

Ranger FFA Chapter to Sponsor Swine Course

A swine short course for adult farmers will be held March 6th through 10th under the sponsorship of the Ranger High School Vocational Agriculture Department, according to G. B. Rush, Superintendent and Beverly Dudley Jr., teacher of vocational agriculture.

C. M. Lywell, swine specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Animal Husbandry at Texas A&M College, will do the instructing in the course. He is quartered at Texas A & M College.

Lywell holds a B. S. degree in animal husbandry from Southwest Texas State. He assisted in the field of veterinary medicine at San Marcos and has had several years of ranching and on-the-farm experience. He has been in instructor in vocational agriculture and has acted as swine judge at livestock judging contests.

"Many swine short courses in various parts of the state have been taught by Lywell and all have met with outstanding success," according to J. B. Payne, area supervisor of vocational agriculture, Stephenville. Arrangements for the adult education short course in swine husbandry and in other fields are made through Payne's office.

The short course at Ranger High School is scheduled to begin March 6 at 7 p. m. in the vocational agriculture classroom. Other meetings in the series of 5 will be held March 7, 8, 9, and 10. During the dates the short course is in progress, Lywell will be available to assist students with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to Dudley.

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Citizens National Bank of Wash, guardian to W. B. Burleson, guardians deed.

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Brenda Roberts Sweetheart of R. C. Cagers

Miss Brenda Roberts was named 1961 Basketball Sweetheart by the Ranger College Basketball Team at the halftime of the game with Howard Payne College B team Friday evening, Feb. 18. She was escorted to the center of the court by Co-Captain Jerry Don Anderson and Co-Captain Danny Walsworth presented her with a glanellia corsage.

Miss Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roberts of Throckmorton, is a sophomore business administration major. She was 1959 Homecoming Queen and vice president of the freshman class and secretary - treasurer of the Debs in 1959. This year she is president of the Debs, vice-president of the Student Association, a second-year Rangeann, and a member of the Phi Theta Kappa. She was also chosen as Miss Ranger this year. She plans to finish her college work at North Texas State College in Denton or East Texas State College in Commerce.

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Funeral for Donald Wells Needham, 23, of Lubbock, who was killed Saturday night in an automobile accident near Big Spring, were held Tuesday (today) at 2 p. m. in Killingsworth Funeral Chapel.

Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

The Rev. Bobby Spross, pastor of East Side Baptist Church, will officiate.

Mr. Needham was born Sept. 17, 1931 in Ranger. He had been a magazine distributor for Lubbock News Co. for three years, and was also owner and operator of the South Plains Record Service.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wells W. Needham of Ranger; three sisters, Mrs. Pat Blackman of Dallas, Eloise Needham of Ranger, and Margaret Needham of Los Angeles, Calif.; and three grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Needham of Ranger and J. H. Andrew of Strawn.

Funeral services were: Johnny Gay, Gene Hill Jr., Charles Wheat, Lusby Kirk, Alvin Thames, Weldon Cunningham, Lynn Nicholson and Bobby Galley.

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The sponsor of the Delta Tau Chapter is Mrs. Marjorie Theberge.

Services Wed. For Mrs. Davis Of Breckenridge

Mrs. Alma Davis, 71, of Breckenridge, died at 8:20 a. m. Monday in a Coleman hospital after suffering a heart attack earlier in the morning.

She was visiting a sister, Mrs. Claude White, in Coleman. Born March 29, 1889, in Stevenson County, she was married to the late Jim Davis in Coleman in 1905. They continued to live there until 1947 when they came to Breckenridge. Mr. Davis died in 1958.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Wednesday in Satterwhite Funeral Home Chapel in Breckenridge with the Rev. Luther Higginbotham, pastor of Rose Ave. Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Breckenridge Cemetery.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Norris of Wichita Falls; two sons, Clarence Wichita Ranger and R. D. of Breckenridge; two brothers, Ernest Punderbough of Coleman and Jim Punderbough of DeLeon; a sister, Mrs. White of Coleman; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Mrs. Davis was also an aunt to Homer Robinson of Ranger.



