

## In this corner, with COLLINS

**WEEK AHEAD**, regular feature of The Times, does not appear in this issue. Christmas is time for family and clubs have dismissed meetings until 1970 which, by the way is just around the very next corner.

OUR VOTE of thanks to comic strip writers for the great job they do in having their characters portray the true spirit of Christmas. Especially impressive was miser Pert's unusual generosity, the father-love of Buz Sawyer who spent Christmas Day with his innocent but suspicious son in jail; Hipshot's thanks to the cat for bringing him a mouse, and most of all, Dick Tracey's prayer at the festive board. In case you missed this masterpiece, we repeat it for our readers: "As the universe gets smaller, let men's minds get bigger. Grant us self-discipline to preserve precious things paid for in the blood of our fathers and brothers. May we be morally strong and spiritually steadfast, that we may deserve thy blessings. Amen."

**DON'T FORGET** — Only three more days of 1969 — only 34 days to secure voter registration certificates — and only 339 days until Christmas!

**THE LOCAL Lions Club** has for sale at \$1 each a Code Finder Directory. This directory is completed with the Zip Code for mailing your letters and Area Code for your long distance phone calls. They are excellent for the home and office use. If you are interested in purchasing one of the directories you might contact a Lions Club member.

**CHRISTMAS DAY** came—it's the magic day—one which dragged on leaden feet for small fry, came only slightly less slowly for school aged eager for a holiday, arrived too quickly for harried housewives and "seems like we had one last week" for citizens who have observed several more than 39 birthdays. One husband and father remarked that after laying a livingroom carpet and installing a new color TV, he felt like a sack of bullfrogs—like slightly nervous. . . The spirit of the season was felt by one clerk who had assisted husbands in selecting beautiful gifts for their wives. "How Sweet It Is!"

**ROOM 103, All Saints Hospital, Fort Worth, Tex.** is the address of Buford Anderson who is recovering from major surgery performed last week. **LET'S HELP** the O. R. Criswells find their lost pet, "BB" (Baptist Beagle) is a native of Ranger. She was born at the Baptist parsonage on Cherry St. At a tender young age, she moved to the Methodist parsonage on Elm St. When the Ray Elliott family moved to Brownwood, BB went to live with the Criswells. Her owners believe she may have been picked up and if opportunity comes, will try to return home. So if you see a cute beagle answering description in the classified ads, notify the Criswells. It will make a happier holiday season for them.

## Santa Visits Manor With Special Glee

Who says "There ain't no Santa Claus?" Certainly not residents of Western Manor who have again been recipients of all the goodies with none of the work of preparations or cleanup detail. Making Christmas for a family of fifty is no minor project but with Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Watkins and a faithful staff of dedicated workers, such an accomplishment is not only possible but feasible. Preparations began early in December with colorful decorations, gift lists, menu planning and continued with gifts from area organizations, entertainment by various groups, arrival of individual gifts from loved ones and the air of expectancy that knows no age limit—because it's Christmas.

Activity began Monday evening with a program presented by members of St. Rita's Catholic Church and distribution of gifts from brilliantly lighted trees. Then, those who are not confined to bed began preparation for a holiday visit with family and friends, resulting in a smaller "family" for Christmas dinner on Thursday. Many were the relatives and many were the gifts during the day and as residents returned from visits, there was much "communion" concerning pleasures of the experiences.

Members of Ranger's "largest family" are as follows: Mary Currington, Minnie Sellars, Nanie Falls, Cora Dreslar, Katie Paschall, Addie Baggett, Dora Fox, Amelia Chesnut, Mary Fisher, Kathleen Dempsey, D. H. Galloway, George Cox, Joe Martinez, Virgil Greer, Sarah Jackson, Lou Hatfield, Ed L. Trantham, Sadie Navonkovich, Alie Cook, Dora Higginbotham, Abbie Greer, Ellis Morris, Lila Powell, Lala Burch, Ann White, Susie Hearns, Eary Wallace, Myrtle McNatt, Minnie Heck, Minnie Ganow, Ethel Williams, Pearl Downing, Katie Nickol, Miriam Monroe, Alma Parks, Beulah Wilson, Dovie Thrasher, Viola Jones, Lillie Collins, Cathy Johnson, Bessie Crawford, C. E. Bell, Henry Collins, Jesse McGaha, Lenoira McGaha, Ed Dixon, Jack McEver, J. Y. Jordan and J. B. LaGrone.

Among out-of-town friends and co-workers attending the funeral of Marvin Hays here last weekend included Bobby Schneer, Bill Blair, Martha Linea, G. D. Saunders, Jim Krueger, Cecil Jester, Raymond Lathanzie, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny George and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kennedy all of Irving and Harry Jones of Houston.

