

## Mrs. Arthur Murrell to Address Garden Club at Thurs. Meet

### WHAT'S...



### COOKING?

By NORMAN WRIGHT

All up and down Main Street grins are a little broader and greetings are a little louder this week as Ranger and Eastland County head into Spring with the best prospects for a good planting season since the year 1949.

You wouldn't say the ground has all the moisture it can use, but it has plenty to start on, ranging from six to eight inches of rain since Christmas in various parts of the county, and farmers are once more getting ready to put in a full crop.

Everywhere you go over in surrounding areas small grains are looking good, and certainly the grass shows signs of growing. A good, heavy crop of spring grass would mean just about as much as anything and that is practically already in the bag.

The wonderful part about the whole thing is, the weather prophets have said this section can expect some good rain all through April, May and June, and if we can't take their word for it there is no other word to take. They even go so far as to say they are more optimistic about a good crop year everywhere than they have been in seven or eight years. The weathermen have based their calculations on careful, scientific studies and not just wild guesses and hopes.

If Ranger has managed to survive all this time without any crop at all, there just isn't any telling how far the place will go with a good harvest season under its belt. Of course, there are some long, hot days to weather through next June, July and August, but somehow we have the strange feeling that this year is it.

And while we are on the subject of planting, now is as good a time as any to mention that the Ranger Garden Club holds its first Spring meeting this coming Thursday, and whatever plans they set in motion will have to be started now because it will be getting pretty late in the season when the next meeting date rolls around.

The Garden Club is holding open its membership rolls for charter members, and anyone who joins now will be considered a charter member of the organization. Membership is not only open to every woman (and man) in Ranger, but also to everyone from surrounding communities who wish to join. The Garden Club would like to have members here from Olden, Alameda, Salem, Cheaney and all the surrounding neighborhoods, because the Ranger women feel they can learn a lot from them about home and lawn beautification.

A highlight of the Garden Club Meeting Thursday will be a talk by Mrs. Arthur Murrell of Eastland on How Club Women Can Help Toward Civic Improvement. Mrs. Murrell is president of the Eastland Civic League and has attended meetings (Continued on Page 2)

### Weather Reports

Colder. Partly cloudy and continued warm Tuesday but turning colder Tuesday night with lows in the 40s. Windy and colder Wednesday with high in the 50s. No moisture indicated.

### SERVICE

Pamper your car with quality service from our experienced mechanics. All cars—fast, efficient, economical. Call 802 today. Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland

Mrs. Arthur Murrell, president of the Eastland Civic League, and noted for her interesting book reviews, will be principal speaker at the first Spring meeting of the Ranger Garden Club which will be held Thursday morning at 9:30 at the Community Club House.

Mrs. Murrell will talk on the subject, How Club Women Can Help on Civic Improvement. Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, Garden Club President, urges all members to be present because, aside from the very appropriate address to be given by Mrs. Murrell, there are a lot of other things to be discussed in connection with the Garden Club program for the year.

Valentine decorations will be carried out and refreshments will be served. Mrs. Hamrick has said that charter membership in the Garden Club is being held open, and anyone who becomes a member any time this Spring will be taken in as a charter member. The club also extends an invitation to all women in towns and communities surrounding Ranger to join the club here.

Mrs. Bill Clem, publicity chairman for the club, says that a plant exchange program is going to be worked up where all members can swap plants they have a lot of for some they don't have any of, and this always proves to be an interesting activity.

The very nature of a Garden Club and the kind of work it sponsors can do more for the appearance of a town than almost any other type of organization, and that is why the club here is anxious to enroll as many members from Ranger as is possible. The membership is already a large one, but twice as many members would make it twice as good.

## C of C Highway Committee Sets 1957 Goals

The Highway Committee of the Chamber of Commerce was the latest group of that organization to meet and map its plans for the year 1957. The meeting was held last Thursday afternoon with 100 per cent attendance. Morris George, chairman, presiding. Members present were Don Elliott, A. N. Larson, Roscoe Hopper and R. R. Phillips.

Given top priority on the year's work was the move to expedite in every way possible the paving of the lake road from Highway 80 to Farm Road 570 at Lone Cedar. This project is already included in the present two-year highway program.

Second project on the list was to begin immediately to promote the extension of this road across the dam, to be included in the next two-year program, and to promote a working relation with citizens of Gorman to eventually extend this road to Gorman through the Kokomo community.

Third project is to keep a close check on all dirt roads leading into Ranger and work with the County Commissioner in keeping these roads in good condition.

The group also discussed inviting Gordon Smith, County Highway Engineer, to meet with the committee in the near future to discuss the overall road program affecting Ranger. A. N. Larson was asked to contact Smith in regard to meeting with the committee.

## Robinson Grocery Ad Almost Cleans Store

Robinson's Food Market, located at 121 N. Rusk, ran a page ad in the Times last Thursday on Birds Eye Frosted Foods and came darn near selling out the whole store.

It was a promotion put on in cooperation with the Birds Eye people, and Birds Eye representatives thought they had shipped enough of everything in here to last through Friday and Saturday at least, with some left over for the following week, but almost every package was sold out the first day, Friday, with little or nothing left for Saturday.

Not only that, Robinson said, but customers proceeded to clean him of nearly everything else in stock once they got on the inside of the store.

One customer was heard to remark Saturday night that the Robinson meat counter, usually filled to the brim with fine cuts of beef and pork, probably didn't have more than 15 pounds of anything left including all the dried and packaged meats.

It just all goes to prove what the Times has been saying all along—if you slap a page ad in here, something is going to move. We've never seen it fail.

## Another Lovely Ranger High School Sweetheart



MISS NANCY GRAHAM, above, was presented to a packed gymnasium last Friday night as the Bulldogs' Basketball Sweetheart of 1957. She is standing between Paul Hinds, No. 20, who did most of the presenting, and David Wharton, No. 60, star Bulldog forward. In the background are Wayne Jowers, No. 55 and Gerald Shockey, No. 22. The young gent peeking over the sweetheart's head is Charles Tibbels, Bulldog center. Capps Studio Photo.

## Shelby Griffin, Former Ranger Resident, Dies

Shelby S. Griffin, 74, former resident of Ranger, and known as "Shell" to his wide circle of friends in Ranger and Eastland County, died at his home in Weatherford on Friday, February 8, after a lingering illness of five years.

