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RANGER DAILY TIMES

**Make Your Plans to At-
tend the Jaycee Rodeo**
July 30-Aug. 2.

29th YEAR RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JULY 20, 1947 PRICE FIVE CENTS No. 43

Greeks Warned Aid Depends On Peace

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

The fish may not have been so big but the number caught was. When Mr. and Mrs. Edd Littlefield of Millsap, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Onis Littlefield, fished out 96 from Olden Lake. Like we've said before, it ain't the size that impresses us when we're fishing, it's the tug on that hook that gets us excited. And think of that, 96 tugs.

Oh my, is our face red and here's a little flush in the face of some of the Jaycees. The reason the name of the Lone Star Producing Company was, through error, omitted from the list of companies that had contributed material to the construction of the rodeo arena.

Our apologies and we know that the Jaycees sure feel awful about it, too.

Maybe you don't believe it, but we've been telling you that those Jaycees have "taken" again. And they're "taking" again. We don't know whether or not they asked for it, but they got it anyway—three rolls of steel wire with galvanized bars from the Walker Fort Yard—Raymond and Frank Walker being the donors. The wire will be used for fencing at the rodeo arena.

You see, those boys ruck. But they didn't get their steers. They had to buy the beef for the barbecue last Thursday. But it was a nice party, anyway.

From the youngest to the oldest, we're getting rodeo minded. Latest enthusiast that we've heard about is five-year old Frances Cogburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pate Cogburn. Frances has just packed herself out in rodeo togs, boots, blue jeans, cowboy hat, and all. She wants to ride in the parade but so far hasn't had any bids. Anybody got a seat on a float to spare?

Up and down the street this morning, we'd see a crowd gathered and each time we did, guess who was the center of it? Deaf Smith, the artist that's painting the town. Literally, we mean, not kicking up his heels. He's the guy that's painting the rodeo scenes on the windows.

But if Chief Murphy can ride a horse like the artist has depicted in the painting of the Fashion Dry Cleaners window, we've been missing something that we should have known. Seeing in believing and we'll sure have to see that before we believe it.

Aid rodeo togs—the pair of shop-made boots that Dr. G. C. Epswell is sporting—a gift from his daughters, Genevieve Boswell and Mrs. Joe Frantz. They're also a birthday present. You see, we've been telling you, the whole town's rodeo minded.

Our little paper gets credit for doing a lot of things, both good and bad, but here's one that tops 'em all. The paper has sold a top up in Oregon on the idea of coming to Ranger to enter Ranger Junior College.

He wrote to the college asking for admission and said that he had learned about Ranger and the College through reading the Ranger Daily Times. He didn't say how he came by the papers but he got 'em anyway.

He is a veteran and is married and a unit in the college's veteran apartment houses has been reserved for him and his wife. She, he says, is a Texas girl, originally from Gorman. The man is Jack Eldridge of Portland, Oregon.

This cool north wind is wonderful but the things it does to our desk is something awful. It keeps us going in all directions to keep it off and such from disappearing out the door.

Well blow us down! They're "taking" again. This time it's two watches from the Pulley Jewelry Company, and with diamonds in 'em, too. One will go to the best all-around cowboy and get the best all-around cowgirl taking part in the Ranger rodeo.

French Orphan Seeks Entry Into U. S.



Alexander Stewart, left, a French orphan who has been refused entry into that country because he can't produce a birth certificate, watches Leslie C. Richter of Houston, seated, sign a bond that will free him until his legal entry into the U. S. can be obtained. Lawrence Arnim, attorney for Richter is at right. (NEA Telephoto).

CONGRESS NEAR AGREEMENT ON MONEY BILL

WASHINGTON — Senate and House conferees were reported near agreement today on the sharply disputed Interior Department appropriations bill. But another wrangle was shaping up over the Agriculture Department's money needs.

Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, R., Neb., chairman of the Senate conferees, said he was "more optimistic than ever before" that an agreement would be reached soon—possibly today—on how much money Interior needs for the current fiscal year.

Meanwhile, the agricultural appropriations bill headed back into conference when the House refused to concur with the Senate in restoring House cuts totalling \$200,000,000. The House agreed to restore about \$100,000,000. Then it balked.

