

# RANGER DAILY TIMES

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## Five Rumanian Rail Centers Bombed

### PROCEEDINGS OF COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

Eastland, May 5.—The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

**Affirmed:**—Troy Olds vs. Olds Burton, et al. vs. Nacogdoches.

**Reversed:**—Brazos River Conservation & Reclamation District vs. C. K. Allen, et al., appellee's motion for rehearing.

**D. & L. Production Co. vs. I. L. Guniff,** appellee's motion for rehearing.

**Motion Overruled:**—D. W. Stephens vs. Laura Belle Stephens, appellant's motion for rehearing.

**Cases to be Submitted May 12:**—H. D. Dennis, et al. vs. C. H. Little.—Erat.

**Mitchell M. Cox, et al. vs. Walter Miller.**—Brown.

**W. M. Antillery, et al. vs. W. K. Jennings, et al.**—Taylor.

### H. A. Schaefer To Be Candidate For District Clerk

Henry A. Schaefer of Cisco has authorized the Times to announce his candidacy for the Office of District Clerk of Eastland county and has issued the following statement as to his candidacy:

To My Many Friends and Voters of Eastland County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of District Clerk of Eastland County, and while this is my first time to ask to be elected to an office in this county, I served as Deputy for both Earl O'Brien and Tom Haley while they were in office.

I am 36 years of age, married, was born in Nimrod where I made my home until eight years ago, when I moved to Cisco and opened the Schaefer's Radio Shop, to which I have added many other lines.

I secured my education in the Nimrod and Cisco Public Schools and have taken various courses in bookkeeping, which would add to my ability to handle the office sought in an efficient manner for you. Through the years I lived at Nimrod, I acquired a wide acquaintance with people of the County, and since living in Cisco, people of all ages throughout the towns, as well as the farming and cattle districts, have traded with me, thus giving me the opportunity to learn how to please the general public.

I invite you to investigate my moral, credit, and business standing, that you may know my attitude toward these phases of life, as well as the attitude toward me of those who know me best through business and social relations. Because of the qualifications mentioned above, it is my sincere belief that I am thoroughly qualified to serve you in the capacity of District Clerk.

It will probably be impossible to contact each of you direct, but I hereby solicit your vote and support in the race, and assure you that I will ever be grateful for all you do and say in my behalf.

Henry A. Schaefer

### Assistance Rolls Considerably Less Than In March

AUSTIN, Tex.—Checks are being mailed this week to 175,929 Old Age Assistance recipients in Texas. This is 756 fewer persons than received aid in March. The payments average \$21.35, the same as the previous month, and total \$3,735,276.61.

The Blind rolls dropped from 4,683 persons to 4,672. A total of \$15,827.00 is being distributed in an average check of \$24.35. A total of \$221,556.00 is being paid this month to 10,487 Dependent Children families in an average grant of \$21.13. This represents an increase of 524 families, representing 1,972 children, over the March rolls.

### COLLEGE QUEEN TO BE CROWNED FRIDAY NIGHT

Friday evening May 12 has been set as the date for the crowning of the queen of Ranger Junior College which ceremonies will be held at the Recreation Building.

The program for the accession calls for a formal dance which will begin at 8:30 and for which music will be furnished by the Camp Berkeley Station Hospital Orchestra.

At 10:30 o'clock the coronation of the queen will take place and until that time the identity of the queen will remain a secret. Candidates for the honor are Misses Meta Anne Scott, Ethleen Dunlap of Gorman, Louise Claitor of Gorman, Calla Mae Deaton and Mary Catherine McHenry.

A number of colleges and schools have accepted invitations to send representatives to the queen's court and those who have accepted the invitations are: Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth, which will be represented by Miss Ema Lee Hart of Eastland escorted by Ray Jenkins, of Fort Worth; North Texas State Teachers college represented by Miss Caroline Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson of Ranger, whose escort is yet to be named; Cisco Junior College, represented by Miss Stella Merle Espr, escorted by Bula Clegg; Hardin Junior College of Wichita Falls, Miss Margaret Bebb with James Cornish as escort and Cisco High School will be represented by Miss Mary Frances Urban whose escort is yet to be named.