Mr. Griffin came to Ranger as a youth when his family moved to the city from Desdemona, settling on a farm about two miles west of town. Griffin's father, John Griffin, was one of Ranger's pioneer postmasters, having served around the turn of the century.

Funeral services for Mr. Griffin were conducted in the Cotten-Bratton Chapel in Weatherford Sunday afternoon with Dr. R. C. Edwards, pastor of the First Methodist Church of that city officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife: one daughter, Mrs. C. Ed Pritchard of Midland; two sons, Ray Griffin of Natchez, Miss., and Travis W. Griffin of Lubbock; one brother, Wright Griffin of Grandbury; two sisters, Mrs. Ella Sanderford of Ranger, and Mrs. J. P. Booles of Weatherford; eight grandchildren and one great grandchild. Other near relatives include a niece, Mrs. B. H. Peacock of Ranger.

## Dad, Daughter Box Supper Will Be Held Thurs.

The Camp Fire Girls will have a Dad and Daughter Valentine Box Supper in the home of Mrs. Bill Clem Wednesday night, with Mrs. Edwin Lummus as co-leader.

The girls are decorating boxes with w i t h sentimental hearts and flowers in which they plan to pack a supper for themselves and their fathers. Both fathers and daughters will present the program, which is being planned to offer plenty of fun and enjoyment for both dads and daughters, and all of them are urged to put aside whatever else they're doing and plan to attend.

Purpose of these reports is to give publicity to Lake Leon and therefore indirectly to Ranger. Unusual catches are not only reported in the Times, but plans have been developed to report them in other papers of the county, as well as the state papers, so that the fame of Lake Leon can be spread as far as possible.

All fishermen are asked to kindly cooperate and report their best catches because at this season of the year they make big news.

If any of you go all out and catch a string that is really and truly unusual, or a fish that is a whopper, come by the Times and let us take your picture, so other people will believe it.

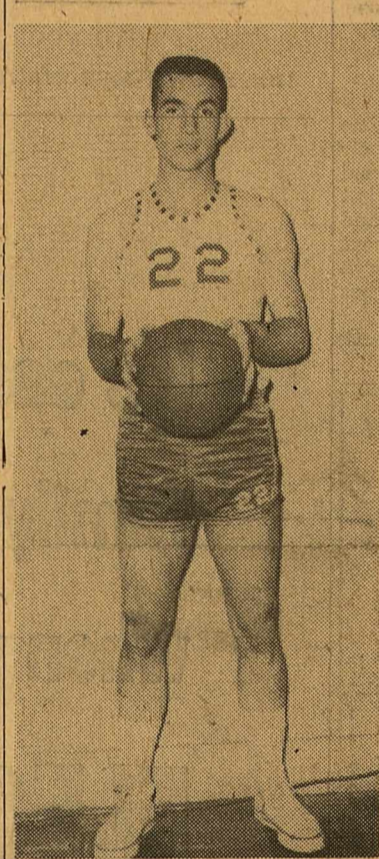
### SATURDAY GUESTS

Mrs. Lee Mitchell had as guests Saturday her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Havins, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wright of Childress.

### TV HEADQUARTERS

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## RJC Vs. Tarleton Here Tuesday Night



JAMES TULL ... Conference Top Scorer

## Blank Fishing Reports Being Sent Out BY C-C

Blank Fishing Reports have been prepared by Rip Galloway, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, to be left at all camps on Lake Leon and also at Sporting Goods Stores in Ranger, upon which fishermen can record their catches when they come in with a string of fish big enough to brag about.

The report contains blanks for the number of fish caught, the kind, the weight of the entire string, weight of the biggest fish, bait used, and other pertinent information that makes good, newsy reading for other fishermen.

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### SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Weir visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stell Sunday.

### BE SURE—SEE

Don Pierson Olds-Cadillac Eastland Quality Cars at Volume Prices

The Pioneer Conference basketball game here Tuesday night between Ranger Junior College and Tarleton will match two of the top scorers in the loop when the Rangers' James Tull matches shots with the Plowboys' Bob Davis.

Tull is leading scorer in the loop with a game average of 19.8, and Davis is close on his heels with a game average of 19.1.

The last time the Rangers and the Plowboys got together in a conference tilt, Tarleton barely won out by a score of 68-66, and Ranger hopes to even the score Tuesday night.

Probable starting line-up will be Bill Light, center, Alton Williams and James Tull, forwards; and B u b b a Canuteson and Doug Jordan, guards.

Loss to H-S Buttons In a hard fought game last Saturday night and playing without the services of their top scorer who was laid up with a slight case of pneumonia, Ranger lost a tough one to the Hardin - Simmons Buttons, 74-71. Ranger made only 50 per cent of its free shots, and missed four of them in the last 30 seconds of the game.

Coach Fred Weir said if Tull had been in the game, he believed Ranger could have scored 100 points at least, and a big victory instead of a 3-point loss.

Saturday night's box score was as follows: BUTTONS: Field goals, f r e e throws, total points: Arden 5-11; Faubion 4-4-12; Gibson 8-5-21; Cunningham 6-6-18; Graham 5-2-12. Totals 28-18-74.

RANGER JC: Darnell 2-1-5; Everett 1-0-2; Williams 3-1-7; Jordan 8-2-15; Canuteson 14-0-28; Lorton 3-3-9; Boynton 1-0-2. Totals 32-7-71.

Halftime score: H-SU 36, Ranger JC 32.

## Plenty of Lawn Mowing Taking Place In Ranger

Many a poor Ranger Husband was seen sweating and pushing behind a lawn mower over the past weekend as he struggled with Spring grass, whereas last weekend he was shoveling ice and scraping doorsteps and sidewalks. It's a sad life.

Spring grass in many lawns is almost one-half knee high, and in spite of the cold weather, many venturesome buds are on the verge of busting out all over, especially redbud bushes for those who have them.

It might also be noted there are plenty of fishing worms right now, and worm-lovers, namely fishermen who can't find them during July and August, are advised to make a bed of them while the making is good, lest there come a day when they can't be had at any price.

### FOR

Fine Furniture, Floor Coverings, G.E. Appliances, It's Coats Furniture & Carpet, Ltd., Eastland.