During seven hours of frequently angry debate, the House refused to restore \$20,000,000 for farm tenant loans, \$30,000,000 for school lunches, \$30,000,000 in soil conservation payments and \$6,000,000 for meat inspection.

It also reemphasized that it wants the soil conservation program discontinued after this year.

Controversy Arises Over Army Navy Unification

WASHINGTON — House debate on Army-Navy unification today developed into a controversy over whether the measure would lead to a military dictatorship.

Rep. James W. Wadsworth, R., N.Y., and Carter Manasco, D., Ala., favoring the bill, sought to head off arguments of Rep. Clare E. Hoffman, R., Mich., chairman of the committee which drafted the bill, that Congress is abdicating its authority to a "super military organization."

Meeting Of Peace Officers Friday Well Attended

Between 40 and 50 peace officers attended the bi-district meeting of Sheriff's and County and District attorneys in Eastland Friday afternoon.

Glen McLaughlin, Chief of the Bureau of Identifications and Records of the Department of Public Safety in Austin, gave a talk on fraudulent checks, illustrating his address with motion pictures.

Sheriff Williams and his deputies, as hosts, served a barbecue dinner which was enjoyed by the visitors and others.

Army Recruiter To Be In Ranger Every Friday

A representative of the US Army Recruiting Service will be in Ranger each Friday at the Chamber of Commerce office from 12:30 until 4:30 it has been announced by Sgt. James Hendrick, of the Eastland Recruiting Station.

For the information of recent high school graduates the GI Bill of Rights is still in effect, but anyone considering taking advantage of this opportunity to gain a paid college education should act at once.

Also of special interest to high school graduates should be the Army Air Forces Career Plan, whereby an applicant can be assured of receiving the technical training of his choice before enlisting.

July 1, the Army changed enlistment periods to 2, 3, 4 or 5 years. According to Sgt. Hendrick, this is a step toward the Army's new career plan which will be put into effect about the 1st of 1948. Under the new plan, promotions will be based on Armywide competitive examinations. Through this system a man may enlist as a private, or such higher grade as may be authorized, and rise to the rank of chief warrant officer, which pay is the same as Major.

Anyone desiring further information on this or other comparatively new War Department policy should contact the recruiting sergeant on his weekly visit to Ranger, or call at the Recruiting Station, located on the third floor of the courthouse in Eastland.

E. C. White Wins Operator's Certificate

E. C. White, veteran member of the Ranger city water department, has been awarded an operator's certificate by the Texas Board of Health.

The certificate is awarded as a recognition of experience and training and the passing of an examination "showing his proficiency in the water works operators' field."

The award was delivered to Mayor Lee Dockery who in turn presented it to Mr. White.

T. C. Wylie Leaves For Washington, D. C. Meetings

T. C. Wylie, operator of the Ranger Peanut Company, was to leave Dallas Saturday night by plane for Washington, D.C. where he will attend two meetings of men engaged in the peanut trade.

The first meeting, July 21 and 22 is a general meeting of men interested in the trade and the second one, July 23 and 24 is a meeting of the directors of the National Peanut Council. Mr. Wylie is one of the directors.

PREMIER DOWNS BAPTISTS IN CLOSE GAME

Premier advanced another rung in its climb to victory in the softball league Friday night by defeating the Baptists 9-8 in one of the hardest fought, most interesting games of the season. Premier won the first half of play and remains undefeated in the second half.

Premier took a quick lead in the first inning running in four scores. Another was added in the second, but the Baptists caught up in the third with five runs, and went in to the lead with three runs against one for Premier in the fourth, making the score 8-6. Three runs for Premier in the fifth inning ended the scoring, making the final tally 9-8.

Junior Arterburn, for the Baptists, and Beck, Blacklock, Dawn, and Wallace for Premier, scored two base hits; Townzen, for Baptists, and Cole, for Premier, three base hits; and Townzen for Baptists and Lee, for Premier, home runs.

The next league game will be Tuesday night between Mingus and Ranger Transfer.

Cisco and Ranger Transfer were to play Saturday night, with "Tut" Daskevich pitching for Transfer.

