

As I See Ranger

By Gene Townsend

The Lions Club had as their guests at today's luncheon members and prospective members of Explorer Post 16 of the Boy Scouts of America. The Lions Club which is the sponsoring organization of Post 16 is planning to reorganize the Post at today's meeting. W. J. Sipes has been appointed advisor for the Post. The Explorer Post is for High School boys that have reached the age of 15.

Bobby Owens, who has been carrying the Ranger Times paper route in Young addition has given up his route. Darrell Swinney, who has been carrying the Terry Apartment route, has taken over the Young route. Billy Young will take the Terry Apartment route.

O. H. Doss, manager of the Crawford-Doss Drug Store has been released from the hospital where he has been since a car accident in December. Jerry Price took him some crutches Monday, and knowing Doss, we will probably be seeing him back in the drug store on crutches in a few days.

Tony Lewis of Ranger won a second place prize in the Pecan Show held recently in Cisco, with his exhibit of Comanche peans. Tony said it wasn't the winning of the second place honor that pleased him, but the 75 cent check that he received was what he liked best.

Lloyd Clem, formerly of Ranger, is still in critical condition in the Midland Memorial Hospital from a heart attack he suffered in December while he was on his way from Fort Worth to his home in El Paso.

GI Policyholder Annual Policy Dividend Declared

An estimated 261,820 Texas veterans who hold participating GI life insurance will receive \$13,084,500 in regular annual policy dividends during 1960, Edward P. Onstot, manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Dallas, said today.

Onstot said this represents Texas GI policyholders proportionate share in a national 1960 dividend total of \$253,500,000 declared recently for participating GI insurance.

Revised Social Security Rate Effective Now

A. E. Fogle, Jr., Administrative Officer of the Abilene, Texas office, today called attention to the increase in Social Security tax rates that became effective January 1, 1960, under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act.

The tax rates increase to 3 percent for employers and 3 percent for employees, or a total of 6 percent. These rates will apply to wages paid or after January 1, 1960, even though the wages were earned prior to that date.

The taxes continue to apply to the first \$4,800 of wages paid by an employer to each employee each year.

Rangers Place Five On Conference Team

The Ranger College Rangers place five players on the Texas Junior College Conference All-conference team.

A total of 25 players were named out of the Five College conference in the conference tournament on the offensive team and twelve on the defensive team.

Rangers making the squad were: Jim Hamilton, sophomore end from Seagraves, and Bill Phillips, sophomore halfback from New London offensive team.

Phillips, Stanford and Hamilton were picked on the All-Texas Junior College team, along with Kenneth Hart who failed to make the conference team.

Navarro placed eight players on the team, followed by Henderson Co. with six and four from Cisco and three from Blinn.

The lineup of the team follows: Ends—Larry Stricker of Henderson Co. and Jim Hamilton of Navarro. Quarterback—Freddie Wade of Navarro.

Fullback—Jim Ottman of Navarro and Joe Johnson of Henderson Co. Halfbacks—Bruce Land of Navarro, Don Davis of Henderson Co. and Bill Phillips of Ranger.

Linebackers—James Stanford and Clyde Smith of Ranger. Backs—James Manning and

Don Derrick of Blinn, Jimm Christopher of Cisco and Jack Pitt of Henderson Co.

Henderson County has announced plans for withdrawing from the Texas Conference, and entering the East Texas Conference composed of Texasiana, Paris, Tyler and Kilgore.

The Texas Junior College Athletic Conference will hold its annual winter meeting at Waco on Friday, January 8, on Saturday, January 9, and on Sunday, January 10. There will be a joint meeting of The Texas, Pioneer and East Texas Conferences.

Since Henderson County has withdrawn from the Texas Conference it leaves only four colleges in the conference. It is anticipated a revision of the conference will be made at the Waco meeting.

Members of the Garden Club and all other interested citizens are urged to attend and hear Dr. Whittington's informative speech.

The program is to start at 9:30 a.m. and shouldn't keep the business men away from their businesses very long if they wish to attend.

A recent welcome addition to the Ranger College library is the "Harvard Dictionary of Music" by Will Apel, which was donated by Mrs. J. Floyd Killingsworth.

This volume is a fine up-to-date reference which will be enjoyed by both musical amateurs and scholars alike. It contains a comprehensive list of definitions and many articles on technical subjects, forty-nine of the articles are on the characteristic music of various racial or national groups. The scope and accuracy of this fine work is unquestionable, for its author, Dr. Apel, is a well-known musicologist, specialist in the field of early poly-phonic music. He was assisted by a number of prominent music scholars.

The college wishes to express its appreciation to Mrs. Killingsworth for the gift of this authoritative reference.

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There is a school of book reviewers—and most book reviewers belong to that school—that holds that if the rank-and-file of the people like a book, it can not possibly have much merit. Yet Homer sang his "Iliad" for the people; Dickens' novels were read by the people and Shakespeare composed his plays to be presented to the people. In each instance, the plaudits of the critics came afterward—a very long time afterward. Who now reads "Raintree County" and "From Here to Eternity"—volumes which were hailed by book page editors as "masterpieces" a few short years ago?