## Plans Working On Several More

# Construction Starts On First New GI Home

## Honor Roll for Semester Given for Public Schools

School Superintendent G. B. Rush has released the Semester Honor Roll for all three schools in the Ranger Public School System, and in this issue of the Times we are printing the Honor list for the Seventh and Eighth Grades, and the Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior Classes.

In subsequent issues of the Times, we will publish the Honor Roll for Young School and Hodges School.

The Times wishes to thank Superintendent Rush and all teachers who cooperated in preparing these lists for publication.

### SEMIESTER HONOR ROLL

#### Seventh Grade

All A's: Janey Adams, Frankie Reitherford, Jill Watkins.

All A's and B's: Jay D. Baker, Joe Barker, Loyd Capps, Pat Kim, Connie Meadows, Wilma Mendoza, Emma L. Montgomery, Teddie Neeley, Jack Noth, David Rogers, Carlton Stagner, Dwight Squires, Terry Townzen, Judy Wright, Lucille Nuesle.

All B's: Carolyn Beaty, Charlotte Carlton, Pauline Gould, Richard Guest, June Loper.

#### Eighth Grade

All A's: Gary Bradshaw, Ronnie Daskevich, Alex Eakin, Sarah Johnson, Robert Koenig, Edward Mendez, Tommy Robinson.

All A's and B's: Sue Cantwell, Tim Covington, Phyllis Hale, Celia Jimenez, Billy Johnson, Joyce Joyner, Alyce Pounds, David Ramsey, Richard Robie, Jim Robinson, Rachel Rohde, Wayne Ross, Ann Spindle, Linda Truesdale, Sara Vinson, David Webb, Richard Wilhelm, Melba Wright.

All B's: Kay Hopper, Melanie Newman, Sharon Sutton.

#### Freshmen

All A's and B's: Don Adams, Sandra Cooper, Norma Emfinger, Robert Ferguson, Patsy Graham, Homer Montgomery, Glenda Rains, Frances Veale, Nellis Vinson.

All B's: Jimmy Needham.

#### Sophomores

All A's and B's: Nelda Melton, John Tom Tibbels.

All B's: Anna Beth Deffebach, Dorothy Jacoby, Tommy Warford.

#### Juniors

All A's and B's: You Wanna Adams, Don Deffebach, Lynda Ferguson, Betty Gardenhire, Ann Robinson.

All B's: Jackie Neeley, David Wharton, Beverly Moore.

#### Seniors

All A's and B's: Jerry Bradford, Dan Cruse, Sue Garrett, John Hagaman, Paul Hinds, Dorothy Neeham, Jim Penny, Elizabeth Seymore, Linda Shaffer, Vonnie Shook.

All B's: Gene Bagwell, Gerald Shockey.

## Need Fish News

The Times wants to remind you that if you go fishing this week end and catch anything, please call us at 224 and tell us all about it. The season is here and we need some fishing stories.

Shortest Distance between you and the buyer is a line in the Times Classified Ads.



LEM T. RUSHING Joins Anderson Chevrolet

## Rushing Joins Anderson Chev. Co. As Salesman

Lem T. Rushing, long time Ranger resident and businessman, has joined Anderson Chevrolet Company as salesman, it is announced by Andy and Bill Anderson, owners.

For many years Rushing was connected with the Ranger Steam Laundry and has also been connected with Montgomery Ward Company. He has legions of friends and acquaintances throughout the area and he invites all of them to come to see him in his new location.

The addition of Rushing to the New and Used car departments as salesman is a part of plans being put forward by the Andersons to make their automobile company one of the most complete in the area from the standpoint of service and fair, personal relationships. The company is looking forward to a big year in 1957, and many more improvements in the firm's services.

## Teen Town Has Party; Thanks Donors for Gifts

Seventy-three members of Teen Town, out of total membership of 101, celebrated a St. Valentine's Day party last Saturday night. It was a gala affair at which youngsters played games, danced and enjoyed refreshments served by the Mothers Club while Delbert Capps recorded the whole thing photographically.

Teen Town has been beautifully decorated for the occasion by the Decoration Committee which consisted of Gary Bradshaw, Deane Richey, Bert Young, Teddie Neeley, Jill Watkins, Alex Eakin, Dan Dixon, Melvin Anderson and Deedee Nuesle.

Members of Teen Town wish to thank the following for gifts which were made to them recently: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford, punch bowl; Mr. and Mrs. John Swinney and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pounds, black boards; Dr. and Mrs. Price Ashton, three sets of chess men; Deedee Nuesle, one set of chess men; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates, refreshment table.

## Oscar G. Lanier Joins National Accountant Ass'n

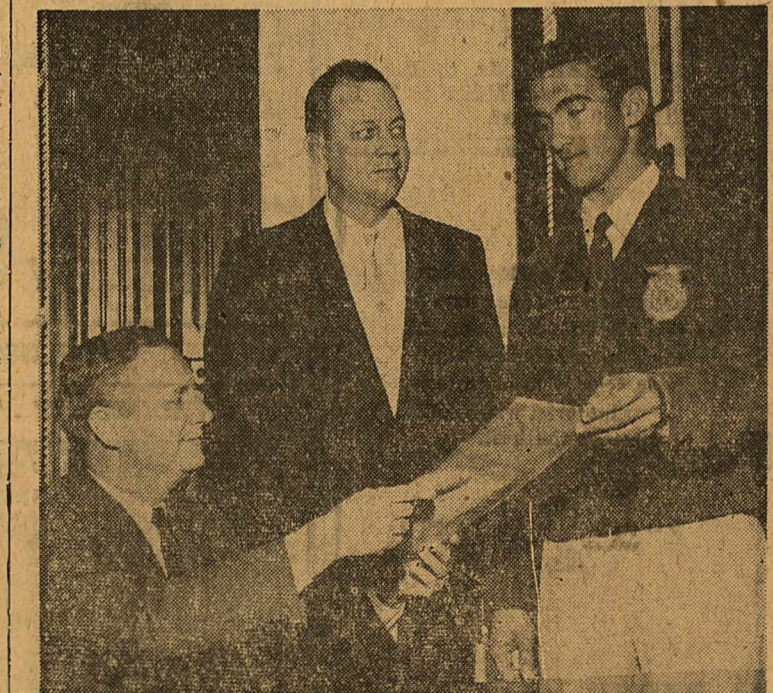
Oscar G. Lanier, 113 S. Rusk, has passed the required examination and has been accepted into membership as a fellow of the National Association of Tax Accountants, it has been learned here.

