

Courthouse News And Records

INSTRUMENTS FILED

County Clerk's Office

W. L. Andrus to Jesse Moore, release of vendor's lien. Joe R. Arthur to Dewey Cox, Jr., mineral deed. W. L. Andrus to The Public, affidavit. Earl Blackwell, Sr. to Kate H. Nixon, deed of trust. Carrie M. Caudle to Lone Star Gas Co., right of way easement. Carrie M. Caudle to Lone Star Gas Co., right of way easement. William R. Hollinger to The United States of America, deed of trust. H. T. Brooks to Willie May Edwards, warranty deed. Barnsley, Inc. to Harry L. Barnsley, assignment oil and gas lease. Barnsley, Inc. to Harry L. Barnsley, assignment. John D. Clark to Lone Star Gas Co., right of way easement. F. S. Crawley to J. F. Connell, Jr., warranty deed. P. S. Crawley to J. F. Connell, Jr., warranty deed. Ora Lee Martin Cotton, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship. Mable Carr Carnes to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed. E. P. Crawford to The Public, affidavit of non-production. K. Lester Crossley to Frank R. Continued on Page TWO

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Absentee voting in the special Senate election got underway in Eastland County Monday in the County Clerk's office.

County commissioners held a routine meeting Monday, paying monthly bills.

Band Booster Club will meet tonight at the Band Hall. This is the last meeting of the school year and all members are urged to attend.

Pre-School Round-Up Set Monday

The Ranger Clinic has announced that their pre-school round-up will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, May 15.

All children who will enter school for the first time next fall will be given a free clinical and dental examination at this time. Also to be given free is the required school-entrance measles vaccination.

Clinic wished to stress that this is the only period that the examinations will be given free, and urged all parents who have children preparing to enter school next fall to make plans to attend the round-up.

Cub Scouts Plan Fort Worth Trip to Zoo

The Cub Scout Pack 34 met May 5 for their monthly pack meeting and saw a film on Aviation and 26 awards were presented to members of the Pack.

The theme for next month is Indian Lore and Mrs. Bill Anderson, den mother of Den 2 and Mrs. Wayne Simpson, den mother of Den 4 will be in charge of the program for the next meeting. Plans were made for the Pack to take a trip to Fort Worth to the zoo on May 27. The cubs and their parents will leave the Methodist Church at 8 a.m. and will return to Ranger at 6 p.m.

Correction

A revival began Sunday, May 7 at the Church of God of Prophecy, at the corner of Oak and Hunt Streets.

Woodrow Pettijohn and W. T. Pettijohn will conduct the services which begin each evening at 7:30 p.m.

Frank Robinson is pastor of the church and has urged every one to attend the services.

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Junior College Aid Group Is Organized

A group of interested citizens, with Wilson Guest as chairman, will lead a campaign to underwrite the building and improvement needs of Ranger Junior College. This campaign is part of the program for improving all community facilities. Guest states, "The Junior college is an important facet of community life, and as such it behooves us all to assist in its maximum development. If the people of the community aid in this development, they are in a sense building a greater Ranger, for when the college grows, the community grows." Immediate needs include the following: 1. Enlarging, redecorating, and refurbishing the college library and increasing the number of volumes in the library. 2. Reconditioning the main building and buying new desks and chairs for classrooms. 3. Remodeling and reconditioning the science building and adding new science laboratory equipment. 4. Building a foreign language laboratory out of the present bookstore and installing modern language laboratory equipment. 5. Reconditioning the music building. 6. Redecorating and refurbishing the college cafeteria. 7. Reconditioning, redecorating, and refurbishing Mary Frances

Phi Theta Kappa Tells of Trip to Carlsbad Cavern

Phi Theta Kappa members of Ranger Junior College have returned from their visit to Carlsbad Caverns National Park in New Mexico under the sponsorship of Mrs. Marjorie Theberge. For several of the group it was their first trip, but for others it was their third or fourth trip. All of the group were especially appreciative of the courtesy extended them by the park rangers. Through the compliments of the park superintendent, O. W. Carlson, the student group was admitted free of charge. The walk through the Caverns, taking three and a half hours, covered a little less than four miles. At the lowest point, 829 feet below the surface, the lights went out for twenty seconds—a short eternity—to show the true cavern atmosphere of total darkness and utter silence with the exception of the sound of occasional dripping water. The group rode the elevator to the surface at the conclusion of the tour. Impressions were varied, but the six girls and four boys making the trip made the following comments about the trip: Sandi Taylor: Everything about the trip was enjoyable. Thanks to pretty weather, everything we planned to do turned out well. Our hotel was very nice, and we received very good service. The trip through the Caverns was more interesting and informative than my two previous trips as we were placed at the front near the guide, who pointed out many things of