Weldon Gilbert of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Ida Gilbert, and his children Bruce and Laura, last weekend.



## Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waddington To Observe Anniversary January 4

To celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Waddington, a reception will be held from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Sunday, January 4, 1970 at the Community Club House.

Hosts for the occasion will be Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Waddington, Jr. of Abilene; Commander and Mrs. Jack Bob Waddington, Virginia Beach, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Short of Austin.

Grandchildren will be members of the houseparty. Lloyd Waddington and Eunice Stewart were united in marriage January 4, 1920 in Weatherford. They have lived in Ranger for the past 25 years, presently residing at 710 Cypress Street.

Mr. Waddington is a retired construction worker; Mrs. Waddington is a former employee of Ranger Rexall Drug. They enjoy gardening and entertaining relatives and friends. He is a member of Menquite and Bass Street Church of Christ and a member of First United Methodist Church of Ranger.

The couple has three children, Lloyd S. Waddington, Jr., Commander Jack Bob Waddington and Mrs. Robert S. Short; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A cordial invitation is extended to relatives and friends to attend the reception on above date.

## HIGH AND LOW --



## Fred C. Eaves Buried Friday In Gorman Rites

Fred C. (Tidy) Eaves, 73, died about 7 a. m. Thursday at his home in Gorman. He had been in ill health about three years.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Friday at the Congregational Methodist Church in Gorman, with the Rev. Marlon Dennis, pastor, officiating; assisted by the Rev. Joe O'Neal, pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Simpson Cemetery. Born November 14, 1896 in Limestone County, he married the former Miss Erma Neill August 24, 1919 in the Kokomo Community. They lived near Gorman all their married life and moved from Kokomo to Gorman in 1961, when they retired from farming and stock raising.

He was a member of the Gorman Congregational Methodist Church, the Masonic and Oddfellows Lodges of Gorman.

Survivors include his wife two sons, Neil B. Eaves of Weatherford and Delman Fred Eaves of the Kokomo Community; three daughters, Mrs. Paul L. (Verda Mae) Byron (Verna) Laminack and Mrs. Preston T. (Louise) Brown both of Lake Jackson; thirteen grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one brother, A. D. (Buddy) Eaves of Carbon and one sister, Mrs. Lela Lowry of Hobbs, New Mexico. Grandsons served as pallbearers.

## Winners Named In Residential Decoration Contest In Ranger

Winners in the residential decoration contest were named by the Ranger Christmas decoration contest Garden Club.



Several homes in Ranger were decorated for the occasion which made the city sparkle with the Christmas spirit. Named as the winner in the home decoration was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Helcamp of 200 Blundell Street. Second place winners were the homes of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Ruffie and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Stagner.

First place winner in the "Door Contest" was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wallace, 430 W. Main. The best decorated window was that of the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Davis, 712 W. Main.

## A. H. Morris Funeral Services Set Monday at 3

Allen Horace Morris, 87, longtime Rising Star resident, died Friday in Mims Memorial Hospital in Comanche after a four and one-half year illness.

Funeral will be at 3 p.m. Monday at Higginbotham Funeral Home with the Rev. Harry Hames, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Rising Star Cemetery.

Mr. Morris was born Jan. 2, 1882, in Riley Springs and married Dollie R. Russell Dec. 16, 1903, in Llano.

A retired farmer and stockman, he had lived here for the past 39 years.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Russell of El Paso and B. H. (Buck) of Rising Star; two daughters, Mrs. Julia Rose of Rising Star and Mrs. Maxine McKinney of Oradell, Ariz.; one brother, Gordon L. of Colorado City; one sister, Mrs. Tossie Johnson of Eastland, a number of grandchildren.

## Cowgirl Shirley Jackson To Compete at Ft. Worth

Shirley Jackson of Ranger will compete in the Invitational Ranch Girls Barrel Race at the 1970 Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock Show Jan. 30 through Feb. 8.

Jackson Ranch of Ranger will be her sponsor at the Ft. Worth Rodeo, the "World's Original Indoor Rodeo." The Stock Show Rodeo assures its audiences that only the most skilled competitors will run the barrels at Fort Worth through its "invitation only" policy.

Barrel racing has become a favorite event with the Will Rogers Coliseum crowds because of its excitement, speed and color.

Other action events at the rodeo will include bareback bronc riding, steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding, calf roping and Brahma bull riding. Some 500 top cowboys are expected to be on hand to vie for a rodeo purse of over \$500,000 in prize money and entry fees.

David Canary, who is featured as "Candy" on the popular television series "Bonanza," will be the special guest star for the 1970 Fort Worth Rodeo. Besides his acting ability, Canary is noted for his outstanding singing voice and appeared in Broadway musicals.