The N.A.T.A. is a nationwide group of qualified Tax Accountants organized in 1943 for the promotion of their profession and to assure taxpayers of a fair deal in the preparation of their tax returns.

One of the main objects of the association, according to Carl R. Staiger, president, is the elimination of untrained and unethical "so-called tax experts who blossom forth each year at income tax filing time."

## Please Call Early

Those of you wishing to turn in news and announcements are asked to kindly call us the day before publication if possible. It assures you a better position and also a better coverage.



GOVERNOR PRICE DANIEL has designated the week of February 16-23 as National Future Farmers of America Week in Texas. Governor Daniel is shown presenting the proclamation to Kenton Harvey, State FFA President and E. C. Weekley, Executive Secretary of the Texas Association of Future Farmers of America.

Construction got under way Monday morning on the first new GI Home to be built in Ranger since the way was opened during the latter part of 1956 by M. L. Lawson, Abilene contractor. Contracts for still more new ones are in the mill and being processed.

The home which got under way Monday belongs to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tackett and will be located at 712 Paige Street. It's going to be a dream with three bedrooms, garage, central heating, hardwood floors, built-in fixtures, outside brick trim, planter boxes and everything else to turn a house into a home.

The GI Loan application went through without a hitch once the plans were decided upon, and Contractor Lawson said the appraisers even appraised it for more than was asked.

This disproves forever the old feeling that GI Loans could not be obtained for a town the size of Ranger, but they can—just as many as Ranger wants to submit so long as the man's credit is good. There are other loans in the process of being approved now, and several other families are drawing up plans for their homes for which loan applications will be made as soon as the final plans are decided upon.

It is expected that at least six or eight houses will be going up as a starter, and Contractor Lawson said as soon as people finally began to believe that GI Loans can be secured here the same as Abilene, or anywhere else, many plans will be in the making.

It is a golden opportunity for young couples, or older couples either, who are eligible for GI Loans to make their dreams for a new home of their own absolute realities. The initial down payments are low and easy enough to make that anybody with an average income can handle them with ease, and after the house is built the payments on it are, in many cases, lower than rent payments.

Anybody wishing to contact Contractor Lawson can reach him through his son Jake Lawson at Lone Star Gas Company, or through the Chamber of Commerce. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson have moved to Ranger and are living in one of the Killingsworth apartments at 114 N. Marston. Lawson will continue to reside here until all of the houses are built.

His regular home is at Abilene where he has built scores of GI Homes and he knows all about what a person has to do to get the loans approved, and he has a company working with him that will handle the loans. Lawson also has more than a hundred house plans that a person can select from, or he will build a home from scratch according to a couple's own plans.

Anybody who doesn't have a brand new home of his own to move into this Spring has nobody but himself to blame.

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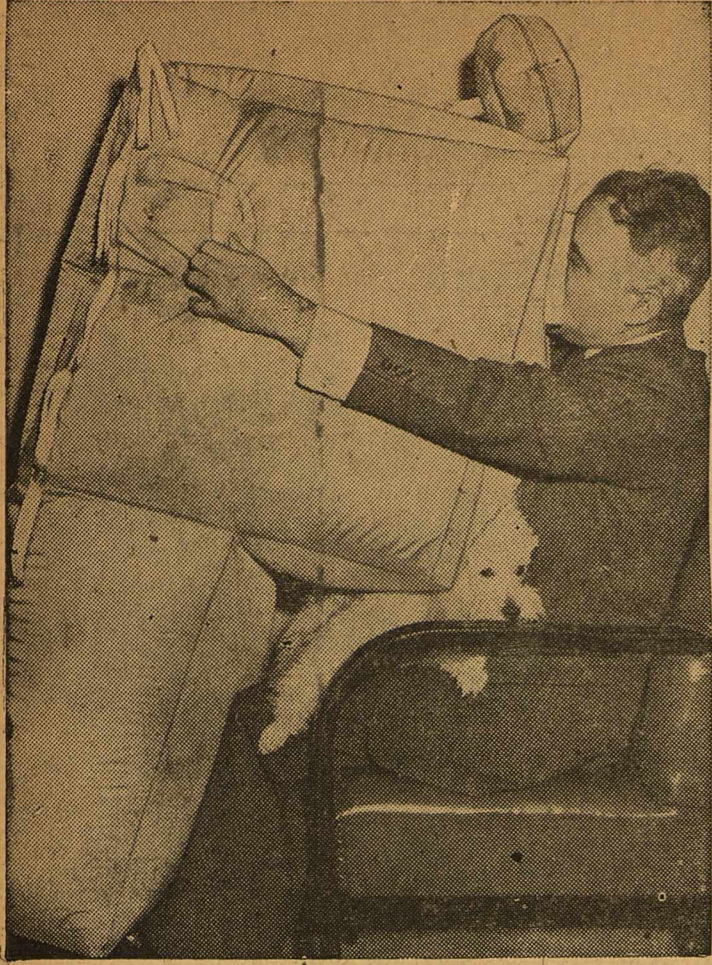
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Killingsworth's Morticians Serving Ranger Since 1918 Insurance Birth to 90 Yrs. Phone 29



FOR GREATER SAFETY—This bulky air-filled cushion may become standard equipment on airliners soon. Its designer, pioneer aviator Assen Jordanoff, of Mineola, N.Y., shows how the inflated pneumatic device, in an L-shape, would protect passengers from injury due to crashes or forced landings. The French poodle represents a child in his lap. Slated for production in the next few months, the individual cushions can be inflated by the pilot in three seconds.