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Phi Theta Kappa Initiates Nine Pledges at R. C.

Ranger College Delta Tau chapter of the Phi Theta Kappa held initiation for new pledges Thursday night, Feb. 16 in Student Union Building. This is a national honorary society for the upper ten percent of the student body of junior colleges.

In a formal ceremony nine new members were inducted into the chapter. Pledges include Nancy Kelley of Fort Worth, Clarence Mayers of Eastland, Mary Beth Cameron of Rochester, and Linda Drennan, Norma Gayle Emfinger, Jerry Kilgore, Nellie Sue Vinson, Mike Herrington, and Alfred Rogers all of Ranger.

After the ceremony the chapter members and guests were served refreshments, and an all-school dance followed.

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Exercise of Hobbies Is T&P Retiree's Plans

William Morris "Brownie" Hill, on Jan. 30, 1896. During his early years, he worked at various jobs with the railroad for four years. He joined the U. S. Army in 1917 where he served with the American Expeditionary Forces of the 33rd division during World War I.

He came to Ranger in 1919, and went to work for Texas Pacific as a pipe fitter in the Butler District. In 1922 he was transferred to Oklahoma in charge of the water and gas department, and returned to Butler District in 1925 in the same position. Since he has lived and worked in Ranger continuously, except for a brief move to Thurber.

In 1923, he married the former Verma Lea Terry in Wynneswood, Oklahoma. They have two sons, W. M., Jr., who is employed in the commercial department of Texas Electric Service Co. in Graham, and Charles V., a water-flood engineer for the Forrester Oil Company in Midland. The Browns also have four grandchildren.

They plan to continue living at their present address, 604 Pine, in Ranger.

Brownie's hobbies include fishing, hunting, woodwork and loafing. He plans to exercise these hobbies extensively in the future years.



WARDS OPEN HOUSE—One of the largest gatherings seen in Ranger in many a day was in evidence at the big Open House held by Montgomery Wards in Ranger last week. Pictured is part of the large crowd that was on hand to view the new stock of merchandise and enjoy the entertainment. The attentive look on the girls faces in the lower part of the picture is caused by the performance of the Teddie Bears, Johnny Angel and the Tradewinds. (Photo by Capps Studio).

Senior Class Presents Play Production Friday

A sum of \$5,000 will be given away by the senior class of Ranger High School Friday night in their annual class play scheduled for 7:30 p. m. in the High School auditorium.

Granny, one of the cast, is to give away the \$5000 and the audience will be entranced by the antics pulled by the other cast members, as they try to become the benefactor.

Every year Granny, an eccentric, wealthy, old lady, plays a game of "clues" which leads her to some unknown person who makes the decision for her. In a wild attempt to obtain the donation for the tuition of Heckimer, a much needed football player, Archie tries desperately to trick Granny into donating her \$5,000 to Heckimer by trying to change the clues.

Post Office to Close Wednesday

Mrs. Ella White, Acting Postmaster of the Ranger Post Office announced today that the Ranger Post Office would be closed all day Wednesday, February 22 in observance of George Washington's birthday.

Rita Sipes Duchess At Coronation

Rita Sipes, Ranger College freshman, represented Ranger College February 19, at the annual Valentine Coronation sponsored by the Student Education Association of Weatherford College in the college gymnasium. Miss Sipes, freshman at Ranger College, served as a Duchess to the Queen's Court. James Potts, freshman class president at Ranger College, escorted Miss Sipes.

Approximately thirty couples from several colleges and high schools represented their schools at the Coronation. Following the Coronation there was a ball held in the Student Union Center.

Accompanying the Ranger representatives to Weatherford College were Mary Kay Rush and Don Faulkenberry.

Richard Spindle On Honor Roll at Bethany College

Richard L. Spindle of 4113 North Peniel, Bethany, Oklahoma, has earned a place on the dean's honor roll at Bethany Nazarene College, for scholastic achievement in the first semester.

Richard is a junior majoring in theology. A 1958 graduate of Ranger High School, he is the son of Mrs. Lillian Spindle, Route 2, Ranger.

BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Famed Oil Derrick Is To Be Restored

Ranger will soon have their oil derrick back. Orders were given today to begin work on the derrick. The derrick, although in a new location and not as large as the old one that blew down some ten years ago, will be an attractive monument. It will be approximately 30 feet tall and will be located south of Main Street between Highway 89 and the Texas and Pacific Railroad. A gas flare will be installed to light the derrick.

The building of the derrick replica was only part of the Public Relations Committee's plans that were approved by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night.

Also included in the plans was the building of three signs which will be installed in an effort to tell the story of Ranger to the public.

A sign, which will be installed across Main Street from the location of the derrick, will advertise Ranger as a recreation center. It will boost Lake Leon and the sports connected with the lake. Fishing, hunting, boating and golf will be stressed.

Two other signs which will be erected, one on each approach on Highway 89, will advertise the Ranger area as a site for industry and business. These signs will stress the advantages of Ranger—the location, natural resources, and other things that would appeal to industry.

The signs will be 10 feet high and 20 feet long and will be of all steel construction. The cost of building and installing the three signs and the derrick replica will be approximately \$1200 dollars.

Following approval of the plans by directors, president W. J. Sipes appointed Dr. W. P. Watkins, as chairman of a special committee to raise the money for building of the signs. C. B. Pruet, chairman of the Public Relations Committee, said that he believed in the project strong enough that he would kick off the fund raising project with a \$100 donation.

Also included in the business of the meeting was reports from other committees. Charles Miliken, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, reported that the committee had made plans to do some work at the crossing to beautify the entrance to Main Street. Wilson Guest, chairman of the Industrial Committee reported that an agreement had been reached with the Featherlite Corporation on the purchase of a tract of land where the Featherlite Corporation would mine shale for their production of aggregate.

Present at the meeting were Sipes, R. V. Galloway, manager of the Chamber, Miliken, Watkins, B. A. Tunnell, Bill Herrington, Guest, D. C. Arterburn, T. C. Wylie, P. R. Uet, Marjorie Maddocks, Mrs. J. B. Craig, Dick Henderson and Dr. Ted Nickick.

Final Rites For Mrs. Stanford

Mrs. Narcissus E. Stanford, 97, Stephens County resident for 71 years, died Sunday at 11 a. m. in Ranger General Hospital. Her home was about 14 miles north of Ranger.

Mrs. Stanford was born Narcissus Galle on Oct. 15, 1863 in Tennessee. She married D. V. E. Stanford in Jan. 12, 1882 in Rutherford, Tenn. He died in 1940.

Funeral was held Monday at 2 p. m. in Killingsworth Funeral Chapel in Ranger. Burial was in Necessity Cemetery.

Officiating at the service was the Rev. Frank Brooks, pastor of Second Baptist Church of Ranger. Mrs. Stanford was a member of New Hope Baptist Church No. 3.

Mrs. Stanford is survived by two sons, Duke M. of Ranger and Carl of Denver, Colo.; 16 grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were: Vinson Jones, D. B. Hasey, A. O. Tompkins, Don Bradford, G. V. McGowan, Wilson Watson, Dewey Hames and Candie N. Dempsey.

Masonic Lodge To Observe Washington Birth

Masons are to observe Washington's birthday with the annual Masonic Banquet to be held at the Ranger College cafeteria Friday, February 24, beginning at 7 p. m.

Fred F. DeVaney, Grand Officer of the Grand Lodge of Texas A. F. & A. M. will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Sue Watson Brown of Howard Payne College will bring the musical program.

All Master Masons and their wives and members of the Order of the Eastern Star and their husbands are cordially invited to attend this annual observance of the birthday of George Washington, the father of our country, who was an outstanding Mason, a spokesman for the Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, said.

He has also served one year as Administrative Assistant in the Latin American Office of the Division of World Missions of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church and also as pastor of the Leonard Methodist Church.

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The next directors meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday, March 20.

