

County Retail Sales Census Shows Wane

Retail sales in 1954 of 376 stores in Eastland County totaled \$22,547,000, according to preliminary 1954 Census of Business figures announced by the Bureau of Census, Department of Commerce.

This was a decrease of 0.1 per cent under sales in 1948 of 428 stores at \$22,567,000. Stores with payroll in 1954 numbered 232 and had 857 paid employees in November, 1954, with a reported payroll of \$1,682,000, and accounted for sales of \$20,253,000.

Proprietors of unincorporated businesses number 396. The number of stores and their 1954 sales, grouped by major kinds of business, were:

Kind-of-Business	No.	Dollars
Food stores	69	5,486,000
Eating, drinking places	36	4,115,000
Gen'l. Mdse. gp.	27	1,625,000
Apparel, accessories stores	18	775,000
Furniture, home furnishings, appliances	19	788,000
Automotive gp.	29	6,328,000
Gas. serv. stations	77	2,330,000
Lmbr., bldg. matls., hdw., farm equip.	29	1,931,000
Drug stores, proprietary stores	23	777,000
Other retail stores	41	1,317,000
Nonstore retailers	8	80,000

Even though the volume sales were below those of 1948 in 1954, sales in 1955 were expected to top those of the previous five years. The exact information is not available, however.

The 1948 totals include data for a few types of establishments not in scope in the 1954 census. This is significant only to the extent that milk dealers (dairies) and stores with annual sales between \$500 and \$2,500 are important in the county.

For 10 cents, a report for the state's counties and places of 2,500 or more population is available from the Bureau of Census, Washington 25, D.C., or from Department of Commerce field offices in most large cities.

✝ SPIRITUAL SYNOPSIS

By Father Rossmann
Pastor St. Rita's Catholic Church

It was some two thousand years ago that the Son of God, became man to become the Founder and the very essence of His religion which we call "Christianity".

What Christ did and said on earth has been and still is a hope and guide for millions of human beings. We can truthfully say that Christianity has changed the face of the earth. It has pervaded every aspect of the western civilization, and by mere and continued contact it has tempered and softened those civilizations, which oppose it or at least give it the cold shoulder.

Christianity has always been an inspiration for those who live it, it has been a puzzle for those outside of it, and it has been a curse for those who profess it with their lips, but whose hearts are far from it.

"I know they work, that thou art neither cold nor hot. I would they were cold or hot. But because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will begin to vomit thee out of my mouth." Rev. 3, 15, 16.

For the pagan, for the outsider, Christianity is and must be a contradiction, and to a certain extent an insult to human intelligence because it promises salvation through self-denial, because it commands and requests to overcome evil with good, it opposes hate with love and because its Leader and Founder apparently became a failure by dying on the cross.

For the convinced believer however, this apparently failure was followed up by the glory of the resurrection and the everlasting happiness in heaven; and the words of the Savior "If you want to be my disciples, take up your cross and follow me" have become a "rule of life".

To love where there is hate, to forgive where there is persecution, to obey the ten commandments, which are in such conflict with human nature, all these apparently impossible ideals become possible for those who look up to the Leader, and do what he told us to do, "Watch and Pray." "Do penance and be converted." "Have faith in God." "Do not be troubled, I will go to prepare you a place in Heaven, that where I am you also might be".

For those now, who call themselves Christians, but refuse to live by it, for those, Christianity is not a contradiction, because they understand it, neither is it an inspiration and a salvation, because they refuse to accept it, and we are justified to say, that Christianity is a curse for them.

They are alike to the five foolish virgins who were invited to the wedding feast, but forgetting to take oil with them in their lamps, they were taken by surprise, when in the middle of the night, the cry went up: Behold the bridegroom comes, go ye forth to meet him. When the foolish virgins were not ready to meet him, they got caught and prepared and their fate was terrible, because when they finally opened the closed door of the bridegroom saying: Lord, Lord, open to us; it was then that the master answered: I know you not.

Watch ye therefore, because you know not the day nor the hour. Math. 25:1, 13.

