

# Final Pleas Ask Brown Clemency

AUSTIN (Sp.) — The state Board of Pardon and Paroles heard final pleas Monday to set aside the death penalty of Donald Hawk Brown, formerly of Dallas. Brown's penalty is completed, and will die by electrocution Wednesday.

Chairman of the Board, T. B. White stated that the board would make recommendation before Tuesday, the final day before the scheduled electrocution.

Joe McLemore, Dallas attorney, who appeared on Brown's behalf, said that he was appearing without a fee and at his own expense. He contends that Brown is innocent and that if the condemned is put to death, the truth of his innocence will be proven later.

Brown, under sentence to die for the slaying of Edwin Joe Campbell, formerly of Ranger, collector for a loan company, has also stated his innocence in letters to the pardon board.

Campbell's body was found near Brown's home in a burning automobile on New Year's Eve, 1952. He previously had been shot.

McLemore, who was not one of the defense attorneys during the trial, contended Brown had been tried in the newspapers before the case came up to court. He said a

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**HARD OF HEARING** — Carl Nelson demonstrates the durable qualities of new plastic anatomical models before the American Association for the Advancement of Science at Berkeley, Calif. Infinitely more rugged than their organic counterparts, the models are for use by medical students.

## The Pathfinder

by Lee Harr

Despite the number of hunting accidents that are logged each year, the National Rifle Association says that chances of a man's being shot only once are great only if he kept up hunting for 12,000 years.

W., for one, are not planning on hunting that long.

The association says that with that even, there's only one chance in five the wound would be fatal.

The association based their figures on these statistics. They said that the nation's hunting population was estimated at 14,000,000. Last year there were 1,166 hunting accidents of which 19 per cent were fatal.

Nearly half the accidents were caused by hunters under 19 years of age. And 48 per cent were caused by amateurs, with less than five years experience.

The only hunters which did not include human bag were the bow and arrow practitioners who now number around 100,000.

On Thursday of last week, we said something to the effect that, as far as we knew there had not been a radar unit to work this area since the program was established earlier this fall.

The following day a unit did appear between Ranger and Eastland and quite a few tickets were issued to speedsters around here.

The Marine recruiting sergeant in this area told us Monday that Raymond Gilstrap, a standout football performer and a member of the basketball squad at Ranger Junior College had recently enlisted in the Marines and was now undergoing basic training in San Diego, Calif.

# Rangers Tangle With Rams Tonight

The Ranger Junior College Rangers who lead the Pioneer Conference loop race by virtue of their two-point decision over Arlington Saturday night, put their record on the line tonight when they tangle with San Angelo, the 1954 champs, on the home court.

The Ranger-Arlington contest was the first conference clash of the season.

The Rangers' lead will be further jeopardized Saturday in Kerrville as they will tangle with the high flying Schreiner Mountaineers who, with a 6-2 standing, have a better record than any other team in the league.

Lloyd Cogburn, Ranger's outstanding forward, was replaced in the conference scoring lead by Don McDonald, lanky San Angelo guard, with 78 field goals and 103 free throws for a total of 259 points in 12 games.

Schreiner with victories over San Angelo JC, Odessa JC, and Howard County JC — all good non-conference opponents — last week gave warning that it will be a conference power this season.

Another important conference setto is scheduled for Stephenville Saturday night between a promising Tarleton State quintet and the ASC Rebels. The Flowboys, paced by high-scoring Jimmy Page, are favored on their home court, but the Rebs looked good in their narrow loss to a more experienced Ranger quint last week and should afford their traditional rivals a spirited contest.

**Pioneer Conference Chart**

Team	W	L	Pts.	Op.	Pct.
Schreiner	6	2	695	579	.759
San Angelo	6	6	757	705	.509
Tarleton State	4	4	556	545	.500
Arlington	4	6	649	717	.400
Ranger	2	7	589	645	.222

**Conference Standing**

Ranger	1	0	59	57	1.000
Schreiner	0	0	0	0	.000
San Angelo	0	0	0	0	.000
Tarleton	0	0	0	0	.000
Arlington	0	1	57	59	.000

**Last Week's Results**

Schreiner 109, San Antonio 85; Arlington 84, Navarro 67; Howard County 73, San Angelo 61; Tarleton State 88, NTSC Frosh 80; Midwestern 'B' 102, Ranger 65; Schreiner 69, Odessa 65; McMurry Frosh 69, Tarleton State 55; San Angelo 84, H-SU Frosh 54; Schreiner 81, Howard County 59; Ranger 59, Arlington State 57.