Herman Fron On Way to Okinawa Duty

Marine Pvt. Herman L. Fron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fron of Ranger, departed San Diego, California, Feb. 1, with the Third Battalion, First Marine Regiment, aboard the Military Sea Transportation Service ship USS General Mann for a tour of duty with the Third Marine Division at Okinawa.

The battalion, formerly a part of the First Marine Division at Camp Pendleton, Calif., goes to Okinawa under the unit rotation system, a program designed to maintain "esprit de corps" at a peak level by keeping personnel together throughout training and overseas duty.

Guilty Plea Is Heard, Three Charges Filed

One plea of guilty was heard in County Court during the past week and three persons were charged with offenses.

John Hoytt was given a 30 day jail sentence when he entered a guilty plea to a charge of swindling under a worthless check.

Willie Mae Williams was charged with possession of liquor for sale in a dry area, but the charge was later transferred to District Court.

Tessie Gordon Hazzard faces a driving while intoxicated charge and Clinton A. Robie is charged with aggravated assault.

Old Age Payments In County Just Short of Million

A total of \$904,858 was pumped into Eastland County's financial bloodstream during 1960 by old age assistance payments, the annual report issued by the Department of Public Welfare reveals.

In addition to the old age payments, an additional \$90,859 in aid to dependent children was paid. \$22,419 went for aid to the blind and \$16,902 for aid to the permanently and totally disabled in the county. The total payments in the county by the Department were just short of one million dollars.

A total of 1,448 persons received old age assistance. There were 31 families with 99 children who received aid to dependent children. 30 got aid to the blind and 24 aid to the permanently and totally disabled.

Arthur Camacho, Ex-War Prisoner, Fund Started

The Veterans Administration is an organization set up to take care, in many ways, of veterans and their families. They have pension plans, hospitals for the care of veterans and many other facilities for the benefit of veterans, but sometime things arise that cannot be acted on immediately, and when these things do happen—it is time for others to take over.

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Rev. Bill Kent Methodist Men's Club Speaker

Rev. Bill Kent, an outstanding speaker will highlight the evening program Thursday at 6:45 p. m. as the Methodist Men's Club meets for their regular monthly meeting in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church.

Rev. Kent, a former missionary in Cochabamba, Bolivia, is now serving as Associate Minister of St. Paul Methodist Church in Abilene.

He is a graduate of Southern Methodist University, and has done graduate work at Peabody College, Vanderbilt and Searritt College in Nashville, Tenn.

He has been in missionary work in Cochabamba for nine years and served as pastor of the Central Methodist Church and Director of the American Institute there.

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Walt Disney's Big Family Hit Opens For a 5 Day Run Tuesday at the Majestic in Eastland



Tortoise Shell Traveler—Kevin Corcoran rides bareback on a 400-lb. Galapagos tortoise on the beach of Tobago in Walt Disney's Panavision-Technicolor production, "Swiss Family Robinson." The feature picture stars John Mills, Dorothy McGuire, James MacArthur and Janet Munro. Buna Vist releases.

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Ray Peel to Ray Troy, warranty deed.

H. P. Pentecost, admin. to Adelle Boies, deed.

L. R. Pearson to H. L. Bilhartz & Assoc., option agreement.

Mrs. Grace R. Reed to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed.

Eastland County Sheriff to C. H. Housh, sheriff's deed.

State of Texas vs. H. B. Gregory, et al, d/b/a Gregory Truck & Tractor, abstract of judgment.

Gordon L. Smith to Mrs. Clara T. Cockrell, warranty deed.

Mary E. Stephenson to Lanham Stephens, partition deed.

Tom Stamey to Paul H. Blaine, warranty deed.

Emma Terrell, deceased to The Public, e/c will.

H. S. Taylor to Millie Ellen Taylor, warranty deed.

J. L. Thornton to Ray Plumlee, partial release of abstract of judgment.

S. C. Tucker to Higginbotham Bros. & Co., MML.

Mattie E. Thomas to H. L. Bilhartz & Assoc., extension of oil and gas lease.

Madeline Talley to Saleta Kyle Longley, mineral deed.

Madeline Talley to George F. Kyle, mineral deed.