The quiz shows which were so popular featured individuals who gave a lot of information from memory (presumably). What the world needs is not people whose minds are filled with miscellaneous data which is readily available, if and when needed in the World Almanac or a one-volume encyclopedia—but rather people who, given a set of facts, can think.

During the depression of the early 30's a young man held up a service station. He ordered the attendant to open the cash-drawer and hand him a nickel. He was captured soon afterward. When asked why he had taken only five cents when there was perhaps \$50 in the drawer, he replied that he had had a quarrel with his girl, was completely broke and wanted a nickel so he could call her on the phone and try to patch up the quarrel.



"WHIRLYBIRD" TRAIN—U.S. Army H-34 "Choctaws" of the 91st Transportation Company (light helicopter) hover for hook-up to 187th Airborne Battle Group Mortar Battery equipment during one of the many training exercises which keep the Strategic Army Corps (STRAC) in constant readiness. The 187th is a unit of the 101st Airborne (Screaming Eagles) Division stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. STRAC soldiers at left wear goggles for protection against wind blast of the 'copter blades as they scurry forward to fasten sling hooks to the loads.

Farm-Ranch Income Tax School Slated

A farm and ranch income tax and social security school has been slated on January 15 for Eastland. According to County Agricultural Agent J. M. Cooper, who has planned the program.

The all-day meeting scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. will be held in the county courtroom on the third floor of the courthouse, Cooper said. The morning session will be devoted to farm and ranch income tax problems, situations and the forms. Sidney Jenkins, farm management specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service, will be in charge of this part of the affair.

The afternoon session, scheduled to begin at 2 p.m., will be devoted to Social Security as it applies to farmers and ranchers. A meeting on this subject last winter filled the courtroom to overflowing.

R. R. Tuley of Abilene, district manager of the Social Security Administration, has advised that either he or someone from his office will be here for this part of the school.

All Eastland County farmers and ranchers who have questions on either income tax or social security are cordially invited to attend either one or both meetings scheduled for that day. There is no charge for attending.

Jack Barker Among 149 Degree Candidates

Jack Everett Barker, formerly pastor of the First Christian Church of Ranger, is scheduled to complete requirements for a bachelor of divinity degree at Texas Christian University at the close of the fall semester, on Jan. 28. Degrees will be conferred officially at spring commencement exercises June 1.

A total of 149 students are on the January candidate list composed to 102 for January 1959. Fifteen states are represented—Texas, Hawaii, New York, Louisiana, Iowa, Missouri, North Carolina, Virginia, Washington, Colorado, New Jersey, Florida, California, Illinois and West Virginia. Texas number 132, coming from 36 cities within the state.

There are 134 candidates for bachelor's degrees, 8 for master's degrees and 7 for bachelor of divinity degrees.

Veterans Asked To Return Cards Reporting Income

Disabled veterans and widows and children of deceased veterans who receive monthly non-service-connected pensions from the Veterans Administration were urged today to return promptly the properly filled-in tabulating card sent them for use in reporting their annual income. Failure to return the reporting card within 30 days will result in the stopping of the monthly pension payment, Mr. Edward P. Onstot, Manager of the VA Regional Office in Dallas said. Those without dependents whose income is greater than \$1400 a year or those with dependents whose income is greater than \$2700 a year may not receive a pension under present law.

At the same time, Mr. Onstot pointed out that the income questionnaire has nothing to do with the new pension law which goes into effect July 1, 1960. All pension recipients will receive further information on the new law in the mail during March. They were urged not to inquire about their status until they have studied this information.

Mr. Onstot pointed out that veterans and dependents receiving service-connected compensation payments will not receive cards and do not have to report incomes.

Cowboys used to call a sheep camp a "manic den," believing that anyone who would herd sheep must be "more or less crazy."

The term "manic," for a range settler, originated when the homesteader cleared a patch of brush and stacked it in a circular form to protect his feed patch from range cattle. It looked like a giant bird's nest.

Eastland Hosts Area Firemen Tuesday Night

Members of the North Central Texas Firemen's Association from six area towns met in Eastland Tuesday night for their semi-annual meeting and banquet.

Towns represented at the meeting were Cisco, Breckenridge, Range, Palo Pinto, Weatherford and Mineral Wells.

A pump race was held at 7:30 p.m. with Weatherford winning first place with a time of 26 seconds. Mineral Wells took second place with 31.5 seconds and Eastland, who could not compete for the trophy, placed third with 35.1 seconds.

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Savings, Deposits Show Substantial Increase in 1959

Combined deposits and savings for the Commercial State Bank and the First Federal Savings and Loan Association, both of Ranger, show a \$227,336 increase over the figure of December 31, 1958.

Bank deposits at the Commercial State Bank for the final quarter of 1959 show total deposits of \$2,455,572.63 at the close of business on December 31, 1959.

Liabilities are listed at a total of \$2,720,429.40, including capital stock, surplus, deposits and reserves.

The First Federal Savings and Loan Association shows savings on deposit of \$1,074,591.12 at the close of business on December 31, 1959.

This gives a total of \$3,530,563 bank deposits and savings for Ranger at the close of 1959. At the close of business December 31, 1958 combined deposits and savings totaled \$3,303,227. This shows an increase of \$227,336 during 1959.