**This Week's Schedule**

Monday — Arlington State vs. SMU Frosh at Dallas.

Tuesday — Schreiner vs. Del Mar at Kerrville; San Angelo vs. Ranger at Ranger; Tarleton vs. H-SU Frosh at Abilene.

Saturday — Schreiner vs. Ranger at Kerrville; San Angelo vs. West Texas State Frosh at San Angelo; Arlington State vs. Tarleton State at Stephenville.

\*Conference Games.

**Leading Scorers**

Player	FG	FT	TP
Donald McDonald	78	103	259
San Angelo			
Lloyd Cogburn	83	77	243
Ranger			

**Jimmy Page** 65 78 203  
Tarleton  
**Wendell Stotts** 72 41 185  
Arlington State  
**Bill Webb** 37 50 124  
Schreiner

# 59-57! Rangers Slip By Rebels

ARLINGTON (TNS) — Ranger Junior College opened Pioneer Conference play on the right foot here Saturday night by outlasting the Arlington Junior College 59-57.

Ranger led by the league's leading scorer, Lloyd Cogburn who netted 22 points, finished the contest with the same number of points that divided the opposing teams at the half way mark. At the half, it was Ranger 34 and Arlington 32.

Jimmy Board paced the Rebels with 12 points while Freddie Rowch and Don Taylor also scored 12 each for the winning Rangers.

The Rangers engage the San Angelo Rams, the league crown favorites at Ranger Tuesday night.

In point production, Arlington led the Rangers in field goals 23-16. However, Ranger sunk 27 gratis tosses as compared against the Rebels 11. Arlington was penalized 25 times for rules infractions.

In fashioning the narrow victory over the Rebels, the Rangers chalked their second victory as compared against nine defeats in (Continued on Page Three)

# THE RANGER TIMES

35TH YEAR RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1955 PRICE FIVE CENTS



**FOR FUN**—Singapore's Fourth Police Field Force demonstrates riot-breaking tactics during a review for visiting British officials.

# Two-Inch Snow Blankets Ranger Atop .60 Inches Rain

Commission Skips Question Of Salary Cut

Eastland County commissioners skipped the question of cutting the salaries of the five constables of the county Monday at the regular session of the Court. The question was not brought up at anytime during the session.

Commissioners discussed closing the old Staff road below the new Lake Leon dam and removing the steel bridge over the river before it becomes inundated by water which the new dam is expected to back up. Final decision on the matter is to be made at the next meeting of the court.

The Court approved J. W. Sit-



**FOR KEEPS**—Soldiers put field gear to rugged tests under field conditions on the slopes of rugged Mount Washington, N. H., one of the coldest, most wintry spots in continental United States. Results of tests will help the Quartermaster Corps outfit Uncle Sam's forces for Arctic duty so that they may live in comfort and be prepared to fight efficiently.

# Front Due In From Rockies

Ranger was pelted with the second snowstorm of the season Sunday which deposited approximately two inches of snow over a large locality in this area.

The moisture which was preceded by 60 inches of rain was heralded as a savior for the crops already planted in this vicinity.

Not quite as severe as the season's first storm, Sunday's snow flurries did not knot up the traffic ribbons on the heavily-traveled U.S. Highway 80.

Heaviest snow in the state was reported at Big Spring where an eight inch blanket fell.

At a point between Breckenridge and Albany a portion of the highway was closed for awhile Sunday night but was re-opened before midnight.

No accidents were reported as a result of the heavy snow, the police said.

The snow, with a mixture of sleet, began falling here on the heels of the light rain around 4:45 p.m. Sunday and fell heavily until about midnight.

The weatherman calls for cloudy to partly cloudy Tuesday with temperatures scheduled to descend Tuesday night as another cold front swings in from the Rocky Mountains.

