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Towering above cars passing the intersection of Main and Commerce Streets, waving a gay greeting to visitors of Ranger is our very own giant Santa.

The huge plywood constructed Santa Clause has been used as a middle of the street decoration for some time.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce and volunteers from the Lone Star Gas Company combined their strength to assist in hauling the 500 pound structure from its storage place to the spot on the street.

W. J. VanBibber was on hand with the Lone Star wench truck which was used to load Santa onto a flat bed truck furnished by Ranger Lumber and Supply.

Assisting in the operation were W. T. Eaton, Roy Barnhill, Bob Galey, Walt Daniel, Roy Plumley, Bill Hatton and E. W. Garner.

The fire department brought the little pumper into use to supply the water as W. T. Eaton gave the old gent a bath from head to toe with the aid of a broom.



CIVIL WAR MONUMENT

Eastland County Historical Association held ceremonies at 10:30 a. m. Saturday, on the courthouse lawn, to unveil the 5 foot by 40 inch pink granite monument commemorating the frontier Fort Solomon, later called Camp McCord.

The fort was built during the Civil War as defense of women and children against Indians.

The old fort was built 17 miles northwest of Eastland, in Eastland County near the Callahan County line. It was on what is known as Battle Creek.

Mrs. Bernice McCrea of Abilene, formerly of Cisco, is Eastland County Historical Assn. chairman.

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, member of the State Historical Society, will give a short talk on "objectives of Texas Historical Survey Commission."

Eastland County Judge Scott Bailey reviewed the significance "of the historical marker program for Eastland County."

The monument was placed by the Texas State Historical Survey Commission in cooperation with the Eastland County association.

### DID YOU KNOW

Christmas Carols  
"O Come All Ye Faithful"  
Originally sung with the Latin words "Adeste Fideles," this hymn antedates 1751, but its origin is unknown. In France it was used as a professional hymn by the Monks on their way to sanctuaries for Christmas midnight Mass.

### HOLIDAY TRIP

M. and Mrs. Felton Huff and children spent the Christmas holidays in the States. They will be home in Ranger on Monday, Dec. 15.



RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALL TEAM — Coached by Athletic Director Jim Lewis: kneeling, left to right — Gary Watson, Dallas; Joe Ed Dooley, Dallas; Kenneth Haas, Dallas; Jerry Palazzolo, Fontana, California; Richard Hooper, Dallas; Ron Taliaferro, Dallas; and Grant Davis, Fort Worth. Standing — Roger Goode, Hurst; Ronnie Smethers, Corpus Christi; Jerry Chamberlain, Carlisle; Dail Ables, Desdemona; Fred Marshall, Crockett; Leon Bowman, Fort Worth; Charles Rouse, Abilene; and Parke Davidson, Dallas.

## RJC BASKETBALL TEAM WINS OVER NORTH TEXAS 92 - 77

The Ranger Junior College basketball team defeated the North Texas University freshmen 92-77 in the first home game of the 1963-64 season for the Rangers Wednesday evening, December 4, in the City Recreation Building. North Texas scored first, but the Rangers held the lead from then on. Halftime score was 45-39.

Leading scorer was Ranger Dail Ables of Desdemona with 27 points. Willie Davis led the North Texas freshmen with 17 points.

Leading in rebounds for the Rangers were Ables with 10, Grant Davis with 9, and Fred Marshall with 8, a good record in view of the fact that the North Texas team had two boys 6 feet 8 1/2 inches tall. The Rangers play three home games next week: Hill County Junior College Monday, December 9, Hardin-Simmons freshmen Wednesday, December 11, and Fort Worth Christian College, Thursday, December 12. All games will be played in the Recreation Building, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

On December 13 the RJC team goes to Amarillo, where it will play Frank Phillips College Friday and Amarillo College Saturday, December 14. The game with the North Texas team was the third of the season for the Ranger team, having lost to Odessa Junior College in Odessa 80-64 and to Howard County Junior College in Big Spring 96-68 last Monday and Tuesday. Dail Ables with 18 points was high-point Ranger man in the Odessa game, with Grant Davis second with 12. Gary Watson and Ables tied for high-point honors for the Ranger with 12 points in the Howard County game.

## BAKE SHOW WILL BE ADDED FEATURE OF PECAN SHOW

A Pecan Bake Show, sponsored by the Ranger Band Booster Club, will be a part of the annual Eastland County Pecan Show to be held in the Joseph Building in Ranger on Dec. 13-14, according to an announcement.

Anyone from this or an adjoining county may enter products in the show in any of five divisions — pies, cakes, candy, cookies, or nut bread. All entries must contain pecans and must be entered and in place by 11 a. m. Friday, Dec. 13, when the judging will begin. A grand prize will be given in the cake division and cash prizes and ribbons awarded in all five divisions.

Each entry will become the property of the bake show to be sold, and the proceeds will go to the Ranger Band Booster Club. None of the entries will be sold until Saturday, Dec. 14.

Persons entering products in the bake sale have been asked to bring them on disposable plates, foil, or pieces of stiff cardboard.

Political Signs . . .

Tabulating surveys and polls is the national means of measuring political candidates. In Eastland County, you observe who's buying coffee the most often around the square. And even before sleigh bells, there are rumors, and rumors of rumors about who's going to run for what. It takes a lot of sifting to lift facts. You get "Yes," "No," "Maybe," or "I'm not ready to say."

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Ables, Dail	11	2	18
Watson, Gary	8	2	18
Davis, Grant	6	3	15
Marshall, Fred	6	2	14
Dooley, Joe Ed	3	0	6
Hooper, Richard	1	3	5
Shaw, Tom	2	0	4
Taliaferro, Ron	1	0	2



O. R. (OTT) ERVIN  
...commission candidate

## O. R. (Ott) Ervin To Seek Prec. 1 Commissioner

O. R. (Ott) Ervin, native of Ranger and presently County Sheriff's Department office deputy, has authorized this newspaper to announce that he will be a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct One, in the May, 1964, Democratic Primary.

Precinct One includes Eastland, Olden and Ranger. Tip Arthur is presently commissioner of that precinct. Mr. Arthur could not be contacted to determine if he plans to seek re-election.