United States of America to Clarence H. Pittman, release of tax lien.

Veterans Land Board to William B. Eaves, contract of sale

Fate Langford Dies Sunday, Services Monday

Fate Langford, 89, Ranger resident for 20 years, died at 4 a.m. Sunday at his home, 323 S. Oak St.

A retired farmer, he was born Jan. 11, 1872, in Louisiana. Mr. Langford married Callie House Sept. 3, 1911 in Eastland County. He lived in Stephens County for 50 years, moving to Ranger in 1941. Mrs. Langford died Aug. 13, 1955.

Mr. Langford was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church in the Harpersville community in Stephens County.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday in Killingsworth Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Richard L. Russell, First Christian Church pastor, officiated. Burial was in Bullock cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Homer L. of Ranger and Robert W. of Hobbs, N.M.; two brothers,

Joel K. Walker, trustee to Paul Smith, trustee's deed.
Audrey Yanker to E. H. Mills, warranty deed.
Jake Zablouddil to Jake Zablouddil, Jr., mineral deed.

PROBATE
Thomas Henry Dolan, deceased, application to probate will.

Malcom D. Gibson, deceased, application to probate will.

E. T. Grisham, deceased, application to probate will.

George C. Smith, deceased, application to probate will.

Nora Morgan, deceased, application to probate will.

SUITS FILED
91st District Court
Bert Besselaar vs. Ted Hale and Billy Duff Hale, damages.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS
91st District Court
Joe W. Jones vs. Dept. of Public Safety of State of Texas, order.

Patsy Ruth Abbott vs. Richard Dale Abbott, judgment.
First National Bank of Cisco vs. J. J. Johnson, order.
Bobby Jean Foote vs. Delbert Ray Foote, judgment.

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WMS Meets for Royal Service Program Tuesday

The Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church met for a Royal Service Program at the Church Tuesday morning, Feb. 14 at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Sr., led the songs, "Love Lifted Me," and "Christ for the Whole Wide World."

Mrs. L. D. Tankersley led the opening prayer. Mrs. V. A. Galloway, president, introduced the Julia DuPriest Circle members that presented the program, "Witness Where We Are." Those on the program were: Mmes. L. G. Kennedy, Fred Shaddox, Sammie Elder, Kenneth Williams, and Carl Black.

Mrs. Frank Hicklin read the calendar of prayer.

Those present were Mmes. L. L. Bruce, Frank Arrendale, Homer Perry, Lee Mitchell, H. E. Brooks, L. H. Kay, Samuel Orta, Tankersley, Williams, H. Alin, Shaddox, Galloway, Elder, Black, Kennedy and Houghton.

VISIT IN OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Lottie Davenport is visiting in Lawton, Okla., with her son and family, Major and Mrs. N. E. Davenport and daughter.

Mrs. N. E. Davenport who underwent surgery, is reported to be improved.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Renfro and children, Wayne and Wanda are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clemmer and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Renfro of Oiden.

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Miss Butler; Alton Yowell Jr. Announce Spring Wedding Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie C. Butler, 214 Midkiff St., Midland announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Brenda Faye, to Alton Yowell Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Yowell, 3209 Thomas St., Midland.

Miss Butler and her family are former residents of Eastland. She is a 1959 graduate of Midland High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University. She is presently employed in the City of Midland Tax Office.

Yowell is a 1958 graduate of Midland High School and attended Texas A&M College for two

VISITS BROTHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze and David spent the weekend in Dallas and Fort Worth visiting his brothers. In Fort Worth they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baze and family and in Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baze and girls.

Sorority Holds Pledge Ceremony And Ritual of Jewels In January

Rho Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held a ritual of Jewels and Pledge ritual Thursday, Jan. 19 at the Community Clubhouse.

Mrs. Allen Rushing, chapter president, conducted the candle-light ceremonies and was assisted by Mmes. Pat Collins, Houston Moore, Byron Gailley and Roy Patterson.

The ritual table was beautifully arranged with candles in the traditional colors.