# Constable Lashes Out At Critics Of Salary

Porter Woods, constable of Precinct 1, Saturday struck back at Commissioner Court critics, who earlier in the week had recommended that the salaries of all constables in the county be reduced.

Woods, in a prepared statement attacked a statement made by County Judge John Hart saying that constables of the county have nothing to do.

The Precinct 1 constable said, "It can be said that without fear of contradiction, that I have been subject to call around the clock every day of the year. I am positive that many times my presence has prevented affrays, traffic violations and other law violations.

"Due to limited space, I quote you as follows a near-accurate list of much that I have done over the past six months period, most of it unknown to the Judge and our citizens.

"1. I have apprehended six forgers. Three of whom are doing time in the State Penitentiary, one awaiting trial. One violation reduced to a misdemeanor and paid a small fine. One after being apprehended confessed to same, the complainant refused to go ahead and prosecute because of the man's family.

"2. I have had in hand 24 warrants of arrest issued in this county and have served all of them, except maybe three or four.

"3. I have received 23 out-county warrants and have served all except two.

"4. I have worked nine automobile wrecks.

"5. I have worked 20 ball games, most of them requested by the management of each.

"6. I have been called not less than 100 times, at all hours, by local citizens to investigate matters ranging from burglary scare to domestic squabbles.

"7. I have, upon request, many times directed traffic having to do with out-of-town funeral processions as well as assisting our local police in their city traffic work.

"8. I have served not less than (Continued on Page 2)

# Local Industry Adds Color To Production

Production of colored brick was recently begun here by the American Aggregate Company, Emmett Karoff, general manager announced today.

For the first time in the history of the corporation, bricks are being constructed in dark gray, brown, light purple and pastel shades of green, buff, white, yellow and rose.

Karoff said that the industry has been experimenting with various methods of producing the colored brick at a nominal cost and only recently had succeeded in accomplishing a satisfactory method. He said that all dyes for the bricks are imported from Germany with the exception of the yellow dye which is bought from England.

The new colored brick is built twice as long in length as its plain predecessor with the rough side designed to show the construction of buildings or houses.

Named Palo-Duro, the brick is constructed of limestone.

All materials in the construction of the units are gathered and processed here in Ranger and transferred by rail to Strawn to the Feather-Lite plant, a sister organization, where the material is molded into shape.

The process here includes the mining of the limestone, a trip through huge kiln at a temperature of 2200 degrees from where it is crushed and finally loaded onto (Continued on Page Four)

# Meet Planned For Area Housing Officers

Mr. J. M. Noessle, Executive Director of the Ranger Housing Authority, is one of ten housing officials invited to Brownwood next Monday and Tuesday for a two-day conference on management and operational problems.

The sessions, sponsored by the Accounting Section of the Public Housing Administration, will give executive directors and managers fresh, up-to-the-minute information on new procedures and requirements. The conference is the fifth in a series of meetings to improve management operations scheduled in the eight states covered by the Fort Worth field office of PHA.

Meeting headquarters are being arranged at the office of the Brownwood Housing Authority, Sunset Terrace.

# Cementing Oil Company Begins Operation Here

An oil well cementing service, organized in December, 1954, recently began operation here, H. W. Sargent, co-owner announced recently.

Sargent said that his company specialized in water flooding, plugging leases and injection wells.

W. D. Sargent, a brother and another co-owner of the company is already residing in Ranger and makes his home at 713 Pine. He has two children.

Sargent said that he is equipped to handle most any job connected with the cementing service. Both of the owners have had several years experience with this type of work with other companies.

# Rites Set Wed. For Mrs. Baumgardner

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the First Methodist Church in Ranger for Mrs. Mary E. Baumgardner who died at her home on Sinclair Ave. at 2:15 p.m. Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Bruce Weaver and a former pastor, Rev. Garland Lavender of Fort Worth will officiate.

Mrs. Baumgardner had been in ill health for some time.

She was born Jan. 8, 1908 at Windber, Pa. She married Fred D. Baumgardner Nov. 9, 1940 in Johnston, Pa. The couple had lived in Ranger for the past five and a half years. Mrs. Baumgardner being head of the Fine Arts Dept. at Ranger Junior College.