Canary will be accompanied by the New Establishment, a youth-oriented musical group. Canary will present his act at all 20 performances of the Stock Show Rodeo.

Tickets for the 1970 Fort Worth Rodeo are available by mail from the Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock Show.

Mrs. E. R. Butler, accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Watson and family of Eastland to Abilene Saturday where they attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Donna Butler, daughter of Major and Mrs. Bryan L. Butler, who was married to Mr. Jerry Newton at 7:30 p. m. at Dyess Air Force Chapel. A reception in Dyess Officers Club followed the ceremony. Kenneth Coleman and family of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Georgia Bertot, last weekend.

Show, P. O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

## CARBON NEWS

Larry Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Duncan, and a graduate of Carbon High School, received his Bachelors Degree at Tarleton State College on Sunday December 21. Larry was an honor graduate in the field of Mathematics and will teach school in Curo starting January 5, 1970.

Leland Jackson and family of Silver City N. M., Bob Jackson of Odessa and Lewis Jackson of Verona, Mo. have been visiting Mrs. Jewell Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Justice visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Reynolds of Arlington last weekend.

Kenneth Powell and family of Sugarland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Underwood, over the weekend.

Weldon Guy and family of Odessa, Truett Guy and family of Odessa.

James Guy and family of Ar-

tesia, N.M. visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Guy, last weekend.

The Carbon High school boys won first place in the basketball tournament held here last weekend by defeating the Eastland B team 65 to 42. Larry Griffin with 26 points was high scorer for Carbon. The Gorman girls defeated Moran 55 to 39 to win first place in the girls division. Kara Hankman was high scorer for Gorman with 23 points. The Gorman boys defeated Moran 55 to 49 to win Consolation. High scorers were Wesley Rogers 18 points for Gorman and Burl Jones 19 for Moran.

The Carbon girls won consolation by defeating Eastland B team 49 to 18. Diane Norris was high scorer for Carbon with 28 points. Third place went to Gordan boys and girls.

Mrs. Raymond Hendrix of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood Sunday.



**COON HUNTERS**—Charles Clark, local CPA, and his daughter, Diana, are shown above with seven raccoons that they shot in his feed lot recently. The coons had been eating grain in a calf creep feeder. Mr. Clark, who raises registered Herefords at their ranch between Cisco and Eastland, shot them with a 22 rifle at night. The coons weighed up to 25 pounds. The family dog is shown in front of the Clarks. Diana is a sixth grader in the Cisco schools.



**MRS. MARY COPELAND**, center, received congratulations and red roses from Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Taylor on her retirement as a Sunday school teacher at Calvary Baptist Church in San Marcos. Mrs. Copeland taught 32 years, ten of them at the San Marcos Church and several of them at the First Baptist Church in Eastland. Rev. Taylor said, "Mrs. Copeland is certainly one of the finest Bible teachers I have ever known. Ministers and laymen have long respected her knowledge of the Bible."

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## FLOWER TALK

By  
**OPAL MARSH**

**FLOWERS IN MEDICINE.** Many people all around the world are continuously growing flowers and plants so they can get precious juices and oils from them for medicine. From some flowers and plants, doctors find good medicines which can be used in the treatment of high blood pressure, heart affections, kidney problems and many other ailments. In fact, there are always finding more ways to use flowers every day. One way to use flowers is to say "I Love You" or "I hope you get well soon." We give each arrangement our special attention. We will deliver them to that special loved one. Call and we will be at your service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rodgers and sons of Lubbock are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis.

Christmas guests of Rev. and Mrs. Avery J. Sullivan and son, Paul, included Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sullivan of Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. D. Singleton of Denton, Dr. and Mrs. Jack Kilgore of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Singleton of Coppas Cove.

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## RJC Employees Enjoy Event at Campus SUB

A Christmas party for employees of Ranger Junior College Student Center was held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 19, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wheat.

It was a pleasant evening with Faye McCleskey, Lela Pruet, Frances Blackwell, Virginia Kennedy, Faye Barrett, Mary Lou Hamilton, Betty Reed, Cindy Bott, Doris Herrington, D'Vonna, Cheryl, and Bo Wheat and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Wheat.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Many Happy Returns to the following Rangerites who will celebrate birthdays during the coming week:

Sunday — Verganna Goswick, Gary Barnes, Larry Barnes, Betty Justice, W. J. Herrington, Bill Nichols, Billy Tribble, Karen Bryan.

Wednesday — Genie Sunday, Shorty Wallace.

Thursday — Mrs. S. T. Eaton.

Friday — Scott Tipton.

Saturday — Paula Clark.

Congratulations to Ray and Anna Williams who will observe a wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Dec. 31.



