

# THE RANGER TIMES

35TH YEAR RANGER, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 1955 PRICE FIVE CENTS

## County Enters MOD Drive \$3,000 In Red



**The Pathfinder**  
by Lee Harr

We've seen some people become awfully excited and nervous during the process of taking a driver's license test, but Friday was the first time that we ever saw a fellow so confused that he didn't even know where he was — or possibly who he was.

This particular fellow — whose name we shall not call even though we're quite sure he wouldn't object, was parked in front of the local police station. After a short drive around town over the driving course, with the examiner, which we feel quite sure was a hair-raising ordeal for the patrolman, the vehicle was parked on the opposite side of the street.

After the patrolman informed the aspirant that he successfully qualified for a license, he left the car and proceeded to the police station for another customer.

The new qualified driver was left in the automobile straightening up and placing his newly acquired papers in proper order before stashing them in a container for permanent keeping. He did not observe the patrolman's path of exit.

Finally upon assembling his personal papers, he too departed from the automobile to the police station in search of his companion to inform him of his success. Only trouble was, in his search he was on the wrong side of the street, searching in entirely the wrong buildings.

His companion sensing his trouble soon came to the rescue and the pair got into their car and drove happily off.

One thing in the puzzled fellow's favor, was that he has been in Ranger only a few weeks.

## Rangerites Can Make Money By Spotting Balloons

Rangerites may think they are spotting flying saucers this week. In reality all they will be seeing will be high-altitude plastic balloons carrying up to 150 pounds of weather equipment, however.

Cosmic ray experiments with giant balloons launched from Goodfellow Air Force Base near San Angelo will be the answer. The Navy announced this week that the balloons were being released.

Texas ranchers and cattlemen were asked to watch for the balloons which will travel across the skies in this region until about Jan. 20.

To speed recovery of the heavy loads of research equipment, cash awards will be paid finders who contact the base, the Navy said.

About 12 flights of the 90-foot diameter test balloons will be launched during the next two weeks to study high energy nuclear particles from outer space. The flights are launched at dawn and terminated during the afternoon, so the instruments which float to earth by parachute can be recovered as early as possible, officials said.

## Soil Conservation Workers Report Survey Shows 1,800 Miles Of Terraces Needed In This Area

The result of a survey conducted by the Eastland work unit of the Soil Conservation Service indicates that approximately 1,800 miles of terraces are needed on cropland in Eastland county.

The survey was based on the capability of the land which was determined by the type and depth of the soil, the slope of the land, and the erosion that has already taken place. The purpose of terraces is to hold rain-fall on the land longer and allow more of it to soak in and to prevent the loss of valuable top soil from the field. Terraces are laid off across the slope at intervals and are graded slightly in order to allow excess water from flash

## Twelve Area Patients Require 'Dime' Aid

Ranger's March of Dimes drive Thursday got more solid footing with the appointment of Jess Cole as city chairman.

Cole's job will be to organize the city program with the assistance of clubs and civic organizations in obtaining results for this year's program.

As Cole accepted the job, he said "Our national headquarters needs \$64,000,000 this year. While we can't collect all of it here, we can get a good start." He added, "The national headquarters shows a deficit from last year and it is their goal this year to inoculate 20,000,000 first and second grade children who have not had the Salk vaccine."

Cole, who also serves as county chairman, said after reviewing last year's records with Mrs. J. A. Bates, county fund raising chairman, and Mrs. Iris Hummel, treasurer, that the county was entering the new year with nearly \$3,000 of accumulative debts carried over from last year that the agency did not have funds to pay.

In previous year's drives, the total contributions have been divided three ways with one-third going to national headquarters, another third for research and an even amount remaining in the county for local patients.

However, in this year's drive the total amount will be evenly divided only between national headquarters and the county.

County organizations are allowed to draw on the national headquarters once contributions have been exhausted on the local level. However, the national headquarters this year has expended all its funds.

Eastland County alone has 12 patients under doctors care, which includes a recent case in Rising Star.

Cole said that in last year's drive, contributions collected from all sources totaled \$5,381.19 for the county share after the total amount had been divided three ways. He said that this entire amount had been spent and approximately \$3,600 in bills had been accumulated which the county chapter did not have funds to pay.