Mrs. Baumgardner was active in church, college and club work until the last few months. She was a member of the Ranger First Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband; her father, S. E. Mickel of Pleasantville, Pa.; one sister, Mrs. Andrea Catanzaro, Newark, N.J.; and a brother, Otis Mickel, Johnstown, Pa.

Interment will be in Laurel Land Cemetery in Fort Worth at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Funeralbearers will be Gaston Dixon, Arthur Deffebach, W. E. Crenger and R. L. Willis, of Ranger; Charles Sandler, Bobby Dean and Richard Bearman, of Cisco; and Max McCotter of Olden.

# Ranger Guard Defeated In Rifle Match

The Ranger National Guard unit was defeated in a rifle match Sunday by Headquarters, Command Combat A, of Fort Worth at the local armory.

Counting only the scores of the five highest men on each team the local unit, scored 1206 points against the visiting organization's 1315.

In winning the match, the Fort Worth organization annexed the League D championship, which consists of six national guard units in this section of the state.

All told, the winners of the four state leagues will compete for state honors with the winners advancing to a national tournament.

The qualifying for Ranger were Capt. Cecil C. Carr, Sgt. Jerry Page, and Pfc. Barney Smith, Byron Galley and Lynn Nicholson.

# Deadline Set For Academy Applications

Applications for admission to the new United States Air Force Academy which begins its first class in July of this year are still available to the young men of Eastland county between the ages of 17 and 22.

Application deadline is February 18.

Successful candidates will be given a thorough science of airman-ship and warrant will receive a commission to the degree and be commissioned as second lieutenants in the Air Force.

Interested youths who are United States citizens of good moral character, and are unmarried should write to their Representative or Senator, for information (Continued on Page 2)

# Trio Arrested By Constable Over Weekend

Three men, one from Fort Worth and two local, were arrested Saturday night by Ralph Veal, constable of Precinct 2.

A Fort Worth man was jailed and fined \$31.50 upon his release Sunday morning. He was arrested approximately four miles east of the Ranger City limits on U. S. Highway 80.

Also arrested Saturday night were two local men who were charged with fighting and also jailed.

Veal praised the cooperation of the city police on the arrest and confinement of the three offenders.

# Brashear Takes New Legislative Seat

Paul Brashear, representative of the 76th District, was among the 47 freshmen members of the Texas House of Representatives who answered the initial roll call of the 54th regular Legislature Tuesday.

Brashear, who defeated Omar Burkett in the Democratic primary run-off race to gain the seat, is from Cisco. He represents Eastland, Callahan and Shackelford counties.

Interviewed before he left Sunday for Austin, the new 76th District representative, said he believed that water, insurance and the veterans program are the three things that the Legislature will be most concerned with during the present session.

Of the 47 members of the

# Former Eastland County Woman Dies In Kilgore

Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger for Mrs. A. L. Sturm who died Monday in Kilgore at the home of her son, Ance P. Sturm.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Kilgore and the body brought overland Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sturm was born Feb. 3, 1863 in West Virginia. She was a former resident of Morton Valley, having left there about fifteen years ago. She would have been 88 years old next month.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Albert L. Sturm in Oct., 1947.

Mrs. Sturm is survived by one son, Ance P. Sturm of Kilgore; a daughter, Mrs. Harry P. Hutchens of Mineola; 19 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

# Garrett Attends Superintendents School Two Days

County School Superintendent H. R. (Pop) Garrett was in Austin last week, along with most other superintendents of the different independent school districts of the county, to attend a special school.

Over 800 school officials attended the two-day meeting. Reputation changes, which will go into effect here Sept. 1, were discussed.

SEE DON PIERSON—Old - Cadillac Before You Trade Eastland

**Weather Reports**

Continued cloudy with temperatures Sunday rising to the middle 50's. Low temperature Sunday night in the middle 40's. Some chance for light rain over the area during the weekend.



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### Deadline -

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concerning nomination. Graduates will also wear the silver wings of an aircraft observer and be a qualified aerial navigator. Further, if they meet the requirements for pilot training, they will proceed to flying school to earn pilot's wings.