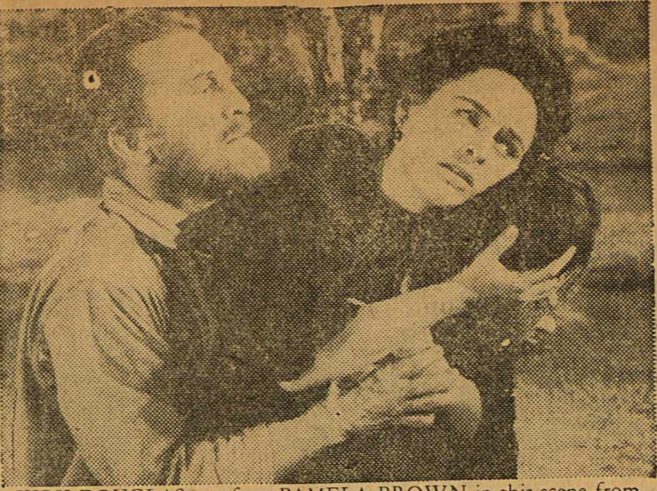
Velton T. Moser to N. D. Gallagher Clay Prod. Corp., warranty deed.  
Si Masters to Hanna Paint Mfg. Co., MML.  
W. L. McCollum to Vera Lee Dodson Headrick, MD.  
Lulu B. Paschall to W. C. Foreman, warranty deed.  
David D. Pickrell to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.  
J. D. Rogers to Horace Miller, warranty deed.  
Si Masters to Hanna Paint Mfg. Co., MML.  
Wesley Steffler to A. W. Brazda, warranty deed.  
Luther Shirley to The Public, designation of homestead.  
Luther Shirley to Florence Delaney, deed of trust.  
Robert Sanson to A. I. Goldberg, lease pooling agreement & assignment.

Trinity State Bank v. Fred V. Goswick, abstract of judgement.  
J. L. Tindall to The Public, proof of heirship.  
W. E. Tyler to O. F. Newsom, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Roy Tackett to M. L. Lawson, warranty deed.  
United States of America to Tri-Cities Broadcasting Company, release of tax lien.  
Veterans Land Board to John Leon Richardson, contract of sale.  
Hall Walker to Horace Miller, warranty deed.  
W. M. Winans to Delpha W. Barr, Power of attorney.  
Mignon W. Winans to A. A. Williams, contract.  
Euel H. Westmoreland to A. B. Kennedy, warranty deed.  
Miley A. Wilson to C-M Construction Company, MML.

Carrie R. Wood, deceased, application to probate will.  
Roy C. McClelland, deceased, application for administration.  
William P. Lee, deceased, application to probate will.  
ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS  
91st District Court  
Rose Marie Delezanne v. Willis Homer Delezanne, judgement.  
J. S. Hatton v. E. D. Spears, et al, order of dismissal.  
Toledo Society for Crippled Children, et al v. Walter G. Kirkbride, et al, order.

William D. Boone to R. F. Shaw, Jr., deed of trust.  
John T. Brown to C. C. Brown, warranty deed.  
Bartlett Petroleum Company to the following (all assignments of oil and gas leases):  
A. Alex Sheeford, S. R. Gardner, C. D. Stampley, James M. Ruff, James H. Dixon, Jr. and C. P. Ballenger, Jr. Russell Cobb, Jr. to R. A. Latham, release of oil and gas lease.  
Russell Cobb, Jr. to Etta B. Camp, release of oil and gas lease.  
Mrs. A. C. Campbell to George L. Ingram, warranty deed.  
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Roy D. Tackett, release of vendor's lien.  
City of Cisco to Mrs. W. J. Britain, cemetery deed.  
City of Cisco to James A. Smith, warranty deed.  
R. F. Dolgner to H. E. Lawson, warranty deed.  
Elijah Dunn to Pearl Emily Harris, special warranty deed.  
Tincie C. Davenport to T. C. High, quit claim deed.  
Neil B. Eaves to The Public, affidavit.  
Felix E. Fisher to Humble Pipe Line Company, deed of trust.  
Frank Flores to Federal Land Bank, Houston, deed of trust.  
First National Bank, Cisco to H. A. Thorman, release of vendor's lien.  
J. A. Fox to L. A. Scott, cor. warranty deed.  
Ray Ground to Ellie Brazda, warranty deed.  
R. Blake Hawk to Chun Wak, assignment of oil and gas lease.  
T. C. High to C. H. Burkett, warranty deed.  
Doris M. Hay to Elsie A. Fonville, warranty deed.  
William H. Huffman to Felix E. Fisher, deed.  
B. A. Ingram to A. C. Campbell warranty deed.  
Floyd Jay to Dean Bennett, deed.  
KLB Oil Corp. to Bartlett Petroleum Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.  
Lone Star Gas Company to N. W. Meador, release of oil and gas lease.  
Ida Etoile Lumpkin to The Public, cc probate.  
Dillard LaRue, Jr. to R. W. Fair, MD. Horace Miller to E. H. Mills, deed of trust.

The Life Story of the Celebrated Artist Van Gough



KIRK DOUGLAS comforts PAMELA BROWN in this scene from "LUST FOR LIFE," an MGM picture. Cinemascope. Metro Color. Tuesday and Wednesday Only at Majestic

What's Cooking—

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ings all over the state where this question has been discussed. She has picked up many ideas on the subject, and her talk should be quite beneficial to all who hear her.  
The Garden Club is one organization where any woman can hold membership and have a lot in common with every other member. It is not a bridge club, or canasta club, or something of that order which eliminates a lot of members because they do not care for or play the games, but it is a club dedicated to home and city beautification which is of interest to everybody.

In this connection the National Better Business Bureau has issued another warning, this time on mail order nurseries. The Bureau says these nurseries send out beautiful literature printed in full color showing the most beautiful hedges and plants and trees imaginable, and offer to send out all these beautiful things for so much money, and when they arrive they are a few scrawny plants and a few packages of flower seeds that are a million miles from what was advertised.  
The Bureau advises that all home planters and landscapers buy their shrubs and plants from local nurseries where they can see what they are getting beforehand, and where the man will be handy next week to make good on what you've bought in case something goes wrong.  
It's good advice, well worth remembering and taking.

Oil Activity In County Is Still Brisk

Oil activity in the Eastland County area continues to be bright.  
Marvin McCulloch of Abilene has spotted the No. 2 L. A. Hightower 230 feet from the north line and 800 feet from the east line of the William Van Norman Bronson Subdivision 1, five miles south of Ranger. Proposed depth is 1600 feet.  
The No. 1 J. Z. Miller is a regular field try being drilled by Victor Cornelius of Eastland. Location is 2500 feet from the south line and 1102 feet from the west line of Section 2, Block 4, BBE&C Survey, three miles northwest of Eastland. Proposed depth is 1700 feet.  
A wildcat try is being drilled by the Red River Drilling Co. and Bentley and Pruet of Ranger. Proposed depth is 1999 feet and location is 330 feet from the north line and 720 feet from the west line of B. H. Epperson Survey A-112.