Game Statistics:

	Premier	
Lee, rf	AB R H	3 2 2
Beck, c		4 1 2
Dawn, p		4 1 1
Krajcar, 3b		1 1 0
Blacklock, 1b		3 2 2
Lenzini, cf		2 1 1
Wallace, lf		4 0 1
Cole, 2b		4 1 1
Horton, ss		3 0 0
Ivly, cf		1 0 1
Total		29 9 11
	Baptist	
Jr. Arterburn, 2b	AB R H	4 2 3
Townzen, lf		4 2 2
D. Arterburn, c		3 1 1
L. C. Arterburn, 3b		4 1 2
W. Arterburn, c		3 0 0
Ray Williams, rf		3 0 0
J. Wright, cf		2 1 0
Daskevich, 1b		2 1 0
Robinson, p		3 0 0
Total		28 8 8

Struck out by Dawn—6
Struck out by Robinson—3
Base on Balls off Dawn—3
Base on balls off Robinson—4
Hits off Dawn—8
Hits off Robinson—11
Premier—4 1 0 1 3 0 0—9
Baptist—0 0 5 3 0 0 0—8
Umpires, Poyner, K. Jones, L. R. Jacoby.

Dutch Give Nod To Attack On Indonesians

AMSTERDAM — The Dutch cabinet has authorized Dutch troops to attack the Indonesian Republic, but the attack will not come before Tuesday, reliable Dutch sources reported today.

The cabinet, deciding that peaceful settlement of a Dutch-Indonesian dispute was impossible, authorized the acting governor general of the Dutch East Indies to order the attack at will.

The acting governor general, Dr. Hubertus J. Van Mook, however, was understood to have instructed Dutch troops not to fire before Tuesday.

This in effect, was an unofficial ultimatum to the Young Indonesian Republic to accept Dutch proposals which the Indonesians previously rejected.

Rites For Joe Mills Pending

Funeral services were pending Saturday morning for Joe Mills, 53, who died in the Ranger General Hospital Friday night, after an illness of two weeks.

The deceased had lived in Eastland for a number of years, and was an oil field worker in his younger days. He had been in feeble health for several years.

MEETING AT MORTON VALLEY TO BE FRIDAY

It was announced today that arrangements have been made with Charles Harris, superintendent of schools at Morton Valley, to use the auditorium of the school for the good will get-together there next Friday night. It was pointed out that the auditorium is on the second floor, has large windows and should be very cool.

This will be the third in a series of good will trips being made by Ranger business people to communities in Ranger's trade territory, and a good program is being planned for the occasion.

Plans have been made to have the meeting announced at services at the Harmony Baptist church in Morton Valley Sunday and it is expected that a large crowd of people from the community will attend. Circulars have also been printed to advertise the meeting.

Those arranging the program urged today that more heads of Ranger business firms make their plans to attend and not leave it to employees to represent them at the meeting.

Delbert Capps, J. E. Meroney and R. J. Rains who have charge of the program stated that plans for it are progressing and that quartet numbers, sing-sing, piano numbers and a moving picture will be featured. H. C. Henderson will be master of ceremonies.

Refreshments will be served to the crowd.

John M. Edwards Of Olden Killed Near Odessa

Funeral services were pending Saturday morning for John M. Edwards, 21, of Odessa, son of Mrs. Bill Edwards of Olden and nephew of Mrs. C. L. McCoy of Eastland, who was killed in a car accident near Odessa, enroute home to Olden, Friday night at about 11:30.

Complete details of the tragic accident were not available at press time. Interment will be in Eastland cemetery, beside his father, Bill Edwards, who was killed accidentally two years ago last Christmas while hunting.

Survivors are the mother, two brothers and four sisters, and an aunt, Mrs. C. L. McCoy of Eastland.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist church at Olden, where he had lived all of his life. He was employed by Magnolia Oil Company.

An older brother, Bill Jr., was killed about twelve years ago, when he was standing in front of his home and was hit by a car.

The deceased served in the U. S. Army during the recent war.

Bulgaria Warns UN She'll Not Be Responsible

PRAGUE — The official Yugoslav news agency reported from Belgrade today that Bulgaria had advised the United Nations Security Council she would not be responsible for "possible eventualities" if alleged Greek border provocations were repeated.