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OUTSTANDING HD WOMAN—Mrs. D. J. West is presented with an award as outstanding Eastland County home demonstration club woman by Mrs. Charles Layton. The outstanding club member this year is a member of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club. She won the honor in competition with women from the other county home demonstration clubs. (A&C Studio Photo).

Mrs. West Chosen As Top HD Woman

Mrs. D. J. West of Route 2, Eastland was selected as the Outstanding Home Demonstration Club Woman of the Year from Eastland County and was presented with her award Wednesday, May 3 at the Home Demonstration Club's Tea. Mrs. West is a member of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club and she has been active in club work for six years. Mrs. West is a native of Eastland County. She was born and reared in Gorman and during her high school days she was a member of the Gorman High School volleyball team. After graduation from Gorman High School she attended Draughts Business College in Abilene and, after finishing at Draughts, she worked for nine years, then married. Her husband is a native of Monday and moved with his family to Gorman, where he met his future bride. Mr. and Mrs. West own a 40-acre dairy north west of Eastland. They have two children, Janet, 19, and James, 13. Janet attends Eastland West Ward and James is in Eastland Junior High. Mrs. West and her family have lived in Morton Valley for 10 years. During the past year, Mrs. West has been secretary-treasurer of the Morton Valley Home Demonstration Club, treasurer of Home Home Demonstrations Council, chairman of the Finance Committee of Home Demonstration Council, Homestead Improvement Demonstrator of the Morton Valley Club, on the 4-H Committee of Council, 4-H Leader in her club and she was also elected a delegate to the Texas Home Demonstrative Association state meeting. In previous years Mrs. West has twice been the council delegate president of the Morton Valley Club, a Leader of Homestead Improvement, twice on the yearbook committee, on the Triple R Committee and the alternate delegate for the Texas Home Demonstrative Association state meeting. Admission will be 75 cents. The public is invited to attend.

Six Accidents In Ranger During April

The Ranger City Police Department reported a total of six traffic accidents during the month of April. The six accidents involved 11 automobiles with a total damage of \$1,645.00, and two injuries.

For the first four months of 1961 there were a total of 21 automobile accidents in Ranger, with a total damage estimate of \$7,148.87, and six injuries. There has been no fatal injuries this year.

Funeral Services Held Monday For M. A. Justice, 74

Funeral services for M. A. Justice, 74, resident of the Flatwood community south of Eastland for 65 years, were held Monday at 3 p.m. in the Hamner Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck, minister of the Church of God, officiating. Interment was in the Flatwood Cemetery under the alternate direction of Hamner Funeral Home. Mr. Justice died Saturday in the Stewart Rest Home in Abilene where he had been for 14 months. He was a retired farmer and was born Nov. 19, 1886 in Myrtle, Mo. He was married to Mary Viola Dolberry in 1906 in Eastland County. His wife preceded him in death two years ago. Survivors include four sons, Roy, Dock and Pop, all of Eastland and M. A. Jr., of El Paso; three daughters, Mrs. Aletha Jenkins of Odessa, Mrs. Jewel Taylor of Penwell, and Mrs. Jean Quine of Preopert; 15 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; two brothers, Arch of Eastland and Jim of Andrews. Pallbearers for the services were Cyrus Justice, Glenn Justice, Oran Justice, Guy Lyerla, Bill Carlton and Jeff Harbin, all of the Flatwood Community.

Guilty Pleas In Liquor Cases Are Heard Monday

Johannie Jones entered guilty pleas to two counts of "sale of whiskey in a dry area" in County Court Monday and was fined \$100 on each count plus court costs. Jones paid a total of \$256 in fines and costs. Charges against him were filed following major raids in the early part of April.

