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RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 1959

ROAMING THRU RANGER WITH RON...

By Ronald Waters

KOLLEGE KAPPA KAPERS kept cakes kooly koming to kollectors. Our alliteration may be slipping, but perhaps you get the idea.

Everyone had a blast at the Kapers, Thursday night in the Student Union Building. With cakes going to winners right and left in the cake walk and all sorts of prizes going in Bingo-James Knickerbocker, freshman student from Dallas, pitched in to make several cakes and then kept things rolling smoothly with his appropriate remarks.

Master of Ceremonies Forrest Hall of Sinton used hyperboles, superlatives, exaggerations, and amplifications to keep the cake walk going. And even the rates went down!

He could hardly exaggerate about some of the cakes, however, especially those baked by Mrs. Mildred Bonney and Mrs. Don Elliott.

Charles Bonney, too, who is president of the Sigma Tau Delta, did a good job at keeping things going in the Bingo games. He worked hard to make the Kapers a success. His assistant was a "pirate girl"—Betty Teinert of Albany.

In charge of publicity for the event was Jonell Penney of Ranger who also manned the concession stand. Also on hand were the sound technicians—Ronnie McPherson and Walton Fowler—who kept the noise going.

HIGHLIGHT of the evening, of course, was the appearance of Marilyn Monroe and Jayne Mansfield—portrayed by Coach Jim Puryear and David Slaughter. They really lived things up!

Earlier, Slaughter won a booby prize at Bingo in the form of a pinball. Incidentally, we don't know what he won, but Pete Brasler played snuff Bingo to have taken home several prizes!

Local merchants contributed many interesting prizes placed in the "treasure chests."

MYSTERY FARMS—Must be awfully mysterious, but we assure you they're in Eastland County. Response to the mystery pictures has been very poor.

But we're happy to announce that the last one—belonging to Mrs. R. E. Harrell, west of town on the Breckenridge Highway, was identified by Miss Dorothy Ann Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Oliver of Ranger.

If you know the Mystery Farm each week, we guarantee you that you have an excellent chance to win two free passes to the Majestic Theatre. So come on—give it a try (or a guess) next week.

FISH are getting ready to bite. That's what we said earlier in the week. And it appears that the crappie, especially, are grabbing at baits.

So—when you make a good fish catch, everyone wants to know about it, believe-it-or-not. When you're telling your friends and neighbors, don't forget to tell the Ranger Times or the Chamber of Commerce, too.

That fish or those fish (no fishes) will make news as far west as Fort Worth, where it will probably appear in the Star Telegram.

NO SPRING SPORTS—in the area, except for water sports. No track team at either school, no tennis, no boxing, wrestling, or school sports of any kind going on—right now.

Of course a little later on—we'll have baseball, a sport that we see plenty of in the summer-time.

GUESS YOU SAW the moon and Venus so close together, Wednesday night (Virgil Moore, Eastland Telegram editor, who is trying to "out-kunk" us, says the planet and satellite did some close-up courting in the western sky. Pretty poetic prose, we'd say...)

Actually the moon and Venus, or the evening star, were a lot further apart than they seemed. The moon is just about 238,000 miles from earth (a short distance). (Continued on Page Four)

Tired of a Gas Hog? **OR PARRING A DINOSAUR?** Try and buy the popular, smart new Bumbler. Truly a heavy-duty gas burner. Famous for fast, reliable, quality and economy.

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Awards Party Honors Young School Students

An awards party honored cast members of the Young School Fair and Calvacade, Thursday night in the school auditorium.

Statuettes and other awards were presented to the students, selected by ballots, as outstanding in the fair and calvacade which was held recently at the school.

About 40 persons were present to honor the cast members of over 60 students.

Following the tabulation of ballots, a plastic statuette of Corchise was awarded Bob McCleskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCleskey, for his portrayal of Abraham Lincoln in the calvacade. Denise Huling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Huling, received a statuette of Tonto for taking first place in the fair exhibits. She developed the Texas exhibits.

L. H. Pounds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pounds, received a porcelain figure of a brama bull for dual roles as an actor and fair exhibitor. Ray Newham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Newham, was presented with a long-horn steer statue for playing three roles in the calvacade.

Judy Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones, received a prize in recognition for her interpretation of Walt Whitman's "Oh Captain, My Captain." Bob Townzen, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Townzen, and Gilbert Nail, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nail, were presented awards for outstanding performance in multiple roles.

Terry Melton, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Melton, won second place in the fair exhibits, and was presented with an actor's statue in recognition of his replicas of California art and industry. Cathy Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers, won third prize in the fair exhibits with a Florida display.

Alan D. Lewis To Be Recognized At Texas Tech

Alan D. Lewis of Ranger, a sophomore at Texas Tech College, will be recognized at the annual All-College Recognition Service, March 22, in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Lewis, who were notified of the honor, plan to attend the event.

The service is an occasion on which the college pays tribute to those who have contributed with distinction to the college during the preceding two regular semesters. Lewis was recognized for excellence in scholarship.

As a freshman, Lewis received recognition for outstanding scholastic work with a 2.50 grade point average (in a three-point system). He was initiated into the Phi Eta Sigma scholastic fraternity for maintaining a high grade average.