### Jerry Sadler One Of 33 Decorated By The Russians

AUSTIN, Tex.—Jerry Sadler, who once cut a wide swath in state politics and was elected a member of the Texas Railroad Commissioner, now is a major in the United States Army and appears to be doing all right in Iran.

He was one of five Texans who composed a group of 33 Americans who were decorated by the Russian government for helping to keep the Red war machine moving down the Nazis.

According to information reaching Austin, where Sadler's wife resides, the major was awarded the Order of the Fatherland's War Second Class.

The award was for "the successful performance of the mission of the Persian Gulf Command in the movement of arms, equipment and supplies for the Soviet Union, thus affording great assistance to the Red Army in its struggle with the Nazi German invaders."

Some observers believe that Sadler's military record certainly will not be a hindrance when he returns to re-enter politics—which he said he would think about when the cannonading is over. He was in Austin last December on furlough from overseas duties.

The other Texans who were decorated by the Soviet government were: Lt. Col. Cecil M. Jordan of Sherman, Maj. Oscar E. Cole of Houston, Capt. Enos B. Cape of Austin and Capt. Bennett E. Buie of Houston.

### Minister Will Speak At Three Services Sunday

It was announced Saturday that Rev. A. B. English, pastor of the First Methodist church, will preach at the 11 o'clock and 6:30 o'clock services at his church and will speak at the First Christian church at 8 p. m.

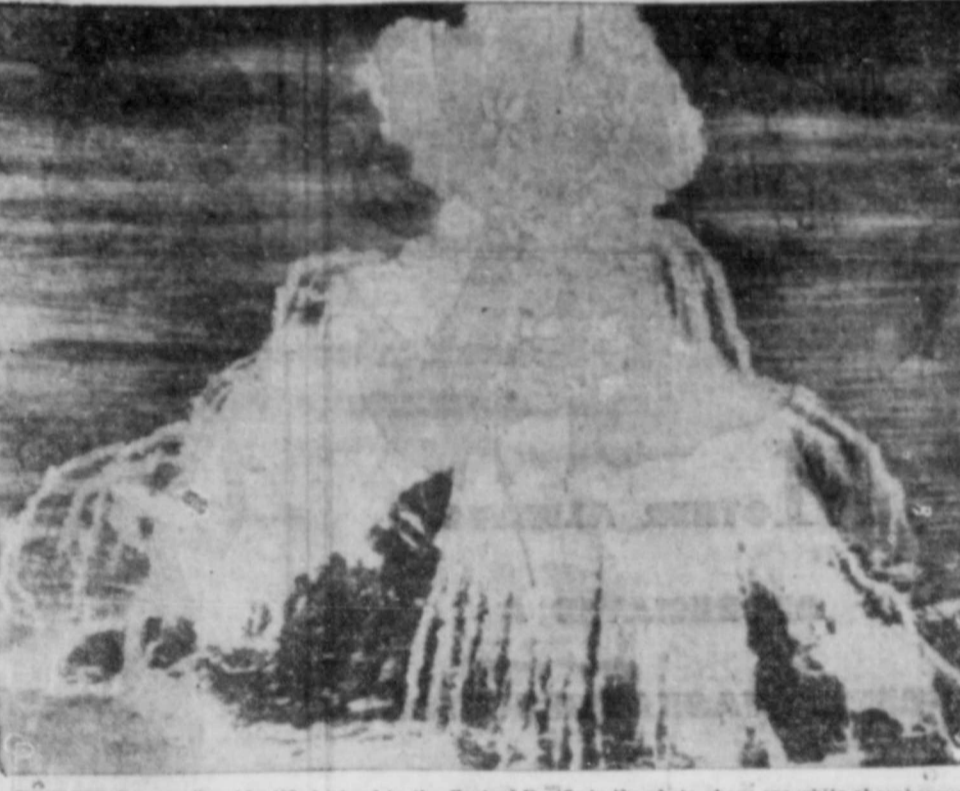
His sermon subjects for the three services will be Work and Worship, The Night of Repentance, and Judging Others.