Mrs. Bill Eyley received the ritual of Jewels degree and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mrs. Bill Clem received the pledge ritual.

Background music was presented by Mrs. Jasper Williamson. Theme of the floral decorations was the sorority flower, the yellow rose.

Following the ceremony, cake and coffee were served from a silver appointed table, which was presided over by Mrs. Roy Eyterson and Mrs. Breland Wallace.

Members present were: Rushing, Melvina Crouch, Gailley, Patterson, Moore, Collins, Jack Bledge, Calvin Warren Sammie Elder, Bill Eyley Williamson, Wallace and David Allsup, and new members, Mrs. Fred Bennett and Mrs. Bill Clem.

TU Planning Meeting Set at First Baptist

A special feature will be added to the monthly Training Union Planning Meeting to be held tonight in the lower auditorium of the First Baptist Church.

The covered dish supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. with the Junior Department in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Sammie Elder is department director and will be assisted by members and workers of the department.

General director, J. W. White, and associate director, Mrs. Ruby Springer, will give direction to the general inspirational period. There are a number of important decisions to be made by the department.

Following is a list of the officers: General officers: Director, J. W. White; associate director, Mrs. Ruby Springer; secretary, Mrs. Wilson Watson; study course awards and director, Miss Alice Locke; Adult 2, director, Mrs. Frank Arrendale; secretary, Mrs. Izetta Smith; chorister, Mrs. W. A. Lewis; pianist, Mrs. L. L. Bruce; pres. Ambassador Union, Grover McGowen; president of F. C. Union, George Robinson.

Adult-1: director, Rayneal Baze; associate director, Mrs. Rayneal Baze; secretary, Mrs. Dickie Hodges, union president, Mrs. Fred Shaddox; Young People: director, Mrs. R. V. Robinson; associate director, Mrs. Jim Blair; secretary, John Perkins; chorister, Jim Robinson; pianist, Jill Watkins; union president, Dean Richey.

Intermediates: director, Mrs. Roy Barrett; associate director, Rod Carter; secretary, Glen Carr; chorister, Jill Guest; pianist, Virginia Goswick; Union president, I. Pat Perkins; II, Bobby Robinson; III, Edwina Edmunds; Leaders and sponsors: Mrs. Charles Masegosa, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Carter and Mrs. Glen Carr. Juniors: director, Mrs. Sammie Elder; associate director, Sammie Elder; secretary, Mrs. Weaver Aishman; chorister, Leo Russell; pianist, Dorothy Faye Ewing; sponsors, Union L. M., Doris Herrington; Union II, Wilson Watson; Elementary Department, director, Mrs. Ralph E. Perkins; primary director, Mrs. H. E. Ewing; Beginner director, Mrs. O. C. Warden; Nursery director, Mrs. Ernen Haby.

Training Union plays an important part in the entire program of the church. It is necessary that all workers, officers, and committee members be present.

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, February 22

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 22 in the home of Mrs. T. J. Anderson.

Thursday, February 23

The Lone Star's Ladies Club will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. at Lone Star's Clubhouse, Plant 3.

Mrs. L. G. Kennedy and Mrs. L. J. Burnett will be hostesses. All members are urged to be present.

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 - Eunice Toone, Ranger, medical
 - Mrs. Felton Brashier, Sr., Ranger, medical
 - William McAfee, Blainsville, Georgia
 - Miss Jesse Cartor, Rising Star
 - Mrs. Mary Hamilton
 - Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Ranger
 - John Wilson, Ranger, medical
 - J. G. Cassell, Ranger
 - Baby Roy Gene Hill
 - Mrs. Bell Hindman, Ranger
 - Mary Morris, Strawn
 - Raymond Jenkins, Ranger, medical
 - Lana Lane, Ranger, medical
 - W. D. Shubert, Mingus
 - Mrs. Jessie McDowell, Ranger, medical
 - Mrs. Eva Shewmaker
 - Mrs. Danny Evans and baby boy
 - Mrs. W. D. Nunn and baby girl
- Dismissed:**
- Mrs. Delia Williams, Eastland
 - Mrs. Annie Stephenson
 - R. B. Thomas, Strawn
 - Thad Davis, Gordon
 - Mrs. Howell, Eastland
 - Raymond Goswick, Ranger
 - Mrs. W. L. Flowers, Ranger
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 - J. D. Kellar
 - Mrs. L. E. Robinson and baby girl