Recently he received honors from the Army ROTC for outstanding scholastic achievements when he was presented with a wreath of merit.

The award is presented to the top 10 per cent of the students each year, based upon grades in pursuance of military science courses of instruction.

A chemical engineering major, Lewis is in the upper five percent of Tech students.

Noted Horticulturists to Take Part In Annual County Orchard Field Day

Orchard men and home fruit growers over the county are cordially invited to attend the annual Eastland County Orchard Field Day to be held at Nimrod on March 24, according to County Agent J. M. Cooper.

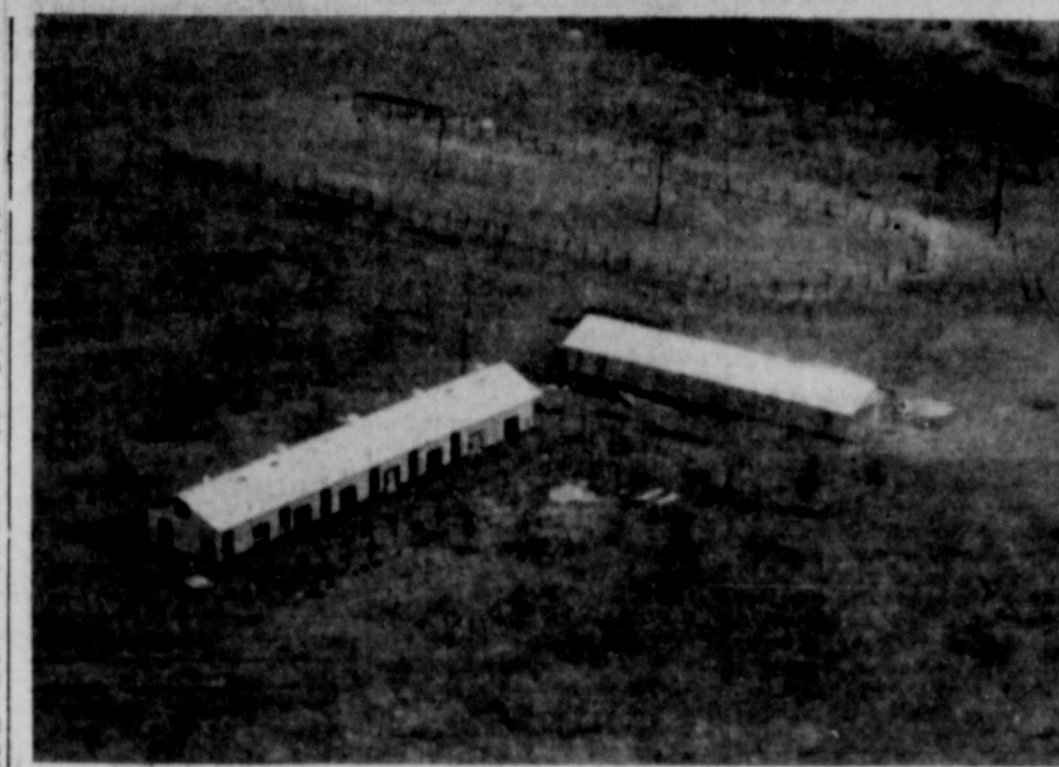
The session is scheduled to get underway that morning with a talk by Tom Danman, horticulturist of the Agricultural Experiment Station, Stephenville, on home orchards. Danman will cover several phases of this subject with special emphasis on varieties of pears, peaches, plums, berries and figs that are adapted to this area of the state.

B. G. Hancock, horticulturist of the Texas A & M College Extension Service, will discuss "Orchard Management" and U. A. Randolph, horticulturist of the Agricultural Experiment Station, Montague, will discuss soils, varieties and management of grapes.

Several farmers recently paid a visit to the grape research station at Montague to confer with Randolph and to secure cuttings from many of the varieties that are being tested there.

Lunch will be served in the club house there at noon for \$1 per plate.

The afternoon session will be held at the Herman Schaefer orchard a mile east of Nimrod and will consist of a pruning demonstration by Hancock and a spraying demonstration by J. W. Foster of Weatherford and a demonstration of a new type of saw by Bob Perkins of the Perkins Implement Co. of Eastland.



NEW SHOW GROUNDS—The new Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association, the Sheriff's Posse and the Posse Amis have joined hands to build this new Livestock Show grounds on the banks of Eastland Lake. The City of Eastland donated some 30 acres of land to the groups. In the background the roping arena can be seen. The building at left will be used as the general stock barn (it will be about twice the size shown when completed) and the other building houses a kitchen, rest rooms and conference room. (Photo by Moderne).

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Birth day party of the American Legion to be given by members of the Legion Auxiliary next Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Veterans and their families are invited to attend. Each family is asked to bring a vegetable or a salad.

County 4-H Club eliminations set today.

St. Patrick's Day party, planned at Teen Town tonight (Saturday) open from 7:30 until 11 p.m. for junior high and high school students.

Haby Explains Hydroponics For Lions Club Meet

Ernen Haby, agriculture teacher at Ranger College, explained hydroponics, or soil-less culture experiments, before members of the Lions Club Thursday noon.