The Tanjug Agency circulated a dispatch which said the Bulgarian government had announced that it had sent the Security Council a warning regarding the situation on the border fronting Greece.

The agency quoted the Bulgarian statement as referring to a charge that Greek troops crossed into Bulgarian territory in pursuit of Greek rebels on July 13.

Investigation Of Vote Fraud Is Shelved

WASHINGTON — Senate Republican leaders planned today to lay aside temporarily the proposal for an investigation of the Justice Department's failure to act in connection with alleged primary vote frauds at Kansas City.

The proposal was shelved yesterday for the debate and vote on President Truman's tax veto. Although Republican leaders were determined not to drop it, they gave other legislation priority over it today.

RAILROAD STRIKE LOOMS
SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — A strike of the Southern Pacific Railroad today appeared certain to begin at 8 p. m. CST Monday despite President Truman's appointment of an emergency board to investigate the dispute.

GREEK ARMY REPORTED TO BE ROUNDING UP GUERRILLAS

ATHENS — Dwight Griswold, Chief of the American aid mission to Greece, warned the Greeks today to iron out their factional troubles if they expected U. S. assistance to come into full effect.

ATHENS — The Greek Army reported officially today that it had killed 110 guerrillas and captured 70 others since Sunday.

Additional casualties were inflicted by the Greek air force, said a spokesman for the Greek general staff.

He set Greek army casualties at nine killed and 11 wounded. His figures on guerrilla losses were considerably lower than those claimed by rightist political sources, and his account of the fighting varied from that given by Defense Minister Napoleon Zervas.

The army spokesman, who could not be named, said there was no evidence that an "international brigade" participated in the guerrilla attack. He said the assault began from Albanian territory, but was made by Greek guerrillas who previously had fled into Albania.

Tax Cut Vetoes To Be Issue In Coming Campaign

WASHINGTON — President Truman's two vetoes of the Republican bill to cut personal income taxes shaped up today as a major issue in next year's presidential election campaign.

Republicans reluctantly put the bill back on the shelf after the Senate sustained Mr. Truman's second veto yesterday. But they promised to bring it out again—possibly at the next session of Congress and certainly in the election campaign.

Chairman Eugene D. Millikin, R., Colo., of the Senate finance committee said he was "very happy" over the GOP record of twice getting the tax reduction bill through Congress, even though it was vetoed by a presidential veto.

D. E. Pulley To Give Watches To Rodeo Pick

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce announced today that D. E. Pulley of the Pulley Jewelry Company will give two watches, one to the best all-around cowboy and one to the best all-around cowgirl, at the close of the Ranger Rodeo and Round-Up.

Both watches are 17 jewel Harvel watches. The one for the man will have the dial marked with diamonds and the case of the one for the cowgirl will be diamond studded. Both watches will be solid gold.

A similar award was made last year with the watch going to G. K. Lewallen who this year will be one of the judges of the Ranger Rodeo.

One American Killed, 3 Taken By The British

HAIFA, Palestine — British seamen boarding the illegal immigrant ship President Warfield injured fatally one American and arrested three others, it was disclosed today.

All the Americans were crew members of the President Warfield which the British rammed and seized in a 2 1/2 hour battle.

A method of X-raying oil fields by remote operation in the research laboratories is expected to increase the yield in the world's petroleum reservoirs.

Resignation Believed To Be Significant

WASHINGTON — The departure of Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson from the cabinet was regarded today as another step in the unification reshuffle that is expected to provide the nation's armed forces with an entirely new high command by Jan. 1.

Patterson's resignation becomes effective Thursday, and Undersecretary of War Kenneth Royall was appointed yesterday to succeed him.

There was speculation that t h t Royall, a 53 year old North Carolina lawyer, would remain as army secretary under the unification plan.

The merger plan has been passed by the Senate, and comes up in the House today. Passage at this session of Congress is considered certain.

Russia Claims She's Ignored

WASHINGTON — The Soviet Embassy protested today that it was left out of the July 11 meeting when the state department said it proposed a "preliminary" Japanese peace conference to all the member nations of the Far Eastern Commission.