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LACASA LINES

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Estes are the parents of a new son, Gary Bruce, born Feb. 9, 1961 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Breckenridge. The maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hipp of Roaring Springs, Texas, came Saturday, also their son, Charles, to visit the new baby. Mr. Hipp and Charles returned home Sunday and Mrs. Hipp is remaining to help care for the mother and son.

J. B. Jones left Saturday to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Emmett Burford, at Lubbock.

Saturday night, Feb. 11, the Young People of the New Hope Baptist Church held their annual Valentine party in the Education part of the church, which was decorated with red and white crepe paper and balloons. Games were played carrying out the theme "Love Through the Ages." After bursting all the balloons, the group was served punch, red and white sandwiches, and Valentine-decorated cake. Those attending were the leaders and sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Zelma Herrington and Rev. Bob Estes, Larry Herrington, Charles and Nancy Veale, Shirley Jackson, Melinda Echols, Molly B. Smith, Gary Truesdell, Jane Ann Bradford, Butch Gorrell, Ann Raney, Bobby Berkoff, Ernest Stuard, Charles Hipp, and Peggy Leonard.

The community enjoyed a Forty-two party at the Community Center Friday night.

Sunday visitors to New Hope Baptist Church were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hipp and Charles of Roaring Springs, Mrs. Lou Gray of Burkett, Peggy Leonard of Ranger, and Carla Templeton of Abilene.

Mrs. Lou Gray of Burkett visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Gargaley, last week.

Identify Your Tax Return Warns IR Service

Here's some advice from Arthur E. Fogle Jr., Administrative Officer, Internal Revenue Service, Abilene:

"Be sure that your 1960 tax return is recorded properly on Uncle Sam's books. Best way to do this is to type or print your name and address on your return so it can be easily identified.

"Naturally," the IRS representative concluded, "if we can't read your name and address, we can't mark you paid."

Dependency exemptions and their treatment on that 1960 federal income tax return were reviewed today by Fogle.

He said: "If your child was born alive at any time during 1960, you may claim a full \$600 exemption for him if the dependency tests are met. This is so even though the child may have lived only momentarily.

"However," the IRS representative continued, "a stillborn child may not be used as an exemption." Discussing a dependent's death, the IRS representative said, "If your dependent died during any month of 1960 and dependency tests are met with respect to the part of the year in which the dependent lived, you may claim the full \$600 dependent's exemption."

An authoritative free booklet, "Personal Exemptions and Dependents," Document 5013, is available at the IRS office.

Fogle also said, "If your wife (or husband) died during last year—whether or not she had income but provided you didn't remarry—you can claim an exemption for her and file a joint return using schedule 2. If she had income, you must, naturally, include it in your return."

Services for Wed. Announced By First Baptist

The increased attendance for Sunday School and Training Union at the First Baptist Church has been, charged to systematic and diligent planning by the departmental officers and the cooperation of their assistants and co-workers.

Sunday School planning for officers and teachers is Wednesday evening at 7:15 in the lower auditorium of the church. Each departmental officer, all class teachers and their class officers will find this an important meeting.

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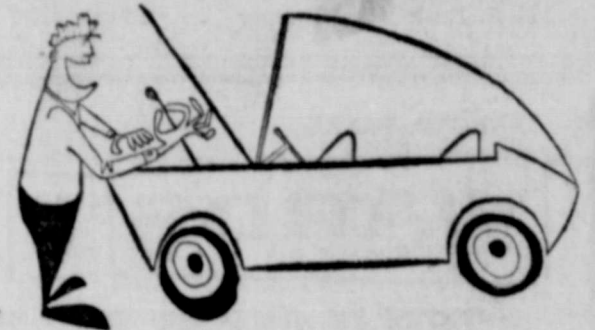
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