Haby, who was introduced by Lloyd Bruce, said that hydroponics make it possible to gain as much as 50 times the normal agriculture production. This is made possible, he explained, due to the fact that more plants can be raised in less space.

Foods from the plants is better, he said, because of the necessary nutrients included in the soil, while, it is almost impossible to get perfect soil.

Commercially, hydroponics is used to some extent at present—with plants grown in concrete beds. The highest cost, Haby said, is building the beds.

Plants, grown from seeds, were demonstrated in containers containing washed sand (for support), screen and tomato's.

Charles Miliken, president, announced that the Pancake Supper brought in \$182 for the March of Dimes drive.

The 14-year-old, Angelica (Angy) Gotez and Geraldine (Jerry) Joyce are played by Glenda Rains and Nina Henry. Tommy Ford, a boy friend, Archibald (Gadget) Hoffert, M.M. Ze and James (Jim) Matson, B.M. Jr. are played by Jerry Anderson and Tommy Ford.

The aunt, Sandra Stone, and the housekeeper, Cora, are portrayed by Mary Kay Rush and Nellie Sue Vinson. Commander Stone is Bobby Fron. Others are the Western Union girl and Helga who participates in Cora's favorite pastime, wrestling. These parts are played by Jimmy Stroud and Barbara Craig. The play also includes a talkative parrot, Frances, whose voice will be furnished by Mike Herrington.

Prompters, stage hands, and ushers will be announced later.

Soph Favorites Named at RHS

Sophomore favorites of Ranger High School who were announced after a runoff Thursday are Jim Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robinson, and Ann Spindle, daughter of Mrs. T. J. Spindle. Class favorites and all-school personalities will have 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 pictures made soon for entry in the "Bulldog."

Rules Of Fishing Contest Are Given

Rules concerning the fishing contest of the Fort Worth Anglers Club to be held at Lake Leon on Sunday, April 19, have been announced by Dick Darmon, chairman and "father" of the contest, in "The Fisherman," official publication of the club.

Area fishermen can participate by obtaining membership and contest blanks to be made available in the near future.

Information, presented below, was taken from "The Fisherman." Rules governing the contest will remain the same as in other years except that a crappie division will be added. Awards and merchandise prizes for crappie catches, as well as black bass, will be given away this year.

A delegation from Lake Leon and Ranger and Eastland attended the FWAC's annual banquet in February and extended an invitation to the club to hold the contest, held in previous years at Pecosum Kingdom, at Lake Leon.

The April "Fisherman" will carry a map of the lake with complete details on reaching it, camp sites, commercial camps, launching sites, inlet roads, etc.

The Eastland county delegation has waived for contestants the requirement of a fishing or boating license on April 18-19 to fish on the lake.

Darmon said that once again fishing in the contest must be done in teams, with two fishermen to a boat. Fish must be caught from daybreak to weigh-in time in order to be eligible. Fish must be uncleaned when weighed.

A current FWCA membership card is required of all entrants, and the entry fees will be \$2 per man, \$4 per team.

Eastland, Ranger and Lake Leon business men have agreed to furnish one set of trophies for the contest and a lot of extra merchandise prizes.

Darmon said that he expects more people to enter this year's contest than ever before. The addition of a crappie division is sure to bring more fishermen, and this time the lady fishermen will have an equal chance.

A detailed list of prizes, weighing-in station, and other details to be worked out will be carried in newspapers, and in next month's "Fisherman."

Membership and contest blanks will be available in the Ranger-Eastland area since many of Lake Leon's regular fishermen have expressed a desire to enter.

R. V. "Rip" Galloway, manager of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce and Eb Richardson, the Lake Leon warden, have been instrumental in carrying the contest to Lake Leon.

Both men pointed out that while lakeside cabin facilities are limited, there are plenty of rooms to be had in both Ranger and Eastland. Also, lake shores camping grounds are available for those who wish to "warm up" Saturday and stay overnight for Sunday's contest.

Teams wishing to enter early may mail their names and addresses, with that of their fishing partner, to E. B. Darmon, 3583 Pryden, Fort Worth.

Each team entered should enclose \$4 and membership dues of \$2 for adults and \$1 for youngsters under 18.

Those wishing help in securing motel or cabin reservations should write to Galloway, Ranger Chamber of Commerce, or H. J. Tanner, manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. They should state their preference for a place to stay, and list an alternate, indicating dates of stay. Those wishing to obtain rental boats for the contest should indicate it in a letter, as well.

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Shivers Will Speak At Farm Bureau Rally

Eastland County Farm Bureau members will get their 1959 Membership drive kicked-off Monday night when they hold their annual membership rally in the First Christian Church annex in Eastland.

The meeting will begin at 7:45 p.m. with Midland Shivers, Texas Farm Bureau organizational specialist, of Waco, as the principal speaker. Shivers will address the group with a plea to help get Texas in fourth place in membership in the nation this year. The Texas FB is seeking to add 4,000 new members this year. Eastland County's goal is 475 members.