The embassy said it was denying an official FEC announcement that the Soviet had been represented.

Five Burmese Killed

LONDON (UP) — The Burma office announced today that five Burmese ministers had been reported killed in a "murderous" attack on members of the Burma government at a meeting of the executive council in Rangoon.

Cat Death to Snakes

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (UP) — Three snakes have fallen victim to "Tiger," a hot-blooded cat who has just added a third and one half foot rattlesnake to her list. Tiger killed the snakes in protecting three successive litters of kittens.

The Weather

Partly cloudy—not quite so warm.

Temperature at 1:30 p. m. today

Maximum .. 91

Minimum .. 80

Hour's Reading .. 89

Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today.

Maximum .. 96

Minimum .. 72

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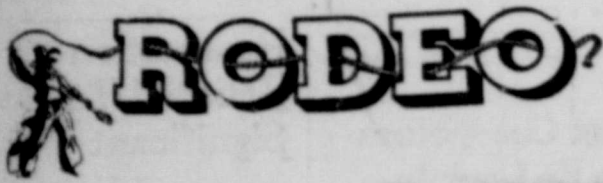
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Bill Brown left Ranger for College Station in the Cessna yesterday and got no further than Waco. A very heavy rain in that area forced him to land.

C. C. McKeever will soon have his twin engine Cessna completed.

Parents Given Tips On Street Hazards

NEW YORK (UP) — Police Commissioner Arthur W. Wallender, opening a drive to reduce "the appalling number of accidents" in this city, issued eight tips to parents to prevent traffic fatalities and injuries to children during the summer vacation.

They were:
Caution children against running, playing scooter, riding or roller-skating in roadways.

If your youngster rides a bicycle, impress on him, or her, the absolute need for the utmost care and common sense in operating such vehicles.

Warn your children against crossing streets except at corners, and then only when traffic is at a standstill.

Don't allow your children to sit on curbstones, or play at or near curbstones.

Don't permit your children to play within the vicinity of parked vehicles.

Closely watch over and supervise the outdoor play of your children.

Don't permit children to lean out of windows of automobiles or

other vehicles, or to stand near doors of such vehicles.

Take your children to nearby parks, playgrounds and supervised play-areas for safe, wholesome recreation.

Enroute To Texas



Lucille Russel of London, England, arrived at LaGuardia Field, New York City, enroute to Falfurrias, Texas, where she will wed ex-Air Force officer R. C. Hassell. He carried her schoolbooks when stationed in England during the war, and phoned her recently on her 18th birthday to propose. (NEA Telephoto).

Mobile Cancer Unit Tours California

LOS ANGELES (UP) — The battle on cancer here like the battle on tuberculosis, has taken to the open highways. The first mobile cancer examination unit west of Oklahoma, and the second in the nation, is now in operation in California touring rural sections where no adequate diagnostic facilities exist. It is being exhibited at state fairs and other public gatherings.

The 22-foot trailer was built at a cost of \$2,000 and includes 3 compartments—reception room for case histories, dressing room and examination room.

Ebe Shaw, president of the Columbia Trailer Company of Glendale, Calif., donated the unit to the American Cancer Society when, after seeing both friends and relatives suffering from cancer he decided he should help to fight the nation's No. 1 killer.

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Hospital News

Mrs. Grace Wilson has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she received medical treatment.

Mrs. Monroe Barton, who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.

Mrs. Mary Tiblets has been removed to her home in Mingus from the West Texas Hospital.

Miss Mary Green of Carbon has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital.

LaVeda Mitchell is a patient in the West Texas Hospital where she underwent a tonsillectomy.

Elmer Smith, who has been a

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patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.
 John Allen of Strawn has been released from the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. J. B. King has been removed to her home from the West Texas Hospital.

John Lucas of Fort Worth, who received a back injury, is a patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Johnny Warren, who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital, has been dismissed.

Thomas M. Fox, Jr., is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Lewis Simmons of Cisco is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. C. F. Fulfer has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she received medical treatment.

Mrs. Ada Gordon is in the West Texas Hospital for treatment of an injured ankle.