Mr. Ervin was an employee of Sinclair Oil Co. for 16 years. He and Mrs. Ervin have five sons, one of whom is a Ranger businessman.

Sheriff's deputy for the past three years, Mr. Ervin was a candidate for the commission post in the Primary of 1960 and was defeated by a small margin.

### VISIT IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson and son, Alan, have returned to their home in Ranger after visiting in Plainview with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

constables and commissioners of Precincts One and Three are up for election this coming year.

Incumbent Judge T. M. Collier of the 91st District Court told this newspaper Friday he will be a candidate for re-election.

Porter Woods, Eastland constable, also said he will seek re-election. County Sheriff Lee Horn said Friday that he was not ready to announce his plans. Two other men are reportedly seeking to seek the office's office. District Attorney Earl Conner said he will not seek re-election.

## County Pecans At State Show Select Queen

The county pecan show was originated by Eastland County in 1952. Since that time there have been 15 counties added to the list.

In that same year the queen contest was originated, also by Eastland County, and the first state queen was a girl from Rising Star.

In selecting the state queen, points accumulated in the state pecan show are added up. The county receiving the highest total points will have the option of naming their county girl as the state queen.

Eastland county has been represented two times with the association paying the queen's expenses to the state convention which is held the first Tuesday and Wednesday of July.

The 1963 queen contest is being sponsored by the Ranger Junior College. The student council will conduct the presentation of the contestants.

The contest will be held in the High School auditorium at 8:00 p. m., December 12.

If the pecan raisers of Eastland county have good fortune at the state show, the winner will become the state queen.

## Campus Becomes Dogpatch For A Day, Wednesday

The Sadie Hawkins day activities previously scheduled by the Ranger Junior College student council was postponed due to the recent tragic events.

The new date, according to Wayne Thrasher, president of the student council, will be December 11.

Thrasher said that all students would participate in the costume parade which will be a day-long affair. Fines will be levied on those students not in costume. Permission has been granted by college authorities for the costumes to be worn to classes that day.

Sheriffs and deputies, under the direction of Bobby Owens and Frank Miller will patrol the campus and enforce the rules for the day, as well as levy and collect fines from the rules breakers.

Games, contests, etc., will be the order of the day. A basketball game against Hardin-Simmons freshmen will be played at 7:30 p. m., followed by a dance in the student union building.

Tentative plans on the activity schedule for the day call for a volleyball game between the freshmen and sophomores, with the winning team slated to meet a faculty team, all in costume.

Prizes will be awarded throughout the day for costumes, contests, games, etc.

## Cub Scout Pack Formed, 64 Boys Now Meeting

A new Cub Scout pack has recently been formed in Ranger with Don Yarbrough as Cubmaster.

Pack 34, sponsored by the First Methodist Church has 64 boys and are now holding meetings.

Assisting Mr. Yarbrough as assistant Cubmasters are Jack Allen and Carlos Martinez.

Den Mothers are: Peggy Bennett, Dorothy Sanders, Audrey Yarbrough, Jo Rippey, Jacqueline Bush, Mrs. McGough.

Beverly Dudley is the institutional representative. James Ratliff is chairman of the Pack Committee with Charles Arnett, Fred Bennett and Carlos Martinez serving as committeemen.

Carlos Martinez, assistant Cubmaster will be in charge of the Webelos Den. The Webelos Den is made up of boys ten and a half years old who are considered "Webelos." They will be moving into the Boy Scout Troop.

### BUSY DECEMBER

## Non-Jury Trials Set Monday; 'Millie-Bill' Scheduled 16th

A number of "guilty" pleas are to be heard in 91st District Court Monday when four criminal cases are brought to trial. Jurymen have not been called for the Monday cases. About "six or seven" cases will be tried, it was reported.

The assault with intent to murder trial of Chester Couch, indicted for the recent attack on Cisco Police Chief S. E. Parkinson, is expected to be among those heard Monday.

An attempt-to-rape case was to be tried Friday afternoon. A jury will be called for the following Monday, Dec. 16th, when Millie Jones and W. W. (Bill) Spiawn are set to be tried for the March robbery of the Worth Food Store in Ranger.

Confined to the Eastland County Jail since July, the couple had reportedly planned to plead "guilty," but Spiawn told a reporter last week that he wasn't too sure that he was going to plead guilty now. He had originally been charged with "armed robbery," but the March grand jury indictment cites him for "robbery," Spiawn said.

Frank Sparks of Eastland and Dewey Cox of Ranger have been named to represent the couple, Judge T. M. Collier said Thursday.

The Christmas month appears destined to be a busy one for the court with so many cases set for trial.

During the first eleven months of this year, the court heard five jury cases, 28 non-jury cases and there are 145 criminal cases on the court's docket.

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## Complete Information Given On County Pecan Show Plans

The 11th annual Eastland County Pecan Show will be held Dec. 13-14 in the Joseph Building in Ranger with the cooperation of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce and the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association, according to an announcement by J. M. Cooper, County Agriculture Agent.

Rules and regulations for entries were announced as follows:

1. Entries will be accepted from pecan growers in Eastland and adjoining counties.
2. All pecans entered in the show must have been grown in 1963.
3. Entries must be in by 12 noon on Friday, Dec. 13.

Persons unable to attend the show may leave entries at the County Agents' office in Eastland, the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, or the Ranger Chamber of Commerce on Dec. 11, and they will be picked up and entered. The Joseph Building will be open all day Dec. 12 and entries can be made then. All entries should be marked with the grower's name, variety and the grower's address.

Growers are limited to one entry of each improved or papershell variety. There is no limit on the number of entries of seedling or natives.

Nuts must have been grown by the person showing them.

First three place entries of nuts will be sent to Texas A&M University to be entered in the State Pecan show, and they will not be returned.

Each entry must consist of enough nuts to fill a quart fruit jar. They will remain on display until 4 p. m., Dec. 1

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FOR SALE: Maternity clothes for sale. Sizes 10 and 12. Phone MI 7-1343.

FOR SALE: Be ready for deer season. One 30-30 Winchester, model 94, lever action, with recoil pad. Like new. Must forfeit. See Larry Goldston, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Model "A" with mounted wood saw. Will buy 100 cords of fire wood. Contact M. E. Offield, MI 7-3671.

