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RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1957

THE RANGER TIMES

Gateway To Famed Lake Leon



WHAT'S... COOKING?

As was expected, Congress is getting ready to let Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield have his blackmail money for keeping the post offices running, but you can betcha the last word hasn't been said on this mess.

Of course, closing down the post offices didn't save any money because everybody's pay went on just the same. The only people who might have been knocked out of a few dollars were those who needed the money most, the employees who were working as extras.

But even then, the extra get it all back in the number of overtime hours they put in straightening out the mountainous pile-up that occurred over the weekend. In the final analysis the black-mail shutdown will wind up costing several million dollars instead of saving it.

But some good might have resulted from the debacle after all. If nothing else it called vivid attention to the business of delivering certain types of mail practically free, or rather, at the expense of the taxpayers. Such mail as this is the "throw away" or "junk mail" which travels under the name of third class mail.

Foremost among this type of mail is the advertising circular which is a dagger in the back of the taxpayer. The advertising circular not only travels largely at the expense of the taxpayer, but what USED EXCLUSIVELY as a means of promoting business, it is ANTI-CIVIC and ANTI-SOCIAL.

The advertising circular is printed outside the city in which it circulates 99 1/2 times out of 100, and contributes nothing to the economy of the community in which it seeks to take out dollars. It rides free on the backs of all other merchants who seek to promote and build up a town through its established, local mediums of advertising and through the one thing and only one thing that can build a community, which is the local newspaper.

The advertising circular not only takes a free ride through the mail at the expense of the taxpayer, but it also takes a free ride at the expense of other merchants in their effort to build up a town and to promote the things which make people want to come to it.

The users of advertising circulars already had a case filed in court to force the Postmaster General to continue their delivery in case the taxpayers didn't come across with the necessary 40-cent million dollars to keep the deliveries going.

There is no question but what the delivery of this "junk" mail had a big share in bankrupting the post office department or else it would not have been one of the first things to be cut out in the economy move. Of course, unnecessary expense at the top in all the lush jobs that have been passed out also took uncounted millions of dollars out of the operating funds of the postal service. Summerfield has also been accused of creating a lot of extra and lusher jobs during the election campaign of last year which, of course, was a move designed to get some more votes at the expense of the taxpayer.

The comptroller general has been accused of violating the law by allowing Summerfield to dip (Continued on Page Two)

Weather Reports

Mostly cloudy with possible showers Tuesday afternoon and night. Partly cloudy and warmer Wednesday with chance for showers. Mild temperatures.

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

Kids With BB Guns Destroying Windows in Wanton Fashion

Kids running loose all over Ranger with BB guns are destroying hundreds of dollars worth of plate glass windows.

Whether they are doing it on purpose or whether they do not know the result of their actions, the glasses are getting broken just the same and it takes right at \$100 to replace a normal sized plate glass window.

Observers have noted that kids with the guns are younger than the teenage crowd. When a plate glass window is hit with a BB, a small hole almost the exact size of the shot appears on the outside of the window where it was hit, and a chipped place about the size of a quarter appears on the inside of the window opposite the hole. From this spot, cracks radiate out in all directions, ruining the window completely.

Sometimes the windows are hit accidentally, and sometimes on purpose. For example, windows in the Masonic building at the corner of Austin and Rusk have been shot at deliberately because there are

40 or 50 holes in them. Other windows are hit when kids shoot at a bird or something on a fence post, never thinking about the window being in the direct line of fire.

Such a mishap took place at Capps Studio when a kid shot at a bird on a parking meter, hitting the window. All windows in the Ranger Times have been hit and broken. There are other places of business throughout the city that also have broken windows from BB guns, especially buildings that are vacant.

Property owners have no recourse whatsoever when their windows are thus broken. Neither the child nor the parents can be held accountable.

The only way anybody knows of whereby the destruction can be stopped before it spreads a n y further is for parents to caution their children about the danger of their actions, not only from the standpoint of property damage, but from the standpoint of inflicting bodily injury, because a BB gun could put out a person's eye as quick as a .22 target.

Committees Named for Invitational Golf Tournament May 10

James Townzen, tournament chairman, has released the names of all committee members who are to serve in connection with the 22nd Annual Ranger Invitational Golf Tournament which is scheduled for May 10, 11 and 12 with \$1,000 in prizes, mostly in gleaming new golf equipment, being offered.

All flights in the tournament are to be match play, as always, and the qualifying rounds will be played on May 10. There will be the usual barbeque feast and the Calcutta Pool. Entrance fees are \$7.50.

Committees announced by Townzen are as follows: Entrance Tickets: Boone Yarborough, Ray Williams, Wallace Johnson, A. F. Hughes and Roy Beshkovich.

Barbeque Tickets: Pete Braebler, John Swinney, Clyde Reed, Dalton Hutton, Harold Barrett and Calvin Lipkin.

Prizes: Bob Earnest and C. E. May.