David Wharton Receives H-SU Football Letter

David Wharton was among the 44 varsity and freshman football players at Hardin-Simmons University to receive football letters for the 1959 grid season.

Wharton is a sophomore at H-SU. Other Eastland County boys to receive letters were Freshmen John Adams and Randall Hess of Cisco.

Final Rites For Mrs. Stagner Held Wednesday

Mrs. Winnie Elizabeth Stagner, 72, former Ranger resident, died at 5:30 a.m. Tuesday at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Breckenridge of burns she received Sunday morning.

Mrs. Stagner was burned when she attempted to light a heater at the home of a daughter, Mrs. R. C. Huckaby, in Breckenridge. She had moved to Breckenridge only five weeks ago.

Flames caught her nightgown while she was using a large piece of newspaper to light the heater.

Mrs. Stagner was born August 17, 1887 at Gainesville. She had lived in Ranger from 1918 until moving to Breckenridge. She married James M. Stagner in 1906 at Stephenville. He died June 24, 1956.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Second Baptist Church in Ranger, with Thelma Hostetter, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, and the Rev. Ed Scarborough, pastor of the Second Baptist, officiating.

Interment was in Colony Cemetery with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Stagner was a member of the Ranger Assembly of God Church. Survivors include four sons, Carlton D. M. S., and Denver P., all of Ranger, and Arnold B., of Fort Worth; three daughters, Mrs. Kenneth F. Streeter of Odessa, Mrs. L. D. Smith of Midland and Mrs. Huckaby of Breckenridge; four sisters, Mrs. N. A. Brown of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Nellie B. Gooden of Victoria, Mrs. Alma Gooden of Fresno, Calif., and Mrs. C. M. Rodgers of Corpus Christi; two brothers, Grover Lee Baker of Ranger and R. E. Baker of Corpus Christi; 14 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Pups Entered In Olden Tournament

The Ranger Pups basketball team will enter the Olden Junior High Tournament which begins Thursday at 6 p.m.

The Pups first game will be against the Olden "B" team at 7 p.m. Friday.

Coach Frank Bevers will carry eleven boys on the traveling squad, with Ray Newham, Johnny Camacho, Arthur Mendoza, Ronnie Hinds and Douglas Browning being the probable starters. Jess Bester, H. H. Younts, Lee Auburn, Billy Mathews, Howard Farnson and Donnie Robinson make up the remainder of the squad.

First round of the boys division in the tournament will see Carbon and Lingleville at 7 p.m. Thursday, Eastland and Olden "A" at 9 p.m. Thursday, Friday at 7 p.m. Rangers will play Olden "B" and at 9 p.m. Gordon will play De Leon.

In the Girls bracket Lingleville will play De Leon at 6 p.m. Thursday and Gordon will play Carbon at 8 p.m. Friday. Eastland "B" will play Olden "B" at 6 p.m. and Eastland "A" will play Olden "A" at 8 p.m.

Semi-finals in both the consolation and championship brackets will be played Saturday beginning at 11 a.m. The finals will be played Monday beginning at 6 p.m.

Regional Band Contest Saturday At McMurry

The McMurry College campus in Abilene will be host Saturday, for the twelfth consecutive year, to the Region II All-State Band tryouts.

Murray Allman, Ranger High School band director, will enter five band students in the Regional Contest. Students are: Jay Dell Baker, baritone; Emma Lou and Carol Sue Montgomery, French horn; Don Adams, trombone; and Jill Watkins, tympani. Allman will conduct the tryouts for the cornets.

Phillip Hewitt, Eastland band director will enter four Eastland band students in the Regional Contest. Grace Tankersley will play the tenor saxophone; Mike Potts, snare drum; Bill Moylan, cornet; and Raymond Lusk, baritone. Hewitt will conduct tryouts for all drums. He will also conduct one of the eight numbers of the regional concert which will climax the contest.

Tryouts will begin Saturday morning in a number of audition rooms on the campus. From the anticipated 400 band students, 125 will be selected to represent the Region II Band, with 12 being selected from the 125 to be included in the All-State group.

The All-State Band will consist of some 200 top band students in Texas, and will play in a concert in Austin Feb. 4, 5, and 6. The Regional and State contest are sponsored by the Texas Music Educators' Association.

The 125 students chosen, who will be selected by 50 area band directors, will be treated to an Indian Band concert at 1:30 p.m. Saturday. They will rehearse later for a concert to be presented at 7 p.m. The concert will be open to the public, with no admission charge.

Raymond T. Hynum, director of the McMurry Band, will be band director. Members of his band will carry out various assignments during the tryouts Saturday.



WINS PRIZE—F. P. (Pete) Brashler, left, is shown accepting a \$25.00 check from Louis Conn, local manager of the Lone Star Gas Company Distribution office. The check was awarded to the Ranger Furniture Exchange for third prize in the Lone Star's West Texas Region of Distribution gas range display. The award was given to the Ranger Furniture Exchange on their display of the Tappan Gas Range. Sears Roebuck and Company of Wichita Falls took first place and Thornton's of Abilene won second place. (Staff Photo, Print by Capps Studio).



IT'S REALLY HERE—You know winter is here for good when the small ones drag sleds around wherever they go. This youngster samples the white stuff from a car in New York City.

