

On that date, Texans will vote on a constitutional amendment on welfare programs.

Thames quoted State Welfare Commissioner Burton G. Hackney as saying, "Approval of the amendment will enable the Legislature to appropriate funds for the Welfare Department to more adequately provide for the elderly, the needy blind, the disabled, and dependent children. Its failure will mean the failure of the state welfare system in Texas. The alternative is a massive federal program."

State funds available for public assistance (welfare) payments now are limited by the Texas Constitution to \$60 million annually.

Thames says the limit on these funds, combined with a growing number of people in need, has led to a crisis in the state welfare program for the needy children of Texas.

The Legislature has submitted to the voters, on the August 5 ballot, a proposed Constitutional amendment which would raise the ceiling to \$80 million annually. The amendment contains a built-in appropriation to make available on September 1 an additional \$15 million a year for the next two years.

Added to the present program, this would provide \$75 million annually — or \$5 million less than the proposed new ceiling.

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| \$9.00 | \$5.98 | \$9.00 |
| \$10.00 | \$6.66 | \$10.00 |
| \$12.95 | \$8.63 | \$12.95 |
| \$16.95 | \$11.29 | \$16.95 |
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| Reg. \$4.00 | \$2.66 | \$4.00 |
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PRESS as it looks from here WASHINGTON, D. C. — THERE WAS A TIME WHEN THE PROBLEMS of agriculture could hold the center of the stage in Washington. This was the day when the so-called "farm bloc" had great influence simply because of numbers.

IN RECENT YEARS THIS NUMBER has steadily decreased to the point that relatively few members of Congress are directly interested in the farmer and rural areas. We have turned from an agricultural oriented economy to an industrial economy. It has been a natural evolution but it has also aggravated problems, not the least of which are social. The concentration of population, according to all studies, has greatly contributed to problems of transportation, sanitation, health care, schools and other social conditions reflected in the things we see and read about in the big cities.

THE FARM PROGRAM EXPIRES AT THE END OF 1970. Next year the Congress must face up to either extending the various programs in their present form or devise other methods in an attempt to keep a healthy agricultural economy. The Agriculture Committee of the Congress is to begin hearings in the very near future as a predicate to studies of specific recommendations to be developed before

the expiration of the present law. The Administration has not yet come up with proposals but some are expected within the next month. Actually no legislation of any substantial nature is expected in this year but there must be groundwork laid for necessary action in the second session of this 91st Congress.

IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE IF THE PROBLEMS involving agriculture, and there are many, were shunted aside by the big issues of the machine age. If such is per-

mitted, not only would the welfare of the farmer himself be seriously affected, but the American consumers would ultimately have to pay more for food and clothing than they do at the present.

WITH ALL THE FAULTS OF THE FARM PROGRAM, and no one is likely to contend that it is perfect, farmers have been able to produce with such efficiency and abundance that the American consumer now uses only 17.2 percent of his disposable net income for food. From the standpoint of the farmers income, and in spite of the fact that a big of groceries is pretty light as related to the cost at the check-out counter, food is a bargain in the overall family budget. If this appears to be an exaggeration, indices show that the producer of some major crops receives only about one-half of what he received for the same product twenty years ago, while prices he pays for various items that go into production have doubled and

tripled.

IT IS PRETTY CLEAR THAT THE FARMER, therefore, must either continue to receive some governmental assistance or he will produce less and the consumer will pay more. Apparently, the only other alternative is to turn farming over to corporations and syndicates which will produce, process and retail with the probable result of higher prices at the store. Many of our colleagues in the Congress from the cities thus far fail to take a long-range view of the results of such a situation.

IT IS NOT THE FARMER ALONE WHO IS CAUGHT IN the price-cost squeeze. It can be a lot of people. These just can be no such thing as keeping prices below the cost of production and the farmer go on buying tractors, trucks, fertilizers, insecticides and all the other things which must go into the raising of a crop.

THERE WAS NEVER A TIME WHEN THE FARMER,

in addition to battling the elements, could buy on an unprotected market and sell on a protected market. The reverse is historically true—he must pay the set price on wages, profits and interest but has always had to sell for what he could get for his product. Under parts of any farm program he is to a degree regimented but it would take regimentation throughout our economy, such as a freeze on wages, prices, profits and interest on borrowed money and maybe even a guarantee against nature's elements, to put him in the economic position with industry.

THE PRESENT FARM PROGRAM IS FOR FROM PERFECT. For years the idea has been to devise a balance between production and demand; to stabilize the agricultural economy and at the same time give the consumer a break in the cost of food and fiber. This goal will be sought in the future but solutions are not easy or simple.

Sunday Sermon Is Announced

A communion service will be held Sunday, July 13, in all Christian Science churches. All are welcome. The subject of the Lesson-Sermon is "Sacrament" and includes Jesus' words, "Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word."

Services will be held at First Church of Christ Scientist, Corner, Larmar and Plummer Streets, Eastland, Texas, at 11:00 a.m.

Related passages from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy include the following: "That he might liberally pour his dear-bought treasures into empty or sin-filled human storehouses, was the incarnation of Jesus' intense human sacrifice. . . The purpose of his great life-work extends through time and includes universal humanity."

Rotary Test To Be Drilled Six Miles SE Cisco

A 4,000-foot Ellenberger wildcat oil test is planned on an 183-acre lease six miles southeast of Cisco.

The well, to be known as the 1-31 L. W. Tucker, will be a rotary test drilled by the United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Company.

Location is 467 feet from the north and east lines of the southwest quarter of Section 31, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

LVNA DIVISION MEET

The LVNA Division No. 64 will meet at 7:30 p. m., Monday, July 14, at the Eastland Memorial Hospital Conference Room, it was reported by Lucia Parsons. All members are urged to attend.



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