

Dewey Calls For More Troops To Europe

Ranger Has .21 Inch Rain Up To Sat. Morning

Skies were still cloudy over Ranger Saturday and scattered showers were predicted over the week-end...



THEY FACE DEATH—An incurable disease, muscular dystrophy, has struck six members of the family of William and Mary Baird of Philadelphia, Pa. Five of the six are shown here...

The U.S. Weather Bureau at Dallas said today that Texans could expect more cloudy weather, punctured by showers in some sections...

The forecast called for considerable cloudiness all over the state throughout the week-end...

Yesterday's high 60. Yesterday's low 45. At 5 a.m., today 55. Precipitation .21.

Bill Pending To Include JCs In ROTC Program

Rep. Omar Burleson has written a letter to Dr. C. C. Boswell, Ranger Junior College president...

Social Security Agent To Be In Ranger Wed.

E. Glen McNatt, Field Representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration...

Lamesa Woman Is Trying To Locate Dadd Brown

Mrs. R. D. Gregston of Star Rt. 2, Lamesa, is trying to locate Dadd Brown who lived in Ranger...

C Of C Delegates To Attend Hearing

Plans are being made by the Chamber of Commerce to send a delegation to attend a committee hearing on the water resources bill...

Danger Of Erosion

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 24 (UP)—The "blow areas" of Texas and Oklahoma still face danger of erosion from sweeping spring winds despite "fairly general" precipitation in the past two weeks...

For Good Used Cars (Trades on the New Olds) Osborne Motor Company, Houston

Chinese Communists Abandon Strategic City Of Hoengsong

TOKYO, Feb. 24 (UP)—Chinese Reds abandoned strategic Hoengsong, former anchor of their central Korean defense line...

Public Schools Week Proclaimed By Gov. Shivers

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following is a statement released from the Governor's Office, pertaining to Public Schools Week...

Mrs. J. H. Lyon Dies Saturday

Mrs. J. H. Lyon died at noon Saturday in a Ranger hospital after a long illness. Funeral arrangements are in care of Morris Funeral Home...

County Dairy Show Set For April Date

Eastland county's annual Dairy Show will be held April 18 at Firemen's field in Eastland...

Penny Tossing Frosh Upset Sully Rand

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 24 (UP)—Sully Rand left the stage in tears last night when an audience of Harvard freshmen tossed pennies at her...

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Gen. Moore Dies Suddenly On Korea Front

WITH THE 9TH CORPS IN KOREA, Feb. 24 (UP)—Maj. Gen. Bryan E. Moore, new commander of the 9th Corps in Korea, died suddenly today...

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★ WASHINGTON COLUMN ★

Pentagon Has Global Strategy In Spite of Armchair Generals

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower has a cute saying to the effect that military science is one of the two oldest professions in the world in which the amateur is always considered better than the professional. He used to quote this whenever civilian officials from Washington or other capitals showed up at his European headquarters to tell him how to run the last war.

Hard sledding in Korea and the proposals to send U. S. troops to aid Europe have produced another civilian crop of military experts. Drug store generals, curb stone colonels, butcher shop chiefs of staff and the three C's—congressmen, columnists and commentators—all know just how the war should be won.

In spite of all this voluntary assistance, the boys in the Pentagon seem to have worked out a global strategy that makes sense. Secretary of Defense Marshall unveiled a good deal more of this than he would have preferred to as a general, in his testimony before Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Services Committees.

What the United States has been trying to do in Europe under NATO—the North Atlantic Treaty Organization—has been subject to a great deal of misunderstanding if not deliberate misinterpretation. The six American divisions which General Marshall plans to have in Europe do not constitute any threat to Soviet Russia. It will be only 10 per cent of the defense force which Western Europe itself will build.

AS Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts brought out in his questioning of General Marshall, to launch an offensive against Russia's 175 divisions in eastern Europe would take perhaps 300 allied divisions. That would seem to take care of the argument that sending additional U. S. troops to Europe might provoke Russia into a war.

One other important factor in this defense planning is that the United States will depend greatly on air and sea power. One of the main congressional criticisms against the NATO defense plan has been that the United States should build up air and sea power, leaving ground force development to the Europeans. Yet air and sea do play an important part in U. S. defense plans for Europe.