As an example of the terrible expense for each patient, Cole said that \$4,439 had been spent on one patient alone since late in September, 1951.

Fees for patients acquitted to various polio hospitals throughout the state add up at an average of \$17.50 per day.

The drive this year is expected to be conducted on the same basis as previous year's campaigns. The program is divided into 10 groups which consist of business, schools, and colleges, Mother's March, coin collectors, envelopes mailed, sports events, special events, clubs and organizations, armed forces (military guard in the local case), and churches.

Last year special events was the big collector with \$1,152.93 in contributions. The National Guard was second with \$672.98.

Mrs. Bates, key pin in the campaign who organizes other units in the county and city as well, expressed deep disappointment in the business gift collections which totaled only \$5 and sports events which amounted to a bare \$14.25 last year.

The annual Mother's March which last year netted \$528.80 for the drive, is scheduled for the last night of the 1955 campaign which expires Jan. 31.

Mrs. Bates added that there is a critical need for workers in this year's program.

Miniature lung collection boxes will be placed in strategic businesses during the weekend.

## Nominations For AF Academy Remain Open

Applications for admission to the United States Air Force Academy from Eastland County are still invited as preparations are being made for the first class of cadets to enter the newly founded academy. The deadline for Congressional nomination remains Feb. 18, however.

The academic curriculum of the Academy covers two primary areas of learning, Social Humanities and Scientific Studies.

Courses listed under the Social Humanities division are English, history, geography, philosophy, military law, American and comparative governments, economics and comparative systems, international relations, military history and foreign language.

Under the Scientific Division, the courses are mathematics, engineering, drawing and navigation, chemistry, physics, mechanics and materials, electrical engineering and electronics, aerodynamics, thermodynamics and aircraft design.

## Fire Department Answers 94 Calls During '54

The Ranger Volunteer Fire Department had a busy year in 1954 as statistics just released by Chief Charlie Isabell indicate.

During the past year, the fire department was called to 14 house fires, seven-car fires and 69 grass fires. Isabell said that dry weather conditions caused so many of the grass fires. Four false alarms were also sounded during the same period.

Approximately \$11,000 damage was caused by the 94 fires.

## Area Attendance Expected At Meet Feb. 28

Local high school seniors have been invited to attend the second annual Citizenship and Career Conference at TCU Feb. 28, it was announced here today.

Sponsored by the West Texas and Fort Worth Chambers of Commerce and TCU, the event is expected to draw a record-breaking 1400 seniors from more than 40 high schools in this area.

George M. Mardikian of San Francisco the Armenian emigrant who became one of the nation's most famous food consultants and restaurateurs, will be the main speaker for the conference.

Bert Godfrey, Fort Worth attorney and chairman of the National Affairs Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will serve as master of ceremonies.

J. B. Thomas, president and general manager of Texas Electric Service Co., will serve as moderator for a panel discussion on careers and citizenship.

Mardikian will speak at 9:45 a.m. "Song of America" will be his theme and the owner of the West Coast's "Omar Khayyam" restaurants will outline his amazing success story in the U.S.

Born in Pasett, Armenia, in 1903, he attended Central College in Constantinoople and came to the U.S. in 1922. He became a naturalized citizen in 1928. Starting as

## .22 Inches Slow Rain Falls Here

Spring crop prospects looked brighter here today after intermittent showers shed .22 inches of rain on this area Friday night.

The rain began falling around 6:30 p.m. and continued slow but somewhat steady until nearly 11 o'clock.

Early reports showed that the rain covered most of the western parts of Texas, extending eastward to Dallas and Fort Worth and as far south as San Antonio.

There were some traces of snow and sleet reported further out in West Texas.

Forecast for Saturday and Sunday is for warmer temperatures, cloudy skies and possible showers.

The showers preceded a mild cold front which moved into this area during the early morning hours today.

## Rangers Tackle Schreiner At Kerrville Sat.

It may be "now or never" for Ranger Junior College as they journey to Kerrville for a hoop contest with the Schreiner Mountaineers.

Licking their wounds after a 56-63 defeat by San Angelo Tuesday, the Rangers will be seeking their second conference win. They hold a victory over Arlington State.