**WHERE THE ANTELOPE PLAY**—Herds of wild antelope still roam the mesa and mesquite country on the Buckeye Ranch at Ft. Sumner, N.M. Owner Jeff Good, at left, and ranch manager, Red Kyle, raise Herefords on 42,000 acres. In winter months they feed their cattle cottonseed cake.

## COTTON AND CATTLE

# The Bobcat Got Away

Not long ago, cowboys in a light airplane were chasing a bobcat running for cover on the Buckeye Ranch in Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

As the plane swooped down for the kill, one of the airborne hunters became excited and fired without taking aim. He shot off a front wheel of the airplane. They landed safely but the bobcat got away.

Ranch owner Jeff Good is a state representative and spends a good deal of his time in Santa Fe. But he's still a rancher and has been all his life, as his father was before him. As he drives a new Jeep station wagon over the rugged mesa country, Mr. Good observes, "I don't worry about being away because Red Kyle, our ranch foreman, knows every cow on the place by her first name."

Mr. Good regrets there are so few of Red's caliber around these days, and he expresses concern over the growing problem of finding and keeping good ranch hands. They get along on the Buckeye

Ranch by sharing the workload with neighboring cattlemen, especially at round-up and branding time.

"I'm strictly a cottonseed cake man and so was my Dad," Mr. Good says. "We feed our Herefords four or five pounds of cake per head every other day, sometimes for as long as six months."

His is a successful, light-stocked operation on 42,000 acres. Mesquite, a spiny shrub or small tree with shadeless foliage that has no grazing value, is becoming a problem and he'll soon have to spray or bulldoze. He'd like to get into extensive irrigated farming but hesitates because of the help situation.

The Goods live in a beautiful Spanish-style home with all modern conveniences and their lives form an integral part of today's cattle business, which is geared to the electronics age and the mass market.

Research and development have changed the cotton and cattle industries. But some things just naturally stay together.



**FENCED OUT**—Hereford cattle seen over a corral fence at the Buckeye Ranch in Fort Sumner, N.M. Science and mechanization have geared the \$8 billion a year cattle industry to the electronics age and the mass market.

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## 5 More Days Next Year For Local P.S. Students

Ranger Public School students will have their school year lengthened next year from 175 days in the classroom to 180 days actually taught and the teachers will have their work time increased from 180 to 190 days or 10 work months of twenty days each.

A new State law requires this Supt. James R. Clark said. It is effective next September or whenever the next school year begins. The only choice for local school districts is to pick their beginning and closing dates, their holidays and days for in-service training for teachers. If time is lost due to bad weather or sickness the school must make up the time so that the students are actually in the classroom 180 days.

Clark states that he has pre-

pared a temporary calendar for study, out which the teachers have been studying and it will have the teachers reporting for in-service training and preparing for their years work on Wednesday, August 19, and working Thursday and Friday also.

Students would register for classes prior to those days.

The first day of school for students would be Monday, August 24 and the first holidays would be Labor Day.

Two days will be observed for Thanksgiving, two full weeks for Christmas and one full week for Easter. If time is lost due to sickness or weather it probably will be made up Easter week.

Students will complete their term June 4, Friday with Baccalaureate Sunday, June 6, and graduates for high school seniors Monday, June 7.

School would also be dismissed five days during the year so that the teachers can go to school and have in-service training or grading papers. The law states the time can be used for work, preparation for work or schooling for the teachers.

Students would also get one more day holiday when the teachers attend their District meeting in November.

The final calendar will not be presented to the board for adoption until February but one will be presented for study at the December meeting.

The board will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, December 9 in their regular monthly meeting at 204 Main Street. The meeting is open to the public.



### New Arriv

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ashcraft announce the arrival of a daughter, Tanya Jo, weight seven pounds, 14 ounces, born at 8:20 a.m. Monday, Dec. 22, in Ranger General Hospital.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McGough of Ranger; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ashcraft of Weatherford.

This is the couple's second child.

### ★ BRIEFLY TOLD ★

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawley spent Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milliken of Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clark and son, Gregg of Arlington were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Clark and daughter, Janie.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hudson and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of Arlington were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Miller.

Dillard and Dorothy Jacoby of Fort Worth were holiday guests of their mother, Mrs. Walter Jacoby.

Mr. and Mrs. Miliard Herweck Jr., of Stephenville were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miliard Herweck.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. McCullum and son, David of Harlingen were holiday guests of Mrs. Viola Stroud and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Walden and daughter of Garland are weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Glenn Jones. The family spent Christmas Day with relatives in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin D. Chastain Jr. of Fort Worth spent Christmas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Chastain.

Mrs. Mary Frances Corra was in Dallas for Christmas with her daughter, Kave Johnson and daughter, Malanie and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Kent and children of Amarillo visited briefly with friends in Ranger on Friday afternoon.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Staerner were Mr. and Mrs. James Varner and sons and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Caraway, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Goforth and daughters of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Stagner and son of Mineral Wells and Mrs. T. I. Collins of Ranger.