### ALLIED GENERALS VISIT FIFTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS



GEN. SIR HENRY MAITLAND WILSON, left, commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean area, and his deputy, Lieut. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, are shown visiting Fifth Army headquarters and the Fifth Army commander, Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark. (International)

### PHOSPHOROUS BOMBS DROPPED ON PACIFIC ISLAND



INVELOPING a small unidentified island in the Central Pacific in the photo above are white phosphorous bombs dropped by the Seventh Air Force based in that area. U. S. Signal Corps photo. (International)

### Mrs. Hamrick To Teach In T.S.C.W. School In Mexico

It was announced Saturday that Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick has been selected as a Spanish teacher for the field school of Texas State College For Women which is operated each summer in connection with the University of Saltillo at Saltillo, Mexico.

Aside from teaching, Mrs. Hamrick will study and will likely take a course in Spanish literature. She is a B.A. and M.A. graduate of T.S.C.W. and for the past several years has been head of the language department of Ranger High school and Ranger Junior College.

The school at Saltillo was the first field school established and since its opening a number of other colleges and universities have opened similar schools in various parts of Mexico. The school for T.S.C.W. was established in 1941 and first enrolled 61 students but an attendance of over 200 is expected for this summer's session. The school will open July 20 and will close on August 30.

### PONAPE GETS 87 TONS

Washington announced today that Army Liberators dumped 87 tons of bombs on Ponape Island in the Eastern Carolines on Thursday, causing large fires and explosions, the Navy announced today.

### IN ENGLAND



Word has been received by his wife that T/S Wayne Lingle has landed safely at some undisclosed base in England.

Cpl. Lingle who is with the 79th division is a radio operator for the Army Intelligence, and received the major part of his training at Camp Blanding, Fla., and Ft. Benning, Georgia.

### BIDS CALLED FOR WORK

It was announced Saturday that the State Highway Department has called for bids on a big program of highway improvement and included in the bids were some for Eastland and Stephens counties.

The department called for bids on a seal coat on U. S. 283, on state 67 and 157 for a distance totaling 46 miles.

### City Trucks Will Call For Trash When Collected

In an effort to complete the clean-up campaign in Ranger, the city has arranged to have two trucks available for picking up gathered trash on Wednesday and Thursday of the next three weeks. Drivers will be furnished for the trucks and anyone having trash to be hauled off may call the Chamber of Commerce and a truck will be dispatched for the trash.

It was stated that trucks had not been available until now and it is hoped that everyone will take advantage of the opportunity to dispose of trash. Mrs. C. L. McKinney, assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, will take the calls and will see that the trash is removed when the calls come in.

### Recitals To Be Given Monday And Tuesday Nights

Miss Imogene Minton announced Saturday that on Monday and Tuesday evenings she will present the students of the Fine Arts Department of Ranger Junior College in the annual student spring recitals.

The recitals will be given beginning at 8:15 o'clock each evening in the high school auditorium and the public is cordially invited to attend these performances. The two recitals will include every student in the department.

### ALLIES REDUCE SUPPLY FLOW TO NAZI ARMY

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in Naples, May 6 (UP)—Allied air fleets have reduced the flow of supplies to German armies on the Italian front to a mere trickle by cutting every railway line and knocking out every freight yard as far north as Florence, Allied air commanders disclosed today.

The complete paralysis of the enemy's railway communications up to 210 miles behind the fighting fronts was revealed by Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, Allied air commander in the Mediterranean, and Maj. Gen. John K. Cannon, commander of the 12th U. S. air force, amid persistent reports that the Allies were preparing for a new all-out offensive in Italy, perhaps coincidental with the invasion of Western Europe.

Bearing out the speculation, fair weather was reported on all fronts after a wet cold winter and the enemy was understood to have cleared civilians from a belt 20 miles deep behind the main Fifth Army front, presumably to facilitate defense operations.

### Retired Workers Should Contact Security Head

Inaccurate advice from well-meaning but inadequately informed friends may be costing some retired workers money in the form of old-age and survivors insurance benefits, Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene office of the Social Security Board, said today. The same kind of advice also may be keeping benefits checks from widows, children and parents of workers who die.

Fisher stated that each worker who is 65 or over and has been working in covered employment should get in touch with the nearest office of the Social Security Board as soon as he quits his job. If he is qualified for benefits, the Board will assist him in filing a claim.