In season play thus far, the Rangers have compiled a record of two wins as compared against eight losses.

The two contestants can be compared in only one contest in play this season. Schreiner holds a victory over Howard County Junior College, which Howard County defeated the Rangers by one-point in early season.

Ranger's offensive will be led by Lloyd Cogburn, second high point scorer in the Pioneer Conference who has tallied 262 points in ten contests; Fred Rowch, flashy Olden guard, Bill McCurry, towering center; and newcomer R. C. Smith who was delayed in season by a broken arm inflicted during the football season.

## William Owen To Receive BS Degree At Texas

AUSTIN (Sp.) — The University of Texas College of Engineering has 69 candidates for Bachelor of Science degrees January 29, end of the present semester, Dean W. R. Wolrich announced.

The degree-candidate list includes: William Edison Owen of Eastland, Owen will receive a B.S. degree in electrical engineering.

## They Can Take Care Of Own

RISING STAR (TNS) — Rising Star folks can take care of their own.

What was proved here this past week when W. E. Tyler presented Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nichols with a check for \$709. Tyler said the money was represented by friends of the Nichols.

Dec. 30 a thief entered the Nichols' cleaners and stole approximately \$2,000 worth of new clothes. No arrest has been made in connection with the crime.



"FREE" LOADER—Tiny refugee rides to freedom in a basket as a relative fleeing Communist-controlled north Indo-China is helped aboard a French evacuation craft off Phat Diem. Baby is comfortable in the basket, and there's less chance of losing him as thousands surge southward seeking sanctuary.

## Stephenville Rides Over Bulldogs 52-36

Stephenville kept their perfect district basketball record intact Friday night as they defeated the Ranger Bulldogs 52-36 in the Recreation building.

The Bulldog B team defeated the Yellow Jacket B 39-36 in a contest before the main attraction.

In the final contest, Stephenville jumped to a quick 16-0 lead and Ranger was left trailing by a wide point margin. Through the contest, at one time, the Yellow Jacket pulled 21 points ahead.

The contest marked the second consecutive loss in conference play for the Bulldogs after they opened with a victory over Mineral Wells.

Stephenville's balanced scoring attack was built around Lonnie Leatherman, of football fame and

## Cowboys For Christ To Conduct Crusade

"Cowboys for Christ," an organization of Hardin-Simmons University athletes will assume the program for the Saturday night meeting of the Youth Crusade in the lower auditorium of the First Baptist Church at 8 o'clock.

The program will be initiated with a supper consisting of baked ham, salad, baked beans and home made pie.

Charles Massague will serve as master of ceremonies for the program while Gene Lohn will be the main speaker. Gene Sour will act as song leader, Don Gistrap will give testimony and Don Golden will be in charge of fellowship.

A quartet consisting of J. A. Vertial, Joe Sharp, Bob Womack and Sour will present several musical numbers.

## Youths Visit Judge After Eastland Visit

Three Cisco youths, two 11 and one 13, were busy Thursday gathering up odds and ends from two Eastland variety shows.

But they ran into a bit of trouble in doing so. Seems they were not bothering to pay for the goods they chose.

When an officer attempted to arrest the trio, one broke away and ran, making good his escape. He was later apprehended, however.

All three spent some time talking to Sheriff J. B. Williams, County Attorney Joe Nusselle and County Judge John Hart before they were released to the custody of their parents.

Asked how they happened to be in Eastland, they told of skipping school and hitchhiking to the county seat.

"We caught a ride with a fellow who drove real fast," one of the youths said.

## Aunt Jemima To Supervise Pancake Supper

The Ranger Lions Club will sponsor a pan-cake supper Saturday night Jan. 29 in the Gholson Hotel Coffee Shop, beginning at 6 o'clock. Proceeds from the supper will be turned over to the March of Dimes Fund.

Feature of the program will be Aunt Jemima, who will be on hand to supervise the cooking of the pancakes, sausages and coffee.

## Injuries Claim Crash Victim

RANGER, January 15 (TNS)—William T. Holt of Snyder, died today of injuries received Thursday in an automobile accident on U.S. Highway 80, one mile west of Ranger city limits.

Mrs. Holt, who also received injuries in the accident was reported in an improved condition at the Ranger General Hospital where both victims were taken.