L. T. Groves, 58, Of Olden Dies At Midland

Lois Truman Groves, 58, of Olden, a Magnolia Petroleum Co. employee for more than 30 years, died at 7 a.m. Friday in Midland Memorial Hospital at Midland.

He had gone to Midland three weeks ago for a medical examination. He was seriously ill only a few hours before his death.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. J. L. Heinemann of Midland, Mrs. James Hendricks of Cisco and Mrs. Bruce Pipkin of Eastland; his mother, Mrs. W. H. Groves of Eastland; two sisters, Mrs. Everett Lyon of Houston and Mrs. Ruby Pledger of Ballinger; and four grandchildren.

Funeral will be held at Hamner Funeral Chapel Sunday afternoon at a time to be announced.

Mr. Groves was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Wyatt's Funeral Rites Are At Gorman

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church at Gorman for the late Mrs. Ed Wyatt, a resident of Gorman for forty-six years, wife of a long-time Gorman veterinarian.

The rites were conducted by the Rev. M. A. Pennington. Burial took place in Gorman cemetery.

Mrs. Wyatt died at her home in Gorman at 10:20 p.m. Tuesday after several years' illness.

She was one of the living charter members of the Gorman First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Wyatt was born at Pioneer and moved at an early age to the Gorman vicinity. She married Ed Wyatt Dec. 25, 1903. Wyatt has been a veterinarian for more than 40 years.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Robert Hodge of Midland. She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Ocie and Lucian Snell.

ABC Floral, Garden Shop Opening Set

Mrs. J. B. Craig of Ranger, today announced the opening of the ABC Floral and Garden Shop Saturday, Feb. 25 at 613 Breckenridge Rd.

Mrs. Craig who has lived here the past 3 1/2 years is experienced in all phases of the floral industry. She and her husband, who is engaged in the trucking - contracting business moved here from Abilene.

Mrs. Craig asked that visitors stop and see the green house and display of pot plants, cut flowers and gift ware.

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TODAY — No spokesman, he. The mask protects his maintenance worker at Portsmouth, N.H. Air Force Base from New England's bitter winter gales as he keeps road facilities open with his road grader.

Four Admit Part In False Alarm, Releasing Fire Plugs Sentencing Planned Monday Morning

Area Highway Patrol Tightening Violation Grip

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BROADSIDE—Heavy guns in the fight of light against darkness thunder in this dramatic view of power. No long rifles of a battleship are they, as this picture suggests. Turn the page one-quarter turn to the left, and you'll see them in proper perspective. They're smokestacks of Commonwealth Edison's electric light plant at Chicago, Ill.

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Masons Engage Speaker For Banquet Here

R. W. Claud L. Austin, past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, will be principal speaker for the Ranger Masonic Lodge when it has its annual Washington's Day program in the banquet room of the lodge hall here Feb. 22 at 6:30 p.m.

Austin, of Alvarado, is currently, treasurer of Masonic Service and Education Association.

A portion of the program will be furnished by members of the Fine Arts Department of Ranger College, under the direction of Fred Baumgardner.

Mrs. John Usery, worthy matron of the Eastern Star and members of her committee will be in charge of refreshments.

All Master Masons and their wives and members of the Eastern Star have been invited to attend the celebration.

Boats & Motors Marine Headquarters I & J Supply

Hinds Wins District 7-A Scoring Race

Paul Hinds of Ranger, took individual scoring honors in the District 7-A basketball race going away.

With some difficulty at the beginning of the season the Bulldog captain, began outpointing the earlier season leader, Dale Slaton of Eastland, and by the end of the season Monday had taken over the league leadership by 25 points.

Hinds scored 199 points in 10 conference outings for a 19.9 average.

Mother of Mrs. M. L. King Dies At Abilene

Funeral services for Mrs. T. B. Bass, 88, mother of Mrs. M. L. King of Ranger, were held at 3 p.m. Friday at the St. Paul Methodist Church at Abilene.

Mrs. Bass, widow of Dr. T. B. Bass, Abilene State Hospital superintendent for 41 years, died Thursday at 2 p.m. in Hendrick Memorial Hospital after suffering a stroke Monday at her home at 1717 Holborn St. in Abilene.