Lowry Air Force Base, Denver, Colo., the academy's temporary location, will receive 300 of the cadets in July, 1955. The permanent Air Force Academy will be constructed at the foot of the Rocky Mountain just east of Pike National Forest eight miles north of Colorado Springs.

### Courts Play Santa Claus To Wildlife

Justices of the Peace played Santa Claus to Texas wildlife, according to the new award report released by the Director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission.

With the birds and the beasts having an unusually hard time because of the record drought, the courts dealt out harsh justice to offenders against the Animal Kingdom.

Some stand out cases of making examples of cheaters included: A total of \$794.52 in fines plus costs to two San Antonio men caught headlighting and killing a fawn deer;

A total of approximately \$600 in fines and costs against three San Antonio men for hunting deer at night from an automobile;

A \$400 fine against a Wichita Falls man and one from Duncan, Oklahoma, for the same offense;

Individual fines of \$200 plus costs for illegally taking deer against three men from Bay City. Fines and costs totaling approximately \$400 against two Houston men for hunting deer with dogs;

Several individual fines of \$100 for illegally taking deer. These included men from Alice and Corpus Christi.

The courts levied fines in thirty-three cases for hunting at night and in thirty-six cases for hunting from an automobile. Fines in these cases ranged from \$10 to \$100.

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### Constable-

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40 in-county and out-county citations each a separate one.

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"10. I have driven my personal car 12,000 miles at no expense to the county and our taxpayers.

"11. I have joined two peace officers' organizations at my own expense so I would be better prepared and in line to call for help from those organizations in case I needed their assistance.

"12. I am a member of an "Information organization" which aids me very much in helping to locate many law violators who would otherwise escape my notice.

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\$4,249.92 while he reports fees recovered and turned in only \$815.73. You can now see how the fees turned in by him compares with your constable's on a percentage basis of salaries received.

"Ours is a Constitutional office as well as the County Judge's. I quote you as follows, the law—

part of section 61 of the law passed and approved by a vote of the people November 2, 1948. 'It shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners of Courts to compensate all constables, and precinct officers on a salary basis, beginning January 1, 1949. This applying to counties of 20,000 or more in population. Comanche county as referred to in the Judge's statement has less than 20,000 population's Courts to compensate all money paid to constables in that county has no bearing on Eastland county.

"I ask you to compare our records with each and every other law enforcement group in the nation, so any reference to any salary paid to each individually.

"In conclusion, I want to call to your attention that law enforcement officers such as police, sheriff, highway patrolmen, game warden, special officers and constables are not employed for a profit to be turned into local treasuries, but for the sole reason to protect society and all our people in their daily pursuit of happiness. Thanks for your kindness in giving due publicity to the above."