Games: Dr. W. L. Downtain and Joe Harness.

Rules: Bob Earnest and H. H. Vaughn.

Pairing: Earle Pittman, J. Bates, M. L. King and Felton Breshler.

Calcutta Pool: T. C. Wylie and Al Larson.

Starting: Morris Campbell, Tommy Huling and Pappy Cole.

House, Grounds, Refreshments: Elmer Norris, H. X. Wallace and Raymond Garza.

Barbeque: Morris Newham.

Publicity: Joe Dennis and Rip Galloway.

Entertainment: Joe Collins and (Continued on Page Two)

Fine Arts Class Gets Stranded On Mexico Trip

Members of the Fine Arts Department of Ranger Junior College waved farewell to a cheering throng of well-wishers as they pulled away from the campus last Friday morning on their trip to Monterey, Old Mexico, but they limped back on to the campus that same night foot-sore and weary after traveling only as far as Menard, Texas, where their bus broke down and wouldn't budge another inch.

The students had arranged to finance their good will trip to Mexico through proceeds taken at the Annual Variety Show held a few weeks ago, and they were traveling in a college-owned bus. The bus threw a piston at Menard and stalled.

The students spent the day eating their lunch in a Girl Scout Hut and playing phonograph records until a chartered bus could be commandeered to bring them back to Ranger. They arrived back here at 8:30 p.m. on the same day they left.

But it is "never say die" for an RJC Fine Arts student. The bus is being repaired and they plan to leave again on Thursday, May 2, returning to the campus on Sunday, May 5.

Ranger Bulldogs Are Regional Golf Champs

The Ranger High School Bulldog Golfing Team won the Regional Championship last week at Brownwood by the whopping total of 27 strokes. The team won District 7-AA Championship on Tuesday, March 26, at Coleman when they defeated the Ballinger team by 24 strokes.

Composing the team this year are Dan Cruise, Lee King, Tommy Wofford and John Hagaman. Boone Yarborough is coach, and is proud of the team for the splendid showing it has made against all competition this year.

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Faces In The News



Gamal Abdel Nasser Egyptian President



David Ben-Gurion Israeli Prime Minister



Guy Mollet French Premier



Harold Macmillan British Prime Minister

With the Middle-East being the trouble-spot in the world today, and with one crisis piling up on top of another at an alarming rate, we thought you would perhaps like to take a good look at the faces of some of the men who are making the news, and upon whom the peace of the world could almost be said to depend. As events unfold from day to day, the men pictured above, together with American leaders, will be the ones who shape the events and along with them the future of the world for years to come.

Ranger Lions Seek Crippled Children for Summer Camp Trip

If there is a crippled boy or girl anywhere within the Ranger area who would like to spend two glorious weeks of vacation this summer with all expenses paid at the Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville, they are asked to please get in touch with the Lions Club here and the trip will be arranged.

Everything is furnished including transportation there and back and the child need not be out a penny during the whole two weeks unless he or she just wants to carry along a small sum of money to throw away.

Children who have attended the camp come back singing its praises and so have their parents who have visited them. Everything at the camp is arranged for the convenience of crippled people and the one big thing that is not neglected is the child's education.

Many Thousands Of Wild Geese Fill Ranger Skies

One of the most beautiful sights to be seen around here in many months took place Sunday afternoon about 5:30 when thousands upon countless thousands of wild geese filled the skies over Lake Leon in a mass flight northward.

The geese formed one huge "V" that stretched almost from the eastern to the western horizon and the big "V" was made up of hundreds of separate smaller "V's". The whole formation must have covered several hundred square miles and was low enough that each goose could be easily seen with the naked eye.

Scores of cars were stopped along the lake road near the new Staff bridge watching the formation as it passed over.

The geese appeared undecided as to whether or not to stop at Lake Leon as they took a good swing around it from west to east and back again, but the landing elements finally swung back northward and the bankers were off their way.

Croppie Hit Plugs 15 Crappie, 20-lbs.

W. T. Casey and Vess Stagner of Ranger were among scores of weekend fishermen who reported a nice string. These two guys caught 15 crappie that weighed a total of 20 pounds. They were fishing with minnows.

"A Good Deal Plus A Good Deal More" ELLIOTT MTR. CO. (FORD) Ranger

Chamber Commerce Working On City-Wide Clinic Coming May 2

Result of Cancer Drive Awaits Reports From Committees

Thursday Is Last Day of School 'Til After Easter

When the school bell rings dismissing the last class Thursday afternoon that'll be all she wrote in Ranger Public Schools until after Easter. School will not take up again until Tuesday morning, April 23.

The same holidays will be observed at Ranger Junior College, it is said, and most students living out of town are planning to take off for home.

It will be the last holiday before graduation exercises which are scheduled for the latter part of May.

Stubby Warden Progress Said To Be Very Good

Condition of O. C. (Stubby) Warden, principal of Hoiges Oak Park School, who was seriously injured in an auto mishap early last Saturday morning, is said to be very good today.