Similarly when a worker dies, the widow or other close relative should immediately contact the Social Security Board field office where complete assistance will be given in filing a claim for survivors' benefits. Contacts may be made by personal visit, by letter or by telephone.

Several retired workers who have delayed filing their claims have informed the Board that friends had told them they were not eligible, Fisher said. "The best thing to do, he added, "is to come to our office and secure correct information."

"Many workers of retirement age tell us that they did not realize that they may continue to earn credits toward benefits after reaching age 65, or that they may do a limited amount of work in covered employment, even after benefits start, without sacrificing their retirement insurance rights."

"The true facts are that a worker may qualify for retirement benefits at any age above 65. He merely gives up his benefit for those months in which he earns as much as \$15 in covered employment."

### Texan First To Fire Artillery Shell At Salerno

DALLAS, May 6 (UP)—A former Texas school teacher and his crew fired the first artillery shell in the historic American landing at Salerno in Italy, it was disclosed today.

Wick Fowler, correspondent for the Dallas News, revealed in a dispatch sent his newspaper by air courier that the First American Howitzer landed was brought ashore by Capt. Ross Ayers, Lubbock teacher and director of public school athletics in the west Texas city.

Fowler said the tall Texan has been awarded the Silver Star. His wife and son live at Waxahachie with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jettles.

### JUDGE EXTENDS INJUNCTION IN WARD WRANGLE

CHICAGO—Federal District Judge William H. Holly today extended beyond the Sunday night expiration date a preliminary injunction restraining officials of Montgomery Ward and Company from interfering with the Government's operation of the firm's Chicago properties.

Judge Holly also announced that he had decided definitely to rule Wednesday on the government's motion for a temporary injunction which would continue to prevent the company officers from attempting to operate the plant while it is in the hands of the Department of Commerce.

Judge Holly's decision to extend the original ten day preliminary injunction against the company was made over the protests of Montgomery Ward officials who said it would be impossible for the National Labor Relations Board to conduct a valid collective bargaining election with the plant under government control.

George B. Christensen, attorney for Montgomery Ward, said there was a very pointed question of whether the bargaining election scheduled for Tuesday could be valid when the firm's employees were working for the government in the seized plant.

Judge Holly said it was not up to him to decide when the bargaining election should be held.

### NAZI EXPECT INVASION THRU SCANDINAVIA

LONDON, May 6 (UP)—Stockholm dispatches today reported multiplying signs that the Allies intend to invade Scandinavia and said the Germans have rushed 90,000 more troops to Denmark and Norway to meet the threat.

Brig. Gen. Leroy Collins, commander of northern Ireland base section for the U. S. army, said in a speech at Belfast yesterday that Allied armies would "finish the job" in Europe in 1944, but warned losses probably would be heavy.

A German DND broadcast reported by U. S. Government officials said Marshal Erwin Rommel, German anti-invasion commander, had again inspected defenses installations along the French Mediterranean coast during the past few days.

The London Rally Sketch reported from Stockholm that the Germans were understood to have received information of large Allied shipping concentrations at Iceland, obviously a possible springboard for a landing in Norway.

Coincidentally, German reconnaissance planes flew over northeast Scotland last night, presumably attempting to spy out any Allied preparations for a thrust across the north Sea to Denmark, one of the shortest routes to Berlin.

### Paralysis To Be Discussed At Abilene Banquet

M. L. King stated Saturday that he has been notified that there will be a big banquet at Abilene Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the Wooden Hotel for all persons interested in infantile paralysis and the work that is being done to combat it.

It was stated that a worker just returned from a national meeting at Washington will be the speaker and will tell the audience of the meeting.

Anyone interested in attending the banquet is asked to notify King not later than Monday at noon and reservations will be telephoned to Abilene.

### SPRING GALES GROUND MOST OF AIR FORCE IN BRITAIN

LONDON—More than 500 American heavy bombers struck from Italy today five of Rumanian most important rail centers north and west of Bucharest swinging to the Balkans the main weight of the Allied aerial assault on Europe.

Spring gales grounded most of the Allied air forces in Britain. Liberators bombed the French invasion coast and other small forces braved the murky skies to maintain the record of 20 straight days of bombing German defenses of western Europe.