The accident occurred Thursday when Holt, apparently lost control of his car and overturned on a curve approaching Ranger. The car overturned several times, rolling across the opposite side of the four lane divided highway and ending upright after nicking a road sign.

Holt, an employee of Heflin Drilling Co. of Snyder was enroute to Arkansas with Mrs. Holt.

From the accident, Holt received internal injuries, severe scalp lacerations and chest injuries.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Killingsworth's Funeral Home.

## Farm, Ranch Activity Increases After Rain

After more than an inch of moisture in the past month, which fell in the form of rain, sleet, and snow, farm activity was on the incline slightly this week, but yet remains reasonable slow, in Eastland County.

Outlook for small grains and cover crops improved in most areas except the important wheat country north of Amarillo. It remains dry in that area with some plants dying and condition of wheat very poor.

However, locally, a little early plowing was beginning and farmers and ranchers were busy at such jobs as feeding and caring for livestock, repairing fences and buildings, barning and brush burning.

Livestock were being maintained in fair condition over much of the state by heavy supplemental feeding. Welcome moisture in the area should bring on some small grain pastures, winter weeds and grass when the weather begins to warm up.

Land preparation in much of the western part of the state was still until the past weekend when the section received some rain, snow or sleet. Rains of one-half inch or more generally covered most of Eastland County and the state from Abilene south to Uvalde and eastward.

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## Ex-Ranger JC Star Inks High School Pact

Harold Barrett, a graduate of Ranger Junior College, has been selected assistant coach at Ranger High School, it was announced here Friday.

Freeman coach of both basketball and football Barrett will arrive here during the summer to assume his new duties.

Barrett graduated from Ranger Junior College in 1950, received a bachelor of science degree from Hardin-Simmons in 1952 and completed work on a master's degree in 1954, also at Hardin-Simmons.

While in Ranger, he quarterbacked the junior college football squad and played defensive half-back from where he was chosen All-Conference when the school was enrolled in the Texas Conference.

Barrett was a former graduate of Mineral Wells High School.

The newly appointed coach will replace O. C. "Stubby" Warden who has resigned from all athletic capacities.

## Suspect In Hot Check Case Held In San Angelo

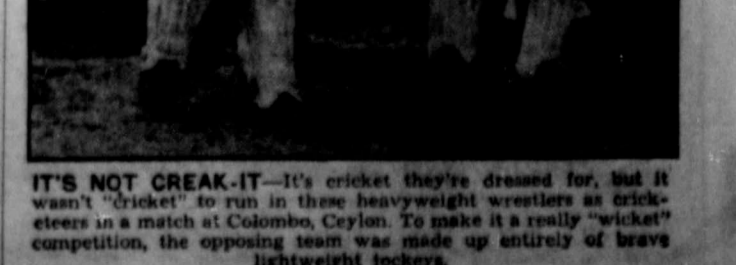
Eastland County officers have issued a hold order on a man now in custody of San Angelo police officers.

Sheriff J. B. Williams says the man is suspected of passing several hot checks in Eastland and Cisco.

The suspect identified himself as Bob Coleman.

## Weather Reports

Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday and Sunday. Expected low Saturday night around 30 and high Sunday about 50. Possible scattered showers.



IT'S NOT CRICKET—It's cricket they're dressed for, but it wasn't 'cricket' to run in these heavyweight sweaters as cricketers in a match at Colombo, Ceylon. To make it a really "wicket" competition, the opposing team was made up entirely of brave lightweight jockeys.

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## Ken Lewis To Attend Dallas Merchandise Show

Ken Lewis, Western Auto Associate Store owner in Ranger, is getting his first preview on January 16 of the nation's newest ideas in Sporting Goods, Fishing Tackle, Outdoor Motors, Power Mowers, Home Appliances, and other spring and summer merchandise. He is attending a Western Auto Supply Company merchandise show at Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Lewis said that more than 600 items of new merchandise will be displayed at the show. Heading a new line of tools and chemicals for the gardener and home owner, will be the last word in power lawnmowers. Among a wide array of power mowers for all sizes of lawns and parks, will be several models of the new "Rider"

## Lacasa HD Club Has All-Day Meet Thursday

The Lacasa Home Demonstration Club met at the Club house, Thursday Jan. 13 for an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon. A quilt was made and a collection of clothing and shoes was taken for a needy family.