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The Young People's Sunday School class of the Kokomo Baptist Church enjoyed a social on Monday night at the church. Refreshments of Christmas cookies and hot chocolate with whipped cream were served. Those attending were Lyndall Morrow, LaVon Snider, Linda Eaves, Joyce Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. Mrs. Allison is teacher of the class and Mrs. Jordan is associate teacher. On Wednesday night the Kokomo Baptist Church enjoyed a Christmas program by the Sunday School classes. The building was beautifully decorated and af-

Political Announcements

The Ranger Times has been authorized to announce candidates for public office in the Democratic primary election May 7 as follows:

- FOR SHERIFF:** J. B. Williams, re-election Lee Horn W. E. (Bill) Reid
- FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:** J. C. Allison (re-election)
- FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 76TH DISTRICT:** Paul Brashear (re-election)
- FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:** J. B. (Tip) Arther
- FOR STATE SENATE 22ND DISTRICT:** Tom Creighton, Palo Pinto Co.
- FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 2:** Ralph Veal (re-election)

ter the program Santa came to help distribute the gifts from under the tree. It was enjoyed by young and old alike.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Higginbottom and Bobby spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Creager at Levelland. On Saturday they visited with a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton at O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dennis and Vicki of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Ricky, and Milford and Russell Fuller had Christmas dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson spent Christmas eve in May with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Henderson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bridge, Becky, Mike and Annie of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. DeShazo of Plainville spent Christmas with the Hendersons.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath and children spent Christmas in Waco in his aunt's, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Peterson, home. His mother, Mrs. H. W. Heath, and brother, Jerry Don, a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Roberts and baby, and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Heath all of Houston met them there for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Od's Rodgers and family had Christmas dinner with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Timmons and supper with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal and Sylvia Hendricks were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppier and Mr. and Mrs. George Eppier and children of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks spent Christmas Day in Breckenridge with Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gray. They were met there by her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fyeatt and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fyeatt and baby of Latell, La. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood on Saturday were Mr. and

Mrs. Wilbourse Wood and baby of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Burks and Carol of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia.

Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Alvie spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell at Carbon.

Visiting with the Allison's over the weekend were her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowe and Jerry of Farmington, N. H. Billy Joe Math's of Roswell, N.M. and Roy Joe Cloud of Abilene. Rev. and Mrs. Heath were Sunday dinner guests of the Allison's. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Snider visited in Eastland on Christmas night with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jumper and family. They had dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Snider on Sunday.

Mrs. Pete Snider spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Amos Jumper.

Spending Christmas with Mrs. W. F. Bryant were Mr. and Mrs. Hayt Bryant and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bisbee and children of Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and children of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sessum and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton and children of Flatwood spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves, Tom and Linda spent Christmas in Brady with Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Lenz and Kenneth. Tom is home on furlough and will report back to Fort Ord, Calif. on Jan. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Eules Sessum spent Thursday night with his mother, Mrs. Carra Sessum. They all went to Roby for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Kiker. Mr. and Mrs. Eules Sessum are moving from Denver, Colo. to

San Antonio. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pack and family over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Estes Sechrist and Jeff of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James, Jr. and Bill and Jo of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Floyder of Stephenville, and W. W. Waters of Houston. Mr. Waters is Mrs. Pack's uncle.

Enjoying Christmas Eve dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Patricia of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Delman Eaves and children.



Who Discovers the Discoverers?

"A professor can never better distinguish himself in his work than by encouraging a clever pupil, for the true discoverers are among them, as comets amongst the stars."
CARL LINNAEUS

Somewhere in this mighty land of ours, a gifted youth is learning to see the light of tomorrow. Somewhere, in a college classroom or laboratory, a dedicated teacher is gently leading genius toward goals of lofty attainment. Somewhere the mind of a future discoverer—in science, engineering, government, or the arts—is being trained to greatness.

Our nation has been richly rewarded by the quality of thought nurtured in our colleges and universities. The caliber of learning generated there has been responsible in no small part for our American way of life. To our college teachers, the selfless men and women who inspire our priceless human resources, we owe more than we will ever be able to repay.

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Miss Mary Halkias To Wed John Kouvelis in January Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Halkias, 1821 Pearl, Wichita Falls, formerly of Eastland, are happy to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary, to John P. Kouvelis.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Kouvelis and resides at 808 W. Highland in San Angelo.

The wedding will take place on Jan. 24 in the First Methodist Church in Wichita Falls.

Miss Halkias is a graduate of Eastland High School and of Texas Woman's University. She also attended Texas University. In high school she was awarded the best citizen award, she was valedictorian, class secretary, treasurer, Who's Who in American High School, she was a member of the Sub-Debs Club, the Harmony Girls and Class Princess. In college she was presented the Danforth Award, president of Home Economics Education Club, a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Sigma Tau Delta, Omega Eho Alpha, Phi Kappa Phi and the Wesley Foundation Council. She was also active in numerous other things.

Mr. Kouvelis is a graduate of San Angelo High School and Hardin-Simmons University. He served with the U.S. Army from 1951-54 in Korea and Japan.

The bride-elect is now teaching Home Economics in Robert Lee High School and formerly having taught in Abilene and Bryson. She also worked with Continental and TWA airlines.