Don Kincaid is chairman of the membership committee for this year's drive. Community chairmen are Gene Perrell of Eastland, Henry Fry of Long Branch, Geo. Bennett of Kokomo, Herman Sch-

aefer of Nimrod, Mitchell Campbell of Garman, B. B. Freeman of Cheaney, Henry Reed of Rising Star, J. L. King of Sabanno and W. D. Brown of Carbon.

"The Texas' slogan this year is, 'Fourth place in the nation with 4,000 more members in Texas in '59.'" Key community leaders and workers will work in pairs during the rest of the month of March armed with information and membership blanks to do their share of the four by four campaign to help place Texas fourth in the nation.

Kincaid said pen and pencil sets would be offered to members as an incentive to get each member to sign up a new member during the drive.

Kincaid urged all members of the Farm Bureau and all others who are interested to attend the

Monday night meeting. He said that the guest speaker is one of Texas' "outstanding Farm Bureau leaders," and is respected nationwide for his knowledge of agriculture.

F. C. Williamson Dies Thursday; Services Today

Frank C. Williamson, 72, a lifelong resident of the Staff Community, died from a heart attack at his home Thursday at 4 p.m.

Funeral services will be held in the First Methodist Church—of Ranger Saturday at 2 p.m. with Rev. Lloyd Brown, pastor, and Rev. Wallace M. Dason, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Cies, officiating.

Burial will take place in Eastland Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Operator of Frank and Earle's Lodge at Lake Leon until recently, Mr. Williamson was a retired farmer. Part of the lake was formed from property that he once owned.

He was born Nov. 17, 1886, at Staff. He and his wife, Edna Earle Wilcox, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Nov. 9, 1958. He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Ranger.

Survivors include the wife; three sons, Edie of Wichita Falls, F. C. of Carlsbad, N. M., and Terrell W. of Abilene; and several nephews and nieces.

Pallbearers are Archie Robinson, J. A. Bates, V. V. Cooper, Jr., Charlie Garrett, Beverly S. Dudley, Jr., Vernon Deffebach, John Swinney, and W. F. Creager.

Jill Watkins To Play Solo In Breckenridge

Jill Watkins, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Watkins, 281 Homer, will be a featured soloist Sunday at a program in Breckenridge sponsored by the Anna Frank Artist Club. The musicals will take place at the First Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m.

Miss Watkins is a student of Ben Karnes, Breckenridge, who also takes special lessons with Monte Hill Davis of Dallas. Previously a student of Fred Baumgardner, Jill has been studying with Karnes the past two years, winning first prize in the Interscholastic League contest for pianists in Abilene last year.

Aside from being considered a good student in Ranger High School, Jill has received high ratings each spring in the annual auditions sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers.

Karnes will also appear on Sunday's program. Special guest soloist is 11-year-old Malynn Brooks of Denton. Malynn recently won the state-wide Amarillo Symphony competition, and will appear with the orchestra as winner in her age group on April 5.

The public is invited to attend.

Pair Explain How To Farm and Save Soil

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Final Rites Are Held for Cyrus Festus Green

Final rites were held Monday at the Sand Hill community house for Cyrus Festus Green, 47, who died Sunday after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Green, a resident of Eastland for the past 10 years, farmed before illness forced him to retire. He was born March 7, 1912 in Scranton, and lived for 23 years in Hamlin.

Conducting the service were Rev. Joe O'Neil and Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck. Mr. Green was a member of the Church of God.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green; two sisters, Miss Gladys Green of Eastland and Mrs. W. D. McMillan of Crosbyton; three nephews and two nieces.

Morton Valley March of Dimes Drive Nets \$45

Morton Valley's March of Dimes drive netted \$45.66. Mrs. Jack Leach, chairman, stated Saturday.

Mrs. Leach said the money was collected by members of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. H. C. Pounds praised volunteer workers.

Social Is Set At Bullock School
A social is planned to be held at the Bullock School tonight, (Saturday) with games and music. Everyone is invited to attend. Cake and coffee will be served.

On UT Honor Roll Two Rangerites

Two Rangerites are included in the scholastic honor roll of the University of Texas College of Pharmacy for the First Semester.

Listed with honors are Max Don Dooley and J. D. (Joe) Harper. The list was made public by Pharmacy Dean Henry M. Burlage.

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First Presbyterian Church

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Morning worship at the First Presbyterian Church begins at 11 o'clock. The minister will bring the sixth in the series of Lenten Sermons on the general theme, "New Testament Portraits of Jesus". This sixth sermon is entitled, "The Portrait in the Epistle to the Hebrews".
 Sunday Church School begins at 9:45.

The Women's Association meets Tuesday at 9:30 in the church. The minister leads the next lesson in the study of The Book of the Acts. The general theme is, "The Spirit Speaks to the Church". Lesson V is entitled, "The Freedom of the Spirit".

March 23, one week from Monday, there begins the series of nightly Holy Week services, Monday through Friday, beginning promptly at 7. Each service, except that of Thursday, will consist of 10 minutes silent prayer and 10 minutes message. On Thursday, the Anniversary Lord's Supper will be celebrated, and the service will be 30 minutes instead of 20 minutes in length.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY

First Baptist Church

Ralph E. Perkins, Pastor

Rev. Mario Benitez of Fort Worth will preach at both morning and evening worship services at the First Baptist Church March 15, in the absence of the pastor who is conducting a revival in Blanding, Utah. Dr. Benitez is an outstanding speaker and has been well received in this area. He is pastor of the Mexican Baptist Mission of Ranger.