Fortunately, the United States has not had to disclose its air and sea power dispositions in Europe to the extent that ground force dispositions have been revealed to quiet congressional criticisms. There have been announcements of B-29 bomber bases established in England. More recently there have been public announcements of negotiations for air base rights in North Africa.

THE use of this air and sea power—particularly naval aviation—in hammering the flanks of any Russian aggression against Western Europe is a most important military consideration. Furthermore, air and sea power can be quickly reinforced from the United States in case actual warfare breaks out.

Ground forces on the other hand take time to assemble and to move. One division actually in Europe would be worth several divisions held in the United States, even if fully trained and at the dock ready to sail.

The all-important added factor is that troops on the ground in Europe will contribute greatly to European morale and European will to resist aggression if it comes.

The whole NATO defense plan is built on the contention that a Russian offensive against Western Europe could be held because its power would be greatly blunted as it advanced.

The importance of holding Western Europe with American aid is that this is really America's first line of defense. If war is to be kept away from American shores, as General Marshall declared, if Europe falls into Russian hands, it will open this country to an immediate air attack.

★ THE SCOREBOARD ★

Peron Stifling Press's Reason For Passing His 'Games'

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The United States Olympic Association is flying some 150 men and women athletes 8000 miles to Buenos Aires.

They are to run and jump and throw assorted objects, lift weights, do gymnastics, swim and dive, play water polo, basketball and baseball, box, wrestle, ride, and shoot in an alleged sporting event known as the first Pan-American Games. This travesty on international competitive athletics is to run from Feb. 24 through March 8.

For a great variety of reasons, it once more is time to ask the old World War II question, "Is this trip necessary?"

If the Korean situation isn't enough, there are the Perons, Juan and Eva, who have no place conducting a sporting event. Argentina's petty dictators don't even know the first principle of good sportsmanship. That is to give your antagonist a fair opportunity to lick you according to the rules.

The Perons stifling what little free press was left in the Argentine is the latest and another reason why the U. S. Olympic Association should call the whole thing off.

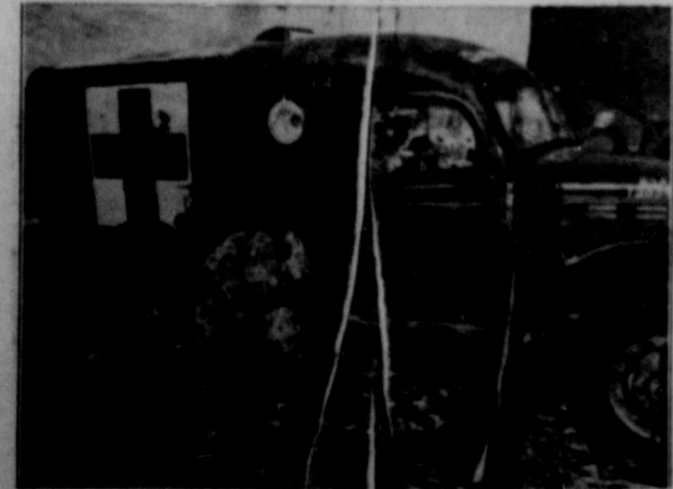
JUST the other day the Perons let go their most recent foul blow against their biggest political rival, the old and world-respected La Prensa, one of the two independent newspapers in the Argentine. Working through one of the captive labor unions, in which Little Eva of the many mink coats pulls the strings, they are keeping La Prensa shut down by a phony strike of the newspaper's distribution men. Everybody knows it is the phony-bolous, most of all the Argentine ear and his eyes, who screw up their faces, attempt to conceal smug smiles of satisfaction.

If El Presidente Peron had an ounce of inter-American good will to justify the expense of sending 150 athletes all the way to Buenos Aires to perform in his stadium, he would call off his trained dogs from La Prensa's throat.

Obviously he has no such intention. Like the blokes he admires most and conceitedly believes he can improve upon—Hitler and Mussolini—he thinks he can rub it in and make us like it. He intends to keep one foot on the neck of the free press of Argentina while extending a slippery palm of welcome to our athletic contingent. How can we take that hand?