### At Your Ranger Theatres

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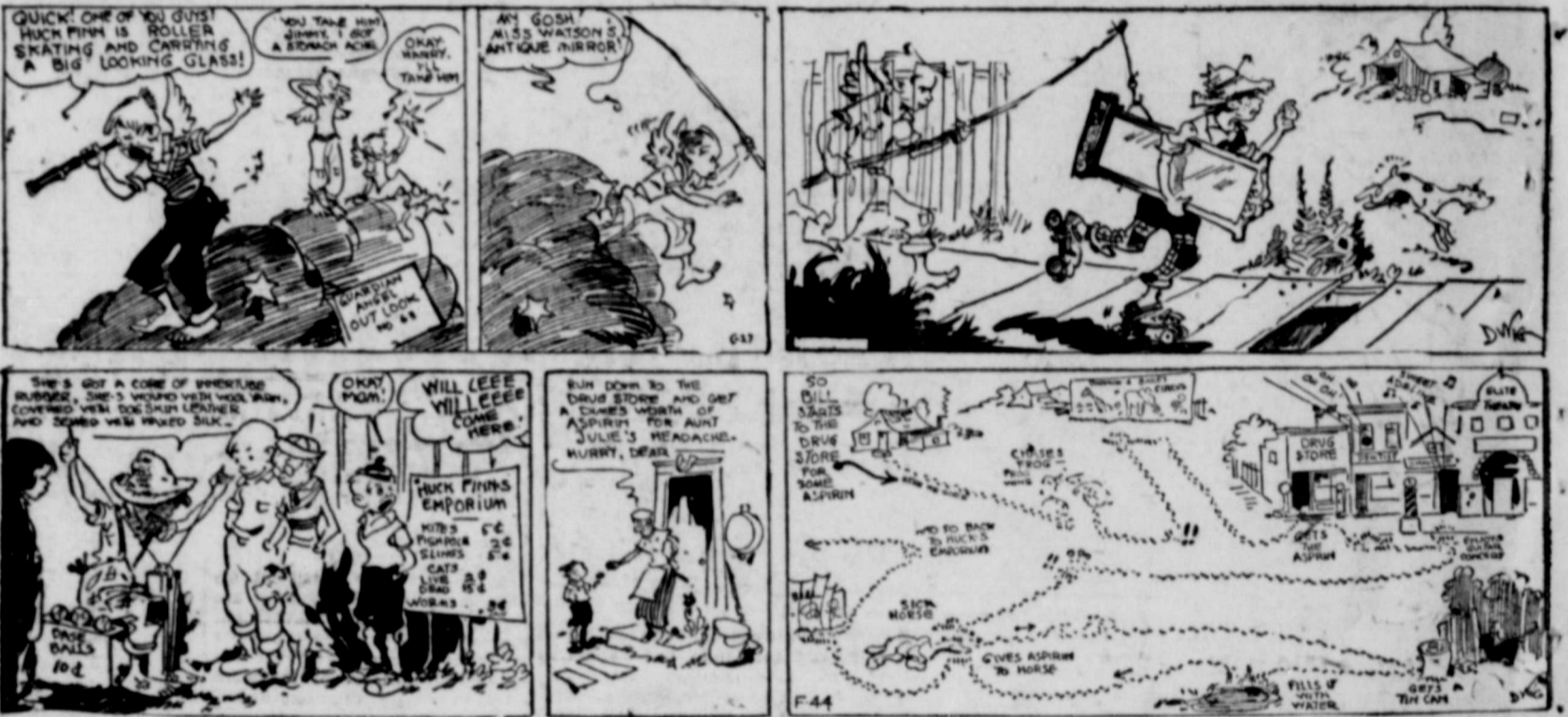
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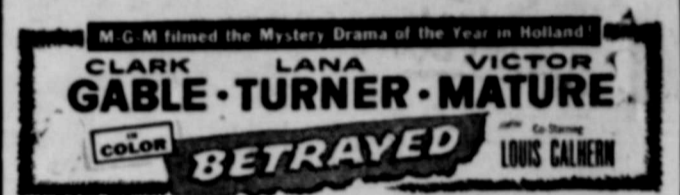
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### SOCIETY

#### Boles-Reed Vows Are Solemnized

Mrs. Iness Boles of Ranger announced the marriage of her daughter, Mary, to Capt. Windell Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brewer Reed of Eastland.

#### Cablegram Is Received From Rev. Perkins

According to a cablegram received Saturday by Mrs. Ralph Perkins, Rev. Perkins has received 234 professions of faith during the current Evangelistic Crusade in Jamaica.

#### Royal Neighbors Install Officers

Members of the Royal Neighbors of America No. 9059 met Monday evening, Jan. 10 for installation of officers. Oracle May Smith presided and heard sick reports.

#### Dorcas SS Class Meets Thursday

Members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. J. F. Byas at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 6.

#### Elite Study Club To Have Luncheon

Members of the Elite Study Club will meet at noon Thursday, Jan. 13 at Oddfellows Hall for a covered dish luncheon and business meeting.

### BETTI'S BUDGET of HELPFUL HINTS

A chicken croquette, properly fried, is a rare treat. You might try putting a spoon of currant or cranberry jelly in each croquette before dipping in egg, crumbing and frying over a medium flame.

#### Priscilla Class To Meet Tonight

Members of the Priscilla Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church will hold their regular monthly social and business meeting at 7 p.m. tonight at the church.

#### Rangers-

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competition this season.