Officiating were Dr. Earl G. Hamlett, pastor, and Dr. C. A. Long, assistant pastor.

Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park beside the grave of her husband who died in Abilene Dec. 22, 1945. Services and burial were under the direction of Kiker-Warren Funeral Home.

A charter member of St. Paul Methodist Church, Mrs. Bass was born Nov. 29, 1866, in Batesville, Ark., the oldest of seven children, born to Eliza Case and Alford H. Joblin.

She and Mr. Bass were married Nov. 8, 1893, and lived in Terrell following their marriage where Dr. Bass engaged in private practice. He became first assistant physician at the state hospital in Abilene when it was founded in 1901. In 1909 he became its superintendent and served in that capacity until Jan. 1, 1943.

She was a life member of the Missionary Society and a charter member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at St. Paul Church and filled various offices in both organizations.

She had served as president of the Abilene Woman's Club, Taylor-Shakespear Club, and was active in other civic organizations.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Mack (Lila) Pegues of Fort Worth, Mrs. Andrew (Margaret) Urban of 774 Meander St., Abilene, and Mrs. King of Ranger; one son, Tom J. of Olney; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Ed Trawick, Grover Brock, S. M. Jay, Sam Kennedy, Joe Williamson and Dr. C. A. McMadden.

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Funeral services have been tentatively scheduled for 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the Killbuck's Funeral Chapel. Interment will be at Evergreen Cemetery.

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Two Instructors To Serve As Meet Chairmen

Two Ranger Junior College instructors will serve as chairmen of their sectional meetings in Austin, Feb. 24, at the Texas Junior College Association Meeting.

Mrs. Naomi Norton will head the Speech and Drama Division, and Dean R. L. Willis will furnish the program for the Social Science Group on "Projects in Teaching Social Science in Junior Colleges."

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That is a crisis far too common for comfort. Drowning is the example which comes immediately to mind, but there are many others. It happens often in auto accidents, and presents an even tougher problem. The resuscitator is not one of those devices useful in rare cases of something obscure. What this treats is imminent death from drowning, asphyxia from CO₂, carbon monoxide, chlorine and illuminating gas, suffocation from many other causes, electrical shock. Its opponents are the likeliest hazards of modern life, and killers all.

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Church of Christ 225 South Rusk Announcements

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend the services of the church. The schedule for Sunday is: Bible classes 9:45 a.m., worship 10:45 a.m., worship 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The services for Wednesday are: Ladies Bible class 9:30 a.m. and mid-week service 7:30 p.m. According to Thomas F. Shropshire, minister, the sermon subjects for this Sunday are, morning: "Do Mere Claims Establish Facts?" and evening: "Why Lost and How Saved."

Sunday School Worker Schedule

Three nights, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, will offer to the Sunday school workers of this Ranger area the greatest opportunity in many years to receive a complete working knowledge of each of the nine departments of work as is set out for Sunday school. Time 7 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. The young people and adults will have as their teachers: Calvin Bailey, Ralph Perkins, Bill Knighton, and Mrs. Perkins. They will discuss twelve phases of Sunday school work that is vital to the success of Bible teaching, enlistment and growth. The intermediates will have Mrs. Bill Knighton to teach and direct their activities. Bill Knighton will direct their singing. Bro. Perkins will show the Intermediates and Juniors pictures of Europe that he took during World War II. The Juniors will have the same teachers as the adults.

First Baptist Announcements

Special music at the First Baptist Church Sunday will include the Choir bringing a special worship in song at the 11 o'clock hour. The Junior Choir under the direction of Bill Knighton, Lynda Ferguson, and Mrs. Theo Ferguson will sing at the evening worship hour, 7:30. Do you believe in the "Lord's Day," the "Sabbath," "Sunday as a day of worship," "Do your ideas concerning this "Sacred privilege" of a day to worship God correspond with the teachings from the Holy Bible? You are invited to the 11 o'clock worship hour at the First Baptist Church to hear the Bible speak concerning "The Lord's Day." What we believe makes a difference in our lives, the kind we live, here as well as here-after.