Normal use of brakes on a slippery surface may lock the wheels and throw your vehicle out of control. Use an intermittent brake application for stops. In an emergency, disengage clutch and jab brake rapidly.



BULLET-RIDDLED AMBULANCE STILL OPERATES—Perforated by enemy small arms and automatic weapons fire, a U. S. ambulance was proceeding under its own power in evacuating United Nations casualties from a Korean battle front.



TONS OF ENVELOPES, yellow, pink and green, are being prepared for mailing by handicapped people at the Texas Society for Crippled Children in Dallas. Approximately one million of these envelopes—one of the largest mailings of the year—will be turned over to Uncle Sam the last of the month, according to Martin M. Ricker, Executive Director of the Texas Society. They will contain Easter seals, and a request to use them and return a donation for the benefit of Texas crippled children. This picture was made in the Sheltered Workshop where the Texas Society employs handicapped people who would not otherwise be able to earn wages.

National Council Of Catholic Women Meet This Week In Abilene

The Abilene deanery of the National Council of Catholic Women held their quarterly luncheon meeting Tuesday noon in the dining room of the Victor Hotel in Cisco, with about fifty attending from Ballinger, Strawn, Abilene, Cisco, Ranger, Eastland, Breckenridge, Olney, Gordon, Graford, and Graham.

The group voted to hold the May meeting in Eastland. Mrs. Anna Yell of Strawn, president announced that the president of the Dallas Diocesan Council, Mrs. Jack Wolf of Texarkana and Mrs. A. J. Korioth of Sherman would attend this meeting.

Following the luncheon Tuesday a musical program was presented. Jack Chambliss of Cisco, accompanied Miss Jane Hueftling, sang Gounod's "Ave Maria," and Ethelbert Nevin's "The Holy Word."

Vic Vet says

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NEWEST OF THE "FRUIT SALAD"—That new blue and white ribbon you may begin to spot on the chests of servicemen is the Korean Service Ribbon, recently authorized by executive order of the President. The award is given to all troops permanently assigned to Korea or adjacent waters, or for temporary duty of 30 consecutive days, or 60 days not consecutive.

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams



damnes H. G. D'Spain, Jr., Josephine Wallbraun, Jack Farley, H. D. Cameron, Gene Abbott, Hugh Chief Brown, George Ruppert, Hal Lavery, E. J. Keough, and Miss Catherine Cunningham.

Plainview Man Killed

PLAINVIEW, Tex., Feb. 24 (UP)—Bill Ewers, 56, of Plainview, was killed yesterday in an automobile-truck collision near Edmondson, northwest of this Panhandle city.



ST. GILES' SNAPS BACK—Scaffolding surrounds the tower of St. Giles' Crippleage, as repair work is done on the historic English church damaged by bombs in 1940. Founded in 1090, the church is the burial place of the poet John Milton.

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So It Will Bear More and Better Fruit

Aggies Try For Share Of SWC Cage Title

Texas A&M can assure itself of at least a share of the Southwest Conference basketball title to night by defeating Rice in the only loop game.

The A&M lead was sliced to one-half game last night as the Texas Longhorns defeated Baylor, 51 to 43, and Texas Christian downed Southern Methodist 44 to 34.

However, A&M has two games remaining on its schedule, while runners-up Texas and TCU—tied for second place—play only once more. Thus, two wins would give the Aggies undisputed possession of the crown, and a victory over the Owls at Houston tonight would give them at least a claim to part of it.

Baylor, in its last game of a dismal season, was outgunned last night as Texas hit the net from every angle.

The Longhorns, using drive-in-shots to good advantage, were sparked by the 21-point perform-

ance of George Schar. Team-mate James Dovic scored 17 points for the Steers.

The 2,800 fans at the Baylor gym, however, took consolation from the feat of Bear forward Ralph Johnson, who whipped 16 points through the net and broke Baylor's all-time scoring record.

Johnson raised his total to 310 points, seven more than the old record set last season by Don Hestington.

TCU had its hands full overcoming the Mustangs. The Frogs staked out a 32 to 28 halftime lead, but never a safe margin until the closing minutes of play.

George McLeod scored 19 points for the victors in only one half of play. He and two other Frogs fouled out in the fiercely-fought contest. Two SMU players were whistled out of the game.