Box Scores	FG	FT	F	TF
Rangers (59)	1	0	0	2
R. Carter	0	5	1	5
Smith	6	10	2	22
Cogburn	2	2	3	6
McCurry	0	0	3	0
J. Carter	2	8	4	12
Rowch	5	2	1	2
Taylor	10	27	14	59
Arlington (57)	5	2	1	2
Board	3	0	3	6
Stotts	1	0	1	2
Young	1	1	3	3
Tracy	3	2	4	8
Powell	4	2	5	10
Glasgow	3	0	4	6
Morris	1	2	0	4
Smith	2	2	4	6
Stephenson	23	11	25	57

#### Legion And Auxiliary Meets Thursday Night

The Carl Barnes Post of the Ranger American Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary will hold their weekly meeting Thursday night at the Legion Hall.

#### Country Club Has Special Meeting Tonight

A call meeting of members of the Country Club has been scheduled tonight at 7:30 by James Townsend, club president.

#### PERSONALS

Carolyn Sue Highsmith, 3 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy A. Highsmith of San Angelo, spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Highsmith.

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#### HOSPITAL NEWS

New admissions at West Texas Hospital are: Norman Richardson, Betty Marie Davenport, Mrs. C. N. Adams and Mrs. H. P. Flowers.

#### Added Insurance Possible Under New Measure

A broader insurance coverage has been allowed under the Texas Insurance Commission's new Form 148, Larry Griffith, local insurance agent announced here today.

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#### Accidents Take Toll of 91,000 During Past Year

Accidents take a toll of about 91,000 lives in the United States during 1954, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company statisticians say. This is a decrease of 3,500 lives from the 1953 total.

#### Associational WMU To Meet Here Thursday

The Associational Women's Missionary Union of the Cisco Baptist Association will hold its quarterly meeting in the First Baptist Church in Ranger, Thursday, Jan. 13.

#### Business Women's Federation To Meet In Cisco

The Business Women's Federation of the Cisco Baptist Association will meet with the East Cisco Baptist Church at 7:30 Thursday evening, Jan. 13.

#### CAR DOF THANKS

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### Sister of Ranger Man Services Set

Georgia Pearl Ketchersid, a former resident of Eastland County died in Waco Hospital Monday after a long illness.

Funeral services for the deceased will be held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Killingsworth Funeral Chapel. Interment will be held in the Tudor Cemetery.

Mrs. Ketchersid, 45, had lived in Eastland County eight years ago before moving to Hobbs, N.M. She had resided in Waco for the past four years. She was born May 10, 1910 near Strawn.

She is survived by her husband Tommy Ketchersid of Waco, a daughter Alene Fonville, of Desdemona; two brothers, Clarence Mitchell of Ranger and Walter Mitchell of Strawn, and four sisters, Mrs. May Barron, Hobbs, N.M.; Mrs. Johnny Powell also of Hobbs; Mrs. G. L. Townsend Covington and Mrs. Viola Fonville of Desdemona.

### Services Held Today For Joe Ferguson

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. this afternoon at the Church of God on Strawn Road for Joe Taylor Ferguson who died in Houston Sunday morning. Rev. J. T. Melton and Mrs. W. M. Morris will officiate.

Mr. Ferguson, 46, had been a resident of La Porte, Tex. for 6 1/2 years, where he was employed by the Curry Motor Co. He had been a resident of Ranger for 8 years prior to that and was employed by the Leveille Motor Co.

He was born March 16, 1908 in Glen Rose, Texas. He was married to Opal Squires in Eastland on Nov. 7, 1940.

Mr. Ferguson is survived by his wife of La Porte; a daughter, Mrs. Louise Thorn of Stamford; his mother, Mrs. Belle Ferguson of Dallas; 2 sisters, Mrs. Amy Lockhart of Phoenix, Ariz. and Mrs. Gladys Rhodes of Grand Prairie and two granddaughters.

Interment was in the Pioneer Cemetery with Killingsworth Funeral Home in charge. Pallbearers were Curt Wheat, J. Thomas Hickman, W. A. Gay, Elbert Young, Chester Fonville and Jesse Burch.

### Farm Records Requirements Cited for '55

The need for accurate records of farm production in 1955 was cited this week by an extension farm management specialist at College Station.