FOR SALE: SPECIAL — Short sleeve sport shirts, various patterns, \$1.95; two for \$3.50. Army Surplus Store, Eastland, Texas.

FOR SALE: A chicken brooder and a chicken finisher, both for \$38.00. R. D. Pruitt, Strawn, Texas.

FOR SALE: Minnows, worms, fishing tackle. Just south of school buildings. Strawn. Call 4251.

FOR SALE: A double compartment electric Coca-Cola box. A real bargain at \$300. Come and see it at R. D. Pruitt's, Strawn, Texas.

HAVING A PARTY? Come by the Ranger Times office and pick up your Party Napkins.

FOR SALE: C 60 Wichtex double drum pulling machine with spudding attachment. 4" to 7" tools. 3300 ft. % drilling line on 56-Dodge truck. H. H. Daniels, phone PO 2-2459, Albany, Texas.

FOR SALE: Every family can own a GE home freezer. Upright models and chest types. Prices start at \$189.95. Use your credit at Goodyear Service Store, 308 E. Main, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Top values on 1963 GE filter-flow washers and matching dryers. Big 12-pound load capacity. These must go before October 9th, when the 1964 models will be shown. See these "waitz thru washday" bargains at Goodyear Service Store today.

FOR SALE: We have 10 new 1963 General Electric refrigerators in stock which must be sold before the 1964 models are introduced. Prices start at \$179.95. Come in and let's talk trade at your Goodyear Service Store, Eastland.

FOR SALE: See the new, 1964 General Electric TVs at Goodyear Service Store. Prices start at \$99.00. Large selection to choose from. Easy budget terms. Your TV trade-in will make the down payment. Payments as low as \$2 weekly. 308 E. Main, Eastland.

FOR SALE or Trade — Modern six unit motel with three bedroom residence. Located U. S. Highway 60, Eastland, phone MA 9-1328.

FOR SALE: 2 large bedroom house. Cooper addition on paved street. Servant quarters and double garage. MI 7-1588.

FOR SALE — Newly decorated stucco house, 4 rooms, bath, attached garage. Real bargain. Phone after 5 p. m., MI 7-1485.

TRUCKS For Sale — City Block of Used Trucks, Trailers, New International Scouts, Pickups, Trucks. Used Truck and Trailer Parts, Winches, Axles, Wheels, etc. Johnston Truck and Supply. 725-2181. Box 638, Cross Plains. 78

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120 acres between Carbon and Gorman, peanut allotment, minerals. \$100 per acre. 651 acres good grass 5 miles NW Ranger. 266 SW Gorman, house, 3 tanks, 73 acres bottom. 139 acres 4 miles N. Ranger. House and improvements. Approx. 500 acres, mostly bottom, 4 miles S. Eastland. 144.2 acres, house, good land, N. Eastland. 826 acres near Nimrod. Goat fenced. 365 acres. Very nice home in Ranger, white brick. 1600 acres near Strawn. 168 acres: well fenced, N. Eastland. Good home. 4 acres with house and 12 acres with house, near M. V. 1 acre, 3 bedroom house, M. V. \$5500. Also small acreage and homes. Need G. I. listings. Other acreage 40; 160; 120; 627; 1685; 1690; 2090; 4000; 202; 193; 320; 640; 570; 200; and others.

FOR SALE — \$262.85 Chain saw gear driven with 18" bar and chain. Cash price during November, \$212.50 \$149.50 Chain Saw. Direct drive, with 14" bar and chain. Cash price during November. \$139.50 \$179.50 MONO Chain saw—direct drive. 7 horse power, with 16" bar and chain. Cash price during November. \$106.36

FOR SALE — One 3-kw light plant. \$125. Have now ten garbage barrels. First come, first serve. D & B Auto Parts. 30

FOR SALE — Many gift items. Ranger Farm Store. 30

FOR SALE — Insulated hunting boots, \$14.95; Insulated underwear, \$7.95 up; 30-30 shells, \$2.95 box; 30-06 shells, \$3.95; Hooded sweatshirts and all types gear, guns and ammo. Get ready now. We trade guns. Bruce Pipkin Sport Center, Eastland. tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1957 Chevrolet, 2 door station wagon. Air and power. Automatic. Runs good. Garland Greenlee. Phone MI 7-1914. tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1959 Ford Fairlane, \$500. 2 door hardtop; automatic. Radio and heater. Really sharp and runs perfect. Garland Greenlee. Phone MI 7-1914. tf

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FOR SALE: Six room house in Ranger, close in, on deep lot, paved street. Needs repairs but priced cheap. Phone MAIN 9-1391, Eastland. 33

FOR RENT: Three room furnished apartment. Phone MI 7-1390. 31

FOR RENT: 2 and 3 bedroom cottages with living room, kitchen and bath. \$30 per month and up. Inquire on premises. Park Cottages. tf

FOR RENT: Two bedroom unfurnished apartment. Call MI 7-3149. tf

FOR RENT: Newly papered unfurnished five room house. \$45 per month. Two bedrooms, fenced yard. 1413 South Seaman. MA 9-2526. ft

FOR RENT — Nice, large 6-room house, 900 Cypress. Phone MI 7-1791. tf

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Nearly a third of all accidents occur in the kitchen, and eventually most of them find their way to the table.

The most popular view afforded by a picture window is father coming home on payday!

Lacasa News

Mrs. P. V. Watson, mother of Wilson Watson of this community, died at Winnsboro, Louisiana, Saturday, November 3, after a short illness. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Gates, sister of Wilson Watson, and son Tommy of Irving, Texas visited the Watsons Thanksgiving. When they received the word of Mrs. Watson's serious illness, Mr. Watson accompanied his sister to Louisiana. Mrs. Wilson Watson and sons, Jack and Jerry, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown of Brownwood attended the funeral services. Mr. and Mrs. Brown brought Jack and Jerry home, and Wilson and wife stayed with his father for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Fisher of Ranger, parents of Mrs. Charlie Veale are seriously ill in the hospital. Mrs. Fisher is in the Blackwell Sanitarium at Gorman and Mr. Fisher is in the Ranger General Hospital.

