

Some Good, Some Bad, Some Tragedy; Top The 1960 News

The year 1960 was a big one in Ranger and headlined through the year has been the elections, going the way from local government to national level.

March 27—Area law enforcement officers were still searching this morning for a hit-and-run driver whose vehicle struck and killed a 62 year old Eastland man Friday on U. S. Highway 80.

July 12—Five Ranger Boy Scouts attend the National Jamboree in Colorado.

September 11—Separation of grades at Young and Hodges schools to eliminate split grades.

JANUARY
January 3—Rangers population at a boost with the new year as three babies were born the first four days of 1960.

APRIL
April 5—In one of the largest local elections in recent years, 475 voters turned out to cast votes in the Ranger Independent School Board and Ranger College Board of Regents elections Saturday.

AUGUST
August 21—The Teddy Bears win state hand contest and get recording contract.

OCTOBER
October 2—Football team and pep squad organized at Young School.

FEBRUARY
February 11—Winds estimated at over 70 mph clawed at roofs whipped telephone and d electric lines and blasted at buildings for approximately 11 hours in Ranger Tuesday.

MAY
May 8—A large vote was cast Saturday in the May 7 primary election and several races will go into the Run-Off election June 7.

SEPTEMBER
September 1—Registration begins at Ranger High School for the 1960-61 school year.

NOVEMBER
November 1—Ranger College Rangers win Homecoming game with 9 to 7 win over Navarro.

MARCH
March 20—Tonight (Saturday) Ranger residents will hear the last familiar "number please" as the Ranger Bell Telephone System will convert to the dial system at 1:01 Sunday morning.

JUNE
June 7—Eastland County voters turned out strong Saturday and helped put out three incumbents and narrowly reelected another.

DECEMBER
December 1—Bulldogs place seven on All-District teams.

NOVEMBER
November 22—Ranger twirlers win nine first place medals.

Bulldogs Play Mavs Tonight In Eastland

The Ranger Bulldog basketball teams will get back into action tonight as they invade Maverick gym at Eastland in a non-conference game, with the first game starting at 6:30 p.m.



FLIGHT IN ALGERIA—An Algerian Moslem family flees from French paratroopers in Algeria. The soldiers were moving to head off mass demonstrations on behalf of Moslems killed in riots against the French.



LONELY HEARTS—Clinging to each other, these monkeys fearfully face a strange world in experiments at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, Wis. Dr. Harry F. Harlow, a psychologist, is researching such factors as mother love and affection between infants.

Hoffmann Is Re-Elected Director of Oil Assoc.

New officers and directors of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, assuming office Jan. 1, include 14 west central Texas oil men.

Award Winning Students Essays

(Editor's Note: This is the fourth series of Essays written by Ranger High School English students and published by the National Essay Association.)

County Singing Convention Meets In Ranger Sunday

The Eastland County Singing Convention will meet in the Ranger High School auditorium on Sunday, January 8.

County Shows Increase In Businesses In 1960

Today Mr. A. J. Hemphill, manager of the Fort Worth office of Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., announced statement requests were mailed to businesses in Eastland County.

Courthouse News And Records

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County Clerk's Office
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Donald Jordan Is Stationed at Thule Air Base

Army Staff Sergeant Donald L. Jordan, whose wife, Doris, lives in Carbon, recently arrived in Greenland and is now a member of the 7th Artillery Group at Thule Air Force Base.

Cub Scout Pack Meeting Thurs. Night

The 25-year-old sergeant, son of Mrs. Ina L. Jordan, 411 S. Green St., Eastland, is a 1953 graduate of Eastland High School.

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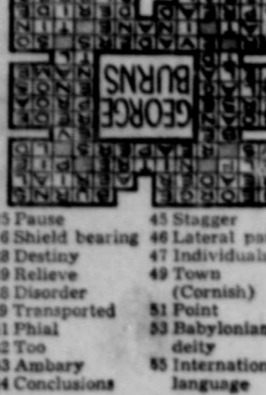
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Court News-
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Swine Carcass Test Program Planned at A&M

The search continues for strains and faults in hogs which are profitable, will make fast, efficient gain and yield carcasses with a high percentage of ham and loin.