Relatives and close friends of Warden say it will be necessary for him to remain in the hospital for several days yet, and that of his back for possibly 30 days or more because of a spinal injury, but otherwise his condition is said to be satisfactory. Warden suffered a fractured skull and also several broken ribs.

Dr. P. M. Kuykendall said the main thing to guard against now was the threat of pneumonia which is always present when there is an injury around the lungs.

Warden is said to have lost control of his car when a tire blew out forcing him into a soft shoulder of the road at the foot of Ranger Hill, and his car overturned several times.

Only One Month Between Now And (Ugh) Final Exams

If you don't believe school is out, look at your calendar. Final examinations start on Monday, May 20, and that is almost exactly a month from now. The exams will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and the last of the graduation exercises will be held on Friday, May 24. After that, nobody will be around the school buildings except the janitors.

Crowded in between now and the final week will be the Senior Play and the Junior-Senior banquet and a lot of other activities that always accompany the closing of school.

A good suggestion to Seniors, some of the Seniors themselves have pointed out, is that now isn't a day too soon to start cramming for those final life-or-death tests that must be passed or else.

Times \$5 Reward Still Standing For 3-Lb. Crappie

The Times wishes to remind you that its reward of \$5 still stands for the first person who brings a 3-pound crappie by this office so we can photograph it. We don't want the fish, just the picture. The reward will stand until the first person comes in to claim the money.

We don't believe there is such a thing as a 3-pound crappie, and will give \$5 to be convinced.

Entire City Is Being Divided Into 7 Groups

Officials of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce are knee deep in work this week preparing for the forthcoming city-wide clinic that is to be held here on Thursday, May 2, whereby every citizen in town will be given an opportunity to sound off on what they think should be included in the Chamber of Commerce program to make Ranger an even better town than what it is already developing into with fresh leaps and bounds.

The clinic is to be conducted with the cooperation and help of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which has conducted hundreds of such clinics all over the West Texas area, and towns which have used them have found the knowledge gained to be of great value in planning future goals and projects.

Chamber of Commerce President C. B. Fruet has said for purposes of the clinic, the entire citizenship of the town will be divided into seven different groups including (1) Retail Merchants and Employers; (2) Housewives; (3) High School Seniors; (4) Ranchers and Farmers; (5) Administrators and Professional People; (6) Oil and Other Industries and (7) Trades, Services and Retail Employees.

It is pointed out that at some time during the day on May 2, each group will be asked to meet for one hour to hear a discussion by a representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and at the end of each session, all of those present will be given cards on which they will be asked to write suggestions which they think might be of benefit to the city, and suggestions which they think the city should include in its plans for the future.

At the end of the one-day clinic, experts in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will take all of (Continued on Page 2)

58 More Loads Trash Hauled; 20 Loads to Go

City Manager Lester Crossley said this morning that 58 more loads of trash were hauled away from Ranger homes Monday in the other city-wide pickup in the clean-up campaign.

Crossley estimated there were about 20 more loads yet to be hauled, and city trucks would be working on them all the rest of the week.

The City Manager said residents who have trash that is still not picked up may call City Hall, Phone 78, if they wish, and leave their address, but the city trucks would get their trash away, whether they bothered to call or not. They hope to haul off the last load before the week is out, he said.

In the first city-wide pickup, 58 loads of trash were hauled, which added to yesterday's 58 makes a total of 116 loads that have already been hauled to the city dump. When the other 20 loads are hauled off, that will make a grand total of 166 loads in all.

The biggest clean-up campaign ever held previously resulted in only 68 loads of trash.

Out-of-Towners At Frank & Earl's

A. C. Dobbs of Abilene and J. P. Jennings of Odessa were among the out-of-town fishermen at Frank & Earl's over the weekend. The two men caught 13 crappie weighing a total of 14 1/2 pounds. Their biggest fish was a 2 1/4 pound crappie.



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FOR RENT: Nicely furnished, modern houses, car port. 705 Blundell.

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SEE ME for your stocker goat needs. Sterling Jordan, Box 397, Mason, Texas. Phone 1122.

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YOU CAN ADD \$25 to \$50 a week to your present income. Part-time Rawleigh business in Ranger for full particulars see R. P. Lewis Route No. 1, Desdemona or write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXC-1024-185, Memphis, Tenn.

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WANTED: Car hop and waitress and a good cook. Apply King's Kove Drive-In.

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FOR SALE: Ford Tractor and equipment. One small pony. Phone 2763, Olden, after 5:30.

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FOUND: Nationally advertised PAINTS for LESS money. House of Color—Jack Williams.

FOR SALE: Easter Lilies, hydrangeas, and other pot plants. Artificial wreaths, hearts and pillow covers and cut flowers for all occasions at Mathena's Flower Shop, 420 Alice, Phone 144.

FOR SALE: Red Cloud and Porter tomato plants. Also hot and sweet pepper plants. See Dick Pennington on Highway 8, North Gorman.