Mrs. Mary Thorpe, pioneer Eastland woman, who is in the West Texas Hospital with a fractured hip, is reported to be doing nicely.

W. M. Myers, a patient in the West Texas Hospital is reported to be improving.

Personals
 Jack Pearsall, a student of Texas University, is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pearsall, between semesters.

Bill Guess returned Friday from Houston where he has been visiting relatives.

C. E. Frost of Tulsa, Oklahoma, owner of Frosty's Bowling Alley, is transacting business in Ranger over the week-end.

Miss Katherine Adams arrived home Friday afternoon after receiving her degree from Texas Technological College in Lubbock.

Miss Mary Catherine McHenry, who has completed her studies and received her degree from Texas Technological College in Lubbock, is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McHenry.

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RINGWOOD, N.J. (UP)—The Ringwood iron mines which produced the cannon of "Old Ironsides" and the Hudson River defense chain in Revolutionary days, have been reopened. The mines came to life after a 16-year pause in their historic careers during which nothing has been heard of their lonely "ghost."
 Production at the 480-foot-deep Cannon Mine has reached 300 tons of ore a day since the inhabitants of this 200-year old mining community returned happily from their "exile" in the factories of Greater New York when digging was resumed June 23.
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soon, bringing employment up to 200 men by the end of the year and production to 1,000 tons a day. Natives versed in local legend also expect the mine to release an almost forgotten ghost from its 2,700-foot depths.

The ghost, perhaps that of a miner who lost his life in some long-ago accident, is said to knock on the walls of the mine shortly before an accident. Some say he is asking for company, others that he is warning of an impending tragedy.

Patrick Moran, president of Ringwood Mines, Inc., who bought the 877-acre property between the Hise and Whaleback mountains from the War Assets Administration for \$1,275,000, succeeds a long line of distinguished owners. Among them, were Abram S. Hewitt, one-time mayor of New York, and his father-in-law, Peter Cooper, founder of the Cooper Union and one of the country's first millionaires.

The Hewitts closed the mines in 1931 and sold them to the government in 1941 for use as auxiliary sources of iron in war production. The government spent \$4,000,000 improving the equipment but did not resume mining.

Shortly before the Revolutionary War Robert Erskine, a Scot,

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succeeded Baron Peter Hasenclever of Germany as manager of the mines, representing a London syndicate. Erskine turned patriot and became geographer and surveyor-general of the Continental Army. He turned out castings and munitions for the American troops at Ringwood.

The mines' most memorable casting was the immense chain which was hung across the Hudson River below West Point to prevent British ships from sailing up the river to bombard towns and forts.

Morgan says he is less interested in the history of the mines than "in getting the men of Ringwood back to work in them." He hopes to employ 600 men eventually, and that is all right with Ringwood's 977 citizens.

"When they opened the mines, it meant we could come home again," said Winfred Stephens, 50 general superintendent of the

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mines, who began his career at Ringwood when he was 18. "Even though we stayed here and lived in Ringwood we weren't at home when the mines closed. Now we can work where we belong, where we should work and live."

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"I Have A Gentleman In The Pew, Doctor"

BY FATHER JIM

Well, the Ministers of the City of Eastland wrote me to extend the hand of welcome and the invitation to meet with the Ministerial Alliance which meets once each month. The letter is signed by W. E. Hollenbeck, chairman. Unfortunately, the letter was delivered too late to change plans for the day's work in Breckenridge on the 12th. I'd like to have been there, not only on account of the valuable association of the men themselves, but because I know how valuable a service such an organization can render to the community. Also, since the 12th, was my birthday (I'm passin' into "middle age" now, I reckon—35!) and I can think of no better way to have celebrated that anniversary than by meeting with other ministers of God in token of our common task to do our part in welding together a Church so sorely in need of Christian unity.

Back in the eighteen-sixties, the famous hymn-writer, Samuel Wesley and Sam Stone wrote their great epic to Christian unity in the hymn "The Church's One Foundation". Do you remember the third verse? "Though with a scornful wonder, men see Her sore-oppressed, By schemes rent asunder by heresies distressed; Yet saints their watch are keeping; their cry goes up, "How long?" And soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song." Aren't we all anxious to see the Church truly and visibly One Family, that we may all be truly and visibly brothers and sisters in Christ?