R. J. C. Golfers Defeat T. C. U. Freshmen Friday

The Ranger Junior College golfers played the Texas Christian University golf team in a dual golf match in Fort Worth Friday, May 6. The Rangers won with a score of 4 1/2 to 1 1/2. The low man for the Rangers was Bob Thomson, medalist in the State Tournament in San Antonio last week. Thomson was low with a 73. The other Ranger Golfers, Billy Wiggs, Tommy Warford, and Larry Richter, shot a 74, 77, and 79 respectively.

Indians And Yankees Win Opening League Games

The Ranger Little League season got off to its scheduled start Monday night as a capacity crowd viewed the opening ceremonies and the Indians defeated the Braves in the opener and the Yankees downed the Dodgers in the night cap. The introduction of managers, sponsors and players began at 6 p.m. The League then presented Mrs. Fanny Matthews an engraved plaque in appreciation of what her husband, Marcus Matthews, did for the Little League program. Mrs. Matthews then threw in the first baseball that got the league underway. In the first game of the night the Indians defeated the Braves 9 to 2 with Phillip Anderson on the mound, giving up two runs on four hits. Anderson went the full six innings for the Indians and was in trouble only one time as the Braves got a rally going in the third inning. An error and two base hits gave the Braves their two runs in the third inning. Anderson struck out 12 batters. Kenney Blakney was on the mound for the Braves. Joe Don Gibson of the Braves was leading batter in the game, getting two base hits. Strawn's other hits were by Blakney with a double and Jackie Wilson with a single. Collecting hits for the Indians were Jimmy Battles, Anderson, Gayle Blackwell, O. J. Caraway, and Randall Hale, all singles. In the second game of the night the Yankees routed the Dodgers 8 to 3 with a big first inning, giving them a four run lead. Southpaw Danny Carr was on the mound for the Yankees, giving up three runs on four hits. The Yankees scored their eight runs on six hits collected off of Ramon Jimenez. Rubby Duskevich and Jimmy Crossley led the hitting for the Yankees, each getting two hits. Duskevich hit a double and a single and Crossley got two singles. Dorell Hartfield got a double and Billy Ainsworth a single for the Yankees. Getting hits for the Dodgers were Bernie Dean Elder with a double, Rudy Mendoza, Jerry Watson and Joel Jimenez, each making singles. Thursday night's games will see the Dodgers playing the Indians in the first game at 6:30 p.m. and the Braves trying the Giants. This will be the Giants first game as they drew a bye on opening night.

Is A Fishing Rodeo Bad for Lake Leon

Many people have asked, "Why didn't the Fort Worth Anglers Club hold their fishing rodeo at Lake Leon this year?" There has never been any definite reason given why they didn't hold the rodeo at Lake Leon, but from what information we have been able to gather, the reason they didn't come to Lake Leon was because they were not invited. Why weren't they invited? Again, there hasn't been any official statement released. Unofficially, the reason is due to the Fort Worth Angler's Club being an advocate of legislature to eliminate lake boating and fishing licenses. And that the members of the club that participated in the rodeo were allowed to fish for two days free of charge at the lake while the rodeo was in progress. And, that it was fishing the lake out. If this is actually the reasons for the Anglers Club not being invited back to Lake Leon to hold their rodeo, then Lake Leon and the towns in the area have been done an injustice. The Anglers Club not being invited back to the lake will not have any bearing on their backing legislature to eliminate boating and fishing permits. The two days of free fishing would not near pay for the many thousands of dollars worth of publicity that the fishing rodeo gave Lake Leon. And two days of fishing by some 300 fishermen will not fish out a lake the size of Lake Leon. If the rodeo was bad for Lake Leon, why would it be good for other lakes. The Anglers Club didn't have to beg for invitations. Most areas jumped at the chance to get the rodeo. In fact the Fort Worth Anglers Club held a two day qualification fishing tournament at Lake Cisco over the past weekend. For the past two years, 1959 and 1960, during the month preceding and during the actual rodeo, Lake Leon was one of the hottest lakes in Texas, publicity wise in the Fort Worth Star Telegram. Every weekend there were stories of Fort Worth anglers making good catches at Lake Leon. Many hundreds of anglers made the trip from Fort Worth to the lake to fish. Each weekend some of them spent dollars in Ranger and at Lake Leon. Ask the Highway 80 service stations, the cafes, the bait houses, and the commercial boat docks at Lake Leon. We cry for promotion of this area—then turn down the biggest promotion that we have. That is the promotion of Lake Leon. It's bad enough to find out that the rodeo is not going to be held at Lake Leon, but it is still worse to find out that it is being held in Cisco—in our own backyard. If people get the impression that they are not welcome to fish here, then they may get the impression that they are not wanted at all.