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KNOW ANY NEWS? That's what we want. Please call 224 and tell us about it.

What's Cooking-

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Into his last quarter appropriations and spending them during the earlier months of the year, because, after all, Congress gave Summerfield every penny he asked for to run the postal service during the year now ending, and they expected him to do it. That's the reason why the last word hasn't been said yet.

One of the best things Congress could do right now would be to investigate the entire postal system and take steps to put it on as near a break-even basis as possible. Raising the rates on letters from 3c to 4c won't do the job. They need to raise the rates on the class of mail that is causing the trouble, and if they would put the rates high enough on third class mail and junk mail to handle it on at least a break-even basis, three-fourths of the stuff would be stopped.

Ranger parents who have small children, younger than teenagers, who are running rampant with air rifles, a bad breaking out hundred dollar plate glass windows, should take those air guns out to Lake Leon and throw them in.

They should either do that or impress upon their children the seriousness of the destruction of property. If it were grown people who were breaking out the windows, they could be prosecuted and sent to jail. But since it is kids that are doing the shooting, the poor property owner can do nothing. He doesn't even have any recourse against the parents. The only way to stop it is for the parents, themselves, to be ladies and gentlemen enough to put a stop to it in their own way.

Clinic-

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These suggestion cards and analyze them, and come up with a program that reflects the combined thinking of every citizen of the town.

The WTCC makes no charge for this service, of course, and officers and directors of the local Chamber of Commerce was prompted to take it on due to the intense interest the people of Ranger has shown this year in all civic activities undertaken here, and the sensational manner in which they have all gone over the top with success.

Chamber of Commerce personnel are at this moment taking the names of every adult citizen in Ranger and assorting them into the seven groups heretofore mentioned. Each of those people will receive a personal letter soon from the Chamber of Commerce president, and they will later receive a personal letter from the chairman of their particular group, stressing the importance of attending this city-wide clinic.

It will require no more than an hour of any one person's time, and it is hoped that by the time the day is over, everyone who has been asked to take a part will have attended one of the sessions to which he has been assigned.

The activities of Ranger within recent months have spread all over West Texas, and the success of all of them has been credited to the individual citizens who have helped to make all the activities a success by their enthusiastic participation.



IT'S THE LAW in Texas

Committees-

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Joe Nuesse. All golfers everywhere are invited to polish up their clubs and prepare to enter the tournament because it is always a good one and the prizes are always worth winning.

Jack Cameron, of Houston, is the defending champion.

MAJESTIC
Tuesdays & Wednesdays

TENSION AT TABLE
ROCK TECHNOLOR

TRADE WITH YOUR HOMETOWN MERCHANTS

Cancer-

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McAnelly, Mrs. W. E. Herweck, Mrs. Fred Lamb, Mrs. Dick Hodges, Mrs. R. J. Rains, Mrs. J. E. Matthews, Mrs. T. C. Weaver and Mrs. R. M. Earnest.

Group 3. Mrs. Earl Brown, Mrs. Garrett Hise, Mrs. James Ratliff, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, Mrs. Willard Seymour and Mrs. Wesley Foyner.

Group 4. Mrs. Millard Herweck, Mrs. B. B. Milmo, Mrs. J. B. Weekes, Mrs. Dalton Hatten, Mrs. Howard Elwood and Mrs. J. E. James.

Group 5. Mrs. Dave Pickrell, Premier Oil Camp.

Group 6. Seldon Brown, D. C. Arterburn, Mrs. Virgie Higdon, Mrs. J. H. Greer, Mrs. Al Robbins, Betty Wolford, Charles Eyley, Mrs. Jack Rawls, Beauford Anderson and W. H. Stevenson.

Group 7. Mrs. A. W. Brazda and Mrs. Marshall Jolly.

Group 8. Mrs. James Townzen, Mrs. Walter Arterburn, Mrs. J. P. Morris, Mrs. Edwin Lummus and Mrs. Joe Nuesse.

Group 9. Mrs. W. H. Clem, Mrs. Joe Collins, Mrs. Sam Ailla, Mrs. Franklin Hardecker, Mrs. Morris George, Mrs. Joe Nuesse, Mrs. Edwin Lummus.

Group 10. Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, Mrs. Jess Weaver, Mrs. E. L. McMillan, Miss Norma Mills, Miss Eva Mills, Mrs. W. M. Bourdeau and Mrs. H. C. Croom.

Group 11. G. N. Robinson, Mrs. Bob Allen, Mrs. Jeff Searcy, Mrs. L. H. Taylor.

Group 12 (Colored) Gertrude Dunn and Elvora Harrison.

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"To someone my decision may mean the difference between freedom or imprisonment, poverty or wealth.

"Justice, once but a dream, is a reality when I, as a juror, do my full duty. No act of mine shall bring shame to our system of liberty under law.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

One Each Female Woman Wanted By Camp Wolters

Wanted, by Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, Texas, One Each Woman, Female, Recreation Supervisor.