C. H. Bates, says under present economic conditions farm records are becoming more important each year. The new social security law and the recent soil and water conservation provision both require such records. Farm records also are imperative in figuring income tax.

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Records are easily kept and will prove invaluable when it comes time to evaluate each operation.

The first of a new year, says the specialist, is an ideal time to start records. Several handy record books are available. Bates suggests the Texas Farm Record Book. It gives inventories for land, farm improvements, machinery and equipment, livestock, crops, feed on hand, farm sales and expenses, farm products used at home, and a summary of the year's business.

County agricultural agents can furnish information on how to order this book. Or it may be bought directly from the Exchange Store, College Station, for only 30 cents.

### Teen Age Girl Needs A Retreat That She Can Call Her Very Own

A teen-age girl's bedroom should be her sanctuary, study, and lounge—a retreat to call her very own. By giving it a "living room" look, she'll have a much more versatile spot, equally suitable for entertaining school chums and for quiet relaxation of home-work sessions.

Since high school is a growing-up time, the transition from "child" to "young lady" should be reflected in her living quarters. Most budgets don't allow complete

refurnishing overnight. So daughter should work out a long range plan for piece-by-piece buying.

By selecting good-quality, attractive furnishings during her school days, the teen-ager will find that she has a wonderful heritage with which to set up housekeeping when wedding bells eventually ring.

**HIGH FASHION**

In place of the traditional bed, convertible sofas or day beds flanked with bolsters and scatter pillows are high fashion for the modern miss' living-bedroom. Besides providing a comfortable night's sleep, they afford space for teen-agers who love to sprawl.

Available in a wide variety of styles and cover fabrics to suit even the fussiest teenager, the latest dual purpose bedding is equally comfortable for both sitting and sleeping. Prices are surprisingly economical.

Tricky originality shouldn't be substituted for furniture with pleasing lines that will stay fashionable, however. Personality can be expressed in accessories and decorations that can be changed more easily (and less expensively) as the teen-ager matures.

### Most Recruits Join Air Force To Learn Trade

More than 60 per cent of the men who join the Air Force today do so because of the better chances of learning a skill or trade, according to Sgt. Grady Hoyle, head of the recruiting station here.

A recent poll conducted at Lackland Air Force Base brought out this fact. "The survey covered a cross-section of newly-enlisted personnel from the various age groups, educational levels, community populations, and geographic locations," Hoyle said.

"Another interesting aspect brought to light by this survey was that nearly 15 per cent would like to earn commissions and fly for the Air Force," Sgt. Hoyle added.

"And there are many people right here in Eastland County working in our industries who can attribute their degree of skill and higher wage earnings to the technical training received during their tour of duty with the Air Force.

"With the Air Force's expansion program of nearly a million people in uniform by 1957, any young man or woman entering the Air Force today has splendid opportunities since there are over 40 available technical career fields which cover hundreds of rated specialties," concluded Hoyle.

**Local Industry—**

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rail cars for the trip to Strawn.

Karoff said, "The American Aggregate Company invites all the people in this area to visit the plant and see the newest developments in business materials. Samples are now on hand of Paloduro Stone, which is a limestone product produced in many modern pastel colors."

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**Final Pleas -**

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change of venue should have been requested.

Under existing state laws, unless the board recommends clemency, the Governor will be powerless to act. He has already granted the one 30-day reprieve he is entitled to order without a recommendation.

**American Legion And Auxiliary To Meet Thursday**

Members of the American Legion and the Auxiliary will hold their first meetings since Christmas at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 13 at the Legion Hall.

All members are urged to be present.

**Chrysler Sales Show Increase Of 18 Per Cent**

Sales of new 1955 Chryslers increased 18 per cent for the second 10-day period of December over the same period a year ago, reports E. M. Braden, general sales manager of Chrysler Division, Chrysler Corporation.

Chrysler dealers delivered 4,217 cars between December 10 and December 20, a gain of 18 per cent over the same period in 1954.

Cream cheese is used for almost everything. You see it everywhere. Try softening a package of cream cheese mixed with enough cream to make it about the consistency of sour cream. Serve on baked apples—and if you like it sweet, maple sugar or syrup is an addition that's good.

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