The Home Demonstration agent, Mrs. Tom Joyce Cunningham, served barbecued chicken at lunch, then she gave a demonstration on the preparation and cooking of barbecued chicken. She also gave a report of the delegates to the state convention by tape recording.

Those attending were Meses. J. F. Eddleman, Effie Newnam, A. O. Templeton, J. A. Caraway, H. E. Martin, Omar Sherrill, R. E. Miller, Mary Herrington, Bernice Miller, Robert Jackson, John Gray, Vaille Jones, Ida Raney, G. V. McGowan, A. N. Bradford, J. C. Bradford, Jessie Veale and D. B. Raney. Visitors were Larry and Roy Miller, Joyce Leonard and Meli Bobo.

## LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF EASTLAND

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intend to apply to the Fifty-fourth Legislature of the State of Texas, for the passage of a special or local law, the general purpose, nature and substance of which are as follows:  
Such law will amend Chapter 465, Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature (being the law creating Eastland County Water Supply District) as amended by Chapter 384 Acts of the Fifty-Third Legislature, by making certain changes with reference to the election of Directors; by expressly authorizing the District to sell any real or personal property not needed by it; and by correcting a typographical error contained in Section 6 of said Law.  
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- W. P. Watkins, M. D.
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- E. E. Crawley
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## Montgomery Ward To Get Boat Shipment

It's not exactly the first robin of springtime, but definitely a step in that direction is the announcement by Montgomery Ward & Co. of Ranger that their first shipment of 1955 Lone Star Aluminum and Fiberglass boats will be received here soon.

According to the announcement, the 1955 Lone Star line has been increased to 29 models, many of which were first shown to the boating public in the National Motor Boat Show in New York January 14-22. Another showing of the line is scheduled for the Chicago National Boat Show February 4-13.

In addition to sweeping re-styling of the popular Lone Star line, three new 18-foot aluminum models in both inboard and outboard categories have been added, giving the boating enthusiast a complete selection ranging from 9 foot dinghy to the 21 foot Cruise Master, queen of the Lone Star fleet.

Lone Star's spectacular Fiberglass line features addition of the new 14-foot Challenger, a rakish, sports type boat with double cockpit. This boat is designed to accommodate outboard motors up to 33 horsepower.

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**NEWS FROM LACASA**

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Miller attended a birthday party for their son, Bob, at the home of B. E. Miller in Eastland last Thursday night.

Charlotte Boone of Ranger spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. V. McGowen.

Mrs. W. R. Leonard is recuperating at her home.

There will be an ordination service at New Hope Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Jan. 23 at 2 p.m. The pastor, Jack Taylor, will be ordained.

Judge Frank S. Roberts of Breckenridge was a Sunday afternoon visitor in the M. I. Laster home.

**Jackson To Head Legion Conference**

CISCO (Sp.) — The veterans land committee and the legislative committee will be among the key state committees that have been called into Austin this week end of January 14 through 16 by State Commander E. L. "Stonewell" Jackson of Cisco to report to the Seventh Annual Mid-Winter Post Officers' Conference. The American Legion's veterans' land committee is headed by W. Paul Spill-

**'Life' Will Be Christian Science Lesson-Sermon**

The Lesson-Sermon to be read in Christian Science churches this Sunday is entitled "Life." It will be brought out that because man reflects God, who is Life, man lives eternally, inseparable from God.

The Golden Text is from John: "This is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (17:3).

The Lesson-Sermon consists of selections which are read from the Bible and from the Christian Science text-book by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science. These lessons are prepared in advance so that they may be studied throughout the week preceding the Sunday service.

Among the selections to be read this week is the following from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures": "If life were in mortal man or material things, it would be subject to their limitations and would end in death. Life is Mind, the creator reflected in His creations. If He dwelt within what He creates, God would not be reflected but absorbed, and the Science of being would be forever lost through a mortal sense, which falsely testifies to a beginning and an end" (p. 331).