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.
Study club for the high school students Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.
Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7:45 p.m.
Study club for the Junior College students Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Religion class for the grade school students at 6:30 p.m. Thursday.
Rev. Fr. Boemans, pastor of St. Rita's Catholic Church, is always available to give information and to explain the Catholic faith to those who want to know more about it. This information is given without any obligation whatsoever and without prejudice against any other religion.

Church of God Announcements

The revival meeting at the Church of God, Strawn Road, will continue through February 26. Services begin each night at 7:30 p.m. The evangelist Ray Ogle will sing solos and speak each evening. Everyone is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to everyone for their expressions of kindness, and sympathy in the death of our father. The Family of W. S. Payne.

IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jessie Smith reports that her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Leroy Smith of Levand is in the Taylor Hospital in Lubbock, Room 31.

HELLO THERE...

(Editor's Note: The Ranger Times wishes to extend a hearty welcome to the newcomers to our community. We hope your stay is long and pleasant. May we suggest that you attend the church of your choice next Sunday.)

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Medley, who are residing on East Main. Mr. Medley is employed by the Gulf Refining Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Ward, who are living in the Veterans Apartments. They have three children. Mr. Ward is employed by the Collins Construction Company.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis and three children have moved to the Veterans Apartments. He is employed by the Collins Construction Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Justice are living in the Motley Trailer Park. Mr. Justice is employed by the Collins Construction Co.

Dale Ivy is residing at 902 Strawn road and is employed by the Collins Construction Co.

VISITS IN RANGER

Howard Freise of Crain, Texas and his mother, Mrs. Abbigale Freise of DeLeon visited Mr. and Mrs. Onis Littlefield Wednesday.

Ministerial Alliance To Meet Monday

The Ranger Ministerial Alliance will meet Monday morning at 10 a.m. in the library of the First Baptist Church to complete the plans for the city-wide religious survey that is scheduled for March 11 through the 25th.

The last city-wide survey was made by the Ministerial Alliance in the spring of 1951. Since that time literally hundreds of families have moved in, changed addresses, moved out, and the population otherwise increased.

Each family in the city will be visited. Each member of each family will be asked to give certain questions due consideration. Each church will receive their own members and the names of those who prefer that church. Only the pastor of the designated church will receive the list of those who attend, prefer, or are members of his church.

The city can be justly proud of the splendid cooperation of the churches in Ranger. There are seventeen churches in the city limits. There is a working spirit among all these churches. The church page in the "Greater Ranger Edition" listed all 17 churches, their addresses and pastors. Calvin Bailey is president, James A. Crites, vice president, and Ralph Perkins, sec.-treasurer. All ministers, pastors, and evangelists are welcome and there is actually no membership, just the spirit of cooperation.

Christian Science

How greater intelligence and wisdom can be gained through scientific understanding of God, divine Mind, will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

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This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 24, 1956.
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METHOD: Put the water, salt and rice in a 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover with a lid and leave over this low heat 14 minutes. Remove saucepan from the heat but leave on 10 minutes.

Add the celery, cucumber and onion to the hot rice. Mix together the vinegar and sugar until the sugar dissolves. Add to the rice mixture and mix well. Mix in the sour cream and blue cheese.

Cover well and store in the refrigerator until time to serve. To serve, arrange the salad on salad greens and garnish with tomato slices or wedges. This recipe makes 8 to 10 servings.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

February 21
The WMS will give the Burney Tea at 2:45 p.m. at the First Baptist church. Mrs. Sylvia Alvarado, a Margaret Fund student at Hardin-Simons will be the speaker.

February 23
The annual George Washington Dinner of the American Legion and Auxiliary, will be held Thursday, Feb. 23 at the Legion Hall at 7:00 p.m. All members of both the Legion and Auxiliary are invited to attend. Each lady is requested to bring a covered dish.

February 21
The Columbia Study Club will meet with Mrs. Saunders Gregg at 3:00 p.m. Mrs. Frances Jameson will give the review.

February 22
The New Era Club will meet home of Mrs. L. L. Bruce with Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. in the Mes. Lee Duckery as co-hostess. The program will be given by the Pipe Arts Department of Ranger Junior College.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sutton

Double Ring Ceremony Unites Sara Beth King, Eugene Sutton

Miss Sara Beth King became the bride of Howard Eugene Sutton Saturday evening, February 11, in a candlelight ceremony at 6:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in Ranger.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. King of Ranger, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sutton of Ranger.