Mrs. Frances Connelle of Garland is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Revels and her brother, Bob.

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Spencer were weekend guests of Mrs. Cliff Lewis formerly of Texas City, the couple was enroute to Ft. Smith, Ark. where Sgt. Spencer will be stationed. Mrs. Lewis was a hostess to all of her children and their families for the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Dennis and son, Joe Wayne and Mrs. Harl McGregor and son, all of Jefferson were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White.

Mrs. Nolah Hubbard, who celebrated her 89th birthday on Dec. 17, was honored at a family reunion in her home on Sunday, Dec. 21. Those attending were Clio Hubbard of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Castevens and family of Alvarado, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hubbard of Monahan, Mrs. Oris McDaniel of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Hubbard and family of Dallas, Mrs. Leona Shann of LaFeria, Mr. Herbert Weaver of Eastland and Donnie Hubbard of Denton.

Mrs. Jerry Don White and children of Garland are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White and Mrs. J. B. Shirley and Elizabeth Moore.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. Russell were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blasing and family of Bowie and Mr. and Mrs. David Russell and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Williams of Granbury and Eddie Greer of Stephenville were holiday guests of their mother, Mrs. Mabel Greer and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. J. Greer.

Holiday guests of Miss Mary F. Higginbotham were her brothers, Ray, Paul Higginbotham of Henrietta and James Higginbotham of Trinidad.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lacy of Fort Worth were weekend guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ora Holder. On Christmas Day, Mrs. Holder was a dinner guest of Mrs. A. d. Walk and family.

Cmdr. and Mrs. Jack R. Waddington and sons of Virginia Beach, Va., are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waddington. On Thursday, a group were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Short and family in Austin.

Holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Gohls are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reynolds. On Thursday afternoon, the group went to Fort Worth for a visit with Dr. Gohls' aunt, Mr. Ferriss South.

Enjoying Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gentry were Sandra Gentry of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Akers of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Campbell and family of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gentry and family of Ranger.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Dorpha Harris on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Willson Guest of Sweetwater, Miss Jill Guest of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Guest and family of Lewisville.

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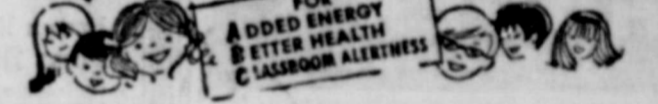
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5-LB. Bag 49c

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Savory  
LUNCHEON LOAF

Carnation Milk Tall Can

Van Camp  
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**JAM**

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by Ora Lee Woods

I can not dial your number,  
Or knock upon your door,  
Nor even write a letter  
As I have done before.

But if my thoughts of you  
Were dollars in the bank  
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Yet, fresh deposits from my mind  
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I still love you most of all  
Just because you're you!

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Graham Hospital Saturday morning were reported as follows:  
Mrs. Dolly Ricks.  
Mrs. Lou Ford.  
E. A. Garverick.  
Mrs. Dorothy Miller.  
Mrs. John E. Locke.  
Paul Brown.  
Mrs. Annie M. Young.  
Mrs. Verda L. Morris.

Willie Terrell.  
Donnie Rose. Gorman  
Hattie Duncan.  
Mattie McPherson. Cisco  
Wm. Crawford. Cisco  
Glen Graham.  
Sasha Harrell.  
Irma Parker.  
Charlie Norris. Carbon  
Florence Yancey.  
Nora Vaught.  
Beulah Turner.  
Weltha Dunn. Carbon  
Beatrice McAdams. Ft. Worth  
Dayton Sessions. Cisco  
Carl Robinson. Ranger  
Sharon Fron. Ranger  
R. G. Lyeria.  
A. V. Gilmore. Gorman  
Baby Boy Fron Ranger

Patients in Eastland Memorial Hospital Saturday morning were:  
Ins Bean.  
George Wooley.  
Willie Vay Wylie. Moran  
Carol Calahan. Cisco  
Wm. Mitcham. Cisco  
Carl Page. Ranger  
Phil Gossell.  
Corra Plumlee. Cisco  
Neppie Williams. Rising Star  
Kenny Foster. Ranger  
Mina Laffoon.  
Lola Everett. Cisco  
Clara Edwards. Moran  
Lou Finley.  
Mattie Evans. Cisco  
Grace Ashton. Cisco  
John Nicholas.  
Clifford Edwards. Moran