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AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

The slopes rising from the highway in East Tennessee are, in places, covered with such profuse

growth of honeysuckle that only the head of a boy who was walking on a path could be seen. In a small town, on the courthouse lawn, a marker told that on this spot once stood the tailor shop of Andrew Johnson. Knoxville has a firm with an unusual name, "Human Furniture Company." Some filling stations

there were giving away two pounds of sugar with the purchase of seven gallons of gasoline. A sign in the vicinity of the University of Tennessee reads, "Slow Students Crossing." (We have a few slow students in Texas, too.) The driver of a bus really has to be an artist at handling the big vehicle. At Knoxville, the space

into which each is packed is so small that a man who was sitting sprawling on a bench had to be hooked at to pull in his feet so the bus could berth. Along the East Tennessee highway, one is reminded of the hunting prowess of David Crockett by the sight of roadside stands selling furs—foxes, however, not "b'ars."

A set of guide-posts that rhyme: "McMinnville, Smithville, Nashville, Cookeville"; rail fences—had scarcely seen one since Harding was president—(what a pity, too—I mean that rail fences have almost vanished, also that Harding was ever president); country cemeteries, each grave still adorned with flowers from Memorial Day—although I believe it is called Decoration Day in the Old South. Murfreesboro has many big, fine home—in both the old and the new architecture, and the grounds are spacious and beautiful, with ornamental hitching racks—probably not ornamental, either, come to think of it, but actually used, for this is the heart of the Tennessee walking horse country.

In the edge of the city is Stone River. A great battle was fought here in the War between the States. The historians of one side (the North, I believe) call it the Battle of Murfreesboro; the historians of the other side call it the Battle of Stone River. I never knew why; it was the same battle. It was confusing, besides doubling the work of a boy in eight grade American history. A similar situation also developed in Virginia, only there actually were two engagements. The Northern writers refer to them as the First and Second Battles of Bull Run; the Southern writers call them First and Second Manassas. Personally, I have always felt that, for once, the Northerners were correct for "Bull Run" certainly suggests the running that the Federals did in that first battle. Some years later, a Union soldier was asked how it was that he had got shot in the face and he replied, "It was at Bull Run and, after several miles, I got careless and looked back." (Let's not talk about how the war finally came out, however.)

MID-TEXAS HEREFORD SHOW AND SALE

To be held in Stephenville, Texas Monday, Jan. 11, 1960

We have 59 head of cattle consigned for our 1960 sale—55 bulls and 4 females. Sale date is January 11, 1960, at the City Park Arena, Stephenville, Texas. Colonel Walter Britten of College Station, Texas, will be the auctioneer and L. D. Wythe, Texas A&M, will judge the cattle prior to the sale. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. and judging begins at 10:00 a.m. the same day. Erath County Home Demonstration Clubs will sell hot plate lunches at the event.

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News From Area Towns

Lipsley Makes 2-A All-State Team
Charles Lipsley, Cisco Lobo half-back, was named as a member of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram's 2-A All-State football team for 1959, and Fullback Duane Hale made honorable mention of the imaginary team, according to the newspaper's Tuesday morning edition.

Both players played a prominent role in winning the Bi-District championship for Cisco in 1958 and 1959, and both were placed on the All-Area football team named by the Abilene Reporter-News recently. — THE CISCO PRESS.

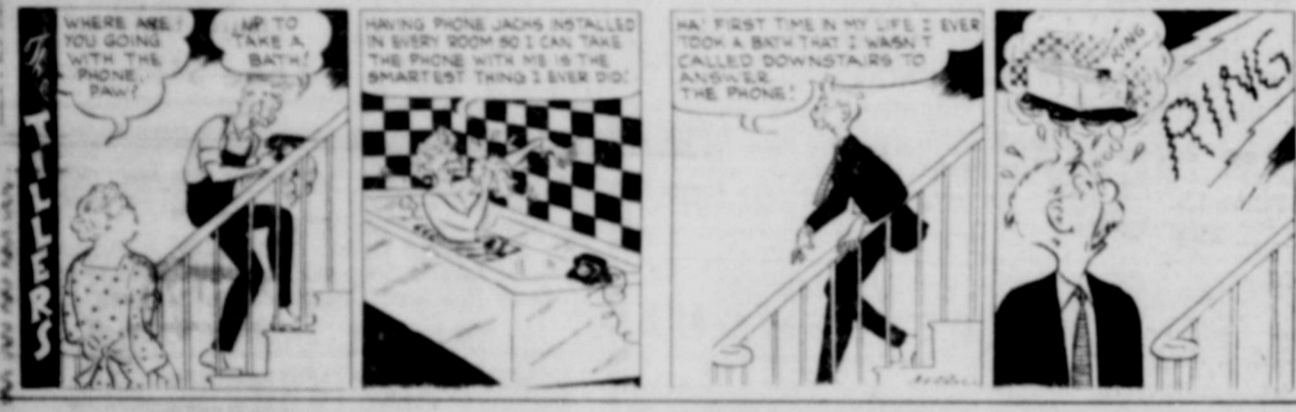
C-C Manager Resigns in Cisco
Frank R. Birkman, Jr., manager of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce for the past 16 months, submitted his resignation at a meeting of the board of directors at a noon luncheon Tuesday. The resignation will become effective January 15.—THE CISCO PRESS

Precinct 3 Candidate Announces
Three men announced this week that they will be candidates for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the voters in the democratic primaries next summer.