Lee Russell will direct the music and have charge of the special songs. Sunday school attendance is increasing due to the challenge of the Superintendent, M. L. Lawson, to increase the attendance by 75 per cent and the enrollment by 92, or one new member for each teacher and general officer.

Training Union, meeting at 6:30 p.m., has likewise accepted the challenge of an increased attendance of 75 per cent of enrollment and new members equal to their officers and leaders. The evening worship service will begin at 7:30. The Riddell Circle will have the mid-week worship service at 8 p.m. Wednesday. The regular choir rehearsal will be at 6:30 and the Sunday school program at 7:15 each Wednesday evening.

The Nursery is well staffed and equipped to care for the children at all services.

Christian Science

How reliance on God's inexhaustible goodness brings abundance will be emphasized Sunday at Christian Science services.

The blessings of trust in God are brought out in passages to be read from the Bible, including this one from Psalms (34:8-10): "O taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the man that trusteth in him. O fear the Lord, ye his saints; for there is no want to them that fear him. The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing."

Readings from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy in the Lesson - Sermon entitled "Substance" will include this well-known statement (494:10-11): "Divine Love always has met, and always will meet every human need."

The Golden Text is from Psalms (36:5): "Thy mercy, O Lord, is in the heavens; and thy faithfulness reacheth unto the clouds."

Services Set Church of God

The following is the weekly schedule of services for the Church of God, Strawn Road and First St. as announced by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Atkins.
 Sunday School 10 a.m.; Morning Evangelistic, 11 a.m.; Evening Evangelistic, 7 p.m.; Y.P.E., 7:30 p.m. Wednesday; and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Friday.

Mesquite & Rusk Church of Christ

Lonnie Branam, Minister

Lonnie Branam, minister of the Mesquite and Rusk Church of Christ, said, "There are those who by pressing onward to the mark of their high calling have reached the promised land which is overflowing with milk and honey. These are they who, like Paul, have fought a good fight, and in so doing, have won the crown of righteousness promised by Christ. Blessed are they that keep His testimonies and that seek Him with the whole heart."

Everyone is welcomed to the services of the Mesquite and Rusk Church on Sunday, March 15. Bible school begins at 9:45 a.m.; morning worship service, 10:45 a.m.; and evening worship service at 7 p.m.

Merriman Baptist Announcements

The following is the weekly announcements for the Merriman Baptist Church, Sunday school, 10 a.m., church services, 11 a.m., evening service 7:30 p.m., Wednesday night prayer meeting at 8 p.m.

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Weekly Schedule For St. Rita's Catholic Church

The following is the weekly schedule for St. Rita's Catholic Church:

Holy Mass every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.
 Evening devotions on Sundays at 7 p.m.
 Evening Mass every Thursday at 7 p.m.
 Study Club for the high school students every Wednesday at 7 p.m.
 Religious classes for grade school students every Thursday at 6 p.m.
 First communion class every Saturday at 10 a.m.

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Sunday school begins at 10:00 a.m., following by the morning worship services at 11:00 a.m. The evening worship service begins at 7:00 p.m.

School Menu

- MONDAY**
 Vegetable Beef Soup
 Pimiento Cheese Sandwiches
 Shoestring Potatoes
 Onions, Sweet Pickles
 Milk, Cheese, Bread, Butter
 Dessert
- TUESDAY**
 Meat Balls, Tomato Sauce
 Green Beans
 Milk, Cheese, Bread, Butter
 Dessert
- WEDNESDAY**
 Hamburgers
 Potato Chips, Fritos
 Lettuce Wedges
 Tomato Slices
 Pickles, Onions
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 Ice Cream
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'Key to Entertainment' Is Theme At New Era Club Meeting March 11

"Key to Entertainment" was the program theme at the New Era Club meeting Wednesday, March 11, at the Ranger Community Clubhouse. Mrs. Vernon Deffebach was program leader.

Following the roll call, Mrs. Buck Wallace discussed "T.V. Personalities." Mrs. V. V. Cooper gave a short talk on "Stage Plays." "Radio Programs" was discussed by Mrs. Deffebach. Refreshments of congealed salad, wafers, nuts, mints, tea, and

coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Deffebach and Mrs. H. H. Oliver.

The following members were present: Mmes. Cooper, W. F. Creager, Arthur Deffebach, B. S. Dudley, Sr., M. H. Hagaman, Addie Harris, J. A. Johnson, N. E. Landers, W. A. Lewis, W. W. Mitchell, W. D. R. Owen, Alex Roberson, George Robinson, J. L. Turner, Wallace, and the hostesses.

Open House Honors Couple On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Browning of 634 Cypress Street celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with open house at their home Sunday, March 8, from 2 to 5 p.m.