The Rev. Bruce Weaver read the double ring ceremony amid a background of white gladioluses flanked by four branch candelabra holding tall white tapers. Single candles lined the altar rail. The pews were marked with white satin ribbons.

Miss Mildred Bach, organist, played the traditional wedding march and accompanied Miss Jeanette Winn as she sang "Aloha" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Miss Mary Ann Wallace attended the bride as maid of honor. Miss Wallace wore a waltz-length gown of pink taffeta and lace.

The princess style dress had a scoop roll neckline which came to a deep V in the back with a bow. The lace over taffeta gathered skirt was worn over crinolines. She wore matching shoes and a matching shell style hat, and carried a fan bouquet of pink roses.

For her daughters marriage, Mrs. King chose a navy blue taffeta dress with rhinestone accessories. Mrs. Sutton wore a mauve tulle suit with white accessories. Each wore an orchid corsage.

A reception following the ceremony was held at the Community Club house, with parents of the bride and groom and members of the wedding party forming the receiving line.

Mrs. Johnny Randle of Uvalde presided at the registry table, which was arranged with a fan bouquet of pink roses.

The bridal table was centered with an arrangement of white roses. The wedding cake was formed as an open Bible and on one side it was decorated with a bouquet of pink spun sugar roses and on the other with the names of the bride and groom. Mrs. Andrew Urban, aunt of the bride, poured coffee from the silver coffee service. Miss Shirley Oliver served the cake.

When Mr. and Mrs. Sutton left on a short wedding trip, she wore an avocado green wool jersey

Mrs. J. E. Matthews Hostess To 1920 Club Meeting; New Officers Elected

Mrs. J. E. Matthews was hostess in her home to the 1920 Club Thursday afternoon at 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, president, presided over the business meeting, in which the following new officers were elected: honorary president, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman; president, Mrs. Hamrick; first vice president, Mrs. David Norton; second vice president, Mrs. T. J. Anderson; recording secretary, Mrs. G. B. Rush; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Judson Hardy; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Hummel; federation counselor, Mrs. Saule Perlestein; reporter, Mrs. W. C. Lammus; parliamentarian, Mrs. Price Ashton; historian, Mrs. C. E. May, Sr.

Mrs. Matthews had charge of the program and gave a discussion on "The United Nations and Its Promotion of International Understanding." Slides of the United Nations headquarters in New York City was shown to the group.

Refreshments were served from a tea table centered with pink stock and Dutch iris. Mrs. Hamrick presided at the tea service.

The following were present: Mrs. Ashton, F. P. Brasher, A. W. Brazda, M. H. Hagaman, R. L. Hamrick, Hardy, Hummel, R. A. Jameson, J. F. Killingsworth, A.

Rev. L. Seymour To Preach At First Methodist

Rev. L. W. Seymour, superintendent of the Cisco District of the Methodist Church, will preach during the morning worship service at the First Methodist Church, Sunday, Feb. 19. Rev. Seymour has spoken in Ranger at the Methodist Church many times during the last six years. He has also spoken at various civic events in the community. His sermons always inspire and inform those who hear him.

Rev. Bruce Weaver, the pastor, will preside at the service and conduct the worship.

The service will also include special music by the choir, hymns and prayer by the congregation, and a special speaker, Mrs. Morris Newsham, on Stewardship.

The Church School will begin at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all interest and age groups. Nursery facilities are available for two pre-school age groups. The nursery for infants up to one year is kept by Mrs. Annie Sharp. The nursery for age group two to four years is kept by Mrs. Charlie Garrett and Miss Mary Kohler. The nursery and church school classes.

Rev. Weaver will preach another sermon on the "We Believe" series Sunday evening.

Second Baptist WMU Wins Pen For Third Time

For the third time the WMU of the Second Baptist Church brought home the WMU attendance pen from the workers conference which was held in Moran last Tuesday evening.