Jack Brown and Paul Mitchell shared scoring honors for SMU with 11 points each.

Tex. Store Sales Drop

DALLAS, TEX., Feb. 24 (UP)—The Federal Reserve Bank said today department store sales in the Texas district were down four per cent last week from the comparable week in 1950.

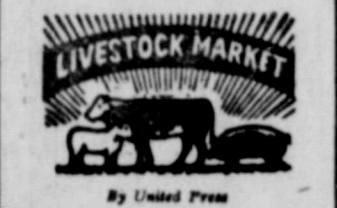


"CHESTY" GETS A STAR—Lewis B. "Chesty" Puller, of Saluda, Va., almost legendary Marine, has been promoted to brigadier general. He has commanded the 1st Marine Regiment of the 1st Marine Division in Korea since the Inchon landing in September. (A sketch made on the battle front by S/Sgt. Floyd A. Snoderly, of Knoxville, Tenn., First Marine Division combat artist.)

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FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 24 (UP) — (USDA) — Livestock: Cattle: Compared last Friday: Slaughter classes fully 50 higher, stockers unevenly and sharply higher. Weeks tops: Slaughter steers 37.60 heifers 36, cows 28, bulls 28.50; stocker steer yearlings 41, stocker heifer yearlings 39, feeder steers 34, stocker cows 30. Weeks bulks: Good and choice slaughter steers and heifers 33-36, commercial 30-32, beef cows 24-27, canners and cutters 19-24, bulls 25-28, good and choice stocker steer yearlings 33-40.

Calves compared last Friday: Slaughter offerings 50 and more higher, stockers unevenly 2-3 and more higher. Stocker buyers taking many calves of a kind that

were selling for slaughter purposes. Good and choice killers 33-36, common and medium 25-32, utility 20-25. Medium to choice stocker

calves 33-42, best 500 pound calves 41, some 300 pound mixed steers and heifers at 43.25, and small lots and odd head 200-250

pounds 45-50. Sheep: Compared last Friday: Choice milk fed lambs 50 higher, shorn yearlings 1.00 or more high-

er. Other classes steady to weak, some sales feeder lambs unevenly lower. Weeks tops: milk fed lambs 38.50, wooled slaughter lambs 37,

shorn slaughter lambs 34, shorn slaughter yearlings 28, aged sheep 24, feeder lambs 32.50, 1951, 25

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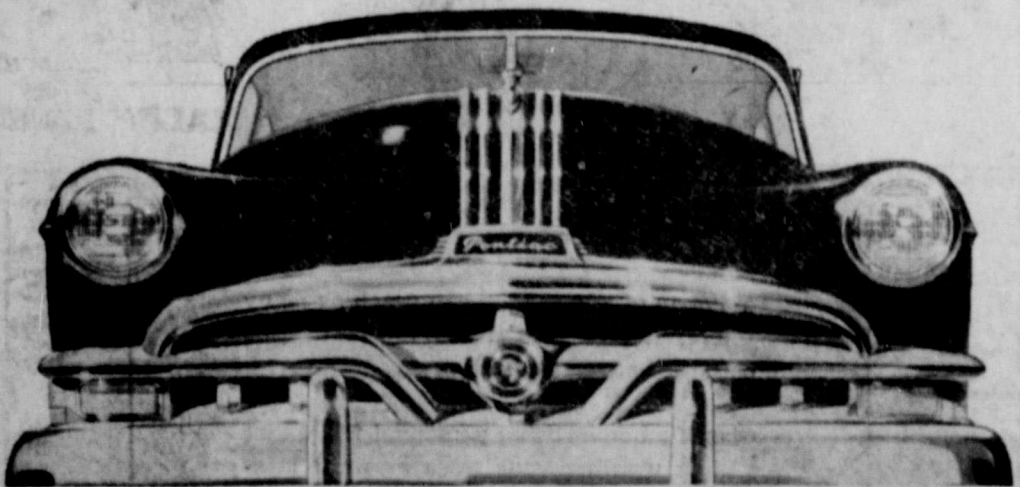
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SCENES AROUND RANGER

By John Chopelas

This just about hems us in. With location of a well 8 miles south of Ranger, another inside the north city limits and still another one producing three and a half miles northwest of the city, we are faced with oil from the four winds, to put it geologically.