About fifty guests called during the afternoon. A strato-lounger chair was presented to the couple.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frederick Willmann, 320 College Blvd., San Antonio, have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Betty Ann Willmann, to Homer Don Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer O. Smith, 409 Hillcrest, Eastland. Miss Willmann attended Alamo Heights High School and the University of Texas. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Service Club, Quill and Scroll, president of the Spurs and the Delta Gamma Sorority.

The groom-to-be graduated from Eastland High School and attended the University of Texas where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, a social club, and

Mrs. Tankersley Is Hostess At Circle Meeting

The Carolyn Bell Circle of the First Baptist Church WMU met Tuesday, March 10, in the home of Mrs. L. D. Tankersley for mission study. Mrs. L. L. Bruce opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. H. E. Brooks, co-chairman of the circle, presided at a short business meeting. Mrs. W. A. Lewis gave a review of the mission study book.

Refreshments of frosted Cokes and cake squares were served to the following: Mmes. A. W. Warford, Bruce, Lewis, F. E. Langston, Walter Womack, Brooks, and the hostess, Mrs. Tankersley.

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Women's Activities

March 16
The WCS of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday afternoon, March 16, for the last session of the study, "Understanding Other Cultures." Mrs. C. E. May and Mrs. Stanley McAnelly will conduct the study. All members are urged to attend.

March 17
The Columbia Study Club will meet Tuesday, March 17, in the home of Mrs. D. T. Wier. Mrs. James P. Morris will give the book review on "The Brave New World We Visited."

March 18
The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Methodist Church will meet Wednesday, March 18, in the home of Mrs. Coleman Brown for the monthly luncheon.

March 19
The 1920 Club will meet Thursday, March 19, for a program on "Health." Mrs. L. R. Pearson, Jr. will be leader. Mrs. M. L. King and Mrs. A. W. Brazda will be speakers.

March 19
Mrs. Arthur Deffebach will be hostess to the American Association of University Women at the regular meeting on March 19. Mrs. D. L. Penney will be leader for a program on "Science."

Eastside Baptist Church

K. C. Edmonds, Pastor
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. Sunday at the Eastside Baptist Church. Jack Williams is superintendent. The morning worship service begins at 11. The pastor, Rev. K. C. Edmonds, will bring the message.

Training Union begins at 6:45 p.m., followed by the evening worship service at 7:45.

The officers and teachers will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Mid-week prayer service begins at 7:30 p.m. A youth revival will begin Friday, March 20, and continue through March 22. A team of three Hardin-Simmons students will be in charge of the services.

Morton Valley HD Club Holds Family Supper

The Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club House was the scene of the monthly family supper Friday, March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach, hosts, served baked turkey and all the trimmings to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sherman, Annette and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, Mrs. Doug Warren and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. West and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Young and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach and sons.

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Ranger Garden Club Members Plan Spring Schedule at Meeting Friday

The Ranger Garden Club met Friday morning at 9:30 at the Community Clubhouse for the regular monthly meeting. Hostesses were Mmes. Stanley McAnelly and James Ratliff.

Floral arrangements were brought by several members. Mrs. W. F. Creager's arrangement of violets, jonquils, and forsythia in a copper teapot was entitled "Symbol of Early America." An arrangement of jonquils, forsythia, and foliage in a hand-painted vase was brought by Mrs. L. E. Gray.

Mrs. L. I. Bruce made a miniature arrangement of crown of thorns in a sea shell, all on a marble base. Mrs. L. D. Tankersley brought apricot and peach blossoms in a white footed bowl. An arrangement of jonquils and forsythias was also donated by Mrs. G. B. Rush.

The meeting was opened with the club collect by Mrs. Floyd Killingsworth. Mrs. J. T. Roberson, president, presided over the business. Committee reports were given. The finance committee reported that plans are being made for a bridge tournament and luncheon. The date will be announced later.

Mrs. Killingsworth, chairman of the civic committee, discussed the committee's plans to beautify the Evergreen Cemetery and the monument and grounds at the intersection of Highway 80 and Main Street. Shrubs will be planted at both places.

Mrs. R. W. Gordon, historian, gave the report for the scrapbook committee. The finance committee's report was given by Mrs. W. J. VanBibber.

Members expressed their appreciation to Mrs. Frances Jameson who donated and planted four rose bushes at the Club House.

The program chairman, Mrs. Bruce, announced that a Flower Arrangement Workshop will be held at the next meeting, April 10. Six national flower show judges will conduct the workshop. Members will bring sack lunches to the meeting.

Mrs. Roberson discussed the Garden Club Center and Botanical Garden which is being built at Fort Worth and which will be available for all club members. The building will be the headquarters for the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc.

The club gave a donation to the Garden Club Center which entitled the president's name to be entered into the permanent record book. A similar donation made by Mrs. Roberson entitled the name of the past president, Mrs. E. L. Hamrick also to be entered in the book.

A donation was given by Mrs. W. H. Clem in memory of the late Mrs. B. A. Tunnell. The president announced the district meeting which will be held in Ballinger April 15. Registration will be at the First Methodist Church in Ballinger. Noble Barrett of Dallas will speak on "Year Around Garden."

Flower shows will be held at San Angelo March 23, 24 and 25, and at Abilene March 25 and 26. Mrs. W. C. Roberson, outgoing president, and Mrs. Bruce, incoming president, were elected delegates to the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. convention in El Paso May 5, 6, and 7. Mrs. Van Bibber was elected alternate.