Those attending the conference from the Second Baptist Church were: Mmes. Verna Hartsfield, Willis Joyner, C. S. Maddux, Flora Perrin, Louis Calder, Fannie Duncan Fanny Matthews, R. C. Baldere, Eleaner Sargent, Mae Edwards, Rev. Calvin Bailey and David Weems.

First Christian Ladies Meet Thur.

The Ladies of the First Christian Church met Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for their monthly covered dish luncheon with Mrs. Edgar Black and Mrs. Richard Cox as hostess.

After the luncheon a short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Black.

Those present were: Mmes. O. R. Ervin, Dick Jones, Lottie Daventport, Susie Crider, R. A. Jones, Annie Mills, B. S. Dudley, Sr., Colman Brown, James Crites, Rev. James Crites and Miss Linda Cox. Miss Susan Crites and the co-hostesses Mrs. Black and Mrs. Cox.

dress and a mouton coat with brown accessories.

Among the out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Urban of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Dean and children of Athens; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bass and children of Olney; Mr. A. T. King of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Rhodes, Jr., Dallas; Mr. Hugh Smith, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sutton, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Randle, Uvalde; Mr. Gayle Saffel, Bruceville; and Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Thompson, Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gillespie, Jr., Waxahachie.

World Day of Prayer Program Given, Friday

The World Day of Prayer program was conducted at the First Methodist Church Friday afternoon by the ladies of the First Christian Church.

Organ music was furnished by Mrs. V. V. Cooper.

Mrs. Edgar Black presided over the program, which had the theme of "One Flock, One Shepherd." The scripture was taken from John 10:16.

The group then had a moment of silent meditation.

The call to prayer was given by the leader and group.

The group then sang "Saviour Like a Shepherd Led Us."

The second part was penitence and "The Lord's Prayer" was given by the group.

The third part was Thanksgiving and a poem from a Navajo Indian tribe was given.

The group then sang "My Flight Looks Up To Thee."

The fourth part, Intercession, was a prayer given by Mrs. Clara Martin for world leaders, the persecuted, homeless, lonely, and for the church that she may receive oneness in Christ.

The offering was then given.

The fifth part, Affirmation, "Truly, Truly I Say to You I am the Door of the Sheep."

Mrs. James Crites sang a solo.

VISITING GRANDPARENTS

Carol Crawley of Andrew is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawley and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry.

VISITING DAUGHTER IN RANGER

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Brasher, Jr. had as their guest the past week, Mrs. Brasher's mother, Mrs. Alex Hudgins of Hugerford, Tex.

VISITING GRANDPARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews have as their guests their grandsons, Christopher, Jimmy, and Sean Butler.

VISITING FRIENDS IN RANGER

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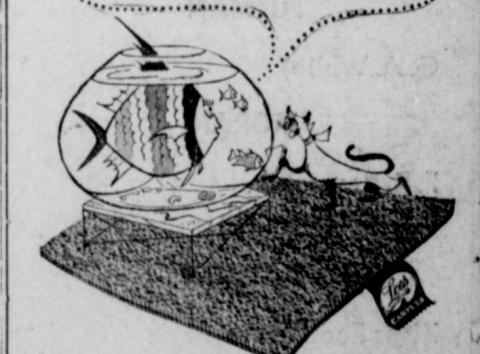
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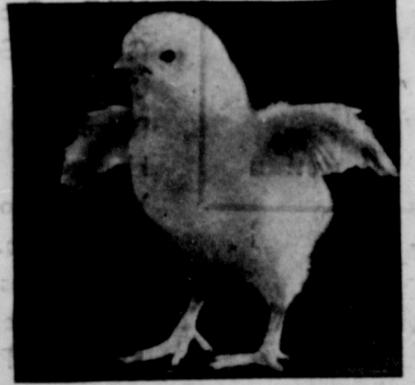
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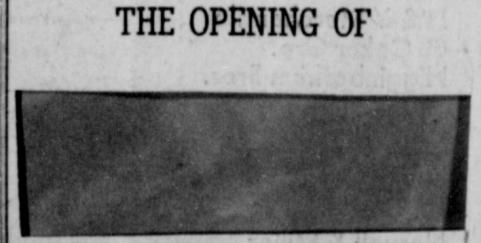


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