Albert Bradford is in the Ranger General Hospital suffering from an injury acquired while working as a roustabout. A beam fell on his leg, bruising the entire leg and breaking the bone just below the knee-cap.

Mrs. Fred Bonner and son, Bill Turney, of Oklahoma visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turney McKiesley Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Day visitors to Mr. and Mrs. G. V. McGowan were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Boone of Mingo, Ira Mitchell of Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Mitchell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and children of Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix of Fort Worth, Mrs. Rosa Boone, Mrs. Troyce Boone and children, of Ranger, Mrs. Gordon Turner of Dallas, and an aunt of the group, Mrs. Vina Thannish of Ranger.

Mrs. Mary Herrington, Mr. and Mrs. Zelma Herrington and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herrington and Billy Lynn of Quanah spent Thanksgiving Day with the Grady Jennings family at Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Aaron of Rock Springs, Texas visited the Bill Herringtons in the Herrington home here Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Garaway had as visitors Thanksgiving a sister-in-law, Mrs. Nannie Caraway and her son, Hartland and wife, of Hereford, their sons and families, Hobart and wife, now of Eldorado, Oter and family of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morrison and children of Breckenridge and Jimmy Caraway and family of Abilene.

Miss Francis Veale was home from TWU at Denton for the holidays. She was accompanied by her roommate, Miss Diane Black of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Howton had as visitors the past week their sons Aaron and family of Weatherford and Lloyd and his son Douglas of Fort Worth. Rev. and Mrs. James Smith spent the holidays with their parents in Bolivar, Tennessee.

The D. B. Raneys had as visitors the past week James

and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gorrell and Leland of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Whiffen and Linda of Austin.

The LaCasa Community had a Chili Supper Friday night and Joe Jackson showed pictures of his Canadian Hunt, made recently. Visitors were Mrs. Edith Echols of Caddo, her son, John and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marian Graham and grandson, Jerry of Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Whiffen and Linda of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. James Raney, Jimmy and Dean of Houston, Mrs. J. H. Gorrell and Leland of Fort Worth, Mrs. Nannie Caraway of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morrison, Glenda and Bobby of Breckenridge.

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ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC Church Jos. L. Van Winkle, Priest Sunday Mass — 8 a.m. Benediction — 5:30 p. m. Monday, Catechism for grade school children — 6 p.m. Wednesday, choir practice, 6:15 p.m., high school religion class — 7 p. m. Confessions before all Masses.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Avery Sullivan, pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Morning worship — 10:55 a.m. Training Union — 6 p.m. Evening worship — 7 p.m. Wednesday — Sunday School promotion and lesson, 7 p.m.; prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m.; choir practice, 8:30 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH Frank Brooks, pastor Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. Morning worship 10:30 a.m. Training Union — 6 p.m. Evening worship — 7 p.m. Wednesday — Teachers meet at 7 p.m.; prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD Pershing Street R. D. Ashcraft, pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Morning worship — 11 a.m. Evangelistic message 7 p.m. Wednesday, Young People's Service — 7:30 p.m.

1st PENTECOSTAL CHURCH J. E. Lamb, pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Morning worship — 11 a.m. Evening worship — 7:30 p.m. Tuesday — Ladies Auxiliary 2 p.m. Wednesday — Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m. Friday — Young People's Service, 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH of the NAZARENE Sunday School — 10 a.m. Devotional — 11:15 a.m. Sunday night service 7 p.m.

MERRIMAN BAPTIST CHURCH Dan Royall, pastor Sunday School — 10 a.m. Church service — 10:45 a.m. Evening worship — 7 p.m. Tuesday — Ladies Bible Class — 1:45 p.m. Wednesday — Prayer meet-

Mrs. T. M. Johnson had as her Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Johnson of Corpus Christi; Mrs. T. M. Renshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walls and Andrea, all of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Marris, Bill and John of Monahans; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Eastland; Dick Harris and Mr. and Mrs. George Harris of Midland.

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Around The Campus

Personality of the Week on the Ranger Junior College campus is Tony Torres, who is serving his second year as drum major of the RJC Band. The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ray of Fort Worth, where he was sophomore class president and favorite, served on the student council three years, played in the Poly band three years, and was band president his senior year. In addition to being drum major, he led the RJC Dixieland Band last year, he plays trumpet in the concert and stage bands. He is a sophomore majoring in pre-veterinary medicine. Five feet nine inches tall and weighing 150 pounds, Torres has black hair and dark brown eyes. He was born in Fort Worth and has lived there all his life. He has a fifteen-year-old brother, Gregory, who is a sophomore in Haltom High School. His hobbies include music and animals.

Behind many "For Sale" signs there is a sad story: A family borrowed more than they could afford to pay for a home, or payments and interest rates were too high; the home had to be sold, often at a loss. This tragedy could often be avoided if the families would seek help from a home loan specialist, such as our Association.

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Advertisement for First Federal Savings & Loan Association. Includes text: "A SAD STORY", "FOR SALE", "Behind many 'For Sale' signs there is a sad story...", "We work with you to arrange for a loan that's as easy to handle as monthly rent.", "FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION", "204 Main Ranger, Texas MI 7-1611"

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Advertisement for D. E. Pulley Jewelry. Includes text: "3 - FREE PRIZES - 3", "Jeweled Wrist Watch, Silver Vegetable Dish, Spediel Watch Band", "TO BE GIVEN AWAY DURING DRAWINGS TO BE HELD AT OUR STORE", "SATURDAY, DEC. 21", "No Obligation — Just Visit Our Store and Register.", "D. E. Pulley Jewelry", "203 Main Ranger, Texas"

Advertisement for Ranger Dry Cleaners. Includes text: "RANGER DRY CLEANERS", "Expert CLEANING", "For Fall and Winter Clothing", "Pickup & Delivery Service", "20% Discount on Cash and Carry", "We Give S&H Green Stamps"

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 BEEF ROAST  
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**WORTH FOOD MART**