They are, C. F. (Doc) Hubbard, Ervin Hull and Dennis Clark.—THE RISING STAR RECORD

Commandery Officers Named
John W. Moore of Breckenridge has been elected commander of the Cisco Commandery No. 47, of Knights of Templar for 1960. He succeeds Frank M. Hicklin of Ranger.

Other new Commandery officers are: Subrey C. Van Hoy of Eastland, generalissimo; John C. Swinney of Ranger, captain general; J. H. Penn of Cisco, senior warden; Tom Ball Ward of Breckenridge, junior warden; George Boyd of Cisco, prelate; Haywood Cabaness of Cisco, treasurer; and R. E. Grantham, Cisco, recorder.—THE BRECKENRIDGE AMERICAN.



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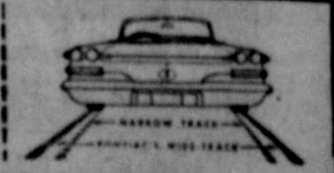
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YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS OUTLINED

Have you made your New Year's Resolutions yet? With world affairs in their usual troubled state, it might be well to consider a few resolutions about a good citizen during 1960.

We have recently observed "Bill of Rights Day", and most of us are generally familiar with the unique rights and privileges which we enjoy as citizens of the U. S. Here is a "Bill of Responsibilities" prepared by the American Citizenship Committee of the State Bar of Texas, which might serve as a background for our citizenship resolutions for the coming year:

I. It shall be the duty of every citizen to render undivided alleg-

iance to the Constitution of the United States, to work for its betterment and perpetuation, to respect the sovereignty of the people's government, and to defend the nation against all its enemies whomsoever.

II. It shall be the duty of every citizen to be familiar with the Constitution of the United States and to be informed as to what rights and liberties are his, and to use these rights in such manner as is consistent with his own welfare and the welfare of his fellow citizens.

III. It shall be the duty of every citizen to defend with his life the rights and liberties granted to him and to his fellow citizens by the Constitution, to obey the laws of the land and aid in their enforcement, and to oppose vigorously any persons whose intention is to transgress the law or to oppress the rights of others.

IV. It shall be the duty of every citizen to make honest, wise and courageous use of the free and secret ballot at every election; to exercise freedom of thought, speech, and worship; to protect the freedom of the press; to safeguard the right of trial by jury and to render willing jury service when called upon; and to perform all other acts conducive to the perpetuation of the rights set forth in the Constitution.

V. It shall be the duty of every citizen to protect and sustain the unwritten liberties and rights vested in him by custom and usage and to perpetuate the ideals of the equality and dignity of the individual, upon which the Constitution is founded.

VI. It shall be the duty of every citizen to be active in the political party of his choice, and to be vigilant of the public officers, to render all possible aid to them, and to serve in public office by appointment or election when qualified and when called upon to do so. It shall be his duty to strive for the selection of public officers of ability and upright character, and when holding public office, to serve in such manner as will subordinate private or minority interests to those of the people at large.

VII. It shall be the duty of every citizen to achieve the highest practical level of education, and to work for the advancement of education by supporting and improving the public schools and by fostering the desire for education among his fellow citizens.

VIII. It shall be the duty of every citizen to defend the right to buy and sell, to own land and other property, to engage in com-

merce and to work and earn a living wage, as a fundamental guarantee of the freedom and welfare of the nation.

IX. It shall be the duty of every citizen to preserve an attitude of self-reliance, and to use all legitimate means to achieve financial independence and security; to practice thrift and economy in his own affairs and to require the same of local, state and federal government.

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Miss Sue Jones and Jimmy Lyn Harris Are Wed In December

Wedding vows were repeated Thursday evening, Dec. 24, at 8 p.m. at the Methodist Church by Miss Martha Sue Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank Jones of Athens and Jimmy Lyn Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Harris of Eastland.

The Rev. J. A. Chapman, officiated at the double ring ceremony and Mrs. D. E. Brooks, organist, played the nuptial music and accompanied Jimmy Chapman as he sang "Walk Hand in Hand" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The altar was centered with an arch of candles in gold candelabra which was flanked by gold baskets of white flowers and other candelabra holding white tapers. During the wedding prayer, the couple knelt on a white satin prie-dieu pillow at the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in an original chapel-length gown fashioned of gleaming white silk satin. The bodice featured a rounded neckline designed with a wide banding of re-embroidered Alencon lace and was sprinkled with bugle beads and seed pearls. Long fitted sleeves tapered to petal points over the hands.

A banding of the lace, embroidered in beads and pearls, circled the waist and was appliqued on the skirt to give a torso effect.

The skirt flared from the waist ending at the back in a crescent of fullness which swept into a chapel length train. Her fingertip veil of pure silk illusion fell in tiers from a crown fashioned of pearls and she carried a crescent of gardenias, decorated with white velvet leaves and white cut velvet ribbon streamers.