That's what it says here. At least 25 years of age, single, no dependents. Position deals mainly with social activities and services in connection with Service Club.

Must have four years college education, plus general recreational experience; however, appropriate experience may be substituted for two years college training. All interested persons please contact Civilian Personnel Office, Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, Phone 750, Extension 136.

Salary? This thing doesn't say, but a gal ought to get along pretty well.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE SUNDAY

TRADE WITH YOUR HOMETOWN MERCHANTS

Recently, Purina research workers asked poultry staff men in 9 leading poultry states to estimate the total amount of feed required—on the average—to grow a pullet in their states. Shown here is the average of the figures they supplied, compared with Purina feed requirements based on records of thousands of pullets raised at the Purina Research Farms.

FEED REQUIRED TO GROW OUT PULLETS*	Light Breeds		Heavy Breeds
	Light Breeds	Heavy Breeds	Heavy Breeds
9-state average.....	23.1 lbs.	28.0 lbs.	28.0 lbs.
Purina Program average..	19.3 lbs.	23.8 lbs.	4.2 lbs.
Saving per pullet on Purina	3.8 lbs.	4.2 lbs.	
Saving per 100.....	380.0 lbs.	420.0 lbs.	

*From day-old to laying

here's how to grow 100 sturdy, big-framed Purina pullets on 250 pounds less feed

Most poultry raisers recognize that Purina Growing Chows have the quality and ingredients to grow sturdy, big-framed pullets. But not all realize that Purina Chow efficiency often makes it much lower in feeding cost than feeds with cheaper price tags.

The table above shows the important difference in number of pounds of feed needed to grow out Purina pullets, compared with the average in 9 leading poultry states. The Purina Research staff rounded off the figures to 250 pounds less Purina Chow for light breeds, and 400 for heavy breeds.

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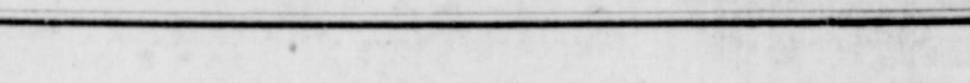
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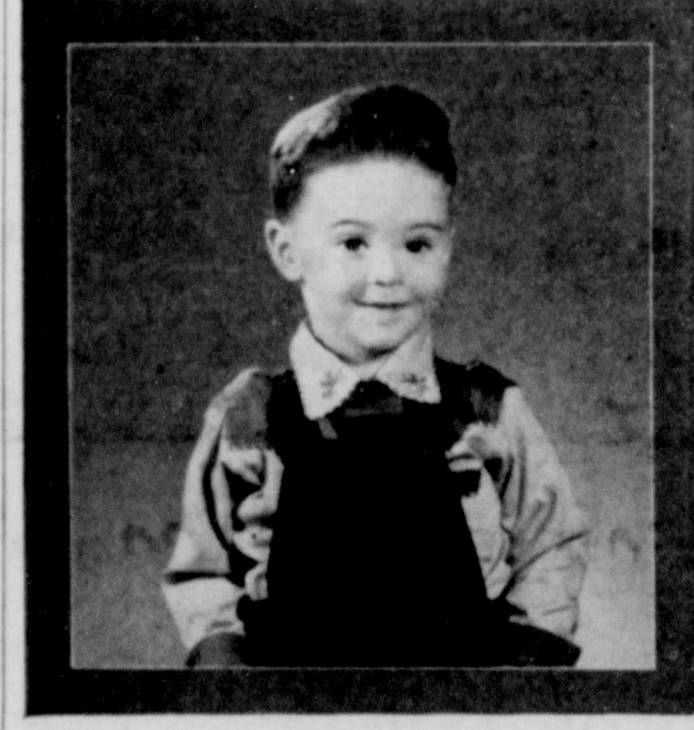
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SHOP WITH YOUR RANGER MERCHANTS

Women's Activities

April 18
The 1920 Club meets Thursday, April 18 with Mrs. G. B. Rush as leader. Mrs. P. P. Brashier, Sr. and Mrs. A. W. Braada will answer roll call with house furnishings. A Political Profile of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will be the subject of a round table discussion and Mrs. W. H. Clem will speak on Margaret Chase Smith.

April 18
The AAUW will meet with Mrs. R. L. Hamrick Thursday, April 18. Roll Call will be answered with a Texas wild flower. Mrs. A. P. Thomas, Jr. will speak on Creative Design in Flowers. Mrs. Arthur Deffenbach will be co-hostess.

April 23
Mrs. Tom Hestand will be hostess to the 1947 Club Tuesday, April 23. Mrs. Pat Thomas will speak on "Culture Is Personal and Individual."

April 22
The DAR will meet April 22 at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. M. H. Haganman. Mrs. Yancey McRae, Regent, Charles Crawford Chapter will preside. Mrs. Haganman will be program leader and Mrs. B. A. Tunnell and Mrs. Amy Brown will be on the program.