Minor League Play Starts Tonight at 6:30

The Ranger Little League season will begin play today at the Little League Park with the first game beginning at 6:30 p.m. Two games are scheduled for opening night with the Rangers taking on the Pirates in the opener, followed by the Colts playing the Cubs in the night cap. Four full teams of minors will be playing a full schedule this season with games on Tuesday and Friday nights.

Team managers and players for the Cubs are Hollis Windham, Wallace Johnson and Charles Arnett, managers, and players are Ricky Bryan, Steve Lilley, Victor Huerta, Lynn Lucky, Eugene Keith, Stephen Campbell, Jackie Bass, Charles Bass, Billy Anderson, Wayne Sharpe, Gary May, Richard Sledge, Jimmie Hamilton. The Pirates are managed by Elva B. Rogers and Jack E. Robinson. Players include Gary Lindsey, Robert Lindsey, Eddie Anderson, Oscar Hutchins, Jackie Melton, Dickie Williams, Tommie Bott, Dwight Vinson, Allen Robinson, Ricky Henson, Gary Willingham, Mike Labredo, Daniel Dunson, Terry Lee Rogers. The Colts are managed by W. T. Eaton and Bill Gues. Players are James Brown, Terry Falls, Raymond Goswick, Bobby Sipes, Stephen Cooley, Bernie Yancey, Rickie Hatfield, Billy Gues, Ken Poyner, Gary Poyner, Jimmie Blackwell, Mike Campbell, Pat Campbell, Larry Walker, Clinton Eaton and Rickey Williams.

Elks Club to Sponsor Dance Saturday Night

The Ranger Elks Lodge will sponsor a benefit dance at the National Guard Armory Saturday, May 13 at 8 p.m. The Teddie Bears will provide the music for the dance. Proceeds from the dance will be used to benefit the youth of Ranger.

Ranger Woman's Sister Dies In California

Mrs. Daisy M. Foster, of Redondo Beach, Calif., sister of Mrs. J. T. Killingsworth of Ranger, passed away at 12:45 p.m. Monday in California. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Killingsworth Funeral Chapel. Interment will be in the Evergreen Cemetery. Other survivors include a son, Paul Foster, Sherman Oak, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Harper Q. North, Palos Verde Estates, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. J. T. Cross, Granite, Okla.; and a brother, C. A. Arrington, of Ranger.

Here and There

We like Ranger, we realize its qualities, we know of its potential, we are proud of its colorful past—now lets announce it to the world. Let's let our pride in our town become well known, more basically, let's let the world know that we are still here. Let's send a sponsor from Ranger to all the rodeos in the surrounding area during the forthcoming rodeo season. If there are enough Ranger men who can slip in a middle let's form a riding group to represent our town at all these festive occasions, call it a group the Ranger Roughnecks. Let's have an annual shindig of our own, and make it bigger and better and more different than the usual. How about "Hoon Days" and have everything from a beauty contest to a drag race for the hot-rodders? A pro-am golf tournament for the area differs, a fiddlers contest for the old-timers, lets bring in a gusher in the middle of main street with prop-equipment and spectacular fireworks in place of oil as the grand finale! Or, have a pageant under lights at the football stadium, depicting the heroic history making days of the past and bring in the gusher there? Invite all the VIP's who at one time have been residents of Ranger, even invite the governor. Let beads, and calico dresses be dress order for the day and have a parade featuring floats from every organization in town be it civic, social, or commercial, plus inviting area towns to enter floats with prizes for the winners. Invite bands from near and far and make it a parade to remember. With its unique and dynamic history that has been publicized in books, poems and movies, Ranger should be on the itinerary of every tourist traveling through this part of the state. As Texas has begun a campaign to secure more tourist trade, we might help by becoming a drawing card. But, we'll have to give them something to see in the way of museums and well labeled historical sites.