May Gen. Nathan F. Twining's United States 15th air force took up the attack in force coincident with the lull in operations from Britain. His Fortresses and Liberators exploded a broadside of bombs against Brasov, Pitesti, Craiova, Campina and Turnu—severing all key points on Trunk railways radiating from Bucharest.

RAF Halifaxes and Wellingtons attacked railway yards and oil storage tanks at Campina, 19 miles northwest of Ploesti, Rumania, in the pre-dawn darkness today.

The raid, the first by RAF night bombers on the Rumanian oil fields, followed daylight attacks yesterday by American Flying Fortresses and Liberators on the Ploesti railway yards and the Danubian communications center of Turnu-Severin just below the Iron Gate.

### Flood Damage To Livestock And Crops Mounting

By United Press  
Flood crests on rain-swollen rivers in south and east Texas continued their costly sweep toward the Gulf Coast today.

Damage to crops and livestock losses mounted. Farmers could draw from a second straight day of clear weather only the consolation that flood levels would likely be no higher than anticipated at midweek.

The Houston weather bureau hydrologist said the favorable weather would have no positive effect toward reducing flood stages along the Trinity, Brazos, Neches and Sabine rivers and their tributaries.

If fair weather continues, the bureau said, flood crests will be no higher than forecast. Any additional rain in the days immediately ahead, however, would cause the rivers to start rising anew.

### Invasion To Be Announced By Allies In London

By Joseph Laitin

United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, May 6 (UP)—

War Information Director Elmer Davis said today that announcement of the invasion of Western Europe—when it happens—will come only from the Allied command in London. He asked the American public meanwhile to ignore Axis-inspired reports of second-front operations.

"I hope the American people remember that Joe Goebbels is in business for his own health—and not for thine," the OWI chief declared in an interview.

Davis warned that there undoubtedly will be plenty of "phony" Axis invasion reports but that there may be many fiefs before the real operation takes place.

"When it's really the works," Davis said, "you can be sure the Allied command in London will announce it shortly after it begins."

THE WEATHER  
WEST TEXAS—Fair and warmer this afternoon, tonight and Sunday.



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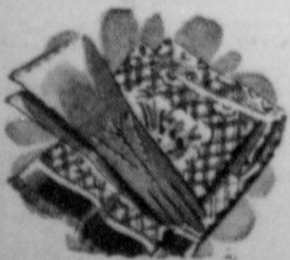


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# Churches

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 7.

The Golden Text is: "Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light" (Ephesians 5:14).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (II Timothy 3:16, 17).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The great truth in the Science of being, that the real man was, is, and ever shall be perfect, is incontrovertible; for man is the image, reflection, of God he is neither inverted nor subverted, but upright and Godlike" (page 200).

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**SUNDAY:**  
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m. — Capt. Page, Act. Supt.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. — Sermon by Rev. J. A. Barry.  
 Training Union 7:00 p. m. — Joe N. Graham, Director.  
 Evening Worship 8:00 p. m. — Sermon by Rev. J. A. Barry.

The Nursery meets in the Cradle Roll Department during all church services for all children under 4 years old.

We are very glad to have with us today, Rev. J. A. Barry from the Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth.

**MONDAY:**  
 W.M.U. will meet Monday afternoon at 4:00 in the home of Mrs. L. L. Bruce, Pine Street, for a mission study book on stewardship, which will be given by Mrs. George Robinson.

Deacon's Meeting will be held Monday evening at 8:00 at the church.

**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Prayer Meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00.  
 Choir Practice will be held Wednesday evening at 8:30.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wesley Mickey, Preacher

**SUNDAY:**  
 Bible Study 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning Service 10:50 a. m.  
 Sermon Subject: "Weighed And Found Wanting".  
 Young People's Meeting 7:30 p. m.  
 Evening Service 8:30 p. m.

**MONDAY:**  
 Ladies Bible Class 3 p. m.

**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Mid-Week Bible Study 8:30 p. m.

### ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. J. J. Donnelly and Rev. J. R. Duesman, Pastors.

Masses will be at 8 and 10 a. m.

The Altar Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Hal Lavery.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Alvin Bryson English, Pastor (Across the street south of High School).

Church school at 9:45 a. m. Mrs. Leslie Haggman general superintendent.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. Vested choir led by Mrs. Homer Heatley. Sermon by pastor.