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Saturday morning were:  
W. W. Jones.  
Edward Pope  
W. D. Turner.  
James Davis.  
Necessary Conley.  
Michael Gilbert.  
Pat Cates.  
Raymond Proctor.  
Puri Hunt.  
Moody Carr.  
J. D. Stuart.  
Mrs. C. J. Johnston.  
Mrs. Susie Nosek.  
Mrs. Vennie Carwile.  
Mrs. Myrtle Douglas.  
Mrs. Ada Graves.  
Mrs. W. W. Jones.  
Bridgette Talifero.  
Mrs. Pearl Bowen.  
Mrs. Louise Trippett.  
Mrs. Stella Maynard.  
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The Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, December 17 in the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tankersley. The home was beautifully decorated in Christmas decor. Ten members answered the call. After a short business meeting, the evening was spent in recreation, picture making, gift exchanging, and feasting from a beautifully decorated table centered with a cheese ball surrounded by sandwiches, chips and dips, cookies, candies, nuts, mints, toasted pretzels, spiced tea, and coffee.

Present were Meses. Evie Blair, Leta Brockman, Ruby Bond, Bertha Harrison, Emilee Hartsell, Flora Kincaid, Josie Nix, Belma Pounds, Bessie Peoples, Ada Tankersley, and Miss Kay Thompson.

The 1970 yearbooks were meeting will be January 14, 1970, with the new officers in charge.

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"Behold, God exalteth by his power: who teacheth like him?"

This verse from the book of Job is included in the Lesson-Sermon "Christian Science" to be read in all churches of the denomination, on Sunday, Dec. 28.

A passage from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy reads: "For three years after my discovery, I sought the solution of this problem of Mind-healing, searched the Scriptures and read little else kept aloof from society, and devoted time and energies to discovering a positive rule."

Services at Eastland First Church of Christ Scientist, at corner Lamar and Plummer Sts., begin at 11 a.m. e a c h Sunday.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Austin were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Austin of Wichita Falls, their son, Steve Austin of Arlington and Mrs. Austin's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jeffery of Hastings, Okla.

'LOVE BUG' at the Majestic



MUSIC CLUB HONORS GUESTS AT LONE CEDAR DINNER MEET

Eastland Music Study Club held its annual Christmas Banquet honoring husbands and guests on Friday, Dec. 19 at 7 p.m. at Lone Cedar Country Club.

Hostesses for the evening were chairman, Mrs. Virginia Weaver Russell; and Mmes. Sallie B. Bishop, T. E. Richardson, Frank Weaver, Don Pierson, Ita R. Parrish, and Gene V. Rhodes.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Weaver. The clubhouse was gaily decorated with Christmas wreaths, Santa and his reindeer coming down the wall, traditional mistletoe hanging from the archway and a beautifully-lighted Christmas tree standing at the dining room entrance trimmed with red birds and color fruit.

The tables were never more beautiful in their snow white linen cloths, with green vines and red berries running down the center, lighted with red Christmas candles in brass candle holders. Golden angels were placed at equal spaces down the center and the centerpiece of large red roses in a brass bowl was flanked

by brass candle holders holding giant green Christmas candles.

Fruit punch was served from such a lovely table with draped pink and white organdy cloth.

Darel Reid gave the invocation. Mr. and Mrs. Dill serenaded the guests with carols, during the dinner of roast turkey, dressing, cranberry salad, and other dishes, including mince pie.

Mrs. Don Doyle, soprano, and Ben Karnes, pianist, presented "O Holy Night".

A brass quartet composed of JoAnn Baker, Craig Beskow, Jeff Jackson, and Mike Robinson presented several Christmas carols.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins told the sweet Christmas story of the "Poor Little Boy Juegles". The club chorus sang "Do you Hear What I Hear?", "Still, Still, Still", "Carol of the Questioning Child" and "Jesus Blessed Jesus."

The choir was directed by Darel Reid and accompanied by Ben Karnes, pianist. The program closed with a group singing "O Come All Ye Faithful".

Please Don't Be 1 of 33 --We Love Our Readers

OPERATION MOTORCIDE NEW YEAR 1970

33 6 P.M. DEC. 31 MIDNIGHT JAN. 4 ?

An estimated 33 persons will be killed in traffic accidents in Texas during the New Year period from 6 p.m. Wednesday, December 31 to midnight Sunday, January 4. Officials of the Texas Department of Public Safety are joining with the Governor's highway safety program in urging Texans to "Drive Friendly" during the holidays and stay alive for the seventies.

SCRANTON NEWS

Mrs. Raymond Sprawls visited Mrs. Lillie Gattis Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shrader Jr. and P. M. Ray and B. O. Speagle went to Ft. Worth Sunday to attend the funeral services for Lewis Horn.

Guests in the W. B. Stuart home, during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Leony Drowns and son of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hertles and children, Mr. and Mrs. David Stuart and Pam of Austin, Mike Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart and son of Eastland, Mrs. and Mrs. F. H. Stuart and son, Mrs. Nelsa Wheeler and Children of Cisco, Robt. Stuart of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stuart and baby of Cleburne.