Miss Linda Hollowell, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Sara Hunter of Ennis and Miss Carolyn Herd of Irene were bridesmaids.

The honor attendant and bridesmaids wore identical waltz length gowns fashioned of sapphire blue de-lustered satin. Designed with a fitted bodice, the gowns featured a round neckline that tapered to a V at the back. Allegro sleeves gave added interest to the bodice and the skirt fell in soft pleats to give a bell effect.

They wore matching blue satin hats that were fashioned a criss-cross effect and the satin was completely pleated. They carried all white crescent bouquets of carnations and velvet leaves.

Shari Shaver of Wharton was flower girl and her dress was also of sapphire and made on identical lines as those worn by the bride's attendants.

James Angel of Dallas served as the bridegroom's best man and Joe Park of Dallas, Charles Collins of Eastland and John Lively Jr. of Athens were groomsmen. Charles and James Jones, brothers of the bride, served as ushers and rolled the aisle cloth before the bride's entrance.

A reception following the ceremony was held at the Athens Country Club. The bride's table was laid with a linen cut-work cloth and was centered with a tall five-branch silver candelabra holding white tapers and draped with white nylon net and baby smilax which formed a background for the bride's bouquet.

Mrs. Tom Davis Evans, Mrs. George Edwards and Mrs. Harold Shaver of Wharton alternated at the punch bowl and Mrs. A. B. Gilpin of Huntsville and Mrs. Alton Laney served the cake. Mrs. Walter Hollowell and Miss Huebela Alphin presided at the coffee service.

Miss Beth Park and Miss Mickey Newbill were in charge of the guest book and other members of the houseparty included Meses. R. E. Henderson, Neal Heath, Verna Mae Bookout, Felice Vickery, Frank Ballou, Tarlton Loughridge, Opal Jones, Dave

Kamen, Jake Mayers and Misses Sue Lane Vickery, Mary Frank Ballou and Linda Loughridge.

When the couple left on a wedding trip to a ski resort in Colorado, the bride was wearing a dark brown two-piece wool suit with a mink collar, brown velvet pill box hat and alligator shoes and bag. Her tailored corsage was of white gardenias.

The bride attended North Texas State College in Denton and the University of Texas where she pledged Alpha Chi Omega, and the bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Texas where he received his degree in petroleum engineering. His fraternity at the University was Chi Phi.

Miss Shirley Janelle House And Robert Blackmon Are Wed

Miss Shirley Janelle House, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith of Fort Worth, became the bride of Robert Donald Blackmon at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 26 in the Eastland First Baptist Church parsonage.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blackmon of Eastland. The bride lived in Eastland at the time of her marriage.

Rev. Harvey Kimbler, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the double ring ceremony. The bride was attired in a waltz-length wedding dress with underskirts of satin and net. The overskirt was of pleated nylon. She carried a bridal bouquet of white camellia with white streaming tapers. Her waist length veil was attached to a headpiece of white flowers and pearls. Her jewelry was a single strand of pearls and matching earrings.

Attendants for the couple were Barbara Ann Blackmon, who was dressed in an aqua dress with a pleated skirt and white accessories, and Joe Blackmon was best man.

The bridegroom's mother was attired in a blue linen suit with scarlet hat and flowers.

For the wedding trip the bride chose a full skirted sky-blue and baby-blue satin dress with blue and white accessories. Following the short honeymoon the couple made their home in Abilene.

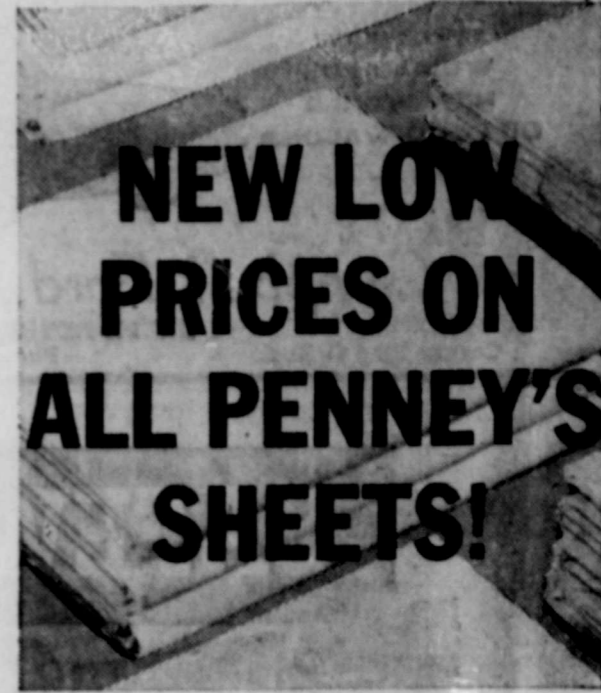
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Mrs. C. N. Ellis Teaches Bible Study Tuesday

The Ladies of the Merriman Baptist Church held their Weekly Bible Study Tuesday afternoon at 1:45 in the home of Mrs. M. A. McGee.