Lt. Heathington Completes Army Training Course

Second Lt. Kenneth W. Heathington, whose wife, Betty, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webb W. Heathington, live on Route 1, Gorman, completed the officer orientation course at The Quartermaster School, Fort Lee, Va., April 28. Designed for newly-commissioned officers, the course instructed Lieutenant Heathington in the mission and organization of The Quartermaster Corps and in the responsibilities of military leadership. The lieutenant is a 1955 graduate of DeLeon High School and a 1961 graduate of the University of Texas.

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AUSTIN REPORT

By SCOTT BAILEY
REP. OF 76th DISTRICT

On Wednesday of last week the House of Representatives passed Senate Bill No. 1. This was the spending bill for the next two years which provides for the spending of \$2,519,631,894. (Over two and a half billion dollars) and was hotly debated before gaining final approval. The measure had already passed the Senate, but must go back to a free conference committee to agree on some changes which the House put in the bill.

After voting the spending measure, the House proceeded to a money-raising bill designed to help pay the cost of State Government for the next two years. House Bill No. 960 is set for vote on Tuesday, May 2nd, 1961. This bill is known as a Corporation Profits Tax. It's sponsors say that it will raise about fifty million dollars. It's sponsors use the same arguments in favor of House Bill 960 that the proponents of the Sales Tax used, namely that Texas is the only industrial state that does not have a Corporation income or profits tax.

Representative Charles Wilson of Trinity, who was the author and main sponsor of the Sales Tax Bill (House Bill 727) is also one of the leading sponsors of House Bill 960. It looks like some kind of combination like this will be essential to pay the debt and provide the needed money for the next two years. The Sales Tax passed last week, falls short of this goal by almost 100 million dollars.

Many of the Representatives who voted for the 250 million dollar tax burden to be placed on the individual householder are now confronted with a chance

to vote for a tax which will place some of this tax burden on Corporations as well as People. The voters of Texas will have a clear guide on this subject when election time comes around next year.

According to a recent change in the Texas Constitution, the Regular Session of the 57th Legislature will end on May 29th. Time is quickly running out for bills that have not cleared committee. If the Governor sees fit, he may call Special Sessions of the Legislature, not to exceed 30 days each. The 56th Legislature required three Special Sessions to complete its work and then most of the real burdensome problems were not solved but only postponed. It will be most interesting to see what develops in the next 29 days in the Capitol.

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES
Wednesday, May 10
A special business meeting has been called by Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber, president of the Ranger Garden Club. The meeting will be held at Mrs. Van Bibber's home at 9 a.m. Wednesday, all members of the Club are urged to attend.

Thursday, May 11
Dutch Club will meet Thursday, May 11 at 8:00 a.m. at the El Rancho Coffee Shop for the regular monthly meeting.

Thursday, May 11
Martha Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church will hold their luncheon, Thursday, May 11 at the church. All members are urged to attend.

Friday, May 12
Ranger Garden Club will meet Friday, May 12 at 9 a.m. at the Community Clubhouse for a Flower Workshop, pot luck luncheon and installation of officers.

Saturday, May 13
The 1947 Club will meet Saturday, May 13 at Lone Cedar Country Club for a poolside brunch, the closing meeting of the club year. Hostesses will be Mmes. D. C. Arterburn, Edwin Lummas, and Glyn Covington.

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interest that I had missed before. In all, I really had a wonderful time, and I think a trip through anything as beautiful and amazing as the Carlsbad Caverns is a wonderful experience for anyone. Clarence A. Mayers: The trip was very enjoyable. The Caverns were very deep and dark. It was worth the work and efforts that we put out.

Mrs. TheBerge: Every time I go to Carlsbad Caverns, I am impressed by the great size and beauty of the place. This time I appreciated especially the courtesy and special attention shown by the superintendent and the park rangers to our group.

Alfred Rogers: On the whole, it was a very enjoyable trip. Although it was a long, hot, monotonous ride just to see a hole in the ground, I think the size and beauty of the "hole" more than compensated for any discomfort we experienced.

Nancy Kelley: I couldn't believe that such things as existed in the caverns could actually be there. It was unbelievable!

Beth Key: Even though this was my second trip to Carlsbad Caverns, I was still impressed by their enormous size. They are very picturesque, and I enjoyed touring them although the walk was very tiring.

Mary Beth Cameron: I certainly enjoyed the trip to Carlsbad. The Caverns were magnificent in their size and beauty, no one should miss seeing them.