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ELM STREET—RANGER, TEXAS ESTABLISHED JUNE 1, 1919  
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The Junior Miss Club was entertained with a valentine party Monday night in the home of Mrs. M. L. King.

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Mrs. Bob Wymer of Ranger and W. L. Carrie of Caddo are new patients in the West Texas Clinic.

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital are Paulene Scott, Snyder, medical; Mrs. D. R. Lee, Gordon, medical; Mrs. Champ Pearson, Ranger, medical.

Baptist Workers Conference Program Schedule

Highlights for the Workers Conference program scheduled at the Second Baptist Church at 5:30 p. m. Tuesday evening are:

The men and women meeting in their respective Executive board meetings.

Supper will be served at 6:15. The evening program begins at 7 p. m.

The departmental conferences at 7:15.

At 8 p. m. every one reassembles in the auditorium.

Recognition and announcements. The Sanctuary Choir of the First Baptist Church will bring special music.

The evening message, by Rev. Byron Bryant, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Breckenridge. Adjournment at 9 p. m.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yung of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yung Jr., and children of Arlington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yung.

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MARY ANN WALLACE

Miss Mary Ann Wallace To Wed Richard B. Cowan, March 2

Mr. and Mrs. Harry X. Wallace, 914 Cypress Street, Ranger, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Richard Burke Cowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cowan, 1337 Williston, Pampa.

The wedding will take place Saturday, March 2 at 8 p. m. in the St. Rita's Catholic Church. Miss Wallace is a graduate of Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College, where she was a member of the Debs, Rangeanns, International Relations Club and in 1955 was football sweetheart. For the past year she has been attending Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Mr. Cowan is a graduate of Pampa High School, attended Texas University for one year and has been a student at Texas Tech for the last two years.

STORY NO. 9—in a series of articles on Duval County by Frederick Hodgson and Franz Rosenwald, New York newspaper and magazine writers who visited Duval County and wrote the series exclusively for Texas readers.

Decline of Duval Dukedom Shows How Publicity Withers Dictators

By-FREDERICK HODGSON SAN DIEGO, Tex.—What was it that finally pulled the props from under George Parr's political dictatorship? The people? The State? The Federal Government? The newspapers? They all had a hand in it! There were also the Texas Rangers, and a lot of freedom-hungry Duval residents both "Anglo" and "Mexican." And there were some Texas newspapers and newspapermen who risked life or limb, or both. Without them, former Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd's assault on the iron county of Duval might have been a grand and valiant flop. He knew that when he started. As it turned out, the newspapers were eager to print the facts about George B. Parr, if they just had some facts to print. When they had the facts, they pulled all the stops. That's when the machine began to come apart. There was a spunky newspaper here and there that had been chipping away at the foundation all along, within the bounds of legality and discretion. The Alice Daily Echo wasn't afraid of the Boss. And when the facts began to emerge the Echo's pro-people editor, a little woman named Carol Brown, turned reporter and won herself a Pulitzer Prize. But not without having her own life and that of her teen-age daughter threatened.

There was also Santos de la Paz over in Corpus Christi. He ran a little bi-lingual weekly called La Verdad, the Truth, and that's just what he tried to print about George Parr. Before it was over he wound up holding a giant libel state besides going to jail for getting over-eager and printing things he couldn't prove about some of Parr's friends. The libel suit turned out to be a legal trick to force Paz to reveal what he knew about the state. The suit was later dropped. Just about all the newspapers in Texas were as eager to get the truth out of Duval County as those close to the scene, and women afraid to print it. "deputies" are gone. The Commissioners Court and the school boards no longer take orders from Parr. He doesn't sign the checks anymore, or keep the records. There's no more easy money, no handouts, no payoffs. County officials don't charge their personal household expenses, medical bills or gasoline to the county any more. They don't carry their daughters on the payroll as teachers while they're away at college. They don't get their deer rifles at county expense, or charge their kids' cough medicine and castor oil to the school district. Things are different in Duval. They're different for the Duke, too. His two banks, depositories of county and school funds, long ago were taken out of his hands, closed down by the state. His 55,000-acre ranch, bought with county funds, has gone back to the county, and another 4,000-acre hacienda was auctioned off by the authorities to satisfy tax claims against the Duke. Donato Serna, the man Parr jailed and clubbed with a flashlight for taking a picture of Parr's "deputies" is now County Auditor, handling the purse strings, requiring a sworn statement from every county employe that he did the work for which he is paid. There are no more fictitious names on the checks. Every recipient of Duval County funds now has to be a flesh and blood reality with a name and a face. When a boss loses his grip on the purse strings, he loses friends fast. Those who stick by him, and they are few, remain at his side because they're in the same trouble he's in. Not all of Parr's friends-in-distress stayed with him, however. County Judge Dan Tobin, long-time Parr supporter who was heavily indicted himself by Duval grand juries, pulled away from the Duke and in effect joined the forces opposing him. In the same way, Parr lost his control over the Commissioners Court. That, plus a half-dozen elections Parr couldn't control, lined up the county and school district offices against the once-mighty Duke who used to give orders to them all. The biggest change, though, is in the names on the county and school district payrolls—the many non-elective employes who can neither serve the county or rob it, depending on who's in charge. The Duval County government is no gravy train any more. Duvalans long ago lost count of the more than 150 hangers-on, parasites and "cooperative" employes who have either resigned their jobs in panic or have been chopped off the payroll by Serna. His budget-trimming knife is razor-sharp. The Parr supporters who used to be carried on the books as "road consultant" and "hide inspector" at two or three hundred a month, some of them the wealthiest men in the county, have been relieved of their duties. I pointed out in an earlier article that Duval's tax rate used to be the highest in the state. It began to come down when the parasites started resigning. Election costs have been reduced as much as 90 per cent, while the number of voters has just about doubled. County services, meanwhile, have improved remarkably. Parr critics whose ranches were all but inaccessible because county machinery wouldn't grade their roads now are getting home in 30 minutes over country lanes that it used to take two hours to navigate. The Benavides school kids got one of the biggest breaks of all. Four Parr men resigned from the board three years ago when school records were impounded, and the new board found the district about \$60,000 in the hole, in spite of a gigantic tax intake. Many improvements had been made and paid for on paper, but not in actuality. The new board figured they could make vast physical improvements and undertake major construction projects and still put the district back in the black without raising taxes. Like the county, the school districts have been audited and re-audited in the last

three years, after being without fiscal check-up for decades.