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 25 BONUS SH Green Stamps  
 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
 A 1-Lb. Cello Pkg. of Armour's  
 FRANKFURTERS  
 Void After Wed., Dec. 11, 1963  
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**CLIP AND SAVE!**  
 50 BONUS SH Green Stamps  
 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
 Two (2) 16 oz. Cans of  
 Morton House Baked Beans  
 Void After Wed., Dec. 11, 1963  
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 100 BONUS SH Green Stamps  
 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
 A 11 oz. Can Johnson's  
 PLEDGE POLISH  
 Void After Wed., Dec. 11, 1963  
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 50 BONUS SH Green Stamps  
 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
 Four (4) 1-Lb. Cans of Friskies  
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 CLOROX BLEACH  
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 CHUNK TUNA  
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 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
 A 1-Lb. Can of  
 HAWAIIAN PUNCH  
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 A 1-Lb. Box of Kraft's  
 VELVEETA  
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 50 BONUS SH Green Stamps  
 With this Coupon & Purchase of  
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 1/2 Price Sale (Plus 4c Tax)  
**Ponds Cream** Dry Skin or Cold Cream Regular 7oz. Size 59¢ (Plus 6c Tax)  
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**AJAX** All Purpose Liquid Cleanser Large Size 39¢  
**Black Pepper** McCormick's 4-oz. Can 39¢

**BOLOGNA** Sliced lb. 49¢  
**FLOUNDER** Fillets lb. pkg. 59¢  
**COCKTAIL** 4-oz. pkg. 39¢  
**HANDI-WRAP** For Sandwiches 100-ft. roll 29¢  
**SARAN WRAP** Jumbo roll 59¢  
**AD DETERGENT** Giant Box 75¢  
**CASHMERE BOUQUET 2** reg. bars 21¢  
**CASHMERE BOUQUET 2** bath bars 31¢

**TAMALES** El Chico No. 300 Can 25¢  
**CRISPS** Pillsbury Apple-Cherry-Berry pkg. 69¢  
**DUMPLINGS** Pillsbury Apple pkg. 69¢  
**PIZZA** Colombo's Cheese 7-oz. pkg. 59¢  
**PIZZA** Colombo's Sausage 9-oz. pkg. 69¢

**Produce Features!**  
**GREEN CABBAGE** Firm-Fresh Heads Lb. 4¢  
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Grid of 24 'CLIP AND SAVE!' coupons for various products like coffee, paper products, and frozen foods.

### Mr. and Mrs. Weekes To Be Honored On 55th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Weekes will be honored on their 55th wedding anniversary by their children and grandchildren with a reception at the Weekes' home at 321 Hill Avenue, Sunday, December 15 from 2 until 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Weekes were married in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin in the Alameda Community.

Julia Martin Weekes was born in Eastland County and has lived here all of her life. Mr. Weekes was born in San Augustine but came to Eastland County at an early age. The couple farmed in the Alameda Community until about four years ago when they retired and moved into town.

All of the couples' children reside in Ranger. They are Mrs. Dee Rodgers, Mrs. Melva Love, Mrs. J. D. Rogers

### F. P. Brashier, Sr., Honors Couple Married 62 Years

Sunday December 1, F. P. Brashier, Sr., entertained with a dinner at Lone Cedar Country Club, honoring Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mills of Ranger on their 62nd wedding anniversary.

Others attending were Buster Mills, son of the honorees, Misses Eva and Norma Mills, Mr. Mills' sister, Mrs. Alice Landers, all of Ranger.

### Hospital News . . .

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Wednesday morning were Mrs. Ethel Williams, Mrs. Bernie Houston, Mrs. O. B. Helsey, Mrs. C. M. Kitchens, Mrs. C. E. Casey, Mrs. Petra Camacho, Mrs. H. F. Brown, Mrs. Mary Fullum, Mrs. Letha Buckbee, Ed Horrigan, Weldon Leonard, A. N. Bradford, R. R. Gazola, Matt Fisher, John Blankenship, Reed Young, C. D. Simpson, Elmer Abernathy, Randy Kitchens, Mrs. Eunice Toone and Miss Emma Green.

Visitors in the A. Z. Sharp home over the weekend and Thanksgiving were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin, Tresa and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hardin, Gary and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McDavid, Ma and Mrs. Kenneth Rouse, Belinda, Carol, and Steven all of Fort Worth, Arie Clayton Britt and his buddy Larry, from A&M College, and Ginger Schmidt of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. James Justice and family of Houston spent Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Justice and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Davis.

### Columbia Study Club Meets With Mrs. Kuykendall

The Columbia Study Club held their regular meeting Tuesday, November 24. Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall was hostess. Arrangements of chrysanthemums were used throughout her homes.

A review of "The Shoes of The Fisherman" by Morris West was given by Mrs. A. N. Larson.

Tea was served in the dining area. Silver appointments were used on the polished table with an arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums.

Members and guests present were Mmes. James P. Morris, E. E. Crawford, Leslie H. Hagaman, J. Floyd Killingsworth, C. E. May, S. M. McAnelly, Ted Nicksick, David D. Pickrell, J. R. Stuart, Roscoe Hopper, J. A. Bates, J. B. Craig, and T. C. Wylie.

### SOCIAL CALENDAR

**December 10**  
Ranger Booster Band Club meeting will be held at the band hall at 7:30 Tuesday night, December 10.

Members are asked to take note of the change of date for the monthly meetings from the second Monday to the second Tuesday night.

**December 10**  
The Dutch Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Virgie Edwards at 7:45 Tuesday evening, December 10. This breakfast appointment will be that one that was originally postponed.

A business meeting will also be conducted and afterwards there will be the Christmas party at which time the members will exchange gifts. All members are urged to attend.

**December 11**  
The New Era Club will meet Wednesday, December 11, at 4 p. m. at the Community Club House. Hostesses will be Mmes. J. A. Johnson and Lee Russell.

A Christmas pageant will be given, led by Mrs. Arthur Deffebach.

Mrs. Richard Bonney will be the soloist.



METHODIST WOMAN

### Methodist Lady Portrayed By Mrs. Pearsall

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday, November 26, 7:15 a. m. at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Theodore Nicksick, Jr., president, led the opening prayer and presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Joe Francis presented the devotional, "The Joyful Touch of Human Hands".