April 23
The Summer Round-up of all children who will start to school next year will be held Tuesday, April 23, from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at the High School Recreation Bldg.

Dutch Club Has Monthly Meeting

The Dutch Club met Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock in King's Cafe for breakfast. Mrs. Virgie Edwards led the opening prayer and presided at the business meeting.

Sick visits were reported and cards signed to send to Rosalee Lee.

The next meeting will be May 8. Seven members were present.

PLEASE PHONE 224 and give us your news items. They will be of interest to others, and we always appreciate your calling us.

Comanche Ladies To Speak At Garden Club Meet

Mrs. Armstrong Cox and Mrs. Harold Denney of Comanche, will be guest speakers at the Ranger Garden Club meeting Wednesday afternoon, April 17, at 2:30 at the Community Club House.

Both Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Denney are prominent in garden club work and well versed in flower show practice. They will discuss and illustrate flower arrangements following the basic principles as set up by garden club associations, using both hot house and garden flowers.

The program Wednesday afternoon promises to be both interesting and instructive, and members of the Garden Club are urged to attend.

Mrs. Herweck Is District P-TA Vice-President

Mrs. M. W. Herweck, retiring president of the Eastland County Council Parent-Teacher Association, was elected as one of the vice-presidents of District I at the District Spring Conference held in Brownwood on Thursday and Friday, March 28 and 29.

Mrs. Herweck was further honored when the Eastland County Council presented her with a Life Membership in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers during the Life Membership Luncheon held on Friday.

Local units of the Council represented at the conference were Ranger Young School, Cisco West Ward and Rising Star.

IN FORT WORTH SUNDAY
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wylie spent Sunday in Fort Worth visiting with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams. Their granddaughter, Debra, returned home with them.

SHARE YOUR NEWS WITH OTHERS. Please call 224 and tell us about it. We genuinely appreciate hearing from you.

Miss Stroud Will Wed Johnny Roberson, May 25

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Stroud, 1701 Cottonwood St., Abilene, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nelda Deane, to Johnny Dale Roberson of Ranger, son of Mrs. W. H. Davis of Odessa.

The wedding will be May 25 at 7 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Stroud is a senior at Abilene High School and Roberson is associated with the Ranger Times and also attends Ranger Junior College.

First Baptist Wed. Services Are Announced

Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church the pastor will bring the message on "The Words of Jesus from the Cross." Preceding the service will be the regular worship in music and praise. The Ordinance of baptism will follow the evening message.

At 4 p.m. the Carol choir will meet to rehearse their music for Sunday evening.

At 6:30 the Sanctuary Choir will rehearse their Easter music to be presented on Sunday evening, April 21, at 7:30, under the leadership of Jesse N. Sutton. "The Seven Last Words of Jesus" will be presented.

Mrs. Ralph Perkins will teach the Sunday School lesson at 7:15. At 7:45 Lonnie Stephens will give plans and promotion for the days ahead. Work and worship go together.

A regular worship service is presented at mid-week services.

75th Birthday Celebrated by Mrs. Blackwell

Mrs. Jesse Blackwell of Cheaney, who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital in Ranger since March 9, celebrated her 75th birthday there Sunday, April 14.

Her room was overflowing with lovely flowers, cards, a beautifully decorated birthday cake and many gifts.

Her children, E. E. Blackwell and family of Cheaney, J. B. Blackwell and family of Fort Worth, visited her. John Blackwell of Littlefield, Slim Blackwell of Odessa and Mrs. G. C. Love of Lubbock were unable to attend.

Mrs. Blackwell wishes to especially thank Dr. and Mrs. Kuykendall, the nurses and a host of relatives and friends, who sent gifts, visited her or sent her their good wishes to make her birthday such a happy occasion.

Men's Bible Class Meets In Fawcett Home

The Men's Bible Class of the Eastside Baptist Chapel met in the David Fawcett home Friday evening for their monthly social.

Joe Harper gave the devotional. Games of '42' and refreshments of pie, cake and coffee were enjoyed by the following: Rev. J. T. Ferguson, Charlie Sutton, Tom Williams, Jack Williams, M. W. Herweck, Herman Stroud, Pete Sheard, O. F. Sides, Joe Harper, Tommy Gore and David Fawcett.

Youth Revival Closes At First Baptist

Youth Week at First Baptist Church, closed with record attendance and a number of additions to the church. In the past two weeks there have been 13 additions upon profession of faith and baptism. One on statement, and eight by letter. One came for special service.

During Youth Week, the pastor, Gerald Shockey, and Jimmie Cole preached. Jackie Neeley led the singing. Associate Youth Pastor, Wayne Jowers brought the Wednesday evening services.

Just three years ago April 14, Jimmie Cole was licensed by First Church. He will be ordained to the full gospel ministry on April 28, at 3 p.m.