Our Rector, out on the Ranger Highway, is sort of a road-hazard, I reckon. Friday nights we've been showing a religious movie or two out in the big front yard, and evening drivers on the highway have been pulling up to a screech-in' standstill to see what in the world is goin' on. For fear of highway accidents and also on account of Friday nights being "open house" at the Rector, we're suggesting that any interested folks just drive on in and join the party. We're not tryin' to run competition to Bran Garner, but if you're goin' to the Majestic that night, then drive on in and watch our show.

By the way, Eileen, our eight-year-old, is at Camp Crucis, the year-round Episcopal Church Camp at Granbury, Texas. We've had two painstakingly scribbled pennypostcards from her t h i s week. The cards have been carefully identical. "Dear Mommy and Daddy: I love you very much. Send me some more money to ride horses with. Love, Eileen." They catch on quick — to horses and money—don't they?

Thanks to Mrs. Ruth Ducker, G. B. Rush, Dr. G. C. Boswell, Judge Pearson and some of the other fine, community-minded citizens of Ranger, we're getting started on our Teen-Canteen program, to offer the young people of the county a regular evening, every Monday of the year, with supervised recreation, entertainment, square dancing, quiz programs, movies and good, clean fun. Especially to be congratulated for their work as Program Committee are Taylor Spence of Eastland, Carolyn Ducker of Ranger and Carolyn Crofts of Cisco.

Club Elects New Officers At Meeting Wed.

Mrs. Laura Melton was hostess to members of the Happy Hour Club Wednesday, July 16, with a covered dish luncheon and social. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Lee Graham.

Arrangements of garden flowers were used as decorations. Luncheon was served buffet style from tables covered with linen cloths and centered with tiny vases of sweetpeas and fern.

The business session was presided over by club president, Mattie Cox. Routine business was transacted and the following new officers were elected: president, Clara Ivy; vice-president, Thelma Dabbs; secretary, Melba Greer; treasurer, Mollie Patterson; chaplain, Lena McDonough; and reporter, Ruby Greer.

The next luncheon will be August 19 at the home of Mollie Patterson with Lena McDonough as co-hostess.

Those present were Meses Lena Patterson, Clara Ivy, Eula Blackwell, Eva Stallings, Bessie Harris, Mollie Patterson, Lena McDonough, Mabel Greer Janie Osteen, Hattie Mae Heister, Mattie Cox, Edna Huffman, Thelma Dabbs, Ruby Greer and Mrs. H. Schnitzspahn and Miss Carol Hutton of Huntington Park, California, and the hostesses Mrs. Melton and Mrs. Graham.

Littlefields At Aunt's Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Onis Littlefield and son, Jack, were in Millsap Saturday to attend funeral services for Mr. Littlefield's aunt, Mrs. Dud Estes.

Mrs. Estes died Friday following a stroke. The deceased was a sister of Mr. Littlefield's father, Jim Littlefield, and was the last surviving sister.

WCS TO HAVE COUNCIL PROGRAM

The Woman's Society of Christian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the basement of the church. Mrs. W. F. Creager will direct the study, which will be a council program.

All members are urged to be present.

Have you heard the new American Broadcasting Company's show, "Candid Radio"? It's pretty clever. Wire-recordings of conversations and situations involving all sorts of folks who don't know their voices are being recorded! No names are given, but plenty of informal fireworks result, such as the reaction of the man who was given a loaded cigarette, or the cafe-manager who was told by the well-fed customer that there was no money to pay for the meal! It's fun to hear the unguarded and uncensored reactions of just plain folks. Some of 'em react philosophically and with a sense of humor and some of 'em are pretty rough. The idea is a good one. But we shudder to think of the possibilities it affords. What if they got the idea to hide a microphone in one of the political caucus rooms in Washington? Or in the program-committee office of a big advertising agency? Or in Joe Stalin's private office? No tellin' what us poor unsuspectin' folks who still believe in Tom Jefferson's ideals might hear! Maybe they'd better not carry that "candid microphone" idea too far. Reckon?