Can Ranger handle a boom? If it is a gradual and slow increase in oil activity, then Ranger can probably adjust and loosen itself to receive the influx of workers and business. If the boom is of the old-style type—mushrooming overnight, then Ranger will be hard put to handle the frenzied activity and sudden deluge of population that usually walks hand-in-hand with such a "boom." From what I have heard around town by the wouldn't care to have the wild "old timers", most of them "boom" of the 20's return.

Instead, they prefer a gradual increase—giving the town time to condition and adjust itself to any increase in population and business that might come. If the steadily increasing oil activity can be controlled so as not to get out of hand—giving Ranger time to bolster its limited facilities to handle it—then perhaps, a new era of prosperity can be predicted for Ranger. But a sudden bursting of uncontrollable oil activity, will result in sky-rocketing prices (even in these times of rising costs), a strain upon law enforcement, and the dangers of a sudden collapse that has always followed the overnight "boom-town."

Ranger has been through one boom and the spiraling descent that followed it. I don't think the majority of Ranger citizens wish to go through that type of false prosperity again. As things are going now, Ranger is beginning to benefit from the increased oil activity. None of the wells are huge producers, and perhaps that is just as well for the city. It always seems that the big "gushers" are pan boom-towns. But with a few of the ones that cause the flash-in-the pan boom, the influx of and increase of business and people just sort of fit in, easy like, without straining the city's facilities; although, restaurants and hotels are already feeling the pinch of being crowded.

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US Trainmen Bitter Against Their Employers

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (UP)—American railroadmen are bitterly critical of the private ownership which employs them and the pay they get for their work.

Strike threats compelled the United States to assume technical operation of the railroads last August. Uncle Sam still is at the throttle.

A slightly similar situation, with startling differences, exists across the Atlantic in the world's second largest English-speaking country. There are railroad strikes and strike threats in Great Britain, too. And the roads are operated by the government.

The British workers are angry with their employers. The threat-

ened tie-up of rail transportation creates a great national danger in Great Britain as it did in the United States. But there the similarity ends.

The American quarrel is over the division of profits from joint efforts of labor, capital and management in operating the carriers. Some higher wage costs may be passed on in higher rates. But there is a profit margin there, also.

The British quarrel is over division of a deficit. A socialist government nationalized British railroads on Jan. 1, 1948. Nationalized operation has accumulated in three years a deficit of about \$140,000,000.

Some workers had the idea that labor would in fact own nationalized industries. Thereafter there was to be pie in the sky or, at least, plenty of bread on the table. That hope has been disappointed more than somewhat by British experience.

But the railroads are owned by the British people. What ever the railroads finally get from government will have to be put up by the owners either in tax-paid subsidies or in higher freight rates.