**Ranger Members Attend BWG In Cisco Thursday**

The B.W.C. Federation of Cisco Association met Thursday in East Cisco Baptist Church with Mrs. G. B. Rusk, presiding over the business session. Mrs. Carol Stansil of Cisco presented the speaker and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Horace Buddin of Brazil. The Rev. Buddin spoke on "Missions from the Business Woman's viewpoint."

Mrs. Buddin added things of interest about the curios from Brazil. The Federation presented them with a gift in appreciation of their work.

Refreshments were served during the social hour. Those from Ranger attending were: Mrs. Rusk, Mrs. Jettie Ballinger, Mrs. Izetta Smith, Mrs. Jasper Massee, Mrs. Ralph Perkins, Mrs. Clyde Harris and Miss Viola Seay.

**Rev. Bailey To Preach Sunday, Second Baptist**

Rev. Calvin Bailey of Bryson will deliver the sermons at both the morning and evening services at the Second Baptist Church, according to an announcement made today.

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m., Gene Falk, Superintendent, and the worship service at 11 a.m. The W.M.U. is urging 100 percent attendance in Sunday School as they begin Focus Week.

The W.M.U. will meet in circles Monday at 3 p.m. the Lydia Green circle in the home of Mrs. H. A. Pitman and the Lena Lair circle in the home of Mrs. Clemmie Rogers.

Thursday at 2:45 W.M.U. members will meet at the church for visitation. At 7 p.m. Friday they will hold a social at the church and will organize their Business Women's circle.

**Church of Christ Mesquite & Rusk**

The following is the schedule of services for the coming week at the Church of Christ, Mesquite and So. Rusk, according to Evangelist, Max R. Crumley.

Sunday: Crusade for Christ (KERC) 7:45 a.m. Bible school 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Young People's Class 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Assembly for Praise and Devotion 7:30 p.m. The Children's Hour 8:00 p.m. Adult Edification 8:00 p.m.

Sermon Subjects: Sunday morning, "Christian Growth." Sunday evening, "The Church."

Bro. Crumley stated, "The church is to preach the Gospel in order that one might believe and have life in Jesus' name. The Gospel is also a means of Christian growth. This development is a source of genuine spiritual satisfaction. The resources of the Church are yours for the asking to aid your growth into the image of God. Come and worship with us Sunday; let us have fellowship in your inner development."

Department Adjutant G. Ward Moody has announced that T. O. Kraebel of Washington, D.C., the American Legion's national rehabilitation director will attend, as will Matt Monaghan, department adjutant of Louisiana; Past National Commander Perry Brown of Beaumont, Charles Snyder of Detroit, Michigan and Dr. Garland D. Murphy, Jr. of El Dorado, Arkansas, vice chairman of the national child welfare committee.

The champion state color guard of Morton will attend as will the state chaplain the Rev. Marcus Valenta of El Campo and other department officers.

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**First Baptist WMS To Observe Focus Week**

The W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church will observe "Focus Week" Feb. 16th through the 22nd. The purpose of Focus week is to make the church conscious of the work of the W.M.S. and its auxiliaries. On Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m. there will be a Burney Coffee for all members of the society and the other women of the church. It is so named in honor of Mrs. Burney who for years

was chairman of the committee to see that gifts were made to the children of missionaries who were here studying in America. These children are called "Margaret Fund Students."

At the Burney Tea or Coffee each year, those who come make an offering of some coin (or bill) and when those from all the societies are combined, a gift is made to each of these Margaret Fund Students at Christmas and in June. Tuesday, Mrs. Wilson Guest will review the book "The Silver Challenge" by Costain.

The pre-school Sunbeams will meet at the same time and the nursery will be open.