J. N. Sutton, Minister of Music, gave guidance to the Youth-led week's activities. The Youth committee of the church consists of Harmon Shockey, Glenn West, and Wilson Watson.

VISIT IN A. H. POWELL HOME
Dr. and Mrs. Jack McKay and sons of Arlington were dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell. The McKays were enroute home from Silver City, New Mexico.

SUNDAY GUESTS
Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Watkins had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Priest of Abilene. Dr. Watkins' mother, Mrs. W. T. Watkins of Lott, visited with them last week.

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Revival Continues At Second Baptist

Rev. Scarbrough of the Second Baptist Church extends the following invitation and made the following announcements concerning the revival at the Second Baptist Church:

"Don't miss the blessings we are experiencing this week in listening to the laymen preach. Christians are being brought close in their relationship with God. The singing of the Men's Choir has brought the feeling of the nearness of the Spirit of God. The Prayers, Testimonies and the Messages are all Christ centered. On Tuesday night, Bro. Henry Walton will preach. Walton is a consecrated man in his daily life, serving the church as a Deacon and active member of the Brotherhood.

Wednesday night, the message will be brought by Gene Ashcraft. Ashcraft is a student at Ranger Junior College and serves the church as Music Director. He is also chairman of the Youth Committee and is active in youth work.

Testimonies will be given on Tuesday and Wednesday by Bros. D. C. Hagar and Fred Mathews, who serve as deacons and faithful church workers.

The men's choir is doing a wonderful job bringing the special music and each night there will be a solo by a different member of the Brotherhood. You are invited to enjoy the blessing of Revival with us. Bring the entire family—it's led by the men, but Revival is for all."

YOU HAVE A PHONE and so do we, No. 224. Call us about any news you may run across. Always happy to hear from you.

Second Baptist Youths Meet For Fellowship

After the services Sunday night the Young People of the Second Baptist Church met for fellowship. During the business meeting plans were discussed to make Youth fellowship more helpful.

Leading the activities for the next three months will be Ray Falk, leading the devotional period will be Gene Ashcraft, and preparing the refreshments will be Mrs. Audrey Rose and Mrs. Mary Scarbrough. These will meet in the near future to complete the plans.

Also, a special time will be given at each fellowship to discuss the many problems facing youth today. This discussion will be led by the pastor.

After this meeting the group adjourned to a period of games, followed by refreshments prepared by Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Scarbrough. There were 21 present and

First Methodist To Observe Upper Room Communion

There is to be an Upper Room Communion service on Monday Thursday, April 18 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the First Methodist Church.

In the "Upper Room" there is to be a table arranged for twelve to be seated at a time, as Christ had the Twelve Apostles with him at the Last Supper. There will be time for meditation in the Sanctuary before going to the Communion table. It is to be a come and go service at any time during the two hour period. The pastor invites all members of the church and other interested persons to attend the impressive service. The organist will play soft music during the meditation.

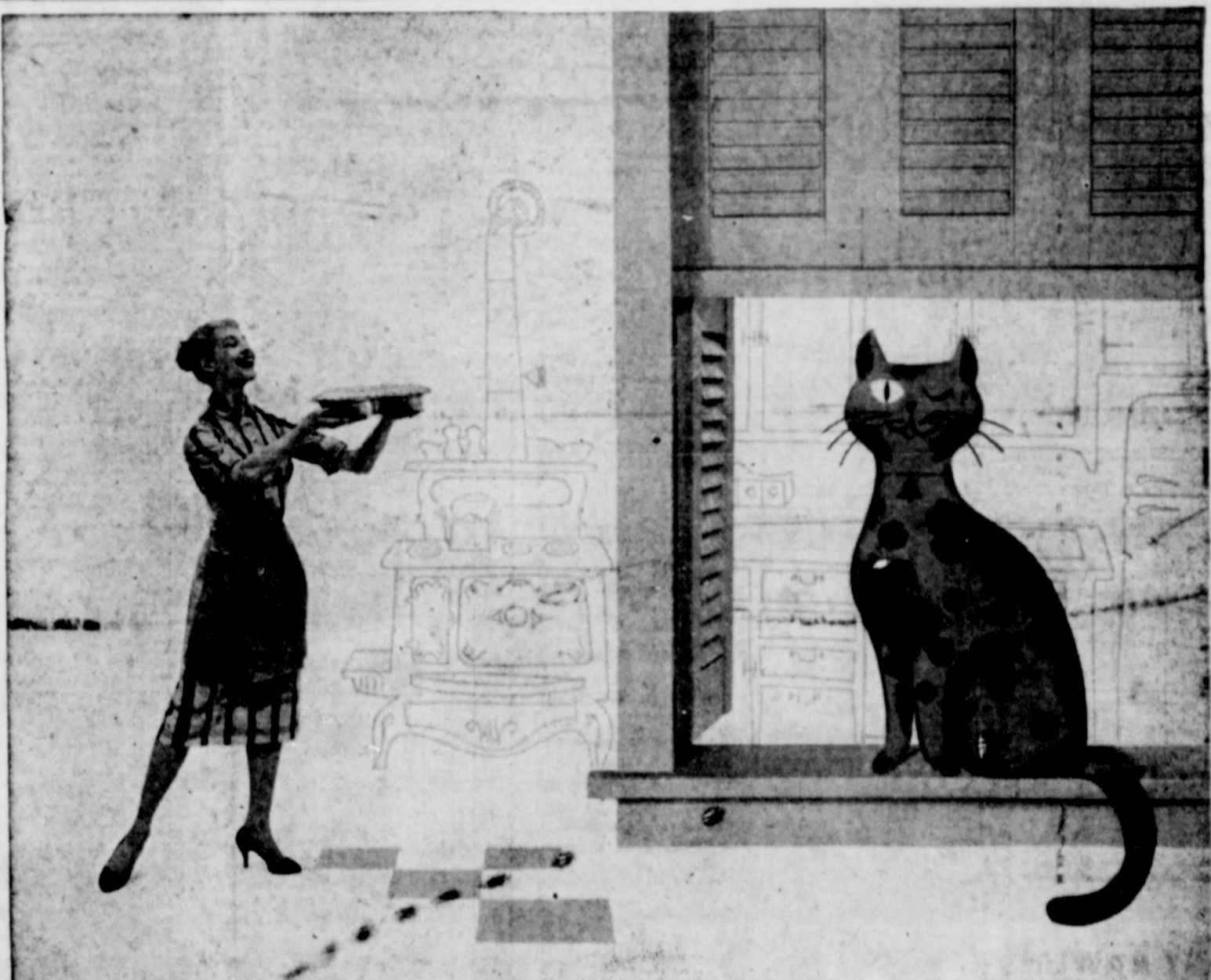
everyone had an enjoyable time. All Young People are invited to attend each second and fourth Sunday nights.