### Miss Sutton Is Guest Speaker Tuesday for WMS

The WMS of the Second Baptist Church met at 2 p. m. Tuesday, November 25 for its mission study.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Albert Williams, president. Opening song was "O Zion Haste" and prayer was led by Corene Sutton who was visiting with the group.

The prayer calendar was read by the prayer chairman and appropriate prayers were offered for all the missionaries in the area and also for those having birthdays on this date.

Miss Sutton, Ranger High School graduate who is an Abilene nurse, presented a very interesting talk on the Gaza Strip of the Near East.

The WMS is now engaged in a study of "Mandelbaum Gate", a novel about the Near East, written by Dr. H. L. Eddleman, president of New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. "Mrs. Eva Orms, Mission chairman for the WMS, has used Dr. Eddleman's book and written it into a five act play to help the members understand that the solution of this troubled area must be found as means of spiritual transformation and reconciliation", stated one of the class members.

Those present for the study were Mmes. Orms, Williams, Walter Mitchell, Price Rose, Joe Calder, Neeta Thames, Bob Wymer, Lera Beck, Lula Maddux, Demma Duke, Edgar Ward, Fannie Duncan, Erma Sutton, Frank Brooks, and two visitors, Miss Sutton and Bobby Adams.

### Lodges Have Thanksgiving Dinner Tuesday

Ranger Rebekahs and Odd Fellows met Tuesday evening at 6 p. m. to enjoy a Thanksgiving supper.

At 7:30 Noble Grand Mae Hunt preside over the Rebekah's regular business meeting. General business was transacted and sick reports submitted.

Those present were Mmes. Ethel Johnson, Laura Todd, Sudie Strong, Ruby Greer, Cliff Lewis, Sylvia Neal, Eula Blackwell, Edna Blackwell, Lena Smith, Leila Eifert, Louie Calder, Ginger Schmidt, Vila Sharp, and Mr. C. E. Bell, Arie Sharp, Jess Smith, Monroe Blackwell, Homer Blackwell, and C. Y. Brown.

### Mmes. Brineman, Circle To Serve Roush Hostesses To Circle No. 2

Circle No. 2 of WSCS of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday morning, December 3, in the home of Mrs. Bess Brineman with Mrs. Nora Roush as co-hostess.

During a short business session conducted by Mrs. Archie Robinson, circle chairman, minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Christmas project was discussed and verified. It was reported that 119 visits were made during November. Mrs. J. A. Johnson was appointed program chairman for the next three months.

All present were reminded of Methodist Men's Christmas dinner to be held Thursday, December 5, with women of the church as guests. They were also reminded of WSCS Christmas Candlelight Service to be Tuesday, December 10, and of the Circle District Youth Banquet Thursday, December 12.

Mrs. Robinson opened the program with prayer and a reading from the gospel of John. She gave a discussion and display of pictures from "World Outlook" magazine on "Concern For Children at Christmas". Mrs. Houston Moore reviewed three articles, "Steps to Forgiveness", "Forgive Yourself", and "Learn to Hope", from the book, "Roads to Radiant Living" by Charles L. Allen. Program was concluded with prayer by Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Brineman and Mrs. Roush served mince pie and coffee to the following: Mmes. Ted Nicksick, Charles Ashcraft, A. H. Powell, Jack Sledge, T. L. Thompson, Stanley McAnelly, Moore, Johnson, and one guest, Mrs. Meredith McCadden of Huntington, Indiana.

### Bible Class Has Study On Book Of Revelation

L. E. Carpenter, minister of the Church of Christ, Mesquite and Rusk, taught the lesson at Ladies Bible Class, Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m.

An interesting study on the 3rd and 4th chapters of Revelation, was a review of the seven churches of Asia. Other scriptures of the book were studied in connection with the lesson.

The book, "Flowers Never Fade", was taken to Mrs. Willard Vogel who has recently been in the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Sympathy cards were mailed to Mrs. Mary Dooley and family of Ranger, Mrs. Perdue and family of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson and family, also of Ranger. Get well cards were mailed to Mrs. Cole Jackson of Moran, Mrs. Arnold Gohlke of Denison, Mrs. E. R. Bowerman of Iraan, Mr. Donald Ray Glenn of Lulan, Mr. Ernest Glenn of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mrs. H. F. Worden of Ranger and Mrs. Ira Utz who is in the Ranger General Hospital.

Those attending were Mmes. Myrtle Reddell, Maggie Heard, Buck Reed, D. M. Barton, L. E. Carpenter, H. M. Barton, Lella Quinn, Etna Reed, Reed Campbell, Aaron Bell, H. R. Smith, Artie Woods, Mamie Fry, Ben Howard, A. G. Langley, Miss Rosa Williams, and Mr. Carpenter.

### Past Matrons, Patrons Meet At Porkey Pig

The past Matrons and Past Patrons Club of Ranger Chapter No. 275 held its Thanksgiving Dinner Monday, November 28 at 7 p. m. in the dining room of the Porkey Pig.

Mrs. Auda Lummas presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Cora Arrendale. Mrs. Ruby Springer gave the opening prayer.

The minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Eva K. Poyner.

The card report was given by Mrs. Gladys Morton. The program entitled "A True Thanksgiving" was given by Mrs. Thelma Bott.

It was reported that there will be no meeting in December and the January meeting will be held in the home of Ruby Springer.

Those present were Mmes. Mamie McKinney, Ann McEver, Martha Usery, Emma Danley, Trudy Mathena, Olive Harman, Vera Cooper, Stella Blackwell, Winnie Cox, Poyner, Morton, Springer, Lummas, Bott, and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ramsay and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McGowan.

### Royal Neighbors Elect Officers; Plan Xmas Party

Royal Neighbors of America met at 7 p. m. Monday, December 2, at the lodge hall.