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Men-Boys Camp To Start At Leuders Monday

The men and boys' camp at Leuders Baptist Encampment will open officially with the swimming period at 4:00 p.m. Monday. A large group of boys and several men from Ranger are expected to attend.

The camp pastor will be Rev. B. J. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ballinger. Coy Sims of Ranger is to be the song leader. Rev. Milford Howell, returned missionary to Africa who was formerly of Abilene, will be on the program.

The men of this district have an unusual treat in store for them, it was stated. On Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. a big barbecue and brotherhood rally will be held on the bank of the Clear Fork. Grover C. Cole, State Brotherhood President, will be the principal speaker. Also on the program Wednesday and Thursday will be the State Brotherhood Secretary, the Treasurer of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, the District Brotherhood President, and many others. Over 500 men are expected for the meeting Wednesday evening.

The Junior and Intermediate Boys will also have a full schedule. They will have one class in mission study in the morning, the morning service and an hour and a half swimming period. All of the afternoon will be taken up by swimming, hiking, and their forms of recreation.

WMU To Have Special Program Monday Evening

An unusual meeting of the WMU of the First Baptist Church will be held Monday night at 7:30 on the Church lawn. The Alma Jackson Circle will be in charge of the program.

At this meeting an original stunt written by Miss June Ann Morton will be given by the Intermediate G.A.'s. This stunt was judged the best of the nine entered from the district at Leuders Encampment last week.

The girls will also give a report on Missions they studied at Camp, and Camp Life in General.

The Intermediate G.A.'s who went to camp and who will help present the stunt are: Betty Reuter, June Ann Morton, Joanne Jackson, Gloria Graham, Betty Jo Penn, Doris Gafner, Wanda Clem and Carolyn Pruet.

Rebekahs Have Meeting Tuesday

Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met at the I.O.O.F. hall Tuesday evening for a business meeting which was presided over by Noble Grand Clara Ivy.

Routine business was transacted with 14 members answering roll call. Assistant degree captain A. H. Williams named temporary officers; practice will start next week.

Interesting talks were made by those present. The penny prize, furnished by Lena McDonough, was won by Verdie Williams. All members are urged to attend the next meeting.

Personals

M. S. Wade has returned from Ft. Worth where he spent the past week with Mrs. Wade who underwent surgery at the All Saints Hospital Monday. He reported that Mrs. Wade is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. N. J. Novakovich spent Thursday in Eastland and Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Williams have had as their guest Miss Eva Sue Smith of Trinidad. The Williams family left Saturday for a vacation trip to Jacksboro, Wichita Falls and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Darlin of San Antonio, Mrs. Horton's brother, N. M. Kunkle and family of Katy and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cowen of Caddo.

Miss Patsy Horton is visiting in Cross Plains and Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scott have as their guest their granddaughter, Betty Scott, of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boatman who have been the guests of Mrs. Boatman's sister, Mrs. Onis Littlefield and family, left Friday to return to their home in Mexico. They were accompanied by Jim Littlefield who will spend a month visiting there and in Iran.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Meaders of Houston and Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Martin of Stephenville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Willie, Friday.

Mrs. Ashley Henderson has returned to her home in El Reno, Oklahoma after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Sidney Melbourne.

Lee Roy Pearson who is attending the University of Texas summer session is spending the week-end with his parents, Rep. and Mrs. L. R. Pearson.

Miss Lynn Pearson who has been in Giddens Lake Camp in New York as a counselor arrived home Friday.

Miss Lotetta Stephen will return today from a week's visit with relatives in Granbury and Dublin.

Ann Wolford is in Longview visiting Mama Gail Rogers and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rogers, formerly of Ranger. Before returning home, she will accompany the Rogers on a trip to New Orleans.

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Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 p.m.

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Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Y.P.E. Friday at 7:30.

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Bible Class 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 10:45 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Sunday evening service 7:00
Ladies Bible Class—Monday 8:00
P. M.
Wednesday prayer service 7:00

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Church school 10:00 a. m.
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Evening worship 7:15 p. m.

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Evening Subject, God's Greatest and Simplest Message.
W. M. U.—Monday 2:00 p.m.
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