Children and grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter gathered at the home place for Christmas dinner Sunday with 35 in attendance.

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin.

M. L. Morgan for Sunday Christmas dinner. Mrs. Morgans children of Ft. Worth were also in attendance. Approximately 45 attended.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Speagle attended the Christmas program at the Wesley United Methodist church Sunday evening.

Children and grandchildren of Mrs. J. H. Shrader Sr. gathered at her Scranton home for Christmas dinner Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Merritt of Cisco visited Mrs. Mayme Ledbetter Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and Gary of Weatherford were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillie Gattis.

Miss Eunice Hembree was a Sunday night guest of Hazel and Bulah Respass in Cottonwood.

Mrs. Cecile Black and Mrs. Mary Murry of Clyde, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Abbott of Cisco visited Mrs. Lillie Gattis Monday.

Mrs. R. D. Boland and girls attended a Christmas party for the peanut mill employees and their families at Millsap Saturday evening.

A large crowd attended the burial service at the Scranton Baptist church for Lewis Horn Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donawho of Moran were Christmas Day guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Adams. Also visiting the Adams' were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Al Gleaves.

Sandra and Jerry Douglas and family of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Kate Asten and sons of Texarkana; and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Agnew visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Douglas Christmas Day.



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# Sarah Cooper, Harry Crowe, III Exchange Vows Here December 21



MRS. HARRY Z. CROWE, III  
nee Sarah Cooper



MISS BUTLER, MR. NEWTON  
WED IN CHAPEL CEREMONY

MRS. JERRY ALBRECHT NEWTON  
... formerly Miss Donna Hester Butler

Miss Donna Hester Butler and Mr. Jerry Albrecht Newton were married Dec. 20 in the Dyess Air Force Base Chapel, with Paul Shero, minister of the Rangerville Church of Christ in San Benito, officiating.

Parents of the couple are Major and Mrs. Bryan Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Dawrmen Newton, all of Abilene. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Butler of Carbon and the niece of Mrs. Kenneth Watson of Eastland. Music was presented by Miss Jackie Groves of Denton, organist, and Miss Jane Holland of Dallas, soloist.

Maid of honor was Miss Daisy Herndon of Denton. Bridesmaids were Miss Lynn Sommermeyer of New York City, Miss Sue Binford of New Mexico, and Miss Sue Rozdil of Connecticut. Miss Phyllis Goharan of Jena, Louisiana was junior bridesmaid. The maid of honor wore an avocado green velvet gown with empire waist and halter outlined in gold braid. A matching bow was in her hair and she carried a candle. The bridesmaids and junior bridesmaid wore similar gowns of deep gold, purple, blue, and red.

Billy Currey was best man and groomsmen were Larry Newton of Hamilton, Tommy Stan Henry of Dallas, and Lee Boatwright of Oklahoma City. Butler, brother of the bride.

Nuptial vows uniting Sarah Nell Cooper and Harry Z. Crowe, III, were solemnized at two o'clock in the afternoon, December twenty-first, at the altar of First United Methodist Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper, Rt. 2, Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Z. Crowe, Jr., Rt. 3, Midland.

Floral arrangements in shades of pink marked the altar area where the Rev. B. Thomas Tribbie, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Charles Smith, organist presented traditional processional and recessional and accompanied Gaston Dixon who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Sandra Cooper of Dallas, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Rhonda Rushing and Susan Cooper, nieces of the bride, were flower girls. Maid of honor wore a formal gown of light pink crepe designed with empire waistline, rounded neckline and puffed sleeves. She carried a nosegay of pink carnations. Flower girls wore street-length frocks of hot pink velvet featuring empire waistlines and long puffed sleeves.

Natt Crowe attended his brother as best man; Freddie Cooper of Weatherford and Ralph Cooper of Conroe seated

guests; candles were lighted by Mark Cooper.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a carpet-length gown of white crepe, designed with empire bodice, scoop neckline and short puffed sleeves. A white satin bow attached at back fastline extended the full length of the skirt. Her shoulder-length veil of meline fell from a pearlized satin bow. A single strand of pearls gift of the bridegroom, was her only jewelry. She carried orchids and carnations atop a white Bible.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother chose a dress of dusty pink silk with lace trim at front bodice, worn with white accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a dress of blue and white knit jersey and white accessories. Both mothers wore corsages of white glamelias.

Reception followed in Fellowship Hall of the Church with Mmes. Allen Rushing of Eastland, Fred Cooper of Weatherford and Ralph Cooper of Conroe as members of the houseparty.

For a wedding trip to El Paso, the bride chose an olive green three-piece knit suit with crocodile shoes and bag.