The election of new officers was conducted with the following being elected: Oracle, Lois Fyffe, (due to the fact that Mrs. Fyffe is out of town, Mrs. Virgie Edwards was made pro-tem Oracle) Vice Oracle, Joyce Hoover; Chancelor, Callie Lee; Recorder, Izzetta Smith; Secretary, Auda Lummas, who is the past Oracle; Marshal, Maudie Ellis; Assistant Marshal, Leona Arterburn; Inner Sentinel, Cora Arrendale; Outer Sentinel, Olive Harmon; New Manager, C. E. Bell; Color Bearer, Eary Wallace; Physician, Dr. W. P. Watkins; Musician, Mrs. Jesse McNeil; Assistant Musician; Team Captain, Leona Arterburn; (Graces) Edna, Winnie Pirkle; Courage, Faith Huffman; Modesty, Lillie Anderson; Unselfishness, Tillie Hick; Endurance, Oliff Lewis.

Members were reminded that there will not be a business meeting on Monday, December 16, but after the covered dish supper at 6 p. m., there will be a Christmas Tree and each member is asked to bring a gift to be exchanged at that time.

The Game Night that was originally planned for November 22, will be scheduled soon after New Year's Day, and those who have tickets are asked to keep them until the time they are usable. The Game Night will be held at the club house.

Members who were present for the Monday night meeting were Mmes. Lummas, Hoover, Smith, Edward, Wallace, Lee, Lewis, Arterburn, Ellis, Huffman, Leila Eifert, and Mr. C. E. Bell.

### COLORADO VISITORS

Mrs. M. P. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Williams have returned from Commerce City, Colorado, where they spent Thanksgiving holidays with the Jimmy Cole family.

Committees reported on visits to the sick, cards sent and telephone calls made.

The charter was draped for a deceased member, Mrs. Julia McCleskey.

Members brought Christmas gifts to be sent to the Veterans Hospital in Waco. The gifts will be put on display for the Veteran to choose from to send to their families for Christmas.

A Christmas party was planned for the Legion and Auxiliary members and their families for December 16, 6:30 p. m. at the Legion Hall. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish for the supper after which will be the Christmas program, Carol singing and the Christmas tree. The ladies are asked to bring a gift for exchange.

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## PECAN SHOW QUEEN CONTEST PROGRESSING; ENTER NOW

The Eastland County Pecan Queen Contest, sponsored by Ranger Junior College, December 12, at 8 p. m. in Ranger Junior High School Auditorium, is gathering momentum as the contestant applications began to arrive at Ranger Chamber of Commerce office. Roy Plumley, CoC manager has contacted all the communities in Eastland County, inviting each to send contestants to the Queen Contest. The Ranger CoC is sponsoring the Eleventh Annual Pecan Show on December 13-14.

Entries so far include Sharon Kay Wilson of Eastland. She is a senior in Eastland High School and is representing the City of Eastland. Miss Wilson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson of 611 W. Patterson Street in Eastland. She is a member of Sub-Debs, a social club for girls and plays basketball.

Also, Linda Denton, representing the Bluff Branch Community. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Denton of Route 1, Cisco, and a high school senior. Miss Denton is secretary of the DE Club and also the club's sweetheart. Her hobby is swimming and she is a member of the pep squad.

Evelyn Howry will represent Cisco Junior College. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Howry of Route 2, Goree, Texas, and a college freshman. Her hobby is sports, and she is sweetheart of the Agriculture Club.

Tonia Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bordignon of Strawn, is Ranger Junior College nominee for Pecan Queen. She is a sophomore majoring in science. Head cheerleader and a member of the Debs, girls' social club at Ranger College, she was elected 1963 Homecoming Queen by the Ranger Junior College student body. Her hobbies are tennis, water skiing, and bowling.

The State Pecan Queen will be selected at the state meeting. The Queen award will go to the county in Texas amassing the greatest number of points at the state pecan show. The queen from that county will be declared State Pecan Queen.

C. E. Smith, President of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association announces that the Association will contribute three five pound bags of pecans to be given as door prizes at the contest.

### "Spirals" Are Honored In Shugart Home

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shugart hosted an informal coke party in their home Monday night for the Spirals who are back in Ranger for a two week's stay after having toured the U. S. and Hawaii.

Films of the Hawaiian tour were shown to those present.

Those attending were Teddie Neeley and sister Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Rogers, Bill Patton, Terry Mehaffey, Breckenridge, and Norman Carroll, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Shugart.

### Ex-Resident

(Continued from Page 1.) Jean Association, the national organization with which the Texas group is affiliated.

In the National organization he currently serves as chairman-elect of the AAHPER Fitness Section and will be the section's program chairman during the national convention in Washington, D. C. in March. He is also the Association's membership chairman for the State of Texas.

In September, Dr. Cearley was appointed by the Texas Council of Presidents of state supported colleges and Universities to serve on the eight-man Texas committee designated to evaluate the required physical education program in these state supported schools.

He is married to the former Margaret Galloway. They are frequent visitors to "Rip's Cabin," the Galloway Lake Leon home.

Dr. and Mrs. Cearley have one daughter — born in Ranger — Mrs. Jerry (Sue) Norman of Fort Worth, and two grandchildren.

### MATTHEWS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews had as their Thanksgiving holiday guests their grandson, Jim Wood of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Griffith of Humble.

## SCHOOL MENU

**Monday**  
Hamburgers on buttered buns, tomatoes, lettuce, pickles, onions, baked beans, cheese sticks, potato chips, mixed fruit including fresh oranges, ice cream, milk, butter.

**Tuesday**  
Meat loaf with tomato sauce, noodles with cheese sauce, seasoned green peas, buttered carrots, plain cake squares, peach halves, hot cornbread, butter, milk.

**Wednesday**  
Roast beef with gravy, buttered whole potatoes, seasoned green beans, ginger bread squares, pineapple and lettuce salad, hot rolls, milk, butter.

**Thursday**  
Chile over cheese slices, seasoned pinto beans, spaghetti, onions, pickles, buttered spinach, apple cobbler, hot corn bread, crackers, milk, butter.

**Friday**  
Oven fried fish, catsup, seasoned black-eyed peas, buttered corn, tossed green salad, raisin-whole wheat cookies, corn bread, milk, butter.

## Hospital News -

Patients listed in Ranger General Hospital Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Nat Faircloth, E. F. Horrigan, Miss Susie Woods, Mrs. Ora Fish, John Blankenship, E. R. Rogers, Mrs. C. J. Johnson, Mrs. Emma Green, Eunice Toone, Mrs. Letha Buckley, Mrs. Mary Fullum, Elmer Abemathy, C. D. Simpson, Reed Young, Mrs. H. S. Brown, and Mrs. Petra Comancho.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. North visited with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gilbert on the Gilbert Ranch near Weatherford Sunday.