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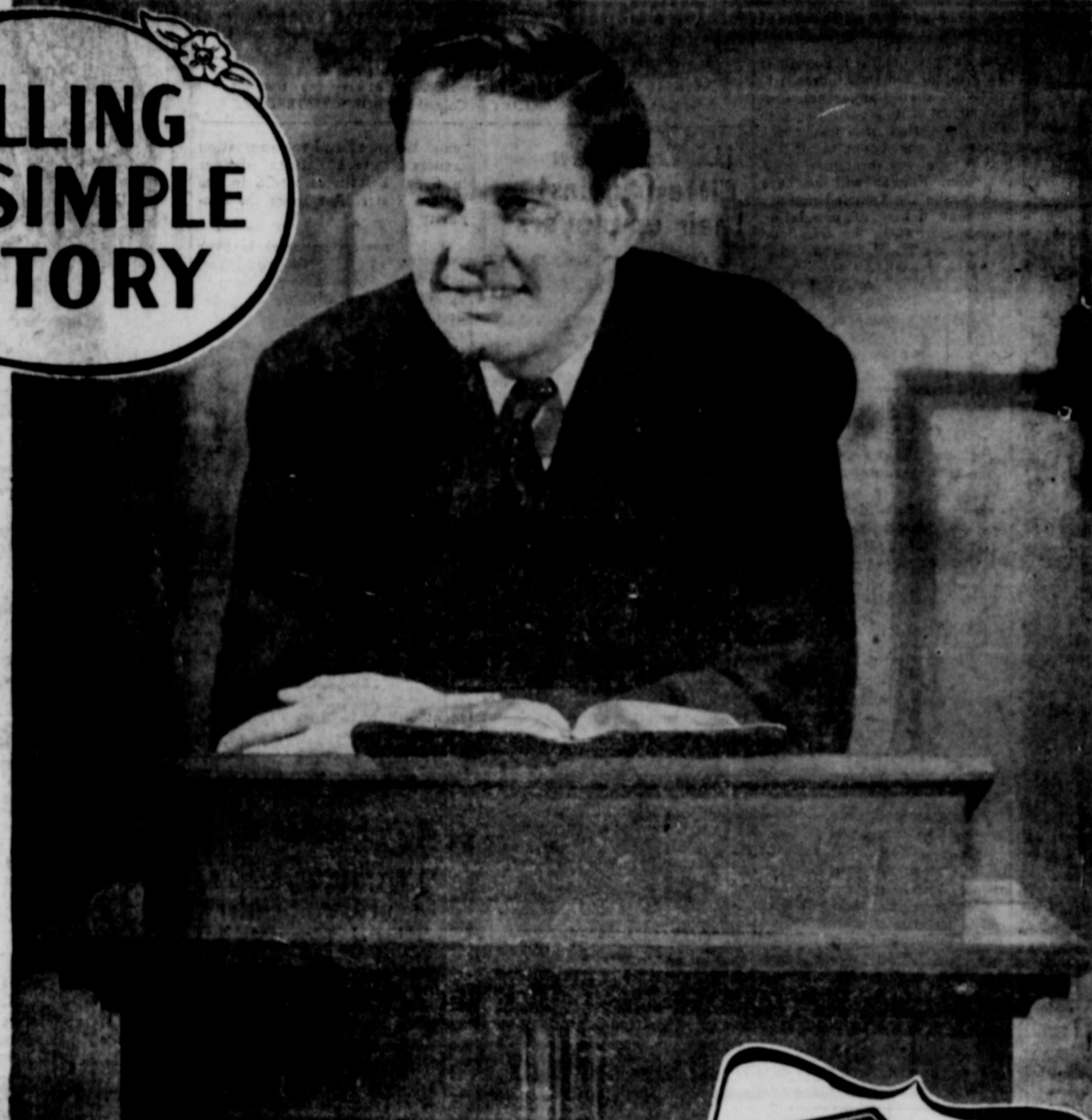
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Regular schedule of services
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
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Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:55 A. M.
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The Rev. August Merkel, Priest
Mass every Sunday 8:00 A. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

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Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
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Tuesday night Prayer Meeting 8:00 P. M.
Friday Night Young People Meet at 8:00 P. M.

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Holy Communion celebrated by Father Albert of Breckenridge.

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Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic Service 7:15 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:15 P. M.
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Message by Pastor 11:00 A. M.
Evangelist Service 7:40 P. M.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:40 P. M.
Y. P. E. Friday 7:40 P. M.

HARMONY BAPTIST CHURCH
Joe Smith, Jr., Pastor
(Morton Valley, 7 miles West of Ranger).

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Walnut and North Marston
Rev. M. P. Elder
Vesper Services 4:00 p. m.

MANY of us smiled at the farmer in Pearl Buck's story of the Good Earth. It seemed to us most strange that a man should buy his coffin ahead of time and take grim satisfaction in looking at the fine box in which he was to be buried. Perhaps many of us are as strange in our American refusal to think about death at all. The old adage "as sure as death and taxes" should have put us in the frame of mind to look forward to our own death and to make some preparation for it. Too many of us, however, are like the proverbial ostrich; we dig our heads down into the sand and assume that while death will overtake everybody else, by some strange shift of good fortune, it will never knock at our door. We are "foolish virgins" as Jesus called the people who made no provision for the coming of The Great Day, because the hour was uncertain.