Mrs. Crowe is a graduate of Ranger Public School, Ranger Junior College and received the B. A. Degree from Southwest Texas State University in 1969. Her husband is a graduate of Southwestern University, Georgetown and is a teacher in the Midland Public

School system. The couple is at home, 123 Vista Place, Odessa.

Johnny Michael Bostick was honored by his mother with a party on his 12th birthday. Approximately 27 were present for the celebration.

## APPLICATION FOR VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ zip code  
(If Route and Box No., also show street or Road)

Sex: ( ) Male ( ) Female  
Age \_\_\_\_\_ years. (Applicants over 21 years old who do not wish to state exact age may fill in blank with

"over 21" or "21 plus".) If under 21 years, give full date of birth \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Resident of Voting Precinct \_\_\_\_\_ (Name or Number)

I certify that applicant is a citizen of the United States and has resided in Texas more than 1 year and in the county and city (if residing in a city) more than 6 months immediately preceding the date of this application, except as listed under EXCEPTIONS below. I understand the giving of this information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

EXCEPTIONS:  
Show date of arrival by Mo., Day & Year:

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If in county less than 6 mos. \_\_\_\_\_

If in city less than than 6 mos. \_\_\_\_\_

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# THE RANGER TIMES

## Mrs. Henry Shaper Speaker For Annual Federation Luncheon

The Annual Federation Day Luncheon of all Federated Women's Clubs in Cisco with approximately 58 present, was held in Corral Room Hotel Annex Friday, Oct. 31 at 1 p.m. The affair was hosted by Miss Graves and presidents of all clubs of City Federation. Guest speaker was Mrs. Henry Shaper of San Antonio, president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Invocation was given by Mrs. Carrel Smith and pledge to the United States and Texas Flags were led by Mrs. Doug Fry. Introduction of guests was given by Miss Graves and entertainment was provided by Mrs. Glen Frailey accompanied by Mrs. William Austin. She chose two selections — "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "Climb Every Mountain."

Those introduced during introduction were Mrs. Alvin A. Stewart of San Saba immediate president of the Heart of Texas District, TFWC; Mrs. Joe Clements, First Industrial Arts Club; Mrs. Leland Williams, Delphinian Study Club; Mrs. Arlin Birt, Cisco Garden Club; Mrs. J. C. Dyer, Jr., Music Study Club, and recently elected president of Third District, Texas Federation of Music Club at Stamford Oct. 30; Mrs. L. E. Boyd, Lake Home Demonstration Club.

Also introduced were officers of the Cisco Federation, Mrs. Don Choate, 1st vice president; Mrs. Howard Cole, vice-president; recording secretary, Mrs. E. Yarbrough; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. Rust; treasurer, Mrs. G. Morris; and Mrs. T. C. Williams, parliamentarian unable to attend and Mrs. Leo Clark, chairman of trustees. Also present were Mrs. R. E. Graves, District Life member, who was unable to attend, recognized too, were State life members, Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. N. A. Brown and Mrs. E. L. Hazelwood, Mrs. Boby M. who were unable to attend and Mrs. S. E. Hittson, president of Third District, Texas Federation of Music Clubs.

Guests introduced were W. P. Brightwell, and Mrs. Francis, vice president of Club of Eastland; Mrs. N. Robinson, Mrs. B. Thomas, and Mrs. C. B. representing the 1929 District of Ranger; Mrs. Lynn G. M. M. District of Mesquite District; Mrs. C. B. Barrow, Mesquite Chmn. of Mesquite District both of Mesquite District; Mrs. Bertie M. Each club mem-

ber present introduced her guest for the luncheon.

Various committees who worked on the luncheon were

recognized, Cisco Garden Club for the beautiful decorations — Mrs. Vera London, Mrs. Don Choate, Mrs. Leo Clinton, Mrs. Lloyd London menu chairman; publicity, and representing the Cisco Press, Mrs. Nancy Chapman and Mrs. Rosa Lee Broyles.

Miss Graves introduced the speaker, Mrs. Shaper who based her speech on "This Is The Time." Mrs. Shaper is very popular in the Women's Social activity. She belongs to five Federated Clubs in San Antonio. She serves as president

of the large city federation which consists of 120 clubs. She also served as president of the 5th district. State level she has served as various state officers for nine years. She has done tremendous amount of civic work such as Little Theater, U.S.O.,

Civil Defense, C of C. United Church Women and served on the Executive Committee for Planning Hemisfair. She is currently vice president of the state. She worked at local and district levels and had a weekly radio program for three years which she received a

national citation.

Mrs. Shaper, a widow, and mother of one son, is a native of San Antonio. She received

her schooling here and a graduate of "Our Lady Lake College" where she majored Women's Presbyterian Church

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