Evening worship at 6:15 p. m. Special music by the choir will feature this service. Sermon by the pastor.

Women's Society of Christian Service every Monday at 4 p. m. Mrs. C. E. May, president.

Board of Christian Education meets every Second Tuesday at 7:00 p. m.

Board of Stewards meets every Second Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., Al Larson, chairman.

The choir has weekly rehearsal every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Welcome to First Methodist Church.

### SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. D. McDaniel, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. J. E. Marshall, Supt.

Our Slogan: "Attempt great things for God, then expect great things from God."

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. Sermon by Rev. A. L. Rudder.

8:00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon by A. L. Rudder.

8:00 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer service. Mr. J. M. Ivy will be in charge.

Remember our revival meeting starts June 15th, closing Sunday night, July 9th. Rev. T. T. Newton, pastor of the First Baptist church, Pland, Texas, will be the visiting minister. The nursery will be open for all services during the revival.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to thank our many friends for the kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our son, Phillip Gary. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamilton and Grandparents.

**BLAME IT ON WAR**  
 DALLAS, Tex., (UP)—Employees on the sixth floor of the Hall of Records here were amazed and dismayed at the liquid soap in the wash basins that wouldn't lather. They thought, perhaps, the quality of wartime soap had become greatly reduced until they were enlightened.

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C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge

**COUNTY TREASURER**  
 Mrs. Ruth (Girland) Branton For Relection

For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
 Clyde S. Karkalits

**DISTRICT CLERK**  
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C. W. (Charlie) Young, Jr.  
 Roy L. Lane  
 E. F. (Edgar) Altom

**HENRY SCHAEFER**

**STATE LEGISLATURE**  
 R. (Bob) N. Griebam

**OFFICE OF SHERIFF**  
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Floterial Representative  
 W. B. STAR

**FOR CONGRESS, 17 District**  
 R. W. Wagstaff

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1,  
**HENRY DAVENPORT.**

Justice of Peace Precinct 2  
 Charles Bobo

Constable Precinct No. 2  
 RAY FAIRCLOTH

J. L. SHELTON



# Churches

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 H. P. Johnson, Pastor  
 Church School, 10:00 a. m.  
 with Lawrence Bryan, Supt.  
 Golden Rule Bible Class, taught

by the Pastor. Glad to note new interest in this class. This is a class for men and you might enjoy it.

Communion, 11:00 a. m.  
 Preaching, by the Pastor, 11:15 a. m. Subject: "What Sayeth the Scriptures?"  
 We will be delighted at the evening service with having Rev.

A. B. English, pastor of the Methodist church, preaching for us 8:15 p. m.

Hope every member of the church will be present for this service. Brother English is a good preacher and you will appreciate hearing him.  
 Come to all the services of the

## Sailor Sends A Thank You To Supply Worker

CLEARFIELD, Utah (UP)—Colleen Hopkins of Ogden, Utah, a worker at the Naval Supply Depot here, scrawled her name on a crate of surgical equipment which she packed for overseas shipment last December.

Tangible proof that the equipment reached its destination recently came to Miss Hopkins in the form of a V-mail letter from Seaman L. C. William I. Busenbark, stationed at a naval hospital in the southwest Pacific.

Seaman Busenbark, also a Utah-an, wrote to thank Miss Hopkins for "the swell job the folks back home are doing."

Okklahoma Solons Turn Thumbs Down On Okklahoma Song

OKLAHOMA CITY (UP)—It is day. Brother Adams is a very sick man and we all will appreciate the prayers sympathy of all friends.

might not have been so difficult for wandering Okklahomans to get tickets to the musical comedy hit "Okklahoma" on Broadway if the State Legislature had not adopted the show's theme song as the official state song.

Mrs. Ida Huff, Oklahoma City state legislator, crooned the catchy tune to herself and tried to get members of the Legislature to join in but said members and the House of Representatives' two preachers refused to sing the words about "love under a full moon with hawks a-flying."

And they refused to vote for it. Even after Gov. Robert S. Kerr who teaches a Baptist Sunday school class endorsed it the house members refused to budge and the measure was defeated.

The Governor said any song that made crowds all over the nation stand up and cheer couldn't harm Okklahoma but some lawmakers took issue with him.