Mike Herrington: The trip with in itself was special for me because it was the first time that I had ever been out of Texas. The enormity and magnificence of the Caverns held me in awe as we walked at their creation some 60,000,000 years ago.

Brenda Roberts: The Caverns? Unbelievable, unforgettable, exciting, and amazing!

Nellie Sue Vinson: It was fabulous. I can't imagine anything like it. We had a fine time. It was the first time that I had seen it, and I think everyone should have the opportunity to visit the Caverns.

Fred Wendeborn: Simply fabulous! The trip as a whole is one of the best trips which I have ever made.

Over-Fried Chicken
Here's a tried-and-true oven fried chicken recipe from cooking consultants of the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association: Preheat your gas oven to 400 degrees. Put 2 tablespoons each of butter and cooking oil in a shallow roasting pan and heat in the oven. Mix 1 cup flour, 2 teaspoons each of salt and paprika and one fourth teaspoon pepper together in a paper bag. Beat 2 eggs and one half cup milk together. Shake chicken pieces in bag with seasoned flour, the dip into egg mixture, then roll in fine bread crumbs. Let stand until dry. Place the coated chicken in hot roasting pan, skin side down. Bake 30 minutes in the gas oven. Turn pieces and continue baking until tender. This will take about 30 minutes.

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Our heartfelt thanks to the Churches, O. E. S., Woodman Circle, and our friends for the food, cards, visits, floral offerings, and other kindnesses extended to us in our recent sorrow.
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The following members of her family were here: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonney and two children of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bonney of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Rich-

ard Bonney and daughter of Ranger; and Jimmy Bonney and son of Oxnard, Calif. The only one of Mrs. Bonney's five sons who was unable to be present was Charles,

the youngest son, who is a senior in Texas University and will graduate in June.

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Ralph Yarborough Report

Dear Fellow Texan: In these days of high concern with the great Communist peril now growing in Cuba—only 90 miles from our shores, we hear and read a great deal about government service and government servants, public decisions and policy debate.

In this report, I want to turn for a few moments from the great turmoil and the great issues of the moment, to salute a band of dedicated Texans, who for 25 years, 50 years or more, gave or are now giving hours of service to their fellow men. I salute that steadfast, dedicated corps of nearly fifty Texans who have received special recognition from our government as unpaid, voluntary weather observers.

These are the Texas families and institutions which, for many decades have carefully recorded the tornadoes and hurricanes, the heat and the cold, the hot drought and the cool crop-giving moisture which has to a great degree, shaped the economy of the state we have today.

The following Texas voluntary weather observers, families and institutions recently won special recognition by U. S. Weather Bureau officials for having given 50 or more years of service:

The Bartholomew and Reynolds families of Albany, whose service dates back to 1892—nearly 70 years; Mrs. Pearl Smith of Brownwood; the Underwood family of Chillicothe; the Stevens family of Coleman; the Fischer's family, operators of the Fischer's Store, Texas, in Comal County; Michael Kanetoga of Henderson; Major I. H. Earle and Dr. Hallie Earle of Hewitt, who have taken weather observations for 80 years—four score years; Judge H. E. Haas of Hondo; the Hubbard family of Kaufman; John Carter and John S. Carter of Luling; Indore and Josephine Newman of Mexia; and the Kennedy family of Sarita in Kennedy County.

As a Texan I am proud to note that we have 30 Texans now serving as voluntary weather observers who have had from 25 to 50 years of service each. This is more voluntary weather observers with their record of service than any other state in the nation. They are:

Andrew W. Reynolds of Albany, T. K. Carr of Carr Ranch, W. S. Ownby of Cleburne, R. M. Jones of Clifton, W. J. Stevens of Coleman, Lee Black of Crowell, Edwin Ramsey of Dimmitt, J. L. Lane of Dublin, Lawrence M. Malloy of Ferris, C. C. Schley of George West, Carl J. Hagen of Gonzales, Miss Leta Black of Graham, Dr. Hallie Earle of Hewitt, Richard M. McCleary of Honey Grove, F. V. Hubbard of Kaufman, Thomas E. Lewis of Liberty, R. H. Taylor of Matagorda, J. J. McMickin of Memphis, Miss Josephine Newman of Mexia, R. J. Klump of Muleshoe, Mrs. Ruby J. Welch of Naples, W. W. Boswell of Paint Rock, Earnest A. Ford of Ricardo, Mrs. Paul F. Koenig of Runge, Mrs. John G. Kennedy, Jr. of Sarita, Mrs. Veda Daugherty of Seymour, Fred W. Brandt of Spearman, R. M. Laperouse of Sugar Land, H. N. Patterson of Taylor and Lawrence V. Dyer of Long Lake Dam.