## Former Ranger Boy Married In California

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clayton Reintjes announced the marriage of their daughter, Jen-an Mae to Kenneth Jay Elrod, November 27, at the First Southern Baptist Church in San Diego.

The bride is a graduate of an Albuquerque, New Mexico High school and will graduate from nurses training in June, 1964 in California.

The groom, a native of Ranger, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Obie Elrod of Eunice, New Mexico, graduated from high school in Eunice and is now stationed in San Diego with the United States Navy.

Mr. Elrod is the grandson of Mrs. J. U. Elrod of Ranger.

## Social Calendar

**December 12**  
The Ranger Branch of the American Association of University Women will have a Mexican dinner Thursday evening, December 12, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Hamrick, at 6 p. m. instead of 6:30 p. m. as had been previously announced.

**December 13**  
Ranger Garden Club members and guests will enjoy a unique evening next Friday, December 13, at 7 p. m. They will meet at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Theodore

## Funeral Service For Matt Fisher Sunday 2:30 p. m.

Funeral services for Mr. Matt Fisher, 79-year-old longtime Ranger and Eastland County resident, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Second Baptist Church in Ranger.

Mr. Fisher died Saturday morning at 4:40 o'clock in Ranger General Hospital following a brief illness.

Revs. Frank Brooks and K. C. Edwards will officiate during the funeral rites. Killingsworth's Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Charley Veale of Ranger, Mrs. Barney Wilson of Disney, Okla., and Mrs. L. P. Hammond of Desdemona; two sons, Frank Fisher of Grand Prairie, T. C. Fisher of Ranger; and nine grandchildren.

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Capias for 12 of the 20 persons indicted by the recent 91st District Court Grand Jury had been returned early this week, the sheriff's office reported.

Those returned included counts for murder, accessory to armed robbery, assault with intent to murder, burglary, swindling, rape, D.W.I., theft (three cases) and two burglary cases.

Indicted by the Grand Jury were:

- John Blackwell, accessory to armed robbery.
- Chester Couch, assault with intent to murder.
- Wesley Cochran, burglary. (Tried Dec. 2, given three years, but not sentenced as of Wednesday noon.)
- James A. Bannister, swindling.
- Johnnie Lee Parker, rape.
- Susie Maurine Bratton, murder.
- Bennie Willard Cochran, D.W.I.
- Jack Lynch, theft.
- Ervin Cretzinger, theft.
- Larry Claude Edwards, theft.
- Albert Jimenez, burglary.
- Larry Claude Edwards, burglary.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"God, the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of this Sunday's Bible Lesson to be read at all Christian Science Church services.

God's government of the universe and all mankind will be emphasized in many of the readings, including this Bible verse: "For the kingdom is the Lord's; and he is the governor among the nations" (Psalms 22:28).

A corresponding passage from the Christian Science textbook reads: "When man is governed by God, the ever-

present Mind who understands all things, man knows that with God all things are possible" (Science and Health to the Scripture by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 180).

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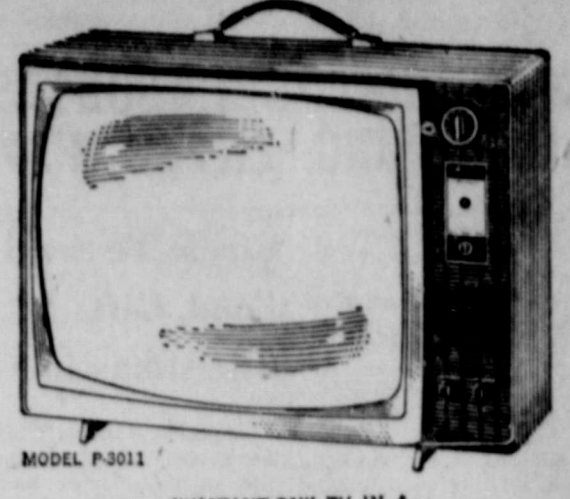
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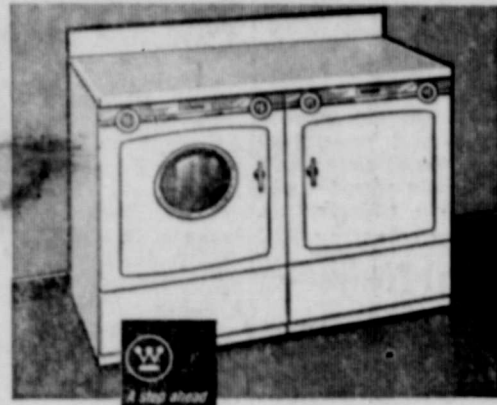
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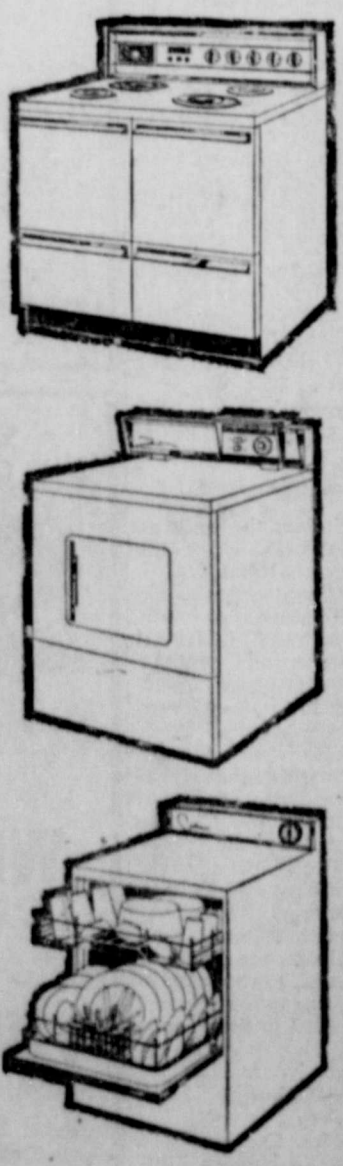
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