The pigs will self-feed on a highly fortified ration designed to get maximum gain and muscle development, Tankley said. They will be finished on concrete feeding floors. This uniform feeding and management plan will help identify the really "meaty" seed-stock because the majority differences in carcass desirability will be the result of breeding, Tankley pointed out.

Farmers And Ranchers Get Tax Reminder

Area farmers and ranchers were reminded today that Monday, Jan. 16, is the final day for filing their estimated federal income tax for 1960, unless they plan filing their final return on or before February 15.

The IRS representative said that this option is available to farmers and ranchers only. The tax law defines a farmer or rancher as one who derives two-thirds or more of his gross income from farming or ranching. He advised farmers and ranchers that if they filed a federal income tax return last year the necessary forms for this year will be mailed to them.

Some Good-

(Continued from Page One)
Club holds annual flower show.
December 6—Hunting accident fatal to Ranger High School student.

December 6—Ranger College Ranges place eleven on All-Conference teams.
December 13—Dona Jane Pugh of Eastland is named Pecan Queen.

December 13—Ranger College Ranges end season with win over Monterey, Mexico.
December 15—Ranger honored with grid banquet.
December 18 — Winners announced in County Pecan Show.
December 20 — W. J. Sipes named president of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.



UP AND OVER—Christ Vieweg and Roland Schillinger are heels-over-head about each other at Frankfurt, West Germany, in this hand-in-hand flip which helped them win the German trampoline gymnastics championship.

RETURNS TO COLLEGE STATION

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stephens have returned to their home at College Station after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Deffebach.

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Personals

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hise Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Merle VanStavern, Roddy and Monty of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Earle VanStavern, Larry and James of Levelland, Mrs. Ethel Hise of Abilene, Mrs. Melvin Flocke, Bobbie and Mary of Mission, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hanberry of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davenport, Mrs. Ethel Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bobo of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Forney of Austin are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Linda Forney.

Mrs. John Lowe and daughter

of Midland are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lowe, Mrs. Lindsay Forney and Mrs. W. W. Lowe.

Mrs. Bill Bergfeld and sons of Conroe are visiting in the home of Mrs. Charlie Hummel.

Mrs. J. L. Miller of Odessa is visiting with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beck.

Mrs. M. L. Spindle had as her holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Spindle and David of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forbes of Andrews.

Miss Joanna Berry of Jacksboro is spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Strong and Ken of Corpus Christi and Jimmy Doyce Strong of Baylor Medical School in Houston spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace of Waco spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hanberry of San Antonio spent the Christmas holidays in Ranger with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bobo, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hise, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Davenport, and Mrs. Ethel Williams.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hise during the Christmas holidays were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Merle VanStavern and sons, Roddy and Monty of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Earle VanStavern, and sons, Larry and James of Levelland.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Mary Wheat during Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Herrington, Tyanna and Kristy of Arlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Wheat, Pat and Rex. Visiting with Mrs. Wheat now is Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheat, Charlotte, Phyllis and Leslie of Odessa.

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Hospital News

Patients in Ranger General Hospital are:

Mrs. Florence Roan, Cisco, medical

Mrs. Linda Zellers, Rising Star, medical

Maria Gutierrez, Eastland, medical

Mrs. Lola Groves, Rising Star, medical

Mrs. Loyd Landtroop, Ranger, surgical

Johnny Morris, Strawn, surgical

Weldon Cunningham, Ranger, medical

Denise Prescott, Ranger, medical

Mrs. W. C. Harris, Ranger, medical

Mrs. Mayme Belyeu, Ranger, medical

Frank McGlothlin, Mineral Wells, medical

Eunice Toome, Ranger, medical

Mrs. Ceo Keener, Ranger, medical

H. I. Pepper

Carl Shawfield

Baby Paul Sledge, Ranger

Mrs. Joe Agire, Strawn

Mrs. Myrtle Templeton, Ranger

Mrs. Lee Russell, Ranger, surgical

Pauline Castro

Dismissed:

Mrs. Avia Henderson, Mingus

O. J. Polk, Strawn

G. H. Abbott, Strawn

GOES TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Russell and David and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blanton and Kim of Levelland spent the holidays in Oklahoma with Mr. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Russell.