ONE of the SIMPLEST STORIES ever told is the one told by Jesus to the Disciples on how to be saved. How to be ready for death. He made it so simple that even a "little child" can understand. Let us not take lightly the responsibility of telling this simple story! May we be conformed to right; subject to, and influenced by the moral laws of the Supreme.

FACE TO FACE let's face the fact of death and its certainty for ourselves. Then make plans that take death into account. See to it that we have arranged our minds and our souls for the promotion that we expect, from earth to Heaven. See to it that our families have been adequately provided for; let us face the fact fearlessly. May we be resolute and more determined to keep telling the Simple Story of how to live and what to live for so that we may know how to die. Come with me to Church.

Graphic with a Bible and text: YOU IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN YOU. Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fortify and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are molding religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. You in the Church and the Church in you form a combination for good. Be a regular CHURCH-GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

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Bible Classes 9:45 a. m.
Teaching 10:40 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Young People's Classes and Men's Training Class 6:00 p. m.
Preaching 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday
Ladies' Bible Class 2:00 p. m.
Mid-week Services 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE
Main and Oak Streets
W. M. Wilson, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Worship Service 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Service 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Service 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.
You are invited to join us in Christian fellowship and service.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Walnut & North Marston Streets
M. E. Harrell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30 p. m.
Friday: Pentecostal Conquerors 7:30 p. m.
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Church School 10:00
Church Assembly 10:30
Evening Church Worship 6:00
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Church services every second and fourth Sundays. Sunday school every Sunday.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 8 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship 7:15 P. M.
Thursday Prayer Service 7:15 P. M.
V.L.B. Saturday Evening 7:15 P. M.
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MERRIMAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Earl Williams, Pastor
Wed. Eve. Prayer Service 7:00
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Young People's service 7:00 P. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

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Layman's Day Observance To Be Held Sunday At Methodist Church

Across the nation, Methodists will observe "Layman's Day", Sunday, Feb. 25th, with a layman filling the Church pulpits. The morning service here in the local church will be given over to this special day. Rupert Ricker, prominent layman from Big Springs, will have charge of this service. He will use for his subject, "Breath of Life." Mr. Ricker has a remarkable testimony to give, since he has been a Christian only for 4 or 5 years. His hobby of "giving away Bibles" has been a means of grace to himself as well as those who have received them. You will enjoy his straight-forward gospel message from this Christian layman.

The Church School will begin with the usual "General Assembly" at 9:45 with songs, prayer, devotional, and announcements. The College Class will occupy a newly painted and decorated room in the new location. Asst. Coach Dick Henderson, RJC will teach the class. This class asks that those who are not attending Church School any place to meet with the College group at the Methodist Church.

Martha Dorcas Luncheon Thurs.

The Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist church held their monthly luncheon and business meeting Thursday, February 22nd in the home of Mrs. E. L. Danley.

The luncheon was served buffet style to the following: Mrs. E. E. Johnson, H. O. Woods, M. P. Williams, C. W. Alworthy, R. L. Willis, F. C. Williamson, G. D. Nicholson, E. H. Mills, Emmett Hightower, J. L. Turner, E. P. Mills, Charles Ashcraft, J. F. Reuwer, J. K. Dorris, George Williams, R. V. Patterson, R. S. Balch, G. O. Strong, L. E. Wolfe, and the guests Rev. and Mrs. Garland Lavender and daughter, Nancy.

Hostesses were Mrs. E. L. Danley, Mrs. J. K. Dorris, Mrs. H. C. Henderson, Mrs. W. C. Harris and Mrs. H. G. Ramsey.

Sermon Topics First Baptist

The Rev. Ralph Perkins extends a cordial invitation to attend the worship services at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Perkins will speak at the 11:00 a.m. services and will discuss "What Would Your Answer Be" to the verse, "How Shall We Escape If We Neglect So Great A Salvation?" Hebrews 2:3. What would your answer be if this were your last Lord's Day to spend on earth. (It will be for thousands.)

At the 7:00 p.m. service, the pastor will speak on "The Gift of the Church" as based upon the scripture "Silver and Gold Have I None but Such as I Have Give I Thee." Acts 3:6.