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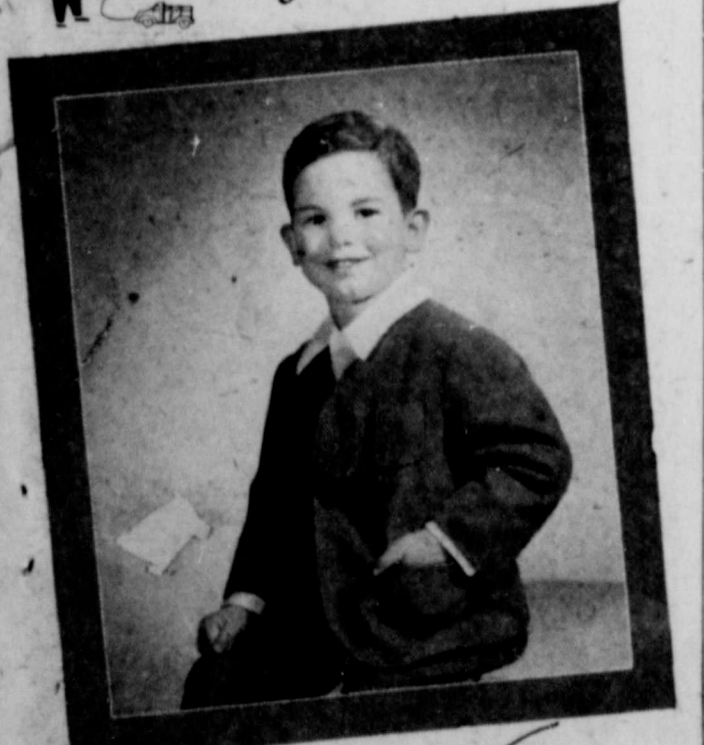
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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen Basham

### Daskevich-Basham Wedding Vows Solemnized At St. Rita's Church

St. Rita's Catholic Church was the setting for the double ring ceremony which united Miss Barbara Faye Daskevich and Edward Allen Basham. The vows were read at 4:30 p.m. Jan. 1 by Rev. Father Joemanns.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white length gown of white satin and lace. Her matching bolero featured long, pointed sleeves and a stand up collar and was buttoned down the front and sleeves with tiny pearl buttons. Her fingertip veil of nylon tulle fell from a band of sequins and seed pearls.

She carried a white satin prayer book topped with white gardenias and Stephanotis.

Jimmy Bigham of Mineral Wells attended the groom as best man, Glenn Yeager and Everett McGee were ushers. Candles were lighted by Ronnie Joe Daskevich.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony.

Members of the house party including Mrs. Louise McGee, Miss Helen Daskevich and Mrs. Clara Watson who served the punch. The three-tiered, white wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and touched with turquoise scallops was served by Mrs. Betty Yeager.

Mr. and Mrs. Basham are making their home in Ranger following a short wedding trip to Oklahoma and Arkansas.

### Mrs. Bobo To Host AAUW

Members of the Ranger branch of the American Association of University Women will meet in the home of Mrs. Eva Bobo at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 20.

Mrs. Price Ashton will have charge of the program. All members are urged to be present.

#### CARD OF THANKS

To everyone who, during the illness and death of Joe Ferguson, was so kind to us in expressing words of sympathy and encouragement, we wish to express our sincere thanks. We also wish to thank each and everyone for the lovely floral offerings and the food.

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## SOCIAL CALENDAR

Sunday, Jan. 16  
Attend services in the church of your choice.

Monday, Jan. 17  
Sunbeams, 1st and 2nd grade, 2:30 p.m., First Baptist Church.

W.M.U. Second Baptist, 3 p.m., Sunbeams, 3 p.m., Second Baptist Church.

W.S.C.S., 3:30 p.m., First Methodist Church.

Jr. and Intermediate G.A.'s, 4 p.m., Second Baptist Church.

Jr. G.A.'s, 4:15 p.m., First Baptist Church.

R. A.'s, 7 p.m., Second Baptist Church.

Royal Neighbors, 7:30 p.m., hall.

Tuesday, Jan. 18  
9 a.m. — W.M.U. First Baptist Church.

Pre-School Sunbeams and Littlest Choir, 9 a.m., First Baptist Church.

Boy Scouts, Troop 10, 5:30 p.m., First Methodist Church.

Boy Scouts, Troop 15, 7 p.m., Scout House.

Kekekaha, 7:30 p.m., IOOF hall.

Wednesday, Jan. 19  
Rotary Club, 12 noon, Gholson Hotel.

Junior Choir, 4 p.m., First Baptist Church.

R. A.'s, 6:30 p.m., First Baptist Church.

Teachers and Officers meeting, 6:45 p.m., Second Baptist Church.

Study class for High School students, 7 p.m., St. Rita's.

Prayer Meeting, all churches.

Study class for Junior College students, 8 p.m., St. Rita's.