Jim Littlefield is visiting his brother Jack Littlefield in Jal. New Mexico, before returning to San Angelo.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pearsall

spent Christmas in Odessa with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lebrado and family attended the O. C. Home reunion in Graford during the holidays.

John Lynn Johnson of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Riey and son David of Decatur visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roye and children of Winters have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Boyd.

RETURNS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ernst have returned to their home at 815 Cypress Street after a 15 day visit with friends and relatives in Odessa and El Paso.

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 5
The Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday, Jan. 5 at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. W. S. Adamson for a social and business meeting.

Thursday, January 5
The 1920 Club will meet Thursday, January 5 in the home of Mrs. Saule Perlstein for a program on "The Little Theatre Movement in Texas."

Mrs. Herman Cupp is program leader and "The Little Theatre Movement" will be given by Mrs. Charles Gann. Mrs. E. L. Hamrick will present "Recent Theatre Projects in Texas."

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Prolonged exposure to light has a tendency to darken all natural finishes or woods that have been bleached. Such darkening may be noted by examining the wall behind a picture that has hung for some time on light colored paneling. This darkening may be minimized through the incorporation of an ultra-violet light absorber in the finish.

Specialized wood finishes are available for almost all requirements. There are plastic coatings which will resist scratching, crayon marks, water stains and alcohol. Some coatings are capable of withstanding steam and acids, while others render wood insect and decay resistant, germ proof, or fire retardant.

ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

Texas will begin the new year with 63 "packaged" hospitals on hand, ready for almost instant use following enemy action or a major natural disaster. Ninety percent of them are located at least 15 miles from assumed strategic target areas.

Outgrowth of the mobile army hospitals developed and tested during the Korean War, they can be completely installed by 40 or 50 people in four or five hours. In one test exercise an installation was made in an hour and 10 minutes by experienced personnel.

The hospitals, costing \$21,000 apiece, were provided by the federal Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization as part of a nationwide stockpile program. They are administered in Texas by the state Office of Defense and Disaster Relief, with technical cooperation from the Texas State Department of Health.

Local civil defense organizations in designated locations provide storage and otherwise manage the hospitals and their equipment.

Besides the 63 units presently on hand, 11 others have been allocated to Texas for future delivery. The hospitals are designed to be set up in existing buildings. One such unit planned is for Breckenridge, and will serve this area.

Each hospital — already crated for shipment into stricken areas as may be needed, is a complete 200-bed affair with facilities for three operating rooms, a pharmacy, x-ray service, clinical laboratory, sterilizing room, central supply room, and electrical power supply.

Each unit weighs 24,000 pounds and contains 8,000 individual pieces of equipment including a 1500-gallon water tank and pump for emergency water supplies, here are also complete medical supplies, from surgical caps and gowns to inflammable items such as ether and alcohol which are separately packaged and marked to avoid fire hazards.

Local civil defense authorities provide refrigeration for items such as insulin and blood derivatives. Antibiotics and other materials with expiration dates are labeled "deteriorative" to indicate they must be periodically inspected and rotated.

State civil defense and health authorities estimate that emergency hospitals will have to provide at least half the total available hospital beds following a major emergency, since the bulk of existing conventional hospitals are located in metropolitan centers which may be targets of enemy action.

Doctors and nurses to staff the emergency hospitals will be recruited locally in the community where the unit is installed for service, according to present planning.

Church of God Holds Revival

Rev. A. J. Fox, Jr., pastor of the Church of God, Strawn Road and 1st Street, announces that a revival is in progress at the church this week.

Evening services begin at 7 p. m. and prayer meeting is at 9 a. m. daily.

Bible Study Is In Progress at First Baptist

Bible study week is now in progress at the First Baptist Church and three departments are meeting and studying the following books: Adults and Young People, "Studies in First Corinthians." Intermediates, "Hymns We Sing," Juniors, "Since Jesus Came." The Nursery is open for the little ones.

Wednesday evening services will be as follows: Choir rehearsal at 6:15. Teacher Training with general assembly at 7.

At this time our superintendent R. V. Robinson, will present plans to officers and teachers. This Bible study will be in connection with the Teacher training. The Sunday school lesson will be taught by Miss Locke. The prayer meeting hour will be conducted in connection with the general schedule.

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