N. Ellis taught the first and second chapters of Ecclesiastes. Mrs. A. E. Dawson closed the meeting with prayer. Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. A. E. Dawson, G. D. Falls, Owen Falls, C. J. Cole, J. W. Vinson, W. S. Vinson, Bob Green, Jim Vinson, C. N. Ellis, Sybil Whitehead, and the hostess, Mrs. McGee.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Mrs. Ratliff Is Hostess to Circle No. 3

Mrs. A. J. Ratliff was hostess to Circle No. 3 of the Women's Society of Christian Service at a meeting Monday, January 4, at 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. Tom Stewart, circle chairman, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Arthur Deffebach led the opening prayer.

The devotional was presented by Mrs. E. L. Danley. "Social Creed and the Ever-Changing Conditions" was the theme of the program, which was given by Mrs. D. E. Pulley. The Ten Commandments were used as a background. Following the program, Mrs. Pulley conducted a round table discussion.

Mrs. Stanley McAnelly closed the program with a commemorative of the visit of the Wise Men to the Christ Child, and led the closing prayer. Reports were given by the secretary, treasurer, and cheer fund chairman. Forty-eight calls were reported. Refreshments were served to the twelve members present.

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Second Baptist WMU Meets Mon. For Bible Study

The Women's Missionary Society met at the Second Baptist Church Monday afternoon at 3 for the monthly business meeting and Bible study.

The program was opened with the group's singing "Let Others See Jesus in You," followed by a prayer led by Mrs. F. E. Caraway. Mrs. H. H. Sutton taught the Bible study on "Christian Witnessing."

Mrs. J. D. Nichols, president, presided at the business meeting, at which time the group voted to hold a G. A. banquet during WMS Focus Week.

Mrs. F. E. Caraway, prayer chairman, read the names of the missionaries on the prayer list for the day. Mrs. W. B. Crabtree closed the meeting with a prayer for the missionaries.

The following members were present: Mmes. R. B. Wymer, F. E. Caraway, Walter Mitchell, J. D. Nichols, G. P. Ross, Charlie Reck, H. F. Duncan, Betty Bush, Albert Williams, R. B. Needham, Ed Scarborough, Everett Noah, H. H. Sutton, Joe Calder, Mae Rodgers, and Crabtree.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Circle No. 2 Meets With Mrs. J. A. Johnson

Mrs. J. A. Johnson was hostess to Circle No. 2 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church at a meeting in her home Monday afternoon, January 4, at 3:30.

Mrs. O. B. Poyner, circle chairman, called the meeting to order. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. C. E. May. Mrs. Guy Brown presented the devotional entitled "Social Creeds and Moving Population." Her scripture reference was the 20th chapter of Exodus.

Mrs. Annie Shawfield and Mrs. R. E. Johnson presented the program on "Relocated Chinese Christians." Mrs. C. E. May gave the Epiphany Program. She stated that Epiphany represents the search of the Wise Men for the star that told to the world that a Savior had been born. She read the poem, "Who Were The Wise Men?"

Following the program, Mrs. Poyner conducted a short business meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer and the cheer fund chairman gave their reports.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. R. E. Johnson, Guy Brown, Annie Shawfield, O. B. Poyner, W. F. Crenger, M. P. Williams, Beverly Dudley, Jr., W. J. Van Bibber, C. E. May; the hostess, Mrs. J. A. Johnson; and one visitor, Mrs. J. M. VanBibber of Milpitas, California.

Women's Activities

Friday, Jan. 8

The Ranger Garden Club will meet Friday, Jan. 8, at the Community Club House for the election of officers and a program on the theme, "Make Ranger Beautiful." Speakers will be Mrs. Roscoe Hopper and Mrs. J. D. Johnson.

January 12

The 1947 Club meeting which was originally scheduled for January 5 has been postponed until January 12. The program will be presented by Mrs. C. E. May, Sr., who will review the book, "The Saint and Seven Sinners."

Hostesses will be Mrs. George Rushton and Mrs. W. H. Clem. The meeting will be held in the Community Club House.

Members please note the change of date.

Circle No. 1 Meets Monday In Smith Home

Circle No. 1 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday, January 4, at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. P. T. Smith.

Mrs. J. L. Turner was in charge of the program on "Social Creeds and Moving Populations." The main theme of the program was "Giving the Great Code of Law in Our Lives, the Ten Commandments." Mrs. W. H. Clarke read the Ten Commandments.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews gave the meditation, "A Code for Moving Populations." Mrs. J. L. Turner made a short talk on The Epiphany.

In the absence of the circle chairman, Mrs. Gaston Dixon, Mrs. Turner presided at the short business meeting. Sick reports were given, and cards were mailed. Sick visits were reported. Members paid on pledges.

Eleven members were present. Mrs. Turner closed the meeting with a prayer.

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Hospital News

New patients in Ranger General Hospital are: Mrs. Pete McCoy, Eastland, medical; Mrs. Ray Grounds, Strawn, medical; Dismissed were: Mrs. W. H. Rucker, Ranger; Mrs. Bob England and baby boy, Ranger; Mrs. C. D. Ervin, Ranger.

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Mrs. L. D. Tankersley returned home Monday from a visit with her children and their families. She visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paschall and son in Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson and family in Denton, and Mrs. J. S. Bowles in Grand Prairie.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Ranger will be held at 7:00 p.m. on January 22, 1960 at King's Cafe, to elect directors and consider such other business as shall come before the meeting.

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