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B-E DAY POPULARITY GROWS—Numerous Texas cities are planning Business-Education Days when groups of teachers visit industrial and business establishments to gain first-hand knowledge of their operations. Abilene is one of the first cities to hold B-E Day this year. Shown above, visiting the office of a member company of the Texas Consumer Finance Association, are (left to right) Miss Frances Shultz, Bowie Grade School teacher, and Mrs. Alberta Giocchino, Lincoln Junior High counselor whose questions are being answered by Cecil Webb, manager.

Insects Fight Other Insects In War On Pests

Fighting insects with insects not only saves millions for the nation's farmers but lessens worries about growing dangers from chemical poisons. Peter Farb reports in the April Reader's Digest in an article condensed from the Rural New Yorker titled, "Biological Control vs. Insect Pests."

For instance, 15 years ago Japanese beetles resisted spraying, burning and trapping as they ravaged crops from New Hampshire to North Carolina and westward to Ohio. Then U. S. Department of Agriculture entomologist found a bacterial disease was killing herds of beetles in New Jersey and that as the infected grub died, it left billions of spores to infect other grubs.

Mass produced in the laboratory, these spores were planted in 150,000 colonies in 14 states. As a result the beetles no longer rate as a serious pest.

About 50 U. S. entomologists, working with foreign scientists, have developed such "living in-

secticides" to stop about 75 percent of the world's most noxious pests.

Such biological control may be as simple as placing goldfish in a pool to eat mosquito larvae or as complex as the program planned to eliminate the screwworm fly, which has wiped out whole herds of livestock in the Southwest. In this case, the male screwworm is sterilized by atomic radiation and, as the female mates but once, release of the sterilized male in millions, whittles down the pest population.

Tests have proven value of biological control in fighting the colling moth in apple orchards, pine sawfly in Canadian forests (a pest which six years ago was killing seven times as much timber as fire), corn earworms and alfalfa caterpillars. Tests on the pink bollworm, unstoppable cotton pest, also hold promise.

Insects have built up such a resistance to chemicals that today's horsefly can tolerate a dose of DDT, 1,000 times as great as that of his ancestors of 10 years ago. This has led to use of poisons in such frightening amounts that three federal agencies are now preparing controls to protect con-

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A pound of feathers weighs more than a pound of gold because feathers are weighed on an "Even-

Balance" type of scale which uses 16-ounces to the pound while gold weights are measured on a "Troy Scale" which takes 12-ounces to the pound.

According to the research division of Feature Ring Company, leading manufacturer of diamond rings, the American woman favors white gold over yellow gold in the rings she wears. In the bigger cities the trend to white gold diamond rings showed up years ago. But only in the past year or two have women in the rural areas displayed their taste for white gold.

The ring company, which produces both white gold and yellow

gold rings, finds that in the \$250-and-up price women today favor white gold diamond rings by a 3-to-1 margin over yellow gold; that in the \$150-to-\$250 price range, the ratio is 3-to-1 in favor of white gold; and in the \$75-to-\$150 range, there is a slight edge for white gold types.

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