Methodist Church Circle Meetings

The various circles of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday afternoon at the following places. The Stella Stafford Circle will meet at 3:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roscoe Hopper. Mrs. H. C. Henderson will be host to the Olive Anderson Circle at 3:30 p.m. The Gladys Betts Circle will meet in the home of Mrs. Carol Boone at 4:00 p.m. The Mary Sue Brown Circle will meet at 3:00 p.m. with Mrs. Leslie Hagaman.

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Lone Star Club Meeting Thurs.

Mrs. H. S. Packwood and Mrs. Archie Robinson were hosts to the Ladies Lone Star Social Club Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in the club room.

Games of 42 and bridge were played. Mrs. Arthur Deffenbach won high in 42 and Mrs. W. J. Van Hibber won high in bridge.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. C. L. Dinsmore; Mrs. W. J. Van Bibber; Mrs. Riley Gordon; Mrs. W. P. Derr; Mrs. Edd Harper; Mrs. Lewis Thomas; Mrs. Arthur Deffenbach; Mrs. Leon Tankersley; Mrs. Edd Huffman; Mrs. Bill Bradshaw; Mrs. H. L. Hassell; Mrs. B. Howard; Mrs. Glenn Westfall; and the hostesses.

The next club meeting will be the last Thursday in March.

Sermon Topics Second Baptist

Rev. Jasper Masseege will speak at the Sunday morning service at the Second Baptist church on: "Winning Men to Christ."

At the evening service he will discuss: "Some Excuses given for not being a Christian." You are always welcome.

1947 Club Meeting, Wed.

The 1947 Club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 28, at 4:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Marshall Jolly at 515 Pine.

All members are urged to attend.

Eastern Star Meeting Mon.

The regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday evening, Feb. 26 at the Masonic Lodge. All officers and members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

Local Beauticians Attend Convention

Linda Forney, Eva K. Milmo, and Miriam Reding will attend the All State Beauticians Convention at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas, Sunday and Monday.

Look Who's New



Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Grimes 9005 S. Bassett, are the parents of a son, whom they have named Terry Gene. He was born Feb. 17th in a Ranger hospital and weighed six pounds and one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett of Ranger are the maternal grandparents.

Faith Class Dinner, Tuesday

The Faith Class of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. J. L. Clem, 412 W. Main at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 27th, for a covered dish dinner. All members and associates are invited.

Ranger's Back To Church Movement

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the latest in a series of articles written by a member of the Ministerial Alliance during its "Back To Church" movement in Ranger.)

BY M. W. Wilson
 Pastor of the Church of the Nazarene

Would you like to live in this world if the gospel had never been preached. Imagine the condition of this great land of ours with out the influence of the gospel. We might get a good idea what our conditions would have been by looking at other nations which have never had the gospel. Such as India and China with their idol worship and dark Africa in their ignorance and superstition who know nothing of Christian civilization. This should make us very grateful that we live in the land where the gospel is preached which has brought about this Christian civilization which we enjoy. Every freeborn American should feel that he is especially blessed with the privileges and opportunity to attend the services at the house of God.

The apostle Paul said we should "Not forsake the Assembling of Ourselves Together, As the Man-

Dr. Reed Is Guest Speaker

Dr. William Reed of the Bible College of the Bible of Texas Christian University will be guest speaker at the First Christian Church, Sunday, Dr. Reed will speak at both services, 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p.m.

Sermon Subjects: Church of Christ

Sermon subjects at the Church of Christ will be: Morning: "Right Attitudes." 7:00 p. m. "Faith Working by Love."

You are invited to attend every service. You will find a hearty welcome and a warm spirit of fellowship.

Personals

Jake Baker is seriously ill at the home of a daughter, Mrs. A. E. Reeves at 690 Mesquite.

Mrs. Abner Wright and two children, Freddy and Patty Ann and Mrs. Ben Earl Patterson of Ft. Worth, are spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Patterson and Mrs. Ethel Wright and Jakey.

Mrs. Earl Horton, who has been a surgical patient at the Ranger General Hospital has been dismissed and returned to her home.

Mrs. M. H. Hagman has had as guests in her home for the past several days a brother, H. E. Whittington and Mrs. Whittington of Houston; a son, Fred Hagman and Mrs. Hagman of Conway; and a nephew, J. B. Whittington of Amarillo.



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