They never did explain exactly how a "leg show" song could harm the folks but they contended that rural school meetings were frequently held in village churches and that it would be unbecoming to sing about love and a hawk even if the song did say Okklahoma

'Shoo, Shoo Baby' Starts Day Right For Tank Men  
 CAMP COOKE, Ill. (UP)—Highly unilitary, solid swing alleviates the first pain of reveille each morning for members of the 11th Armored Division Tank Battalion.

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# Society, Clubs

### Child Study Group To Meet Thursday

Mrs. Saule Perlestein will be hostess to members of the Child Study Association, Pre-School Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home. She will be assisted by Mrs. Earnest Latham. Mrs. Foy Thomas will be leader for the program which will be in observance of National Music Week and a number of children will be presented in musical numbers. Mrs. J. D. Johnson will discuss "The Need For Play Music."

In a business session reports on the recent conference will be made by Mrs. Perlestein and Mrs. Roy McCleskey and plans for the closing luncheon and installation of officers will be made. All members are urged to attend.

### Miss Minton Gives Luncheon For Class

Miss Imogene Minton, head of the fine arts department of Ran-

ger College, entertained with a luncheon Friday at noon in the home of Mrs. Saunders Gregg, honoring members of her Art Appreciation class. The luncheon table was laid with a lace luncheon set and centered with an arrangement of red roses. Small Dresden roses held place cards which marked the places for the guests who enjoyed the two-course luncheon.

### Picnic And Shower Given For Couple

Employees of the Premier Oil Refining Company and other friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hubbard of Mingo gave a picnic and shower in honor of the couple at the company park at Mingo Saturday afternoon.

The Hubbards recently lost their home and all equipment in a fire and the gifts from the guests were for the new home which has been built for them.

The afternoon was spent in engaging in various games and the picnic supper was served at 6:30 o'clock.

### Council Luncheon To Be On Tuesday

The annual spring luncheon for members of the City Council of 12 entrants and fence will be held Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Saule Perlestein, president of the organization.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. C. E. Maddocks will install the officers for the next year and musical numbers will be furnished by Richard and Robert Martin.

### New Era Club Will Meet Wednesday

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. F. Creager.

This will be the last business meeting of the year and each committee chairman will be called upon for a report. Officers for the coming year will be installed and all members are urged to attend.

### Meeting Of Cooper P-T. A. To Be Tues.

A very important meeting of the Cooper Parents-Teachers Association has been called for Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the school and all members are urged to attend.

Important business will be brought before the group and the president, Mrs. Simpson, urges a full attendance.

## PERSONALS

Cpl. Fred M. Ferrell recently of Washington, D. C., and who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ferrell, Rt. 1, left the first of the week for Nome, Alaska. He has been in the service since August 24, 1942, and has been in foreign service since April 1943.

1st Lt. Earnest R. Green, Jr., is now stationed at Carlisle Barracks, Penn., with the Army Medical Corp. He will be there until June 1st.

Mrs. W. D. Wright of Galveston who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bruce Miller, left Friday for a visit in New Orleans.

Mrs. E. C. Patkowski and Mrs. N. J. Novakovich spent Saturday transacting business in Eastland.

Mrs. Ven White and her father, J. F. Dreinhofer, have as their guests for the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dreinhofer and daughter, Dana Lynn, of Athens. Miss Betty White of T.S.C.W. at Denton, Miss Mary Jane Dreinhofer and Mrs. Louis Baren, recently of Camp Wallace. The latter two will leave Monday for Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Ruth Cox is spending the week-end in Dallas.

Robert Johnson recently of Dallas is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson, while awaiting his call for service with the Navy. He expects to leave Thursday for Dallas where he will be sworn into the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry have as their guests for the week-end Walter Rohrig and E. L. Harpo of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vincent announce the birth of a baby girl at the West Texas Hospital, Saturday morning.

### Glass-Asbestos Fabric Turned To Plane Use

NEW YORK (UP)—A new textile made of a combination of glass and asbestos is being used as a protective boot in war planes according to an announcement by the Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corp.

The fabric is used for gun boots, tail-wheel boots and as protection for retractable landing gear from the hot exhaust of the supercharger.

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