In their interest in weather data and mysteries, these Texans follow in the footsteps of some of our greatest Americans. It was

Spring Luncheon Closes Club Year for New Era Club Saturday

New Era Club members held a Spring luncheon at the Community Clubhouse at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6, closing the club year. Individual tables were covered with Maderia linen cutwork cloths. Arrangements of spring flowers were noted throughout the clubhouse.

The program was on "Through Creative Talents." Mrs. H. H. Oliver introduced Mrs. Buck Wallace and Mrs. L. L. Bruce who gave Fascinating Hobby. Mrs. Wallace spoke on "Flower Arrangement"

First Baptist Announced Wed. Night Services

Christian Home Week is being observed by the membership of the First Baptist Church, and will be climaxed on Sunday, May 14, with a special Mother's Day Service.

Wednesday evening worship at 8 p.m. will find a "Christian Home" message and service. Wednesday evening will feature the choir rehearsal at 6:15 p.m. and the Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting at 7:15, and the teaching of the lessons immediately following the general meeting.

The various choirs will meet Wednesday afternoon: Sunbeams and Primary groups at 3:15 p.m. and Junior and Intermediate Choirs at 3:45 p.m.

The Wednesday evening services are always high spiritual hours. It is essential that the Christian pause at the mid-week worship hour and renew his fellowship with God and his fellow man, in the house of the Lord.

City to Install Air Conditioner At Clubhouse

The New Era Club, Ranger Garden Club, 1929 Club, and 1947 Club have received enough money from the sale of tickets for Game Night, to obtain an air conditioner for the Community Clubhouse. The City of Ranger will install the air conditioner and vent it into the clubhouse.

Ben Franklin, who as Postmaster General in 1743, tracked the first hurricane by deducing passage of such a storm along the Atlantic Coast from reports that he got in from his Postmasters as to the date and hour of passage.

Thomas Jefferson kept a record of weather from July, 1776 until 1816. As early as 1797, he envisioned a nation-wide network of weather observers. Some fifty years later, Isaac Newton, then Secretary of Agriculture, led the movement for more extensive weather observations as an aid to farmers. So our Texas weather observers follow in the footsteps of great Americans as they perform an invaluable service for all of us.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler of Bryan spent the weekend visiting in Olden.

Miss Dectoris Cooper, a student at Texas University, spent the weekend in Olden with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Cooper, Butch and Darla.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rowch and family of Holiday was the weekend guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Ethel Rowch.

Mrs. Ethel Rowch is a patient in The Eastland Memorial Hospital at this time. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Craven and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Maynard of Eastland left Saturday to

spend the weekend with the Craven's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dunway of Kingville and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Baker and family of Corpus Christi and they were also business visitors in Houston. They returned home Monday night.

Mrs. Styce of Dallas was a weekend visitor in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cates.

Miss Barbara Styce of Dallas spent the weekend with Mary Craven.

Stanley Cook, student at North Texas State College, Denton, spent the weekend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Cook and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Verner and Charles Wade and Susan of Mineral Wells spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Verner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Brien and Hennie.

Mrs. W. P. Edwards spent the weekend in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fisher and family and her son, Mr. and Mrs. James Edward and family.

Mrs. Willie Hoekman spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hardie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Horn returned to their home in Ell Paso after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hughes and daughter Kelly, of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crouser of Gordon spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. White.

Lekoy Yarbrough, who is stationed at Ft. Hood, spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Yarbrough.

Bubba Everett and Donnie Kelley spent the weekend in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hutto and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morgan visited with Charles Hutto at Huntville last weekend. Charles is a student at Sam Houston College there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tussey visited recently with their daughters and families at Jayton and Idalou.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colburn have returned home after a 10 day visit in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Colburn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Colburn and Scott.

Mrs. Lula Lester and Mrs. Denia Wareham spent the weekend in Abilene with Mrs. Lester's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lester.