All this examining of records has had results. George Parr's sun is setting, and his shadow stretches long and thin over the rubble of his falling empire. Half a dozen grand juries, no longer hand-picked and controlled, have hung hundreds of indictments around the necks of the Duke and some 40 of his followers. On January 29 a jury in New Braunfels found Parr guilty of stealing funds from the Benavides School District and sentenced him to five years in prison. The previous day he was declared bankrupt by a Federal court. Three of his followers, convicted of conspiracy to steal from the county, have appealed their cases. The rest have used a dozen legal loopholes to postpone their trials, including the hiring of a Texas legislator as legal counsel. A legislator, under Texas law, can't be taken away from his lawmaking duties to try a case. When the 54th Legislature adjourns, the lawmaker dropped out of the Duval cases without having been in court. Right up to the time he finished his term January 1, Shepperd kept men in Duval County at the request of District Attorney Sam Harris, to work with grand juries. Men like soft-spoken Willis Gresham, jovial Sam Ratliff, youngish Frank Pinedo, and efficient Ralph Rash. Most important, he kept bulldoggy Sydney Chandler here, a normal thorn in the side of the Duke. Back in Austin a battery of barristers in the Attorney General's office worked around the clock many times to keep ahead of George Parr, who was nobody's fool. All these men have become symbols in Duval County. Symbols of the new order, of the democratic process, of the Constitution, of the law of the land as opposed to the law of the pistol and the whip. The presence of the Law in Duval has changed even the conduct of the county's decent citizens. The old fear has been lifted. Election day used to be the day everybody stayed indoors, while the Duke's faithful marched to the polls to vote as instructed by the pistoleros who patrolled the polling places. You didn't go near them if you wanted to avoid serious unpleasantness. It was long years ago that the last man was killed at the polls on election day, but maybe that's only because the machine's position got smart and quit showing up to vote. But now everybody votes in Duval, and they vote the way they feel. The impounding of the ballots after each election to assure an honest count is standard operating procedure. People know that every ballot is now secret, and it makes a powerful difference in the way Duval voters mark the little square. In any well-run dictatorship it's the natural leaders of a community that fall to the bottom and are kept there. But when the shake-up comes they rise back to the top. Before Shepperd had been in the county a month, citizens had formed the Duval County Clean Government League and started a campaign for reform. A hundred or so Duval women who said they were fed up with locking their doors at night and wondering if their husbands would come home alive, organized the United Mothers and Wives of Duval County. In stories to follow, we'll take a closer look at the "new" Duval County, and at the proposed laws which will help prevent another "Dukedom" from springing up within the borders of the nation's largest state.

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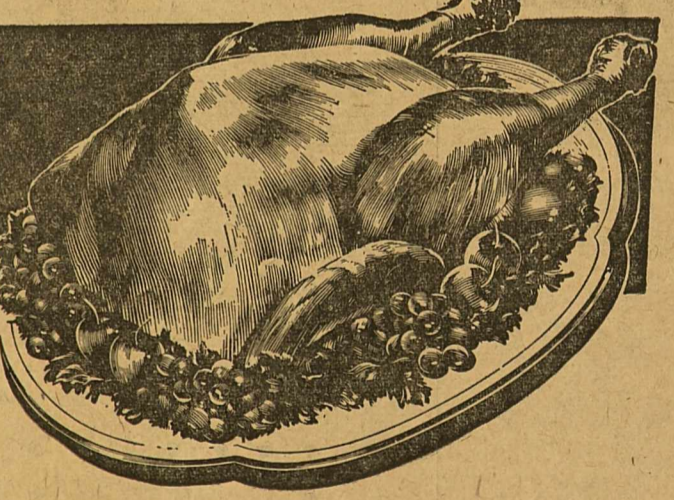
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er, C. J. Dodson and wife and two children, from Houston.  
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### Beta Upsilon Chapter Meets For Banquet

The Beta Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in the banquet hall of the White Elephant Cafe in Eastland on Saturday, February 9 for their annual birthday banquet.  
Mrs. Minnie Hill of Cisco was toastmistress. The program consisted of three solos by Mrs. Coleman of Cisco Jr. College and a very interesting book review given by Mrs. Z. B. Moore of Cisco.  
A valentine theme, using colors of white and red, was used in the decorating. The speaker's table

was centered with a heart-shaped birthday cake. Other tables were decorated with candles placed at intervals.  
The dessert consisted of white cake squares centered with a candle. Lights were turned out and Mrs. Evelyn Whatley of Eastland directed the lighting of the birthday candles.  
Ranger teachers attending were Mmes. W. D. R. Owen, Helen Hagaman, George Robinson, Miss Anna McEver and Mrs. Emma Hagaman, honorary member.  
Guests of those members attending were W. D. R. Owen, George Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rush.

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### Rev. Perkins Announces Wed. Services

Walking With God, will be the pastor's theme Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. when a regular worship service, with special music will be presented in the main auditorium of the church.

Three questions, "What does it mean to walk with God?" "What happened when Enoch walked with God?" "What was Enoch's reward for walking with God?" Are you walking with God? Come enjoy this fine mid-week worship period.  
The Sanctuary Choir begins at 6:30 with preparation for the coming Lord's day music and for the Easter music to be presented in April. The Choir under the direction of Mr. Sutton is rendering a "Holy-hour" in each of the worship services.  
At 7:15 the Sunday lesson is presented by Mrs. Perkins in the library, teachers and officers should sit in on the lesson, especially those who are not privileged to hear the lesson on the Lord's day.  
At 7:45 Supt. Lonnie Stephens gives direction and inspiration and challenges to the Sunday school departmental assembly officers and teachers.

The Nursery is open for the Choir rehearsal until the close of the worship hour. If you know of some one who is not a Christian or a Church member invite or bring them to God's house for worship. Bring your family to all the services.

SPEND WEEKEND WITH PARENTS  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baits had as weekend guests their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee of Tulsa and Mr. and Mrs. Durbin Branch and daughter of Ardmore, Oklahoma.

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### Women's Activities

February 12  
The Parent-Teachers Association of Young School will meet Tuesday, Feb. 12, 7:30 p.m. Miss Young's second grade will present the room program.

February 12  
The 1947 Club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 12, 4 p.m. at the First Methodist Church for a musical program presented by the Breckenridge Boys Choir. Hospitality committee will be Mmes. Bill Clem, Morris George and Judson Hardy.