Choir practice, all churches.

Thursday, Jan. 20  
1920 Club — 3:30 p.m.—home of Mrs. T. J. Anderson A.A.U.W.

7:30 p.m.—home of Mrs. Eva Bobo.

Lion's Club, 12 noon, Gholson Hotel.

Religion class for grade school students 6:30 p.m., St. Rita's.

Friday, Jan. 21  
Bingo Party To Be Held Monday At St. Rita's

A bingo party will be held Monday night at St. Rita's Catholic Church, according to an announcement made today.

The party was originally scheduled for last Monday but was postponed. The public is invited to attend.

## SOCIETY

### Hardin-Simmons Professor To Be In First Baptist Pulpit Sunday

Dr. J. B. Adair will preach both services in the First Baptist Church Sunday. Dr. Adair is a professor of Bible in Hardin-Simmons University and is head of the Extension Department. The church extends to each one a cordial welcome to come and hear this man preach.

The pastor will be in the pulpit on next Lord's day. Rev. Perkins is completing his tour of Central America and is currently with the Paul C. Bells in Guatemala. He will return home sometime this week.

Dr. Henry Ward of Cisco returned from Jamaica via Cuba. He reports that from the 5th preachers on the plane there were 2,771 professions of faith reported. To this

### BETTI'S BUDGET of HELPFUL HINTS

For a change, try serving stuffed breast of veal for your Sunday dinner. Ask your butcher to make a pocket for your special onion dressing. Allow at least 3-4 pound per person. Place in the oven in a covered roasting pan and bake for 1 1/2 hours with the gas turned down to 300 degrees; then remove cover and finish roasting for about another hour. Brush with melted butter the last hour. You can bake potatoes at the same time to get extra mileage out of the oven flame.

Practically everything is washable these days, so everyone should know how to make a good hot starch mixture to give new life to washables. And how to use it, too! Study the directions carefully and follow exactly — remember, the manufacturer knows best. Special tip: to the starch mixture, add one section of a blue wax ironing aid — this provides, in addition to extra ironing ease, and extra-smooth, extra-soil-resistant finish for all your starchables. Again following the maker's directions, you can starch large, unwieldy items such as slip covers in your washer.

It's really quite simple to prevent creamy cooked frosting (fudge-type) from hardening too quickly to spread. Just place over warm water and it'll stay soft and workable.

If you happen to be a "night owl" because of temperament, physical makeup, business, social, or family life, there's no cause for

number is to be added those of 6 others who came home by other routes, making about 3,000 professions during the week's crusade.

The Sunday School and Training Union attendance was up last Sunday and Wilson Guest and Walter Arterburn urge every person possible to be in these services.

The church will meet each night this week, Monday through Thursday from 7 until 8:30 for work on the book "Studies in Hebrews." The book will be taught by Mrs. Paul C. Bells in Guatemala. He will return home sometime this week.

alarm — provided you don't sell yourself short on slumber. The belief that sleep before midnight is most beneficial seems to be just another of the many old wives' tales still circulating. Actually, it doesn't matter when you get your sleep — as long as you get enough relaxed, uninterrupted slumber.

Try this as a dip to chips or a spread for crackers. Mix one package of cream cheese with three tablespoons of chopped olives, either ripe or green, three tablespoons of finely chopped salted almonds or pecans, and 1-2 clove garlic, crushed, if desired.

Every housewife should have proper safety precautions in her home. Experts recommend grab bars installed directly into the wall around the bathtub to prevent slipping by bathers; fewer doors which open into rooms or hallways; handrails on all staircases, and as few stairs as possible; and adequate illumination at points of accident frequency like cellar stairs.

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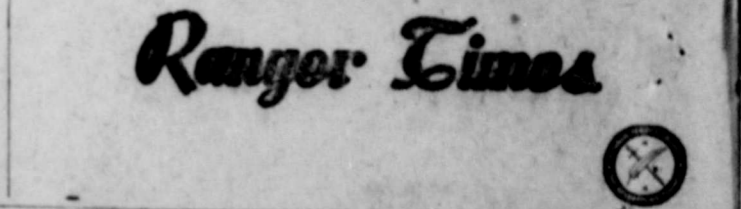
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