Mrs. O. C. Warden furnished the therapy gift, which was taken to Ranger General Hospital. The door prize, which was brought by Mrs. Pete Brashier, was won by Mrs. Joe Jackson.

Mrs. W. C. Lammus, chairman, said that the pilgrimage to local gardens had been postponed because of the weather. Mrs. VanBibber, program leader, spoke on "Flower Show Procedure." She outlined the duties of the chairmen, and listed general rules governing the show. She reminded the club that each member is required to enter an exhibit in at least one class.

Women's Activities

The following members were present: Mmes. Buck Wallace, Bruce, Joe Jackson, Robert Jackson, Tankersley, Gray, VanBibber, A. W. Brazda, Gordon, O. G. Lanier, H. C. Croom, P. T. Smith, Roscoe Hopper, Killingsworth, Lammus, Creager, David Slaughter, Tony Lewis, H. S. Perry, W.

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Romans 5:1 "Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God..."

Saved by Believing:
Acts 16:31 "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved..."
John 8:24 "Except ye believe that I am He, ye shall die in your sins..."
Ephesians 2:8 "For by grace are ye saved through faith..."

Not by Faith Only:
James 2:14,17,19,24 "What doth it profit, my brethren, though a man says he hath faith, and have not works, can faith save him? Even so faith, if it hath not works, is dead, being alone... Thou believest that there is one God; thou doest well, the devils also believe and tremble... Ye see then how that by works a man is justified and not by faith only."

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Roaming-

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since now with rockets sailing around but Venus follows an orbit ranging from 26 to 160 million miles from our planet.
Many thought that either Russia or the United States had scored a direct hit on the moon with a space rocket. Others thought it might be a satellite of the moon (which is, in turn, a satellite of the earth).
One can never be too sure about these strange objects in the sky when scientists and nations are playing "shoot the moon".

Paper Camping Equipment To Be Introduced by Ford Dealers, In April

Camping equipment made of paper and designed to let a family try outdoor living for one-third the usual investment will be introduced by Ford dealers across the nation during April.
A family of four can be outfitted with the "paper plus" outdoor equipment—four sleeping bags and a tent that sleeps two adults and two children—for less than \$60, or about \$4 for each day of a two-week vacation. Conventional equipment can cost up to five or six times as much.

dealers, the "paper plus" camping equipment—which was designed by William Moss and Associates—will be marketed by Corporate Research, Inc., Ann Arbor, Mich.
In line with the trend toward disposable items in the nation, the cost of the equipment is low enough to permit throwing it away at the end of the season, eliminating the need for winter storage.

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Last year, an estimated 22 million Americans—double the 1950 total—spent \$385,000,000 to camp out-of-doors, and the number of campers grows at the rate of 10 per cent each year. The U. S. Forest Service lists 4,900 camping and picnic sites in the nation, which accommodate 24.5 million man-days of camping each year.

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worst year. Then he averaged 14 bushes to the acre. That was when most farmers didn't make a crop at all. Last year, the best year since 1950, George averaged 45 bushes to the acre.

His system is simple, but complete. He strip crops, planting five rows of peanuts to two rows of sudan (as thick as possible), returns his peanut hay to the soil and plants a rye cover crop. The roughage and cover crop are left on the land until the last possible moment before planting.

In following this system, George says his soil has become more fertile today than it was 20 years ago. He says it keeps the sand on his land, holds more water and returns fertility to the soil.

Also speaking at the meeting were Bill Heizer, SCS worker from Dublin. He spoke on the assistance the Service offers and the history of the District.

McAlister spoke briefly on selling soil conservation to the farmer and businessman alike. He declared, "It is a people's program." Clint McCain, Eastland County supervisor, was in charge of the meeting.

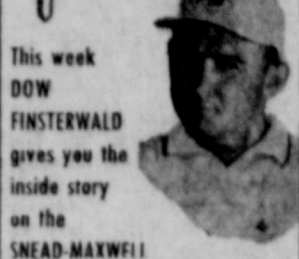
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This week DOW FINSTERWALD gives you the inside story on the SNEAD-MAXWELL

Let's get something straight from the start. Billy Maxwell, a craftsman at the game of golf, shot a very commendable 69 on the small, but tough, DeSota Lake Country Club in Sarasota, Florida... but he just couldn't turn the trick against "Slamming" Sam Snead. Billy played great golf, but Sam played almost unbelievable golf, and that was the difference.

At the outset, it looked like Billy was going to do it. He racked up two birdies in a row on the first two par 1's, sinking an 18-footer and a 6-footer to do it. In the meanwhile, Snead bogeyed the first and came back with a birdie. On the 3rd and 4th holes, unfortunately, Maxwell's putting touch was really off, and he bogeyed both holes to even up the match. On the sixth hole, Billy Maxwell went ahead again, when Sam Snead's 8-iron was trapped and he was forced to take a bogey 5.