February 13  
The New Era Club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 13, 4 p.m., with Mrs. Lee Russell, Mrs. L. L. Bruce will be co-hostess.

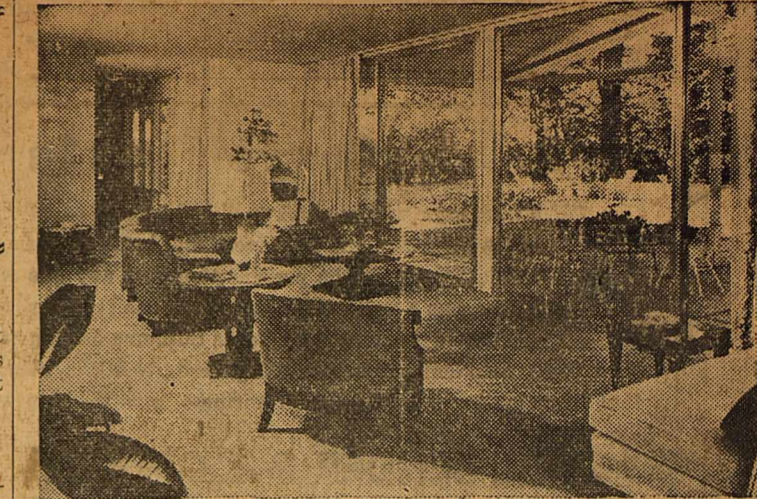
February 13  
The Dutch Club will meet Wednesday morning at 8 in Brownie King's cafe. Members are to remember gifts for the shut-ins.

February 14  
The Rho Pi Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet Thursday evening, 7:00 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Fred Lamb, Mrs. Dwaine Dennis will speak on Color, Form and Fragrance of Gardens.

February 15  
The Lone Star Ladies Club will entertain their husbands with a party at the Community Club House at 7 Friday evening. Games of 42 and bridge will be played. All Lone Star employees are invited.

VISIT PARENTS  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Flacklock had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cayle Blacklock and son, Danny, of Snyder and Don Blacklock of Midland.

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### Honor Students Announced at RJC

Mrs. Ernen Haby, Registrar at Ranger Junior College announces the following honor students for the first semester.

Students Making All A's  
Hazel Adams, Eastland; Janice Curbo, Breckenridge; Jean Eaton, Silver; Mildred Elliott, Ranger; Wilma Elliott, Olden; Beth Grace, Carbon; Edna Halliday, Ranger; Sophia Lovelace, Eastland; Gay Nell Loper, Ranger.

All A's and B's  
Charlotte Clark, Mosquero, New Mexico; Lawrence Clayton, Rusk; Jackie Cornelison, Breckenridge; Lionel Crisp, Midland; Thelma Edwards, Olden; Ray Falk, Ranger; Roger Flowers, Rusk; Glenda Forehand, Ranger; Elpidia Gonzales, Ranger; Sue Heath, Ranger; Teddy Henderson, Austin; Phil Hilliard, Olden; Mary Hinds, Ranger; Butch Kalinec, Granger; Ronald Miller, Deming; Mickey Poteet, Cooper; Sandy Preslar, Washington, D.C.; Patsy Shaffer, Ranger; and Mary Lou Wright, Ranger.

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Donna Blackwell, Crane; John Robert Butler, Rusk; Bubba Canuteson, Fort Worth; Sonja Irwin, Albany; Robert James, Snyder; Doris Nabers, Desdemona; Bud Remynce, Arlington; Jack Rutledge, Crystal City; Dorothy Stagner, Ranger; Tommy Stark, Fort Worth; and Betty Wells, Ranger.

STUDENTS IN EVENING DIVISION  
All A's  
Barbara Anderson, Eastland; Marie Boney, Eastland; Bill Cooper, Eastland; Robert Qualls, De Leon; Mary Jo Stie, Ranger; and Charles Spence, Gorman.  
All A's and B's  
Dorothy Ball, Ranger; Mack Cain, De Leon; Harold Dillinger, Eastland; James Gillney, Eastland; Charles Grisham, De Leon; Leonard Hirst, Gorman; James Spence, Gorman; and Bill Swink, Ranger.

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### Hearing Due On District Court

An open hearing will be held in Austin Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. before the Judicial District Committee of the House of Representatives on House Bill 28, Paul Brashear, state representative, said today.

The bill, introduced by Brashear, concerns adding another county to the 91st District Court.

### VISITS FROM COLORADO CITY

Mrs. Jack Miller of Colorado City visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams Friday.

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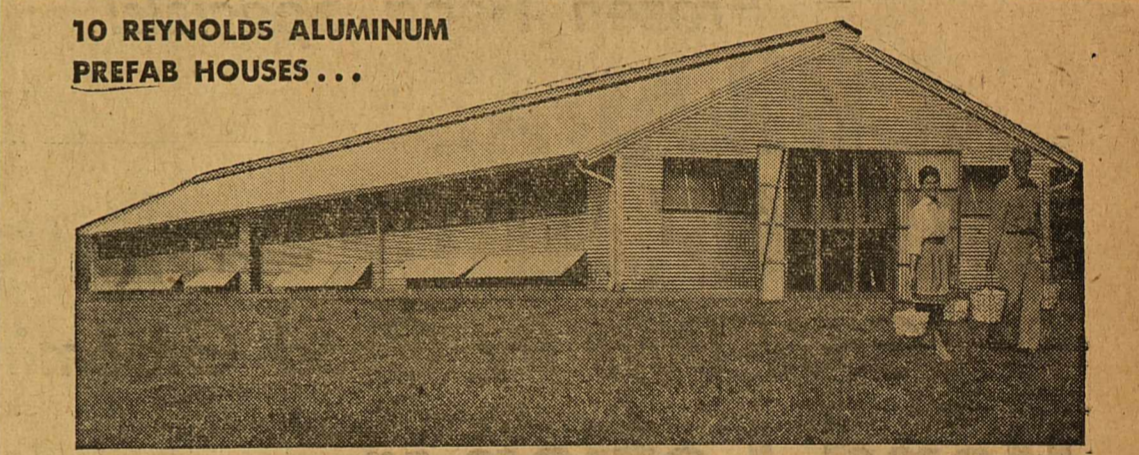
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