Around the Campus

Should the Poll Tax Be Abolished?
An Editorial
By Beth Key

There are many opinions pro and con concerning the poll tax. Many people approve payment of the poll tax; others, though, the tax is small, object strenuously, pointing out that such a requirement places a price on the voting privilege.

When I think of voting as one of America's freedoms, there is a doubt in my mind as to whether or not a price should be paid for such a freedom. But if one is interested enough in political elections, he should not mind paying the cheap price of a poll tax for the right to vote. Some, if not all, of the tax money is used toward educational purposes, and this is indeed a worthwhile use of tax money.

In talking to a boy from an area where a poll tax is not paid, I learned that in a state where the tax is paid, people seem more aware of an upcoming election. He stated the fact that people like to get their money's worth; therefore, he thinks that they study the candidates and their platforms more closely when they have to pay to vote. This is true to the extent that if people did not pay a poll tax, they might make less effort to find out about the candidate for whom they voted and might care less whether or not he was the best man.

Although there are advantages of having a poll tax, there are also disadvantages, in that many people think that a restriction should not be placed on one's privilege of voting. On the other hand, that for which we pay is considered of more value to us.

Carbon News

Mr. and Mrs. Brawner Files of Gorman spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park, and attended services at the Baptist Church.

Ike Taylor of Westfield, N. J. is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Dingler, and other relatives and friends in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Butler and children were in Ft. Worth over the weekend on business and also visiting his brother, Jack Butler, and family, and her brother, Richard Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan and son of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan and Mrs. Ed Stacy.

Mrs. S. E. Clement, who has been in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Roff of Eastland for the past several months due to illness, returned to her home here this week.

Don Weaver and family of Abilene and Kelly Hoekman and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wilson and Aaron Wilson and family of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughn, Sunday.

R. Holloway spent Sunday with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hughes, of Cisco.

Don Nicholas, in company with friends from Monahans visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas, a short time Sunday en route to Ranger to attend the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Jean Tume.

Mr. and Mrs. Bret Dudley of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasater of Breckenridge also visited in the Been home recently.

Mrs. H. Hall underwent an emergency appendectomy Sunday at 6 p.m. in Eastland Memorial Hospital and is reported improving satisfactorily. Mrs. Athol Claborn of Trent is here with her parents.

Friends here have received word that B. W. Wooley of Eastland, formerly of Carbon, sustained a broken hip in a fall Sunday. He is reported resting in the Eastland Hospital.

Other activities for the closing weeks of school are the Baccala-

rente service May 14, Grade School Commencement May 18 and senior class Commencement May 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wright of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Grey of Cap Rock, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Files of Gorman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin, Billy and Kathryn visited Jimmy Sandlin and family in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thurman

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Mr. and Mrs. Wade White spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clark of Cisco.

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Personality of the Week

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The son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Humphreys of Eastland, "Buttons" is a 1959 graduate of Eastland High School. During his active high school career, he was president of the Hi-Y and vice-president of the junior class, and he had roles in both the junior and senior class plays. In addition, he lettered three years in football and four in basketball and was president of the "E" Association of Eastland High School.

"Buttons" has been an outstanding student in Ranger Junior College. A sophomore majoring in physical education, he lettered in both football and basketball and is a member of the "E" Association. He plans to complete his college education at Sul Ross State College, where he lettered in football, was a member of the "T" Association, and was elected Freshman Class Favorite his freshman year.

Of medium height and build, this dark-haired, brown-eyed Ranger has added much spark and life to the Ranger College campus. Water skiing and bowling are two of his major hobbies. That his main interest is sports is readily seen by his various sports in both high school and in college.

He is an all-around student both in the classroom and on the campus, and is the type of student that is an asset to the college. Well-liked by both the students and faculty, he was runner-up for the honor of Who's Who in Ranger College in the 1961 "Ranger".

Ranger Garden Club to Close Club Year Fri.

Ranger Garden Club will close the club year with a Flower Workshop and pot luck luncheon at the Community Clubhouse, at 9 a.m. Friday, May 12.

Mrs. G. D. Everett, Stephenville, National Judge, will be director of the workshop. Each member is asked to bring flowers, pots, and equipment to make arrangements.

New officers will be installed with Mrs. J. T. Roberson as installing officer.

Therapy gift will be brought by Mrs. R. L. Hamrick.

Each member is asked to design and wear a hat decorated with fresh flowers signifying a song title.

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