Snead started his fireworks on the par 5, 8th hole. It is 495 yards, but Sam made it look easy. A 285 yard tee shot and a 210 yard one-iron placed him 35 feet from the pin, on the green in two. He just missed his approach putt for an eagle, and tapped in a short putt for a birdie 4. On the 9th, he came right back with another birdie, sinking a 35-footer to give him a first round score of 34 against Maxwell's 35.

Then Snead really turned on the heat. Both players parred the 10th hole, they both birdied the 11th, but Sam seemed to like the birdie habit and he proceeded to birdie the 12th, 13th, 14th, and 15th holes. On the 12th, he earned his birdie with a great 4-iron that put him 2 1/2 feet from the pin. On the 13th, he sunk a 23-footer. On the 14th, he put a 35-footer to give him a 210 yard one-iron placed him 35 feet from the pin, then just missed his eagle for an easy birdie 4. On the 15th, he again hit a great 4-iron four feet from the pin to sink his putt for a birdie 3... giving him seven birdies out of eight holes.

At this point, Maxwell was 5 strokes down to Snead, but he still was in this fight. On the 16th, par 4 hole, his second shot went into the green, leaving him 50 feet from the pin. Billy then took his trusty 8-iron for a pitch and run that dropped for a birdie 3. Both men parred the 17th, but Sam took a bogey on the 18th, to give him a round of 66 against Billy Maxwell's 69. The victory brought Snead's All Star Golf total earnings to \$19,000... that's not bad pay for walking around and swinging a club in the Florida sunshine.

Next week finds Gene Litter paring Sam Snead. Gene is not a bad money player himself, and again I'll say... perhaps he is the lad who will bounce Snead from his TV throne. They'll be playing at the Miami Country Club in Miami, Florida, and as your Miami Great Golf Reporter, I will be back with this same column to give you the inside story.

Soybeans Can Become An Important Crop

COLLEGE STATION—Soybeans have been grown in Texas for more than 40 years, but have not yet become an important crop although their potential value is recognized.

Soybeans can be grown in most irrigated sections of Texas. In areas of higher rainfall, such as East Texas, yields are inconsistent under dryland conditions and the crop is not recommended unless irrigation facilities are available.

Average yields under irrigation are approximately 25 bushels per acre, but some relatively large plantings have produced 30 to 40 bushels per acre. At this level of production, soybeans do not give as much cash return as grain sorghums. Soybeans, however, are valuable in a soil-improving rotation, and weed control following soybeans is not as serious a problem as following grain sorghum.

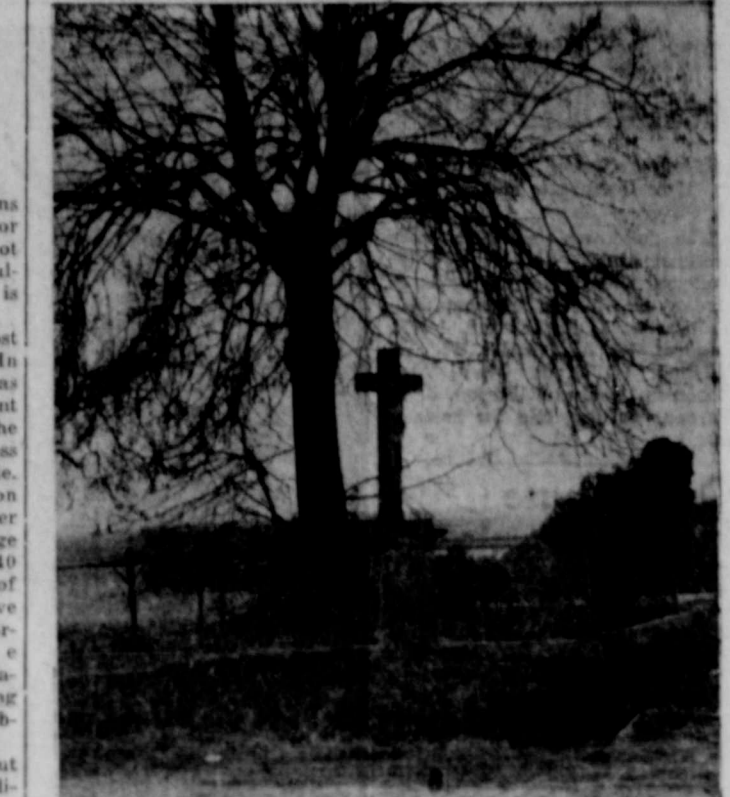
Soybeans are adapted to about the same soil and climatic conditions as corn or cotton. They do best on well-drained, mellow, fertile and sandy loams, but good results can be obtained on most properly-drained soils if water is available for supplemental irrigation.

They are usually planted in 36 to 42-inch rows at a rate of five to 10 to 12 plants per foot of row. Date of seeding is important because of the sensitivity of the plants to day length and temperature.

Hospital News

New patients in Ranger General Hospital are: Robert Livengood, Ranger, surgical; Mrs. K. L. Williams, Ranger, medical; Mrs. Neil Griffice, Ranger, medical; Mrs. Frank Williamson, Ranger, medical; Mrs. Dorothy Baron and baby girl, Ranger; Dismissed were: Earl Brown, Ranger; Mrs. J. F. Rushing and baby girl, Ranger; Vicky Hughes, Ranger.

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